

by the death at Lynn, Mass., of Mrs. Lizzie Higgins, in her seventy-ninth year. failing health for the p winter, and her death was not unexpected. Mrs. Higgins was born here, the daughter of the late Peter and Polly McGown, and spent most of her life here, where she was held in great esteem. She leaves one daughter, Cora N., and three sons - Llewellyn and Herbert, of Massachusetts, and Edwin, of Los Angeles, Cal. She is also survived by eight brothers and two sisters-Jeremiah McGown, of Brunswick; Fred, Cyrenus, Stephen and Sabin McGown, and Miss Delia McGown and Mrs. Emma Simmons, all of Massachusetts; Francis, William and Walter McGown, of this place. Funeral services were held at her home in Lynn Wednesday. The remains were brought here, where services were held in the church Thursday afternoon, Rev. Henry W. Conley officiating. Inter-

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on School street was badly damaged by fire last Friday night, together with a large number of carriages and sleighs,

The fire started about 10 o'clock, near the front of the building. The woodworking room was in that end of the building, and a large amount of inflam-mable material afforded the fire rapid

practically gutted, but the back part was not badly damaged. Many sleighs in the repository, which occupied the entire northern half of the building, were completely destroyed, and those in the rear

\$4,000. There was an insurance of \$3,200

was a stove in the wood-working shop some distance back from the front doors, but from the appearance of the charred woodwork, the fire seems to have started

The Rowe carriage factory was established some thirty-six years ago, and is well known throughout eastern Maine. This is the first fire loss it has ever suffered, As soon as the insurance is adjusted, Mr. Rowe will make the necessary repairs on

Lettie Mitchell is ill of gastric fever. Mrs. Albion Wood is visiting in Boston. Mrs. Lyman DeWitt has been visiting relatives at Bar Harbor and Hull's Cove. William Luckings and wife, of Bar Harbor, are visiting Howard McGown and

and the second

Mrs. Charles Garland remains in poor

Ellsworth Falls with poplar cut on his

Hancock hall, Feb. 22-26-Food fair

Friday, Feb. 25, at Ellsworth-District

Thursday, March 10, at Ellsworth-Ma-

Farmers' institute by Maine department of agriculture, under auspices of Ells-worth board of trade. Subject: "Orchard-

hall, Mechanics' building, Boston-Ells-

April 20-25, at Knight Memorial Methodist church, Calais-East Maine annual conference. Bishop W. A. Quayle, of

# THE AMERICAN. ELLSWORTH, ME., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1910

#### CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 27, 1910. Topic. - Christ winning our nation.-Luke x, 1-17. Comment by Rev. Sherman H. Doyle, D. D.

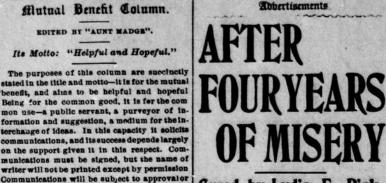
In this paragraph selected for our study Luke describes the sending out of seventy disciples, who, two by two, were to precede Christ into the towns and cities into which He was to follow. On two other occasions Christ sent forth the twelve, but this is not one of these occasions, for Luke records both events. This was an insed number and probably went before Christ into the places He was to enter on His last journey from Galito Jerusalem. The twelve were the official apostles and accompanied the Baviour. The seventy were selected disciples. They remind us of the laymen's missionary movement of today, in which thousands of men who are not ordained to the ministry have toined themselves together to make a rigantic effort to win the world for Christ. These seventy men were therefore to go before Christ to teach of Him and to prepare the way for His coming. Through their efforts many would receive Christ before He came, and in the hearts of others the seed would be planted and made ready to accept the Christ when He himself should appear. This work was not to be done on foreign fields, but among the Jews, and was therefore home missions, and if we follow the injunctions here laid down it will result in Christ winning our nation.

Christ should win our nation. To win it He needs but to be presented to the people throughout our land in the proper way. He Himself says, "I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto Me," and again, "As Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have eternal life." It is the duty of American Christians to uphold Christ before

nation and He will win it unto Him. This duty rests upon us in our local Christian work. In the vicinity of all our churches there are many whom Christ has not won. Let us follow the example of the seventy and, going out two by two for co-operation and sym-pathy, hold Him up before those about us. In addition to this personal work at home, we should send missionaries in whatever way possible throughout every part of the land where Christ

has not been lifted up. Christ can win our nation. If He be properly presented to the people the hearts of the vast majority will be won by Him. There is no greater attractive power or personality in the world than Jesus Christ, and if some are not attracted to Him the fault lies in them and not in Him. A magnet attracts steel, but not lead, but the magnet is the same in each case. The difference is in the lead. The cross of Christ is related to men in the same way. It attracts all men equally, and while some respond and others do not the difference is not in the attractiveness of the cross, but in the hearts of those attracted and of those repelled. It is ours to uplift the cross. With the acceptance or rejection of it we have nothing to do. That responsibility rests upon those who bear.

The responsibility of our nation in its relation to Christ is great. It is so ecause of its great opportunity. Throughout our land for years the cospel's joyful sound has been heard. If heard and not heeded we shall be like the cities which Christ condemned for failure to take advantage of their opportunities. May Christ win our nation in all its relations. May our homes be Christian homes, our business conducted upon a basis of honesty and uprightness, our social life be



EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE".

rejection by the editor of the column, but none

"Every dog must have his day," and

urely as but one dog has been admitted to

the M. B. circle, that dog should have

space in the column one week in which to

ecord his auto-biography; though on ac-

count of his dislike to motor cars he would

prefer that we omit the word "auto" in

in my possession a picture of this same "Teddy R." doing one of the many tricks

TEDDY R.'S LETTER.

around the house three times barking, "bow,

vow, wow," which in your tongue would b

I was adopted and brought to Sorrento about two and one-half years ago. I will give

you a short history of my dog life here, if you will accept it. I am pleased that my lines fell

in such a pleasant place, where I have play

and chase the sandpipers, then to dive into

the water and swim up and down the shore in

the cooling water. I think this must be the

identical spot where the red man paddled his cance and wooed and won his dusky bride.

what I saw. I thought it was some ho

When I first came here I was frightened at

beats carrying off a man. I could see his legs

and inst as ; was about to catch hold of the

nan's leg to liberate him, he looked at me

then yelled "get out" so loud that I was glad

my dinner in it, and I carry it out to eat. I would like to sit up to the table and eat with

them, but they say "you drool". Drool! I guess my mouth is as clean as a tobacco-chewer's, and I know that my breath is as

sweet as that of some old tobacco-pipe

I stand by to take the mail matter when it

is brought to the door and carry it into the house. I think the mail man thinks a great

deal of me, for he is a rickety old fellow who

ion't like to get out of his carriage unless he

I went down to the orchard one night to se

if any boys were after Uncle D's apples and I

saw a strange looking object up in a tree. He had lots of quills sticking behind his ears. I

thought he might be an editor or someone

connected with the editorial staff of Tax

AMERICAN. So going a little nearer to him, I

asked, "My dear sir, are you an editor or the printer's devil." At that time something

struck me in face, leaving twelve quills in my

nose. I came home in great pain. When Uncle saw me he got his pincers and pulled them all

"Now, Teddy", he said, "let me give you

some advice; never stick your nose into other

I have lots of fun with the rabbits. I would

not kill one, but I love to see them just skip when they think I am going to catch them. One day, while coming out of the wood I saw

pretty creature. I thought it might be a

fairy queen, as I have often dreamed of them

She wore a pretty fur coat with a white stripe down the middle of it. I thought I would

make acquaintance with her, so bowing very

low, I said, "Good afternoon, marm." She turned around and standing on her high-heel

boats, she gave me one of the most scorn-

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to run around on the pebbled shores

living.

Dear Aunt Madge, Dear Aunt Madge".

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for which he is famous.

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all communications to

ted without good reason. Addres

Ellsworth, Me.

The purposes of this column are su

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Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Baltimore, Md. – "For four years my life was a misery to me. I suffered from irregulari-ties, terrible drag-

and and a ging sensations, extreme nervous-ness, and that all 2

ness, and that all gone feeling in my stomach. I had given up hope of ever being well when I began to take Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound. Then I felt as though new life had been n recommending it Some of the readers of the M. B. column may not be especially fond of the canine given me, and I am recommending it family, but they will find the morals to all my friends."-Mrs. W. S. FORD, 2207 W. Franklin St., Baltimore, Md. drawn from Teddy's various experiences very aptly apply to "humans." Dear Aunt Madge: When I learned that you had accepted me into your family of Mutuals, I was so glad that I jumped up and down and then ran

2207 W. Franklin St., Baltimore, Md. The most successful remedy in this country for the cure of all forms of female complaints is Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successfully used than any other female remedy. It has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements inflamthousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflam-mation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, ir-regularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, and nervous prostration, after all other means had failed. If you are suffering from any of these eilments don't cirs un hore until you

ailments, don't give up hope until you have given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-table Compound a trial. If you would like special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it. She has guided thousands to health, free of charge. charge.

and arms going up and down as if he was in agony trying to get away from him. I ran up, with. Sometimes Gen Chaff and Col. Spot come over to play with me. We play until we get tired, then they go home. We never grarrel. Indeed, I would think it to be a disgrace to me to get into a dog fight, since I beso get out just as soon as I could. Sometimes I bring in my pail and they put ng to the Mutuals.

I wish all the John's and everyone else who raise dogs would raise only the most intelli-gent kinds; then by taking pains, teach them and elevate their characters so they might and elevate their characters so they might throw off that horrid stigms, "worthless, sheep-killing curs," and become man's use-ful and most loving and affectionate pets. Now I will close this ill-written letter. After

getting some one to sign my name, I will make my mark with my longest toe nail. TEDDY ROOSEVELT, JR.

his (X) mark by Uncle Dudley.

Dell sends us the following letter of encouragement, and we are glad to know of another interested reader of the column. and thank her for the recipes. To close this week we will have the poem last. Alexia sent it, and it occurred to me some of the M. B's. who are also grangers might find it suitable to read at one of their meetings.

We are sorry to hear that our appreciated Sister B. still continues ill. We hope to hear that she is improving.

Dear Aunt Madge: Perhaps I came too often, but a good word for the column brings me this time. A few days ago I received a letter from Mrs. Vesta (Freethy) Moody, of Holyoke, Mass., who has been away from Surry thirty years. She said, "I read THE AMERICAN every week. It keeps me in touch with my old home, and I enjoy the M. B. column very mitaken many good receipes from it." very much. Have She sent two, which I will enclose. She

followed. The program was omitted. wishes, like many others, she knew the names of all, I have invited her to visit me Owing to heavy storms, the Mariaville next year. Hope she will come at a time to grange has not met many times this win-

#### Among the Grangers.

This column is devoted to the Grange, es pecially to the granges of Hancock county. The column is open to all grangers for the discussion of topics of general interest, and for reports of grange meetings. Make letter short and concise. All communications must be signed, but names will not be printed except by permission of the writer. All com-munications will be subject to approval by the editor, but none will be rejected without good reason.

DATES. Tuesday, March 15-Meeting of Hancool

grange, Ellsworth.

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younger members.

Pomona grange with Brooklin grange. Brooklin.

BROOKLIN, 251.

Brooklin grange held a regular meeting Feb. 15, with Past Master F. W. Phillips

in the chair, and thirty members present

One application for membership was re-ceived. The first and second degrees were

BAYSIDE, 476, ELLSWORTH.

Bayside grange held its regular meeting

Wednesday evening with a good attend-

ance and about twenty visitors from Han-

cock, Lamoine and Machias granges. The

first and second degrees were conferred on

one candidate. After work refreshments

were served. The program consisted of

quotations from George Washington and

Lincoln. A special meeting was called for

Saturday evening to confer the first and

HARVEST HOME, 403, WEST ELLSWORTH.

Harvest Home grange met Feb. 19. As the traveling was bad, only a few re-

sponded. One application was received.

A communication fron State Master

Stetson, on corn growing, was read. Pre-

miums will be given for the best essay of

1,000 words or more on the subject, by

members of the grange. As the lectures

was not present, no program was given.

The grange will have a chopping bee Sat-

NICOLIN, 389, NORTH ELLSWORTH.

Nicolin grange met Saturday evening

Owing to illness among the members

there were but twenty-three present, and

one visitor. After business the first and

second degrees were given one candidate.

Committees for. the year were appointed

as follows: Executive committee, George

W. Patten, L. D. Patten, H. E. Austin;

finance committee, H. L. Wheelden, Frank Cottle, C. I. Merrill. A donation

from Senator Hale toward a grange hall

was gratefully received, and a rising vote

ARBUTUS, 450, SURRY.

On account of bad traveling there was

no meeting of Hancock Pomona with

Arbutus grange Feb. 18. No officers were

present, but the regular meeting was held

in the evening with a good attendance

and visitors from East Bluehill and

Brooklin granges. Only the regular busi-

ness was brought before the meeting, and

the program of music, readings and reci-

HARBORSIDE, 478, SOUTH BROOKSVILLE.

Harborside grange met in regular ses-

sion Feb. 16, with thirty-four members

present. Four names were presented for

membership and a class of three in-

structed in first and second degrees, and

one admitted by demit. At the next meet-

ing, the third and fourth degrees will be

worked. Supper will be served by the

MARIAVILLE, 441.

Mariaville grange held an interesting

meeting Saturday evening with a small

attendance due to bad traveling. Officers

were installed by Daniel G. Young, as-

sisted by Lyda C. Young. A harvest feast

ready answers of the witnesses kept the audience in a roar of laughter. At last Wednesday, March 2-Meeting of Green

the foreman of the jury brought in a Mountain Pomena grange with Bayside verdict of guilty, and the judge pro-nounced a heavy penalty on the defendant.

Altogether it was the most strenuou meeting Mountain View grange has had, and it was rather a late hour when the grange closed.

was conferred on two sisters and one

sisters and two brothers, after which a

During the lecturer's hour there was

solo by Sister Mabel Allen, of Bay View

grange, which was heartily encored, and

A brother was accused of stealing a bob-

tailed rooster from a sister. The lawyers for the State were D. G. Hall and E. P.

Higgins; for the defendant, S. L. Burns

There were many witnesses on each side.

and the lawyers showed their skill and

ability, and their cross-questions and the

on two

brother and the fourth degree

counteous harvest feast was served.

mock trail occupied the rest of the

and E. M. Hall; judge, Frank Clark.

VERONA, 206.

Verona grange met Saturday evening with the worthy master in the chair and fifteen members present. All were tired from the hard day's work Friday preparing for the sale and ball, which was a success socially and financially, drawing the largest crowd seen in Emery hall fo ten years. The music furnished by the U. of M. orchestra was fine. Fully 100 couples formed for the grand march, led by the master of Verona grange, with his wife. The grange netted \$55, and the ladies' industrial \$34 from the afternoon sale and ice-cream.

The grange extends thanks to all for their patronage. After a short business session, the grange closed, and ice-cream and cake were served. There will be work in the third and fourth degrees at the next meeting, and a good attendance is desired.

BAY VIEW, 267, SALISBURY COVE. Bay View grange held its regular meet ing Wednesday evening, with a good attendance. The third degree was worked, a good program was presented, and a treat of apples was furnished by Brother Harry Stearns. The sisters plan to meet on Tuesday and clean the ball, which has been repaired. A harvest feast will be served Feb. 23.

ALAMOOSOOK, 409, EAST ORLAND. Saturday night was the first meeting of Alamoosook grange since Feb. 5. There was a good attendance, with a fine program. At the next meeting the chairs will be filled by the brothers.

RAINBOW, 203, NORTH BROOKSVILLE. There was a large attendance at the neeting of Rainbow grange in spite of the storm. The clam stew was a drawing card. There was music by phonograph by Ellery Herrick. Sylvia Gray, Gladys Conner and Leslie Cain were reported on the sick list. A treat was sent to each one A shower of postcards was suggested to be sent to Gladys Conner, South Penobscot, on March 17, St. Patrick's day. It is hoped all members of Rainbow grange will remember her with a card to cheer her in ner illness.

#### SCHOODIC, 420, FRANKLIN.

Schoodic grange held its regular mee ing Thursday evening. Owing to the storm there was a small attendance. One candidate was elected. The next meeting will be held March 3.

#### PAMOLA. 265. HANCOCK

Pamola grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening, Feb. 19, with seventy-Saturday evening, Feb. 19, with seventy-two members and two visitors present. After business, there was work in third and fourth degrees, followed by a harvest supper. At the next meeting there will be work in first and second degrees, and a Longfellow program will be presented. The program committee for February are Clara Johnson and Harry Rollins; for March, Effle Cook and Roy Haines.

GREEN MOUNTAIN POMONA, 26. Following is the program

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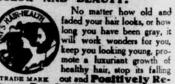
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clean and pure. The relation between employer and employed has its foundation on the principles taught by Christ, and may every official position from that of the president down to the humblest officeholder in the land be so conducted as to receive the approval of Him who is King of kings and Lord of lords.

#### BIBLE READINGS.

Isa. xxxv, 1-10; xl, 1-3; lii, 1-7; Mal. iv, 5, 6; Matt. x, 1-8; xxviii, 19, 20; Acts 1, 1-8; Mark 1, 1-3; John iv, 25-30 39-42; Rom. x, 14, 15; I Cor. iii, 5-11; II Cor. v, 11-20; Phil. iii, 1-12; Rev. xi. 15-19.

# No Longer an Apology Needed. Rev. W. W. Rogers in his farewell

address at Sydney as president of the New South Wales union, speaking on Christian Endeavor's progress, said:

"Christian Endeavor has no longer to apologize for itself or to justify its existence as an innovation. It remains for us to maintain that justification which we have won by loyalty to the first principles. Christian Endeavor had a hard battle to enter some churches. It has not yet entered some. There was a negro in one of the south ern states of America named Rastus. who wanted to enter the church and asked permission of the pastor. He said, 'I think you had better go home and pray about it for a fortnight.' At the end of that time the negro returned, but he did not look very hap-py, and the pastor said, 'Well, Rastus, what does the Lord say about it?' Restus answered: 'The Lord said: "Well, it ain't no use your trying to enter that church. I have been trying to enter it twenty years myself and have not got in, so what chance have you?"' And when I see Christian Enavor kept outside and churches shut ir doors to it I wonder whether the Lord has got in yet. At any rate, 1 know this, of course-churches that have not Christian Endeavor societies are not necessarily unevangelistic, but nding in the forefront of the evanlistic churches in our city are those at nurture and welcome Christian deavor enterprise."

ful and malignant looks the extract of onion as could be raised on a

ten-acre onion patch. I went home quite ashamed of myself. When Uncle saw what had happened to me, he got water, soap and amonia and washed off all he could. "Now, Teddy," he said, "never seek acquaintance with strangers if you do ot know who they are".

Most of my time I am lying at the hitching post where I can see all who come along. When I see a fine-looking team with a young lady and gentleman its occupants, with their smiling faces turned toward each other as if in earnest conversation, and if I think they are going to call to get a drink of water or a bunch of sweet peas, then I bark a little to give Aunt a chance to brush up her hair before she goes to the door to answer their call, and sometimes Uncle D. may be at work in the garden with his hat, coat and she off. So I give him a chance to get his regalia on before they see him.

When Mr. Jake drives up I keep lookout for him to see that his fingers don't stick to Auntie's copper boiler, or to Uncles old rubber boots. And I keep my eye on Mr. Jake that he don't mistake Uncle for a sack

Last summer there were eight here. They do not think that a dog has any rights that they are bound to respect. I have a license to go at large, and I think that a part of the roadway belongs to me. Uncle says that he would give \$100 to a fund that could be used to totally and eternally annihilate them. There are not many dogs here for me to play

Many requests from Catarrh sufferers who use atomizers have caused us to put up Liquid Cream Balm, a new and convenient form of Ely's Cream IBalm, the only remedy for Catarrh which can always be depended on. In power to allay inflammation, to cleanse the clogged air-passages, to promote free, natural breathing, the two forms of Cream Balm are alike. Liquid Cream Balm is sold by all druggist for 75 cents, including spraying tube. Mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

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attend the reunion. Little do we know who ter. Many good suggestions were offered turned away, I was struck in the side of the head with a volley, and -oh my! What a smell! I thought she had eaten as much of

As to myself and John, we are well and busy every hour. I must write and see what ails Aunt Maria. Sister B. is still a prisoner in her room; can't even get to the telephone. which is just over her bed. I have been to see her. DELL. MRS. MOODY'S SPONGE CAKE-Two eggs, one cup sugar, one and one-half cups flour, one teaspoon baking powder, vanilla and sait to taste; add one cup hot milk and beat well.

CHOCOLATE FROSTING—One cup frosting sugar, one teaspoon butter, two tablespoon chocalate, one teaspoon vanilla; let a little cream come to a boll and beat it in. It will not harden as some frostings do.

#### A COMMON DAY.

What day was most happy in all my life; What most with sorrow and suffering rife? Ah! to tell of them would be hard for me, Though so fresh they gather in memory; 'Tis only for pencil of mine to portray The joys and fears of the common day The common day on the dear old farm, Where hands are busy and hearts are warm, 'Tis a farmer's kitchea, wide and clean, The fire, new lit, crackles its bars between, The mother moves swiftly to and fro In her dress of plain, dark calico. of old rags and put him on his cart. The worst feature at Sorrento is the autos. Her hand is light and her eye is mild, And her smile like that of a little child. She turns the bacon, and cuts the brea And a quaint old tune runs through her head. But a good God reigns over all." "Tis a simple creed of a trusting heart, But it holds while years and hopes depart, So she sings as she works, and sings again, And goes to the doorstep to call the men, Clear and strong is her voice alway, That led the choir on a long gone day. And the good man hears, and smiles t The same, sweet voice that then was dear, And he calls his boys, and they gather in With joke, and whistle, and merry din. And the fragrant coffee is quaffed in haste, For October days have no hours to was And the huskers are out with rising sun, And scarce when he sets is their labor done. 'Tis a busy life, you will say; 'tis so; And a happy life, as their fa es show And the clear, pure air, and their he Shall make them the Lords of the virgin soil, Shall make them the Lorus of the virgin soil, Tho' they labor till dark, and from early morn, Who so proud a king on his load of corn; His sons and daughters around him stand Like a bulwark, for home and for native land,

His life of toil, when 'tis past away, Shall show us the force of the common day. -By Elia T. C., Iowa.

SEDGWICK, 244.

Owing to the storm of Feb. 4, and the death of Sister Esther Allen Feb. 11, there were no meetings on those dates, but on Feb. 18 a regular meeting was held, with twenty members present, and one visitor from Brooklin grange. After business, the lecturer presented an enjoyable program as follows: Reading, Virginia Allen; charade, Hattie Allen; topic, "The value of good health; how to get it, and how to keep it," opened by worthy secretary. After a recess for games, which all seemed to enjoy, the program was continued, with song by the young members, conundrums.

Washington program will be furnished.

Bertha Orcutt. Friday evening a

#### LAMOINE, 264. Lamoine grange held its regular meeting Tuesday evening, Feb. 8. One candidate was instructed in the second degree. The question, "Which is the more detrimental to farming, a lazy man or a careless one?' was opened by W. M. Austin, followed by several of the members. At the regular meeting Feb. 15 one candidate was given the third degree and two the fourth degree. The lecturer presented a program of readings and tableaux. At the next meeting the program will be devoted to George Washington. George

MOUNTAIN VIEW, 484, WEST EDEN. Mountain View grange held its regular meeting Feb. 18, with about 140 pe present, including a large number of visitors from Bay View grange. After business, two applications accompanied by a demit were accepted, the third degree

#### CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY.

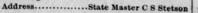
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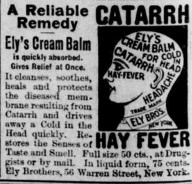
Jimmie giggled when the teacher read the story of the Roman who swam acros the Tiber three times before breakfast. "You do not doubt a trained swimmer could do that, do you, James?" "No, sir," answered Jimmie; "but I wondered why

he did not make it four and get back to the side his clothes were on."

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## THE AMERICAN, ELLSWORTH, ME., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1910.

fees that the curiosity of all my an at this very instant, and open the fagon I must!" "Me, too," added Fanny. "I suppose that is the best way," I agreed. "We are the last of the race,

and none of us is married. Let us at least satisfy our curiosity."

"Besides that, we must divide the contents or decide upon the ownership of the flagon, since you will not recognize that I have an individual claim,' Amelia drew a silver penknife from her pocket and opened a shining blade. "Or that I have a claim," put in Fanny decidedly. "Or mine," I added.

"We must compromise." Amelia's voice was growing colder, and invol-untarily I drew nearer the grate and Great-aunt Hannah squinted horri-aly, so when with almost her last poked the fire into greater warmth. "Let us divide the contents into two breath she looked earnestly at her three grandnieces and gasped, "The diver flagon is for you-it has never parts and call the flagon itself a third part, each of us to agree to be entirely satisfied with her share. Do you en opened-you know the legend," not one of us really knew to whom the heirloom rightfully belonged. agree?"

"I do," said Fanny promptly. In the library the two executors con-"Sight unseen?" I queried. Amelia nodded emphatically. ferred amiably together. In the kitch-en the servants discussed the legacies In the long parlor Amelia, Fanny

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The Silver

Flagon

A Wonderful Treasure It

Held For Many Years.

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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and I sat in front of the glowing grate

clock and a Chinese fan. In the cen-

ter, directly under the painting of Mrs.

Dorothy Fabyan, was the silver flag-

on, flawless in shape and perfect in its

chaste design of vine and leaf and dustered fruit. Its polished surface

gave back a distorted reflection of our

No mention had yet been made of

Annt Hannah's belated disposition of

the family heirloom. It was not men-

tioned in the will, and its ownership

must be settled among the three of us.

It was Amella who broke the long,

awkward silence by reaching up a graceful arm and taking the silver

"I am the eldest," she apologized, settling back in her chair, "and I am

quite sure that Aunt Hannah meant

me to have it. She looked at me."

Amelia's tone was coolly defiant. "She looked at me, too," said Fanny

in gentle protest. "I am sure she look

Aunt Hannah could," I announced

"For shame, Esther Fabyan!" they

cried in duet, and then they turned

their backs upon me and fell into whis-

pered converse over the probable con-

tents of the bone of contention-of

The tall silver stopper fitted snugly

The silver flagon had once been the

property of Mistress Dorothy Fabyan, our sweet ancestress, and tradition had

it that within its polished interior the

fair Dorothy had secreted the precious

jewels which her rich husband had

lavished upon her. When she was

dying she had given the flagon to her

young daughter, saying: "Guard well the flagon, daughter,

and when you have reached years of

discretion you may break the seal and

learn the contents-rubles and dia-

monds and pearls. Let no other woman

steal it away from you! It contains

what all women desire and but few

"And it belonged to you, mother,

dear?" the young girl had timidly ask-

ed as she stroked the delicate, withered

Dorothy Fabyan had smiled proudly

The young daughter had died in her

"Aye, it was mine for a sea-

ere she closed her beautiful eyes for-

attain. It will be yours."

ever.

son," she said.

to the neck, and around it was a thin

course I mean the silver flagon.

stream of red sealing wax.

ed at me, did she not, Esther?"

mured feebly.

impatiently.

lovally.

flagon from its resting place.

three faces, ruddy in the firelight.

On the white marble mantel

ce above our heads stood a pair of precious Dresden vases, a Wedgwood

they had received.

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"Very well. I agree." "I am the eldest. I shall take first choice," began Amelia, with a slight flush on her lovely face. "I choose half of the contents of the flagon."

"I am next," cried Fanny eagerly. "I will take the other half of the contents. And you, Esther, what will you

"I-I will take the sliver flagon," I responded humbly, and they seemed very well satisfied.

We gathered about Amelia's chair as she chipped at the sealing wax with her penknife. She flung the crimson bits into the fire, and it made little white hot sheets of flame that darted up the black mouthed chimney like a short life that is quickly burned out or a woman's fragile beauty that flares for a brief period and then dies away, leaving gray ashes.

When the wax was broken and the stopper had been with difficulty loos ened from the slender neck of the ves sel in turn we peered down the slender orifice and saw nothing. We shook the flagon and heard nothing. We turned it upside down, and nothing happened.

"It is empty," said Amelia, with a white face.

I shrugged my shoulders helplessly. "Perhaps the jewels are stuck fast to the bottom," I suggested. "You "I thought she looked at me," I murknow they have been interred for a "No one could gaze in three different century.' directions at one time," said Amelia

"Get your curling tongs, Fanny," commanded Amelia, darting a hostile glance in my direction.

I looked into the glowing coals, wondering at the magic of possession that had seized upon us three cousins who had been loving friends from childhood. Here we were wrangling over the possession of a silver flagon to which we had scarcely ever given a thought in our busy lives. Thanks to Great-aunt Hannah, we were rich beyond our wildest dreams, and still we could not be satisfied without prying into Dorothy Fabyan's silver flagon!

Fanny returned with the long silver tongs that were used to wave her straight black hair. "They should reach to the very bottom of the jug!" she cried excitedly.

Once more we bent above the silver flagon while Amelia thrust the tongs carefully down the slender neck and after a painful interval drew forth a folded slip of yellowed paper covered with fine pointed chirography.

Fanny and Amelia leaned back pale and breathless while I spelled out the spidery words that explained how Dorothy Fabyan, that clever housewife of so many decades ago, had discovered a most wonderful complexion wash-Cleopatra's Balm of Beauty" she called it. To this marvelous face wash she ascribed her own exquisite beauty. The ingredients were almost impossible to obtain in those primitive days, and she had even sold her precious teens, and the silver flagon, with its Jewels to obtain the necessary elements of the balm. Now, she passed the secret of its making to her own daughter and afterward down to the coming generations of the women of her family, and, as if the mere possession of the recipe sealed within the silver flagon could impart a magic spell upon its owner, the Fabyan women had been famous for their wonderful beauty-all save poor Great-aunt Hannah and myself.



#### By MILTON W. TOWNE.

Depyright, 1909, by American Press Asso-ciation.] One day shortly after the close of Harbor.

the American civil war a small fleet of United States wooden men-of-war was lying at anchor in the harbor of Cher. bourg. It was a gala day, for Napoleon III., then emperor of France, and the Empress Eugenie were in Cher-bourg and had accepted an invitation from the admiral to visit his flagship. But before doing so the imperial couple inspected a French man-of-war.

Now, it so happened that a mess cook on board the French ship, the Esper-ance, was wholly unmindful of the important ceremony that was about to take place. Indeed, his captain had not considered it necessary to inform him. It would have been better had he done so. His failure resulted in a bitter feeling between the crews of the Esperance and the flagship of the American admiral.

Not knowing that the emperor and mpress were about to come aboard the Esperance, Francois, a little bit of a sawed off Frenchman, with a tiny goatee and mustache to match, was cleaning knives, forks and spoons on the gun deck.

But, suddenly looking up, he saw Lieutenant Du Bois coming from the other end of the vessel. Francois knew by the bells that struck at the time that the lieutenant was going off duty and would go, as was his custom, to his cabin for a change of uniform. To reach his cabin he would be oblige to pass the point where the cook sat scouring. Francois, not caring to in cur an officer's displeasure for performing his menial duty on deck, hurriedly threw the table articles into a mess pot, stepped to the muzzle of a ten inch gun, took out the tampionthe wooden plug kept in the mouths of cannon when not in use-thrust in the mess kit and put the tampion back in its place. When the lieutenant came by Francois was standing respectfully at attention. "Francols," said the officer, "bring

some biscuits and a glass of wine to my cabin."

'Yes, Monsieur le Lieutenant." "Well, hurry. I have but little time

before the ceremony takes place." At the word ceremony Francois took fright. Ceremony meant salutes. He did not wish to leave the mess kit in the gun for fear the latter would be required for saluting purposes and the kit would be lost. But the lieutenant glared at him, and he dare not delay, He went below, carried the biscuit to Lieutenant Du Bois' cabin and was about to hurry back on deck when another officer, seeing him go by his open door, directed him to bring him a glass of wine. And so it was that the little cook was kept hurrying to do the bidding of one person after another till something happened.

The officer of the deck, seeing a crowd gathering at the dock, raised his glasses and, after a moment's inspection, cried out, "The emperor is coming." In a few minutes a barge left the dock, and poor Francois, still running about below, heard the guns above begin to boom in salute.

Now, it happened that several petty officers, including Pat Donagan, on board the American admiral's flagship, had secured permission to bring aboard their sweethearts-at least their vice sweethearts-and the party were enjoying themselves, when suddenly the air filled with flying knives, forks and spoons. In another moment they heard the boom of a gun. A fork stuck in a girl's cheek, a knife cut off a man's nose, and Pat Donagan received an injury which cost him an eye.

All knew that the Esperance in saluting the emperor and empress had accidentally fired a volley of tableware at the American nagship. Fat D

# COUNTY NEWS.

#### WEST EDEN. Miss Edith Hall, who has been in Milli-

ocket the past few months, is home Mrs. Agnes Mayo spent the past week with her brother, Winnie Reed, at Bar Miss Agnes Cousins has returned home

at the Narrows from Bangor, where she has been visiting. Miss Margaret Koch, State secretary of the Christian Endeavor union, is spending a few days with Mrs. D. G. Hall.

The valentine social Monday evening, Feb. 14, by the L. C. A. society, was a de-cided success. Over \$20 was realized.

Walter Haynes and Eugene Haynes, of Northeast Harbor, are getting out lumber for C. W. Kittredge.

The drams, "Topsy Turvey," will be given by local talent for the benefit of the grange, Wednesday and Thursday even-ings, Feb. 23 and 24. Supper will be served both evenings.

Word was received last week of the death of Laura, wife of Frank Perkins, ormerly of this place, at West Chelmsford Mass. Mrs. Perkins had been in po health a long time. Pneumonia set in. and she died very suddenly. Feb. 21. M.

WEST TREMONT.

W.T.I. society will meet with Mrs. W

H. Lunt Feb. 25. Miss Muriel Lunt is home from Tre mont, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Merle Farley.

Donald Robbins and Charles Carver, of Owl's Head, spent part of the past week here with relatives

Mrs. L. A. Clark, of Manset, visited her mother, Mrs. Z. S. Clark, and other relatives here last week.

Mrs. Charles D. Thurston and daughter Ruth visited her son Eugene and family at Southwest Harbor last week.

Mrs. W. A. Clark left for Portland last week, called there by the illness of her daughter Julia, who has been suffering with an abscess on the neck. Miss Julia is improving.

Capt. Roland H. Lunt, with wife and daughter Frances, of Southwest Harbor, was at the home of his brother, Capt. Charles P. Lunt last week visiting his mother, Mrs. L. M. Lunt, whose health is poor.

The funeral of Veranus D. Gott, of Bar Harbor, who died here at the home of his childhood, took place Feb. 15 at the Meth-odist church, Rev. Alfred Bishop officiat-ing. Mr. Gott leaves a widow, three sons, two daughters and four sisters.

Feb. 21. THELMA.

EAST ORLAND. Everett Harriman is ill.

Clarence Grindle, although slightly improved, is still quite ill.

E. Wiley and wife have returned from visit of several weeks in Camden

W. L. Wentworth & Co. are selling out. preparatory to closing out their business. Arthur Cushing has resigned his position here at the power house and returned

to Bucksport. Roy Mead is getting lumber ready to build a house this spring, near the residence of Mrs. Sarah Mead.

Mrs. Emily Dunbar has recovered from her recent illness, and is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. F. Mason.

G. H. Snow and Wesley Herrick arrived home Saturday from Brooksville, where they have been employed.

Guilford Blaisdell has recovered from his recent illness, and his daughter, Mrs. Carrie Conary, has returned to her home in North Bluehill. Feb. 21.

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MT. DESERT.

Mrs. Emily Hicks, of Bangor, is visiting old friends here.

Mrs. Grace Smith, of Bar Harbor, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Pray. Mrs. Georgia Somes Smith, our post-

mistress, has been confined to her home

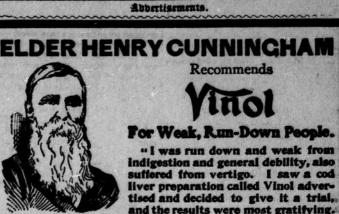
What did people do before steel pena were invented?" asked the teacher. "The pinions of one goose were used to spread the opinions of another," answered the wise boy at the foot of the class.

One day Helen had been very naughty, and her mother said: "Helen, if you are naughty you can't go to heaven." "Well," said Helen, "I can't expect to go every-where. I went to 'Uncle Tom's Cabin'

David R. Campbell, of Sangerville, large owner in woolen mills, and one the leading citizens of Piscataquis count, died last week, aged seventy-nine year

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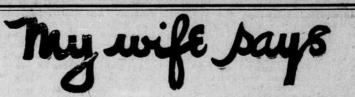
One day Helen had been very naughty, and her mother said: "Helen, if you are naughty you can't go to heaven." "Well," said Helen, "I can't expect to go every-where. I went to 'Uncle Tom's (Tabin' once and the circus twice." When Richard Harding Davis met the Viceroy Li Hung Chang, in St. Peters-burg, he was asked how old and how rich he was and what he did. He repliéd: "I write books." "Why do you write?" said Li; "are you not strong enough to work?"



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seal still unbroken, passed to a distant branch of the family, gay townspeople, who took small notice of Cousin Dorothy's bequest save to thrust it away on the top shelf of a cupboard and forget its existence.

And thus it had come down to us, the last of a long line. At times its history had been forgotten, and for years it would remain merely an ornament on sideboard or mantelpiece. Again some new owner would look longingly at the seal, yet hesitate to break in upon the secret it had concealed.

Aunt Hannah had owned it last, and she was so choice of it that never did vandal finger touch its surface or careless dust cloth even approach its throne on the white marble. No hand save Aunt Hannah's own came in contact with the silver flagon.

And now Amelia and Fanny turned it this way and that and gently tap-ped the stopper, guessing idly at the contents

Amelia looked longingly at the red seal. "I believe it contains the old Fabyan jewels-it was never known what became of them after the war. I have heard that Dorothy Fabyan stripped the gems from their settings and concealed them somewhere. It is likely she hid them in this flagon. How strange that no one has cared enough about them to investigate its contents!

"Suppose we leave the seal unbro-ken," i suggested. "Why should we do that?" asked

Fanny, with wide open eyes. "It never has been opened." I said lamely. "So many of the Fabyan wo-men have owned the flagon and re-

men have owned the flagon and re-Spected the seal of its contents, why should we open it?" "Because its ownership must be de-cided among us," replied Amelia firm-iy. "The Fabyan women passed the flagon down from mother to daughter, leaving the secret to be discovered by the one who evend the even it 1 even. the one who cared to open it. I con- my own

"What greater jewels doth any wo-man possess," concluded the old, old letter, "than diamond eyes, teeth of pearls, coral cheeks and ruby lips? These jewels you will find sealed within my silver flagon."

I ran my eye over the carefully compiled directions for "Cleopatra's Baim of Beauty," and ere I reached its close Amelia uttered a little angry cry and snatched the bit of paper from my grasp. In an instant it fluttered into the fire, and my exclamation of distress brought both girls to my side.

"You could not care for that silly recipe, Esther," wondered Fanny. "See, you have the beautiful silver flagon, while we have nothing. Yet we hoped for gems."

"Jewels you both have a-plenty," said mournfully. "Look there!" turned them about till they faced the tall pier glass set between the long windows, and there they stood regarding their beautiful faces in charming embarrassment while I bent above the silver flagon and stared defiantly at the reflection of my own plain features in its polished surface.

"Great-aunt Hannah never knew either," I marveled, thinking of her omely face and the contrasted beauty of her unselfish life.

"Poor old Esther," comforted the girls, poised on either arm of my chair, and as their kisses fell warmly on my uplifted face I seemed not to care that I had lost a heritage of beauty. My beritage of love was still

gan, who was a gunner, mad with pain and the indignity of being wounded with a butter knife, swore he would have revenge.

It was late in the afternoon when the emperor's barge was seen approaching the flagship. Donagan was in the saluting souad. The surgeon had ordered him to remain in his bunk, with his eye bandaged, but Pat had escaped and took position at his gun, which pointed toward the Esperance. Pat trained it on the galley of that ship and waited. He purposely forgot something, the tampion, which he left in the muzzle of his gun.

Presently the emperor's barge was seen heading toward the flagship. Guns began to boom from the sides; bands played; the yards were manned. When it came Pat Donegan's turn to fire his gun the report was a few moments late. He was taking a sure nim. Presently he fired, and a tampion went flying into the waters of the harbor.

The imperial visit was a short one. the hour being late. The imperial couple departed amid a similar ceremony that had attended their arrival. They had been gone but a few minutes when through the smoke that hung over the water a group of officers standing on the quarterdeck discovered a boat coming from the Esper-

On the gun deck below stood a man literally "with blood in his eye." He was Pat Donagan. He thought he could surmise the errand on which the boat was coming and watched it with grim satisfaction. As it came nearer an officer in full uniform was descried sitting in the stern. under the gun deck of the flagship he arose, bowed, took off his hat and said with great politeness:

"The officers of the Esperance are ever much obliged for the honor paid our emperor, but you killed a cook." Donagan gave a grunt of satisfaction.

the past week with a bad cold.

Miss Katherine Fernald, who was ill of winter cholera and recovered so as to be out, is down again with a relapse.

Mrs. Ambrose Blanchard last October picked a strawberry plant, which she placed in a bottle of water. It now has full-grown ripe fruit and several blossoms on it.

Feb. 21.

ISLESFORD.

Mrs. Elliott, of Northeast Harbor, is the guest of Mrs. Everett Fernald.

Owing to the warm weather and recent neavy downfall of snow, Capt. G. T. Hadlock has so far been unable to get his yearly harvest of ice.

The many friends of Dr. Hayward, of Boston, Mass., were sorry to learn of his death. Dr. Hayward was a summer resident of Northeast Harbor, and was apparently in good health when he left there last summer. He was much respected and liked by all, and will be greatly missed. Feb. 21.

GOULDSBORO.

Mrs. Margaret Rolfe is housekeeper at James Libby's.

Mrs. Martha Perry, of Northeast Harbor, is visiting her son Forrest.

L. H. Campbell, who has spent three months in Vanceboro, is home.

The public installation of the Forsters was held Thursday. There was a free dance and supper at the Bay, View house in the evening. Feb. 21.

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A Dream of Home. The sun's rays slant the path along, The air is balmy, for 'tis June; The robin sings his evening song, And through the sky the new, gray moon Moves calmly on, untrammeled, free, But something whispers unto me, "Not yet!"

The glad brook carols as it flows, The frog croaks by the water's edge; In sweet content the lily grows, As erst, amid the watery-sedge; Tis all as in the days gone by, But something whispers (as I sigh), "Not yet!"

The steepled church, the schoolhouse near, The woods where I have roamed at will; The time-worn mansion grown so dear-My boyhood's home, my man All, all I see in fancy's eye, But something whispers (as I sigh), "Not yet!" My boyhood's home, my manhood's still-

In dewy meadows, broad and fair, In drowsy mood, the cows await The "co-boss" call upon the air, While, with his pail, beside the gate That opens down the grassy lane, My brother sighs, now and again, "Not yet!"

Oh, you-beyond the ocean gray-Who list to hear my footfall where The beaten path stretches away Under old maples, tall and fair: Who longing wait for me to come, I can but say, I can go home-"Not yet!"

For longer, still, your hearts must know A sadness free from all disguise, E'er I can leave these scenes, and go And lingering, gaze in your fond eyes And clasp the hands so warm, and kiss The lips I've pressed so oft in bliss-"Not yet!"

Forgotten-or can ever be-As sweet as when, one flowery May, I passed along—and tearfully— Down the old walk, and went away Amid your, too, fast falling tears-Been, still, back o'er the weary years! "Not yet!"

Still must I wait! All I can do Is just to waft a loving kiss Across the distance unto you-The vasty miles-with their abyss And murmur, lo! these words again, That speak the heart's unceasing pain,-"Not yet!" -George Newell Lovejoy.

Village Improvement's Novel Plan A postponed meeting of the Village im provement society was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Peters The "mile of pennies" plan was decided upon to raise money to be used in carrying on the work.

To incite friendly competition, the city is divided into two sections-north and south, Main street being the dividing line. Coin envelopes will be distributed, the north section using blue: the south using red. On the envelopes will be printed "5,280 feet make one mile; 16 cents for every foot is right. Will you help the blue

## NEWBURY NECK. HISTORICAL SKETCH OF IN-TERESTING LOCALITY.

COMPARISON OF CONDITIONS THERE FIFTY YEARS AGO, WITH TO-DAV Written for THE AMERICAN by "Pr Mudd."]

Fifty years ago Newbury Neck contained thirty-four families from the carrying-place to the end. There was an ce of sixty or more pupils in the attenda same old school house that stands today. The people largely followed the sea and a large number of Ellsworth vessels, both coasting and sea-going, were com

manded by men from this place. The farms were carried on mostly by the older men. Most of them kept oxen: some two yokes. They usually had two well-filled barns and grain houses, and in the fall they killed one or more hogs and generally a "beef critter."

The winter school was taught in the winter months for the benefit of the young men who followed the sea in sum-The writer remembers attending mer. school one winter when a boy. The school was taught by "Uncle Cal" Macomber, of Ellsworth. Mr. Macomber was a pedagog of the old school, who ruled with a hick ory stick.

I remember well of being engaged in drawing a bird on my slate, and calling the attention of my seat-mate to it. Suddenly I was taken by the collar and landed in the aisle, given a piece of chalk (they had no crayon then) and sent to the blackboard with orders to reproduce the bird for the edification of the whole school. Being an uncouth, bashful, lefthanded boy, and being obliged to use my right hand, the effort can better be imagined than described. I have never quite concluded whether the "bird" would pass for a turtle dove or an other bird of foul repute.

The old folks largely made their own clothing. I well remember the last "Uncle Jim" Young used to make his shoes on. It resembled one-half of an ox-yoke, and the shoes were not things of beauty when finished. When "Uncle Jim" got old and had to have store shoes he was very much opposed to right and and left shoes, and being an ardent democrat, he termed them "black republican" shoes. But "Uncle Jim and "Aunt Deborah" made a good living on the farm, which now will not support a rabbit.

Among those who were raised in this place and attended school in the old red schoolhouse, and in after years commanded vessels, were George W. Coggins, Martin V. B. Coggins, Daniel M. Curtis, Clifford Curtis,' David H. Curtis, Calvin Curtis, Martin Curtis, Abijah Clark, Curtis Clark, William Clark, Lyman Clark, Calvin C. Clark, Ellis Young, Charles O. Young, Edward Hopkins, George Young, Robert F. Hopkins, C. B. Coggins, Levi Coggins, T. E. Coggins, George Haskell, Holt Haskell.

Among those who went out from the old red schoolhouse and became successful teachers were Cordelia Curtis. Octavia Treworgy, Janice V. Treworgy, Marianna Curtis, Eunice Curtis, Martha W. Coggins, Ida Coggins and several others.

In those olden days Newbury was a lively place. Let us look at it to-day. Where there were thirty-four families fifty years ago, to-day there are but fourteen houses occupied, and several of those have but one person in them. By courtesy of the voters of the town there was a school taught here the past year, but alas the pupils have fallen off from sixty and more to an average, I think, of a fraction over six.

There are no followers of the sea from here. As fast as the young men grow up they leave home for better fields, and as the old people die their homes are closed and go to decay. This place was formerly known as "No Man's Cape," and if the present rate of depopulation continues, in other decade it may well revert to the old name.

A number of years ago a few of the more enterprising people of this place built a ducted a general store. In the '60s, in wharf and landing, hoping it would induce some one to come and use the abandoned places, but as yet this has been of but little avail. There are a few summer residents here, all of whom are very nice people. Several places have been sold, but they have gone into the hands of land-

OBITUARY. HOYT H. HARDEN.

Hoyt H. Harden, one of Ellsworth's oldest residents, an ex-postmaster of Ellsworth, and for many years one of the city's best-known business men, died last Wednesday night, Feb. 16, after a long illness, following a paralytic shock.

Mr. Harden was born in Trenton in 1835, and came to Ellsworth when about twenty years of age. He was first employed as clerk in the general store of the late Elisha H. Stockbridge. A few years later he formed a partnership with the late James H. Chamberlain in the grocery business. A few years later he sold his interest in

this business, and in partnership with Albert Robinson, under the firm name of Rohinson & Harden, established a dry-



goods business. Six years afterwards he bought out his partner, and for six years continued the business alone, finally sell-

ng out to the late Austin B. Walker. He then, in partnership with his brother-in-law, Frank A. Stockbridge, established the boot and shoe business, which they continued until about six

vears ago. Mr. Harden's last business co was as head of the boot and shoe department of M. Gallert's store, which position he occupied when stricken by paralysis more than a year ago.

Mr. Harden was always a staunch democrat, and one of the leaders of his party. He was appointed postmaster early n 1896 by President Cleveland and served four years. The only other public office he ever held was that of essessor.

Mr. Harden is survived by a widow, who vas Georgietta, a daughter of the late E. H. Stockbridge; one sister-Mrs. Dudley Bunker, of Trenton; four nephews-George N. and Edward H., of Bangor, Leon, of New Haven, Conn., and Georg Bunker, of Trenton.

The funeral was at the home at 2 o'clock last Saturday afternoon, Rev. S. W. Sutton officiating.

#### CALVIN P. JOY.

Calvin P. Joy, who had been a sufferer or many years with rheumatism, died last Monday, Feb. 21, at the advanced age of eighty years, ten months and nine days. Mr. Joy was a son of Ivory H. and Betsey (Brimmer) Joy, and was one of ten chil-dren-seven sons and three daughters. The sons were Hamilton, George, David, Ivory, Brimmer, Henry and Calvin; the daughters: Ann (Mrs. Maxfield), Ellen (Mrs. Tolman), both now widows, and living in Chicago, and Elizabeth, who died in young womanhood. Calvin was the seventh son.

In 1851 Calvin married Sarah E., daughter of the late Jesse Dutton, who survives him; to them were born five children - Henry F., Ida, Hollis C., Mabel N. and Katherine D.; of these Ida (Mrs. C. H. Knox, of Chester, Mass.), Hollis, of Boston, and Mabel survive.

Mr. Joy was a man of strong person-ality, active of body until the infirmities of age forced him into retirement; active of mind to the last. In early life he constances. He was a thirty-second degree

Mr. Arm nstrong was twice married. His cond wife survives him. He leaves no children. His parents died in Ro his mother thirty years ago, and his father twenty-two years ago. A step-mother is living. Of his own family, he is survived by three brothers-Humphrey, of Minneapolis; George W., of Los Ange-les, Cal., and Robert, of Anoka, Minn. Another brother, John, died in Minneapolis, twenty years ago.

#### A Bernard Shaw Criticism

Before fame came to him Bernard Shaw wrote dramatic criticisms for the London Saturday Review. The following sample is characteristic of the man:

"I am in a somewhat foolish posttion concerning a play at the Opera Comique, whither I was bidden this day week. For some reason I was not supplied with a program, so that I never learned the name of the play. At the end of the second act the play had advanced about as far as an or dinary dramatist would have brought it five minutes after the first rising of the curtain or, say, as far as Ibse would have brought it ten years be-fore that event. Taking advantage of the second interval to stroll out into the Strand for a little exercise, I un-fortunately forgot all about my business and actually reached home before it occurred to me that I had not seen the end of the play. Under these cir-cumstances it would ill become me to dogmatize on the merits of the work or its performance. I can only offer the management my apologies." - Everybody's.

#### An Obliging Father.

A man who grew rich had a son of whom he disapproved, and when the son was married against the father's wishes the father made him an allow ance of \$20 a week and said that was all he could have.

Awhile later he was discussing the matter with a friend of his pioneer days. "Do you think \$20 a week is

enough for the boy?" he asked. "Well," replied the friend judicially. "I don't know about that."

"It's a darn sight more than we had when we started in," argued the father.

"Perhaps it is," said the friend, "but you must remember that times have changed. We used to dig clams for our dinner."

"By George," said the father, guess I have been too severe with him! I'll be kinder in the future. I'll

# buy him a spade and show him where

the clams are."-Exchange.

#### His Conciliatory Way.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickaway, although really fond of each other, had frequent quarrels owing no doubt to infirmities of temper on the part of both. Mr. Pickaway was telling his troubles to his elderly maiden aunt. "I try to be as good a husband t

Bertha as I know how to be," he said, "but we don't seem to get along. It takes so little to irritate her, and when she starts to scolding she never knows when to stop. She takes offense, too, at such little things."

"Then don't say those little things, Joshua," said his aunt. "When she is cross you must try to be conciliatory.

"I am conciliatory, Aunt Betty," he answered. "I often say to her, 'Bertha, I know the utter usele trying to reason with you, but will you listen to me just a minute? and she gets mad even at that."-Youth's Companion.

#### They Like Fat Girls In Tunis

A Tunisian girl has no chance arriage unles ss she tips the scale at 200 pounds, and to that end she commences to fatten when she is fifteen years old. She takes aperients and eats a great deal of sweet stuff and leads a sedentary life to hasten the process. Up to fifteen she is very handsome, but at twenty what an immense, unwieldy mass of fat she becomes! She waddles, or, rather, undulates, along the street. Her costume is very picturesque, especially if she be of the richer class. She is clothed in fine silks of resplendent hues of a bright red, yellow or green and wears a sort of conical shaped headdress, from which depends a loose white drapery. Turkish trousers and dainty slippers the heels of which barely reach the middle of the feet, complete the costume.

#### The Deg Question In N

Among many incidents of his wan-lerings through Palestine, recounted by Harry Franck in the Century, in

"An American who was in Nazareth long ago," said a native, "told me a strange story. I did not believe him, for it cannot be true. He said that in America people buy dogs.' And the mere suggestion of so ludicrous a transaction sent the assembled group into paroxysms of laughter. "They do," I replied.

The pompous ex-mayor fell into such convulsions of merriment that his rotund face grew the color of burnished copper.

"Buy dogs?" roared his sons in chorus of several languages. "But what for?

Never having settled that question entirely to my own satisfaction, I parried it with another, "How do you get dog if you want one?"

"W-w-w-why," answered the eldest son, wiping the tears from his eyes, "if any one wants a dog he tells some one else, and they give him one. But whoever wants a dog?"

#### The Widow Was Comforted.

"There is no accounting for the con-struction which some people will put upon certain passages of Scripture." remarked a clergyman. "I remember the story of one clergyman who went to call on a woman whose husband had recently died. He had expected, quite naturally, to find her heartbroken with the burden of her sorrow and was greatly surprised when she greeted him with a very happy smile and ushered him into the parlor.

'Well-er-sister,' he said at length,

'you have my warmest sympathy.' "Thank you, doctor,' replied the widow casually. 'I did feel very bad, very bad indeed. But I came across a verse of Scripture which com-

forted me very much indeed.' 'And what was the verse, sister?'

inquired the clergyman. "'I don't remember just where to find it.' replied the widow, 'but it was made up of only four words-four helpful words-"Why need I care?"'

#### Eskimo Courtship.

HOUSE-At South Portland, cosy, modern 7-room house; all improvements; 5,000 ft. laud; near electrics, school and stores, 83,000; casy terms, L. J. P., & Willard street, South Portland, Me. If European death scenes astonish, South Forliand, me. W Belknap "Little Giant" water motor. Good as new. Just the thing for light power in town which has waterworks. Will be sold cheap. Address P. O. Box 482, Elisworth. the consenting "Yes" of a bride at marringe shocks an Eskimo woman. Not only must a bride show herself unconsenting; she must, if she respects herself and tribal traditions, scream and CELIMITO. L ADY WANTED— To introduce our very complete Spring line of beautiful woul autings, wash fabrics. fancy waisting, sika, etc., hdkfs, laces and petifcoats. All up to date N. Y. City pasterns. Finest line on the market. Dealing direct with the milis, you will find our prices low. Profin, § 10 to 320 weekly. Samples and full instructions packed in a neat sample case, athipped express pre-paid. No money required. Exclusive territory. Write for particulars. Be first to apply. Brankan Duzzs Goops Co., Dept. C1, Bing-hamton, N. Y. CINING. Hisbeat cash neice maid for Wool struggle with all her might when her wooer or his envoy enters her family residence and, laying hold upon her, drags her, usually by the topknot, to her new home. She may be presented with a new lamp and water pail by her bridegroom, and she is as a general thing mightily pleased at her change of estate. But she is far too circumspect to show her pleasure or affection and keeps up a noisy demonstration until she feels that she has done all that a well bred maiden SITUATION as housekeeper; good cook, laundress, neat, orderly, punctual, eco-nomical, honest. Address Box 384. Elisworth. should do. If she does not exercise proper discrimination in this matter her lord sometimes scratches the soles of her feet so that she cannot run away to her parents.-Harper's Bazar.

#### Turner's Little Afterthought.

An English critic's reference to Turner's fine picture "The Wreck Buoy" reminds a faithful newspaper reader of a curious anecdote in connection with it. When Turner first sent this picture to the Royal academy it was hung among several brilliantly colored pictures. On varnishing day Turper found the effect of his dull gray rendering of a stormy sea altogether spolled by its bright surroundings. Without a moment's hesitation he painted in the lighted buoy in the foreground, and its dab of crimson light showed so brilliantly in its gloomy setting that Turner's picture became the prominent one, and its rivals on each side were cast into the shade. It is

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"He's mad?" yelled a fat man. The fox terrier stood in the center of the group with wide open eyes, either too usud or too frightened to move

At this juncture the policeman ar-At this juncture the policeman ar-rived. A domen voices began to tell him that the dog was mad; that it must be killed; that it had been map-ping at the children; that it began to froth when it passed a pool of wate, and how best to shoot.

and how best to shoot. A tall, quiet looking woman pushed through the crowd and started toward the dog. A dozen men yelled at ber. Ywo or three men grabbed at her. She picked the dog up and started out of the crowd. The policeman stopped her with: "Madam, that dog is mad. He must be shot. Look at the foam coming one

be shot. Look at the foam coming out of his mouth."

"Foam!" she said contemptuously. "That's a cream puff he was eating." -St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

#### His Ad. Answered.

A man stopped at a newspaper office on his way to the theater and placed an advertisement for a boy. Half an hour later one fell from the gallery into his lap.

"How do you keep your rator sharp?

"Easy enough. I hide it where my wife can't find it."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Empty Dream.

Bobby-Say. sis, what's a 'empty dream?" Dotty-One you have when

you've been cent to bed without any supper.-Cleveland Leader.

For Sale.

FIELD LAND in McKinley or Tremost containing 1 scre and 45 rods. Choice building lot. For further particulars, ac-dress DR. A. L. DIX, Philadelphia, Pa.

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SKINS-Highest cash price paid for V Wool Skins, Hides and Caif Skins; Fur. H. B. PRILLIPS, Ellsworth.

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REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

THE Board of Registration for the city of Ellsworth will be in session at the Aider-men's room, in Hancock hall, on the 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th and 5th days of March, 1910,

1st, 2d, 3d, 4th and 5th days of March, 1910, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon to 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and from 7 to 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and from 7 to 9 o'clock in the even-ing for the purpose of registering the names of voters and correcting the voting lists. Notice, particularly, that registration will close on Priday, March 4, 1910, at 5 o'clock p. m. Pérsonal appearance is required of a voter in order to have hin same registered. The Board of Registration will be in session on the day of election to give any registered voter whose name has been omlited from the voting list, or in whose name or residence as placed on said voting list, a clerical error has been made, a certificate entifilm him to vote. R. E. Masor, Chairman. Ellsworth, February 16, 1910.

pennies bright? V. S. A."

Two treasurers have been appointed-F. Carroll Burrill for the "reds" and Lynwood F. Giles for the "blues". Enveloper may be obtained of the treasurers, and distributed, and all good citizens are expected to solicit in town and out of town for pennies. Postage stamps will do as well as pennies.

Strange Tale of Deer Isle Man John K. Eaton, claiming Little Deer Isle as his home, has made a bid for enroll ment in the Cook-Tillinghast class.

He showed up at Newburyport, Mass Monday, claiming to have come ashore for assistance from a Spanish steamer out of coal and with half her crew down with some cantagious fever, drifting fifteen miles off the coast.

Immediately revenue cutters and tur were dispatched in search of the helpless steamer, which so far has not been found and is believed to be a myth.

Harriet Lane Johnson was a typical society woman of culture in the past. When Miss Lane lived in London with her uncle, the ambassador, an English nobleman was most attentive to her on night at a dinner. Miss Lane's hands very beautiful. The nobleman gently touching one of them as it lay or the cloth, quoted Gray: "Hands that the rod of empire might have swayed." Miss Lane's smiling retort was the com-pletion of the couplet: "Or waked to catacy the living lyre."

#### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

Desfress Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the car. There is only one way to cure desfness, and that is oy con-stitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or im-perfect hearing, and when it is subirely closed. Deafness is the result, and unless the inflam-mation can be taken out and this tube re-stored to its normal condition. hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Draggists, 75: Take Hall's Family Fills, for emptication

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family rills, for constipation.

grabbers and the buildings have gone to d-cay. It does not seem as if this state of things should be, as there is land that can be had at reasonable prices, there is a

beautiful bay on either side, pleasant drives, and the south end of the neck has as beautiful scenery as can be wished for. There are beautiful gravel beaches along its shores on both sides; there are numerous sylvan groves dotted about the west sides, and at sunset on a summer evening the bay of Naples shows no more pleasing view than that from Newbury Neck.

Nominated by the Governor

Among nominations by Gov. Fernald recently announced are the following in Hancock county:

Notary public, M. E. Linneken, Surry. Justices of the peace and quorum, S. B. Wescott, Bluehill; William E. Whiting, Ellsworth.

State Teachers' Examination. Candidates for State teachers' certifi-cates will be examined Friday, Feb. 25, beginning at 8 a. m., at Bluehill gramman school and Southwest Harbor high school

Wear your learning like your watch, in a private pocket, and do not pull it out and strike it, merely to show that you have one. If you are asked what o'clock it is, tell it, but do not proclaim it hourly and unasked like the watchman. -Lord Chesterfield. Lord Chesterfield.

A common mistake of local advertise is to estimate the value of advertising space of one newspaper by the amount asked by some other publication. It is a mistake of judgment for a business man to estimate the value of space in a reputable newspaper with a good circulation by that of some other publication which will accept business at any price and be pleased to get it.—Leavenworth (Kansas) Times.

he built the block on Main street known as the Giles block, and there carried on a large business.

After the dissolution of this firm, be carried on a grocery business in the Coombs block, and still later conducted some lumbering operations. For the past twenty years or more he had not been actively engaged in business.

Mr. Joy was an uncompromising democrat. He was well read, and his interest in public affairs was intense. He served as deputy sheriff under Sheriff saac H. Thomas in the '50's. The only public offices he held were those of alderman and assessor.

For the past seven years he had been confined to the house, the last five of which he was confined to the bed, at times being a great sufferer.

The funeral was at the home on Pleasant street this afternoon at 2, Rev. S. W. Sutton officiating. The pall-bearers were D. L. Fields, Pearl B. Day, David Friend and John Q. Adams. Interment was at Woodbine cemetery.

#### FRANK P. ARMSTRONG.

Frank P. Armstrong, a native of Ellsorth, and one of the leading citizens of Roodhouse, Ill., dropped dead of apoplexy on the street there Monday, Feb. 14. Mr. Armstrong was the son of John and Isabella Armstrong, natives of Ireland, and was born in Ellsworth March 19, 1840. He went West in 1864, and with his brothers Humphrey, George and Robert, engaged in the lumber business and laid the foundation of a comfortable fortune. The Roodhouse Record says: "Mr. Armstrong had been closely identified with the growth and history of Roodhouse. He was an important factor in some of its most important enterprises. He located here when Roodhouse was but a small village. He was the owner of a beautiful and commodious home in the north part of the city, and was surrounded north part of the city, and was surrounded "Johnny," said the teacher to a with conveniences and comforts calculated bright grammar class pupil, "correct the sentence "I kissed Jennie two times." "I kissed Jennie three times," re-business houses, and was in good circum-

#### Evolution of the Apple

Apples are new in the economy of world's use and taste. At the beginning of the last century few varie ties were known, and we can go back in history to a time when all apples were little, sour and puckery-crab ap-ples and nothing else. The crab apple was and is in its wildness nothing but a rosebush. Away back in time the wild rose, with its pretty blossoms that turn to little red balls, apple fiavored, and the thorny crab had the same grandmother.

#### A Curious Error.

The Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale told how a curious error crept into the translation of the Lord's Prayer into the Delaware Indian tongue. The English translator had as an assistant an "What is Indian who knew English. "hallow' in Delaware?" asked the trans lator. The Indian thought he said "halloo" and gave him the equivalent. Therefore the Delaware version of the Lord's Prayer reads, "Our Father, who art in heaven, hallooed be thy name."

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As Corrected. "Tommy," said the teacher to a

able feature of the picture should have been an afterthought .- Boston Transcript.

#### The Shrewd Banker.

Thirteen years ago a banker lent a farmer \$1,000 with which to buy stock The farmer, of course, gave his note. The borrower lost on the stock deal and had hard luck generally, so he couldn't pay the note. Later he went away, and after many years he made good again and returned. The banker tried to collect his note, but it was outlawed by a lapse of thirteen years. One day the banker stopped at the man's farm and admired his fine pumpkins. The farmer made him a pres-

ent of two large ones. "I'll just credit these pumpkins on your old note," the banker said.

"All right." the farmer said. That revived the obligation. The brought suit and recovered in banker full for the note and interest.-Kansas City Star.

#### Life's Limits.

All indications point to the fact that less than ten miles below our feet a red heat is maintained permanently and within twenty a white heat. Ten miles above us we have the pitlless cold, far below zero, of interplanetary space. To what a narrow zone of delicately balanced temperature is life confined?

#### Long Drawn Out.

Judge-What is your name? Prisoner-J. J. J. J. John Jones. Judge-Why do you have so many J's in your name? Prisoner-The preacher who christened me stuttered, sir.-London Answers.

Very Annoying. "It is annoying to watch for a train that's late."

"Yes, and it is even more ann to wait for a train that was discon-tinued the week before."-Washington Herald.

THIS is to certify that I. Herbert W. White, of Orland, county of Hancock, State of Maine, have given my minor son, Howard W. White, his time hereafter to transact business for himself. In consequence whereof I shall laim none of his surfaces near my any debts of his contracting after this date. Dated at Orland, Maine, this 21st day of Feb-ruary, a. d. 1910. HERBERT W. WHITE.

CAUTION NOTICE.

Abbertisenents. NATIONAL SURETY COMPANY. No. 115 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY. ASSETS, DEC. 31, 1909. \$ 183,126 77 Real estate Mortgage loans, Stocks and bonds, Cash in office and bank, Bills receivable, Interest accrued, All other assets, 10,750 00 2,408.855 14 712,815 95 1,133 51 19,289 36 708,854 30 Gross assets. Deduct items not admitted \$4,044,845 04 180,828 95 \$3,864,016 09 Admitted assets. LIABILITIES, DEC. 31, 1909. Net unpaid losses, Unearned premiums, All other liabilities, Cash capital, Surplus over all liabilities. \$ 559,112 88 1,327,561 30 222,572 51 750,000 00 1,004,769 40 Total liabilities and surplus. \$3,861,016 09

(Miss) M. E. HOLMES, Agent,

ELLSWORTH. ME.

#### STATE OF MAINE. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Heating and Plumbing Normal School

Domitory, Castine, Maine.

Domitory, Castine, Maine. Troposals addressed to the State Nor-mal School Trustees will be received at the office of the State Superintendent of Public Schools, State Honse, Augusta, Maine, until 1 P. M. Tuesday, March 1st, 1910, for the furnishing of all labor, material, etc., necessary for the installa-tion of hesting apparatus and for plumb-ing in the domitory now in the process of School at Castine under the provisions of Chapter 80 of the Resolves of 1909. Plans and specifications for the same may be secured from the architects, Miller and Mayo, Portland, Maine. — A bond of 20 per. cent. of the smount of the contract made will be required for the faithful performance of the work. For information address, PAYSON EMITH,

PAYBON SMITH stary of the Bord of State Normal School Trustees, Augusta, Maine.

# THE AMERICAN, ELLSWORTH, ME., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1910.

## FOOD FAIR.

## FORMALLY OPENED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

#### ATTRACTIVE EXHIBITS-GOOD ATTEND ANCE-PROGRAM FOR REMAINDER OF THE WEEK.

The Ellsworth food fair opened with big "boost" yesterday afternoon. It's sucblowing of whistles announced the opening of the exhibition.

At the hall everything was in readiness At the hall everything was in readiness, and nearly 300 people filled the galleries and floor when the formal opening exer-cises took place. During the afternoon there were about 400 people in the hall. THE DECORATIONS.

The ball is most attractively decorated The prevailing colors are light blue and yellow, and broad festoons of banting in these colors ornament ceiling and galle ries. The stage is set as a forest scene net. The stage is net as a lorest scene, and the albino deer, mounted by Eugene D. Brann, stands out prominently against the background of spruces. It is the bandsomest specimen of the deer family ever seen in Ellsworth. About the gallery intervals are deers' heads and other cimens from Mr. Brann's taxidermy.

specimens from Ar. Determine occupies the Monaghan's orchestra occupies the stage, and furnishes concerts afternoon and evening. Mr. Monaghan, owing to illness, is not in his accustomed place as leader, Max G. Simbollek, violinist, of Bangor, having been engaged to lead the orchestra. The orchestral selections are supplemented by selections by pianists at the Staples' Piano & Music Co.'s booth.

Entirely surrounding the floor of the ball are the booths, all most attractively arranged. It is not, strictly speaking, a food fair-there is a variety which is all the more pleasing.

#### THE EXHIBITORS.

At the right of the entrance is the Ellsworth booth-taken up by Ellsworth merchants. Those displaying cards at this booth are H. W. Morang, John P. El-dridge, Whiting Bros., W. R. Parker Clothing Co., E. F. Robinson and Andrew M. Moor.

Adjoining this is the booth of the Bar Harbor & Union River Power Co., whose display of electrial appliance attracts much attention. Superintendent L. H. Cushman is in charge.

The Union Trust Co. has a most attractive booth. Its arrangement is simple and diginified. R, B. Holmes is in charge.

The Staples Piano & Music Co. has a double booth at the left of the hall, displaying pianos and phonographs. C. I. Staples, manager of the Ellsworth store, is in charge, with Miss Alice Tozier and R. D. Pollard, of Portland, and Miss Nan I. Drummey, of Ellsworth, as pianists.

The adjoining booth is occupied by Miss J. A. Thompson, showing the Reputation and Coronet chocolates. She is assisted by Miss Hannah Holmes.

A. F. Stockbridge has an ice-cream and soda booth adjoining the stage.

A section in front of the stage is occupied by the Eleanor Petticoat Co.

H. F. Wescott exhibits the Bluebell cream separator. The exhibit of the Voigt Milling Co.

manufacturers of Royal flour, attracts the good cooks who visit the fair. Mrs. Nan Bradbury presides at the table where samples of bread and rolls made from this flour are dispensed. Walter Baker & Co.'s booth is perhaps

the most attractive in the hall. Here the well known products of this companychocolate and cocos-are dispensed by two lady demonstrators who wear the costume familiar as the trade mark on packages

put up by this company. Adjoining this booth is that of the Mt. Kebo Spring, with Charles R. Burrill in charge. The pure spring water and the beverages bottled by this company are exhibited and samples dispersed. display is very attractively arranged. The

The Ellsworth Foundry & Machine Works makes a most attractive display of products of its foundry and machine are: C. I. Staples, chairman; Roy C. ing the term: Marion Carter, Violet Car-shop. Charles Peters is in charge of the Haines, sebretary; H. W. Morang, E. F. ter, Ella Griffin, Etta Bridges, Irene booth

ind stimute much state at this booth. and attracts much attention. The Burrill National Bank has the booth at the left of the main en very coally arranged. F. C. Burrill is in barge.

OPENING EXERCISES.

The opening exercises took place at 2 'clock, Roy C. Haines, secretary of the ood fair committee of the Ellsworth Merchants' association, presiding. Rev. W. F. Emery, pastor of the Methodist church, offered prayer.

Hon. John A. Peters was the first speak er introduced. He congratulated Ellsworth on having within it the spirit which had manifested itself in this fairthe work of young men of the Merchants' association. He thought the idea a good one. It was the idea of these young men not to wait for industries, which we all hope for, to come to us, but to make the most of what we already have.

"The most valuable asset of Ellsworth," he said, "was not shown in the exhibits at this fair. The best thing we have is the public spirit of the young men who are behind this fair."

C. L. Morang was the next speaker introduced, and he spoke upon the business onditions in Ellsworth. "The future of of Ellsworth," he said, "depends upon our own exertions. We must not wait for outside capital to come here, but must depend upon ourselves. We must fall back upon our natural resources - our hardwood and our farming."

Judge John B. Redman spoke happily as usual upon the beauties and delights of Ellsworth as a city of homes-"the best place east of the Pacific ocean and south of the North pole to live in."

Mayor F. F. Simonton was the last speaker of the afternoon, and officially declared the food fair open.

Last evening there was another big crowd at the hall, at the Washington Birthday ball.

Altogether, the opening day was a big success. The attendance was up to expectations, and all who attended were pleased at the exhibits. There are more big days coming. The addresses, which will be given every afternoon at 2.30, are of real value, especially to the agricultural interests of the section. Following is the

#### PROGRAM FOR WEEK:

To-day is "Apple day" at the fair. There is an exhibition of apples. The speaker of the afternoon is Prof. Victor R. Gardiner, head of department of horticulture of the university of Maine His subject is, "Where We Stand in the Apple Business."

To-morrow will be "Grange day." A meeting of the Hancock County Grange Fair association will be held in the morn ing. At 2.30 p. m. Prof. Harold G. Bell, of the University of Maine, will speak on "Potato Growing." There will be a potato show. In the evening there will be a

Grange ball. Friday will be "Odd Fellows' day," when the Odd Fellows district convention will bring a large number of Odd Fellows and their wives to Ellsworth. The speaker of the day, at 2.30 p.m., will be, Miss Laura E. Comstock, of the department of domestic economy of the Uni-versity of Maine. Her subject will be "Discrimination in Food Values." Friday night will be ladies' night, with a grand ball in the evening, to which ladies will be admitted free.

Saturday will be "County day", when as an added attraction to the fair many of the merchants of the city will offer a bargain sale on at least one article. At 2.30 p. m., Prof. H. A. Campbell. of the University of Maine, will speak on "Dairy Management." In the evening there will be a farewell ball.

#### FOOD FAIR COMMITTEE.

The credit for the success of the food fair, which is assured, is due to the committee of the Ellsworth Merchants' association, under the auspices of which it is This committee has worked hard. in the face of many obstacles, to make the fair a success, and they deserve no small measure of praise.

The members of the food fair committee

## COUNTY NEWS. the sole. Notes forming News and sther proper

#### BLUEHILL.

Miss Lizzie G. Hinckley has completed a pusiness course in Portland.

Miss Josie Snow is home from Portland, where she has been visiting friend Mrs. George Abbott and Mrs. E. C. Bar-

rett spent a few days in Brooklin recently Mrs. Alice McGouldrick has returned from Brooklin, where she taught a tenweeks term of school.

The members of Ira Berry lodge, F. and A. M., attended morning service at the Baptist church in a body Feb. 20.

Copies of the music written for the Blue-hill reunion held in Boston, Feb. 12, can be procured at Partridge's drug store.

The state examination of teachers will be given in Bluehill, Feb. 25, at 8 a. m., by District-Superintendent F. E. McGouldrick.

George A. Clough and wife, of Brook-line, and Henry Clough and wife, of West Roxbury, have been at the Bluehill house for a few days.

The annual roll-call of the Baptis church was held Feb. 16. There was a large attendance and all enjoyed a fine upper. Following this came the roll-call in the chapel, after which public services were held in the church. The address of the evening was by Rev. Dr. Day, of Rockland.

Feb. 21.

#### CASTINE.

Another basket ball game was played sturday evening, the Castine high school winning from Searsport. The "Silent Sisters" met on Saturday vening with the Misses Perkins. De-

licious refreshments were served. Mrs. Charles Deversux and son Richard are spending a few days in Boston, Capt. Devereux's ship being hauled up for repairs.

The many friends of Miss Alice Grindle are glad to hear of her improved condition since undergoing an operation at the hospital in Belfast.

Evangelistic services are being held for the next two weeks by T. C. McKelvey, of Pittsburg, Pa., assisted by the pastors of the Methodist and Congregational churches. Meetings at 2.30 and 7.30 p. m. The drama, "Just for Fun," given Friday evening at Emerson hall for the benefit of the woman's relief corps, was a success. The stage was tastefully arranged, and with the striking costumes made a pretty effect. The parts were well rendered.

Feb. 21. EAST SULLIVAN.

Albert Merchant and son, of Hall Quarry, are in town hunting foxes. Dunbar is fast covering the pond with ogs and the landings with lath-wood.

Miss Ruth Whitaker was the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. C. Baker, over Sunday Mrs. Lena E. Whalen is spending the week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Rosa Farrar, in Winter Harbor.

Miss Clara O. Johnson was showered with post cards on her twenty-first birthday anniversary Feb. 19.

Capt. Oliver P. Bragdon died at his nome Sunday evening, Feb. 20, after a brief illness of pneumonia, aged eighty-thre years and ten months.

The delayed Lincoln's birthday anniversary exercises were carried out last Sunday, making a very interesting service. Mrs. F. P. Noyes, of West Gouldsboro, kindly acted as pianist. Mrs. Harriet Lord, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Noyes, was gladly welcomed.

#### HAVEN.

Feb. 22.

A successful school at Haven closed Friday, Feb. 18, after a ten-weeks term taugh by Mrs. F. E. McGouldrick, of Bluehill. The following pupils were not absent dur-



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Clarence Harding, Irving Harding, Herman Joyce, Viola Staples, Harvey Moore, Ruth Moore, Pearl Trask, Flavilla Trask and Beatrice Trask.

CHIPS. Feb. 21. SURRY.

Wesley Williams is employed in Boston s shipkeeper on a yacht. The many friends of J. F. Staples are

pleased to learn that he is much improved. Miss Vandelia Carter, of Sedgwick, is spending the winter with Mrs. Isaiah Conary.

The funeral of Mrs. Aurilla Hunt took place at the Rhodes Memorial chapel, Lynn, Mass., Feb. 20. Mrs. Hunt was the daughter of Nicolas and Mehitable Oher, and was born in Surry seventy years ago She received her education in the public schools here, later going to Massac She died at Wakefield, Mass., Feb. 17, from a complication of diseases. She is survived by one sister-Mrs. Augusta Gould, of West Newbury, Mass.; ODe

George A. Hunt, died in Lynn, Mass., last Feb. 21. SPEC.

daughter-Mrs. Arla Lee. Her husband.

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ORLAND. "Miss Grace Douglass is suffering from

rheumatism. Miss Mary Harriman is ill. Inez Per-

kins is caring for her. Business here is rushing. The lumber-

men are busy since the last snow. Ed. Witham employed forty teams hauling lumber for his mill.

A pleasant event took place Feb. 14, when several people called at the home of Samuel Kitfield to assist him in celeprating his seventy-eighth birthday. Mr. Kitfield received them in his usual hospitable manner. The party was enter-tained by vocal and instrumental music,

Ella Facteau and May Harriman presiding at the organ. Ralph Facteau rendered pleasing selections on his phonograph, Refreshments were served.

Feb. 21. SPEC.

#### AMHERST. J. G. Dunham lost a horse recently.

George Orcutt, who has been in the West over two years, is home. The Grover brothers lost a horse recent-

ly of pneumonia. It was one they had recently purchased. The neighbors and friends of Mrs. Clara

Nickerson, who went to the hospital for an operation, are glad to know it was sucessful.

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Feb. 21. NORTH DEER ISLE.

Jeckyll, master of the rolls, who died in 1738 and bequeathed his fortune after his wife's death to pay off the arter his whe's death to pay on the national debt. "Sir Joseph was a good man and a good lawyer," was Lord Mansfield's comment, "but his bequest was a very foolish one. He might as well have attempted to stop the middle arch of London bridge with his full bottomed wig." The testator's patriotic intentions were therefore treated as proof of mental weakness, and his will was promptly set aside. Among the many blundering wills that lawyers have made for their clients, if not for themselves, the strangest on record was that of a Dublin gentleman who left all his money to the elder son of his brother and, if he had no elder

Lawyers' Wills.

A remarkable specimen of a lawyer's invalid will was that of Sir Joseph

# son, to the second .- London Chronicle.

Raindrops. Drops of rain vary in their size perhaps from a twenty-fifth to a quarter of an inch in diameter. In parting from the clouds they precipitate their descent till the increasing resistance opposed by the air becomes equal to their weight, when they continue to fall with uniform velocity. This ve-locity is therefore in a certain ratio to the diameter of the drops; hence thunder and other showers in which the drops are large pour down faster than a drizzling rain. A drop of the twenty-fifth part of an inch in falling through the air would, when it had arrived at its uniform velocity, acquire a celerity of only eleven and a half feet per second, while one of a quarter of an inch would have a velocity of thirty-three and a half feet.

#### A Peacemaker.

It is a commonly accepted belief that nothing short of being pried loose will induce a bulldog to give up his grip on another dog or on an intruder, but this is a mistake. A little household ammonia poured on him as near his nose as circumstances will allow will make him let go immediately. The fumes of ammonia are so overpowering that a dog cannot possibly main-tain his grip and his breath at the same time.-Country Life In America.

#### BORN.

BRIDGES-At Brooklin, Feb 15, to Mr and Mrs Parker B Bridges, a son. [Alton Par-Mrs ker.] BURTON-At Orland, Feb 17, to Mr and Mrs Joseph Burton, a daughter.

HUBBARD-At Bucksport, Feb 17, to Mr and Mrs John B Hubbard, a daughter. PAGE-At Bucksport, Feb 18, to Mr and Mrs

Absentminded Dyer. Charles Lamb had a friend nam

George Dyer who was perhaps the most absentminded man on record. It was Dyer who, leaving Lamb's Islington home at broad noonday, walked straight into the New river. He was known to take up a coal scuttle instead of his hat, to walk home with a footman's cockaded hat on and even to leave one of his shoes under the table and get well on his home ward way before discovering his loss He called at a friend's one morning, heard that the family was away in the country, left his name in the visitors' book, and a few hours later called again, asked for the book again and was astonished to see his own freshly written name. Once, when Proctor breakfasted with him, Dyer formot the tea. The omission being noted, he filled the teapot with ginger. Proctor left as soon as he could to get a better breakfast at a coffee tavern, and there Dyer strolled in and asked him how he did, quite unconscious of having seen him earlier.

Abbertisements.

What Parisian Sage will do or

#### Money Back.

Stop falling hair in two weeks. Stop splitting hair two weeks. Stop splitting hair. Stop itching scalp immediately. Grow-more hair. Make harsh hair soft, silky and lux-

uriant. Brightens up the hair and eyebrows.

As a hair dreesing it is without a peer — it contains nothing that can possibly harm the hair, it is not sticky, oily, or greasy—it is used by thousands to keep the hair healthy— it prevents as well as cures scalp dis-

ease. For women and children Parisian Sage is the most delightful hair dress-ing and should be in every home. G. A. Parcher sells it for 50 cents a large

Whether it's a range or a fur-

nace-if it is a "Clarion", it is

sure to meet every requirement.

Made by the Wood Bishop Co.,

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bottle. Ask for Parisian Sage.

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CLARION.

The DeLavalle cream separator occupies an entire booth with a display of its machines

Roy C. Haines has an attractive booth. showing furniture, hammocks, etc. A demonstration of the Regins vacuum

#### Abbertisements.

# Stomach Misery for Over Six Years.

Think of it! After six years of sour stomach, of gas eructations, of ner-vousness, during which time every meal lay on his stomach like a lump of lead, a man was restored to perfect health by Mi-o-na stomach tablets. Read what Mr. Hoffman, landlord of the Wahatar Hotel, writes:

of the Webster Hotel, writes: "I suffered misery and intense pains from stomach trouble for over six years, and all the doctoring that I did or medicine i used were of no avail until about two years are, when I until about two years ago, when I used a treatment of Mi-o-na. The first few days' treatment helped me greatly, and upon using its while I was made entirely free from any stomach trenche or complaint whatstomach trouble or complaint what ever. Since the cure by Mi-o-na I have regained my weight, I eat and sleep well, am never nervous, and my entire general health is much better.', -Max M. Hoffman, Webster, N. Y., Aug. 2, 1990

-Max M. Hoffman, Webster, N. 1., Aug. 2, 1909. Mi-o-na relieves the stomach dis-tress in five minutes. It acts like magic. It is guaranteed to cure sour stomach, gas eructations, heartburn, dizziness, billousness and nervous-ness, or money back. For sale by druggists everywhere, and by G. A. Parcher, for 50 cents a large box.

Robinson, jr., S. C. Fuller.

Quail a Pest.

The spectacle of the biggest city of Washington organizing a municipal quai hunt may soon be seen. Remarkable as i may seem, Seattle is so overrun with these game birds that they are becoming a pest are ruining gardens and are making serious encroachments on the grain supplies in the city.

This state of affairs has been brought to pass by the law that prohibits the use of firearms in the city and the law of nature that one pair of quail, if left alone, will produce 1,100 quail in three years.

Quail native to Kinnear park and the unoccupied lands along the shores of lakes Washington and Union have multiplied ever since Seattle has been on the map, and have gradually become accustomed to the noise and activity of the city.

Finding themselves unharmed even by the small boy with the slingshot, the birds have become as plentiful as sparrows, and coveys are to be found at all times of the day, scattered all over the city, from the residence portion to the waterfront docks.

Early trolley cars stir them as they feed, and each time the whir of their wings sounds commuters swear softly and think of the see is they have planted and which have failed to come up-merely because the quail have been there first.

subject is now being taken up unofficially by the residents of the outlying portions of the city, and an effort will be made shortly to have the city council pro-vide some means of ridding Seattle of its game bird nuisance.

Many advertisers forget that advertising space in a newspaper is valued ac-cording to the circulation of that paper. Advertising space in a journal without circulation is dear at any price the pub-lisher may demand. Without circulation there are be accounted and without there can be no results, and without results the money which the advertiser invests is lost .Leavenworth (Kansas)

Wells, Laura Joyce, Brooksie Joyce. On the last afternoon a large number of parents and friends enjoyed the following program: Phonograph; recitations, Clifford Ingersoll, Esther Kane; exercise, seventh grade; recitations, Etta Bridges Flora Allen; dialogue, six pupils; recitation, Alice Allen; selections on phonograph; exercise, Violet Carter, Brooksie Joyce, Fred Tyler; recitation, Laura Joyce; song, Alice Allen; recitations, Roy Tyler, Merna Joyce, Bertha Allen; dia logue, eleven pupils; song, school and audience; selections on phonograph. After the program a treat of pop-corn was Much credit is due the pupils for served. the good entertainment given. Mrs. Mc-Gouldrick thanks all who helped to make the afternoon a success

SEDGWICK.

Mrs. F. H. Smith is ill.

Mrs. Harriet Buckminster, who has been ill, is better. Harry J. Closson, who has been visiting his father, has retured to Portland. Columbia Chapter, O. E. S., will not meet February 25, on account of the service at the church.

At the all-day meeting of the Woman's Foreign Baptist Missionary society Feb. 11 the topics were-"The Philippines,' Mrs. N. M. Robbins; "Japan," Mrs. Clara Hamilton; "Assam," Mrs. Nellie Sargent; 'Atrica," Mrs. Clara Cole. A basket lunch was enjoyed at noon. The business meeting followed. Officers elected: Mrs. J. E. Wilson, president; Mrs. Clara Saunders, vice president; Mrs. Minnie Dority, secretary; Mrs. Virgelia Smith, treasurer.

#### GOTT'S ISLAND.

Feb. 21.

Lobster fishermen find lobsters scarce. Miss Phebe E. Gott is visiting friends at McKinley and West Tremont.

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School closed Friday after a successful term taught by Miss Bessie Young, of A record is better than a prospectu-Cores. Whole number of publs, six- Newspaper circulation is what counts for teen; those not absent one-half day were: a duertisers.

ner sister, Mrs. G. L. Holden.

A grange will be organized next Friday evening, Feb. 25, with about twenty-five charter members, seven being charter members of the grange here some twenty vears ago.

Grover C. Small and wife came from New York Sunday, and have opened their ouse. They were called by the illness of Mr. Small's father, George W. Small, who has been with his daughter, Mrs. Allen Green, at Deer Isle, but will be brought home soon.

#### NORTH BLUEHILL.

Feb. 21.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of A. E. Wescott and wife Wednesday. Refreshments were served.

Edwin Butler celebrated his sixtyseventh birthday, Feb. 17. Fifteen guests were pleasantly entertained. An excellent dinner was served.

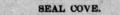
Miss Alice Wescott, who is studying nursing in the Roosevelt hospital, New York, is spending a short vacation with her parents, C. F. Wescott and wife. Feb. 21. D.

#### DEDHAM.

The woman's mission circle will hold a sale at the grange hall Feb. 22, and serve an oyster supper.

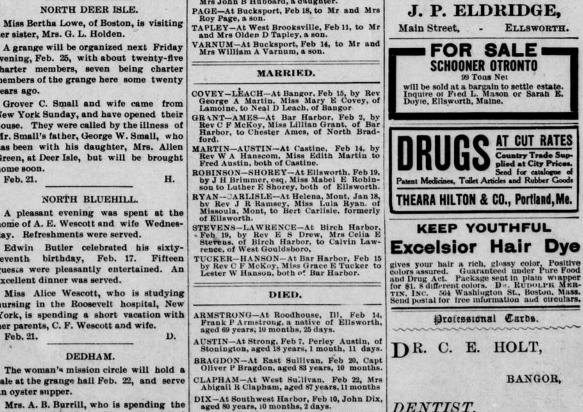
Mrs. A. B. Burrill, who is spending the winter with friends in Ellsworth, visited her mother, Mrs. Staples, last week. No session of New Century grange has

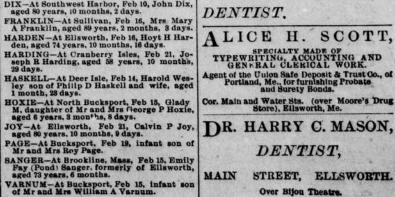
been held for several weeks on account of violent storms on the meeting nights. Feb. 21. B.



Special revival services have been held at the hall the past week by the pastor, Rev. E. A. Trites. The attendance has

been good. Feb. 21.





Over Bijou Theatre.

Be AMERICAN has subscribers at 107 of the 117 post-offices in Hancock county All the other papers in the County com-CAN is not the only paper printed in Bancock county, and has never claimed to be, but it is the only paper that can prop-erly be called a COUNTY paper; all the rest are merely local papers. The circula-tion of The Avereican. Darring the Bar Hen ( THE AMERICAN, barring the Bar Barbor Record's summer list, is larger than that of all the other papers ; rinted in Hancock county.

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## COUNTY NEWS.

#### FRANKLIN.

Mrs. Eben Smith is visiting friends at East Sullivan.

Master Richard Bragdon fractured his far bone last week.

Mrs. Flossie Kendall, of Wilton, is visiting Mrs. L. C. Bragdon.

Mrs. Robert Milliken returned to her home at Winter Harbor Sunday.

Arthur Bunker, who was housed with a bad cut on his leg, is about again.

Miss Louise Hanson spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Bangor.

Fred Donnell, is at home from Vinalhaven, after an absence of eight months.

Miss Marcia Gordon is at home from Harrington, where she has been teaching.

Miss Vera Anderson, of Ellsworth, was the week-end guest of Miss Evelyn Dwel-

ley. Mrs. Julia Martin, of Calais, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Blaisdell and

Mrs. Dyer. Thomas Bragdon and wife left for Portsmouth, N. H., last week to visit Mrs. Bragdon's sister.

Master Herbert Marshall, who fell down stairs last week, fracturing his right collar bone, is doing well.

Miss Della Bragdon, who has been teaching at Lagrange, is home. Miss Flora Bishop is her guest.

The Seth Crabtree house at Shipyard point is rented to Mr. Haddon and family, of Connecticut.

Mrs. Eunice Blaisdell, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Young, of Hancock, several weeks, is home.

The Northeast Harbor basket ball team played the Franklins Saturday evening, the home team winning; score, 15-6.

Miss Bernice Dunn is home from Gouldsboro and Prospect Harbor, where she has been visiting. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Julia Guptill.

Mrs. Doris Hartwell Moseley and son Lawrence and her brother Lester, who have been visiting their grandparents, Daniel Crabtree and wife, and aunt, Mrs. Hattie Bragdon, have returned to Bar Harbor.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Friday evening a large company was delightfully entertained by H. G. Worcester and wife at West Franklin, the occasion being the thirtieth anniversary of their marriage. Hearty greetings were ex-tended each guest. Mrs. Worcester was ably assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Marion Dunn and Miss Mildred. The younger members of the party enjoyed games until refreshments were passed. Mrs. Minnie McKenzie poured punch. The culinary skill of the hostess is well known, and was verified on this occasion by the delicious refreshments served. A table holding gifts from friends showed a variety of valuable offerings.

The program later in the evening included a poem by Ellsworth Hastings, solos by Mrs. Watson and Miss Dunn, whistling solo by Mrs. McKenzie, to her own plano accompaniment. "O Italia! Italia! Beloved" was finely rendered by members of a class of "Concert of Nations". C. E. Dwelley gave a song in costume, and was recalled. Mrs. Mc-Kenzie and young son were very pleasing in a duet for piano and harmonica. Master McKenzie is a musical prodigy. With training, his friends predict a bright future awaiting him. Miss Evelyn and caused a deal of merriment. At a late hour the company bade their enter-tainers good night, and carried with them ecollections of a delightful evening.

Mrs. George Patten, of East Sullivan has been visiting her son. George Hardi-

The ladies' aid society is rehearsing 'Miss Fearless and Co." for presentation March 21.

At its last two meetings the X. E. C has been pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Edith DeBeck and Miss Lucy Butler. This week they will be entertained by Mrs. Sherman Scammon.

## WEST HANCOCK.

Feb. 21.

A. E. Foren is home from Boston, wher he has been employed.

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Lou. Young broke his leg last week while working in the woods. Mrs. Harris Taylor, who has been visit-

ng here, has returned to New York. Miss Alice Butler, of White Plains, N.

Y., is home helping care for her father, who is ill.

Victor R. Smith, of Northeast Harbor. has been here a few days, called by th illness of his sister. Mrs. Lena Foren.

Mrs. Lena Foren, who has been critically ll of pneumonia, is slightly improved Mrs. Annie Herlihy, of Bangor, a trained nurse, is with her. Feb. 20. SUMAC.

## SOUTH BROOKSVILLE.

Mrs. S. G. Franks is quite ill.

Mrs. O. M. Smith, of Bluehill, is visiting er son here. Mrs. M. T. Condon, a former resident, i

visiting relatives here. Miss Grace Gray, who has been teach

ing at Brocklin, is home. Fred Veazie has moved his family into

part of Pearl Wardwell's house The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Secondino s still dangerously ill of pneumonia.

Frank A. O'Hare, who has been super intendent of the granite works here over two years, has gone to his home in New York. His place is filled by Allen Smith, of Bluehill.

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#### LAMOINE.

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Miss Flora Stratton will go to Hancock Tuesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Arabine Wooster.

Capt. Fred Hodgkins, who has spent the winter at home, left last Thursday for New York.

Miss Mary E. Covey and Neal D. Leach ere married Feb. 16, in Bangor. Their friends wish them a long and happy married life.

Howe Smith and wife returned to Bar Harbor Sunday, after spending a few days with Mr. Smith's parents. They were accompanied by Miss Elvira Smith. B.

Feb. 21.

NORTH SULLIVAN.

Zemro Hall, 2d, has gone into the woods for the remainder of the winter.

A large delegation of the I.O. F. and Companion court went to West Bay last Wednesday evening. They report a delightful trip.

Mrs. Nettie Robinson, who is spending short vacation with her mother, Mrs. A. M. Moon, will return to her home in Boston this week.

Frank Gordon, of Weeks Mills, who accompanied the remains of his brother Harold here, has been calling on old triends and relatives the past week. He returned home Saturday. Feb. 21. M.

NORTH HANCOCK.

Miss Gladys Tracy, of Franklin, recently visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Googins. Mrs. Ralph Bowley and two children, of West Sullivan, are visiting at F. H. Stratton's.

Mrs. Lottie Stewart has gone to West fit of the church Wednesday \$20 was real-Ellsworth to spend the winter with her ized. son, Lester Crockett.

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#### SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

Miss Hattie Mayo, who has been con-ined to the house with tonsilitis, is again ble to attend school.

One evening last week Allen Lawler an wife were given a happy surprise party by a score of their neighbors.

George Gilley is out again after two weeks' illness. A. I. Holmes, who has been confined to the house for the same ength of time, is recovering.

White-winged messengers flew about mong the friends of Mrs. O. W. Cousins and the result was that 140 post cards brought her birthday greetings on Feb. 17.

Miss Mary Whitmore came home from Pitsfield last week, seriously ill of ner-vous prostration. Miss Bessie Clark ac-companied her to care for her on the nomeward trip.

The dramatic company, under auspices of the Masons, gave a Wild West play at the hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 15, with marked success. A supper and dance lowed. Nearly 190 was added to the hall fund.

Leon Wilson has returned home to spend a few weeks with his father. The essel of which he was mate, with Capt. Kelly, of Bass Harbor, sprang aleak, and failing to reach Hampton Roads, went ashore in a favorable place, so that all the crew were saved.

The Willard union held its annual emorative meeting at the Methodist church Sunday evening, Feb. 13, under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Emily Freeman. A good program was followed by excellent speeches by Rev. Messrs. Barnard and Robinson. The Willard union has never failed since the memorial fund was established in 1899 to send to the National W. C. T. U. the #2 free-will gift for the extension of temperance work, by Round-the-world missionaries. SPRAY. Feb. 21.

## SULLIVAN HARBOR.

#### OBITUARY.

This community is sad at the loss of one of its oldest citizens, Mrs. Mary A. Franklin, who passed away Feb. 16. She was the youngest daughter of the late George and Flora [Burrett] Hinman, was born in Sullivan, and had always lived here. She had been a great favorite with all, both old and young

Possessed of a wonderfully cheerful and buoyant temperament, she found much to enjoy all through her life, even to the advanced age of eighty-seven years, which she reached Dec. 13 last, on which day she received many of her friends who congratulated her on her remarkable physical condition and her pleasant surround ings. Her cheerful and merry sayings on that day leave a pleasant memory with those who were present. She also played several selections on the piano, at which she was an adept.

Her illness, which was of scarcely three weeks' duration, and which seemed to be a breaking up of the forces of nature, found her patient and uncomplaining to the last. She was surrounded by those whom she loved and by whom she was tenderly cared for. Her husband and son died several years ago, and the only remaining member

of her father's family is George Hinman, of Boston, in his ninety-third year. Services were held at her home, con-ducted by Rev. C. A. Purdy in a most impressive manner. Several selections were

read. "The Burial of an Aged Person" and "Still, Still With Thee". Lovely flowers were sent from her nephews and nieces in Boston, and a large sheaf of wheat from Mrs. Otis Hinman, now in California, and her old and now silent piano was decorated with flowers on this occasion. Feb. 21.

CRANBERRY ISLES.

Master Philip Bunker spent the week end with Master Russell Bunker.

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Rachol Haskell; history, Agnes Estelle Greenlaw; prophecy, Elsie Gould Haskeil; presentation of gifts, Roy Hendrick; address to undergraduates, Lucy Wood Haskell; class will, Laura Frances Stinson; class poem, Annie Coolan; essay, Harry Bye; essay, Ledroit Barbour Green-

plains. He was reading Shakespeare. An expression of peace and joy was on his face that caused those who knew him to wonder if he had at last Efforts are being made to institute a grange at North Deer Isle.

Mrs. Jasper W. Haskell, who has been quite ill, is somewhat improved. D. D. G. M. M. D. Joyce was in Bluehill

Tuesday on his official visit to the masonic ludge. Fred Greene and wife who have been spending a week with triends here, leave Wednesday for New Lordon, Conn., where Mr. Greene has employment for the winter.

The young people will present a drama, "My Old New Hampshire Home," at the town hall next Tuesday evening. Special nery has been painted and from the cast of characters it is expected to be the best entertainment of the winter.

#### Feb. 21. ASHVILLE.

Fletcher Martin is working at E W. Doyle's this winter.

W. M. Pettee is confined to the h with sciatic rheumatism. E. E. Hammond and W. O. Johnson are at Mr. Hammond's home for a few weeks. Mrs. Georgin Robertson, of East Sulli-

van, has been visiting relatives the past week. Mrs. Leona Hanna and Miss Villa Or-

cutt have been visiting at Wylie Hammond's.

Alvah Preble and Mrs. Lizzie Mulhern were married Feb. 9 at Mr. Preble's home, by Fred Noves, esq.

A candy pull was given the high school students and others by the Misses Bartlett Saturday evening. After the candy was disposed of, old-fashioned games were played.

#### Feb. 21. PHORRE

#### MT. DESERT FERHY.

S. J. Johnston is putting in ice from 1811. Though the pitch of forks varies Ellsworth Falls. slightly with changes of the tempera-Howard Carter closed his school at ture or by rust, they are the most ac-West Sullivan Friday. curate means of determining pitch.

Miss Madge Moon left Monday for Boston to enter the conservatory of music. Mrs. Gertrude Lounder, who has been visiting her sister in West Trenton, is

L. F. Jordan had two car loads of wood me from Nicolin last week, and W. W. Jellison two from Tunk pond.

Rev. P. A. A. Killam will speak in the choolhouse Thursday evening. He will be accompanied by Rev. J. E. Cochrane,

who will hold special meetings for a

H. O. Rice and wife returned Friday

Mrs. J. W. Pettee and daughter Lottie

Mrs. Joan Sargent, of South Gouldsboro,

visited her grandson, Alton Bunker, last

W. F. Davis was called to Steuben Sun-

day by the illness of his mother, Mrs.

The residence of Mrs. Celia E. Stevens

was the scene of a quiet wedding Satur-

day evening, when Mrs. Stevens and Cal-

vin Lawrence, of West Gouldsboro, were married by Rev. E. S. Drew. Only mem-

bers of the immediate family were pres-

WEINLEY

P. W. Richardson & Son put in their

Capt. Charles Robbins, of schooner

The Christmas club will meet with Mrs.

M. A. Holmes, of Tremont. A picnic supper

have returned from a visit in Sorrento.

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supply of ice last week.

Northern Light, is home

#### BIRCH HARBOR.

rom a visit in Franklin

William Leighton.

Dwelley, accompanist, demonstrated skill as a planist of unusual ability. A parlor dance was enjoyed by several

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There Is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend Upon a Well-Earned Reputation.

For months Ellsworth readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills, and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

Mrs. R. I. Moore, Ellsworth Fails, Me., ys: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills effected in my case several years ago has proven permanent, and 1 have since recommended this remedy to many of my friends who have used it with good results.'

On Feb. 7th, 1905, Mrs. Moore gave the following statement regarding her case: "I deem it a pleasure to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. In 1903 I underwent an operatio n, and after that was in misery nearly at the time. I did not regain my strength and my kidneys became badly disordered. The pains in my back were almost unbearable and all the medicine and doctors' treatment had no effect whatover. Finally I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Moore's drug store, and they went at once to the seat of my trouble. They not only cured the backache but built me up in general and corrected the difficulty with the kidney

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents Coster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, ole agents for the United States.

mber the name-Doan's-and take on other.

long and painful illness of tuberculosis. Funeral services were held Thursday forenoon at the house, Rev. P. A. A. Killam, of Ellsworth, officiating. ANON. Feb. 21.

FRANKLIN ROAD.

Friends of Mrs. G. L. Joy regret to cnow of her serious illness. Mrs. A. E. Foren, who is ill of typhoid

fever, is slightly improved. Norris Savage, of Egypt, is working for

Daniel McKay in the woods. Miss Effie McFarland, who recently went to Bangor to.cook in the Belmout

house, was severely scalded with hot fat recently. Feb. 21. G.

## NORTH LAMOINE.

Newell Tripp has returned from Presque Isle, where he has been employed.

Robie Norwood and family, of Southwest Harbor, spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. Norwood's parents, G. H. Coggins and wife. Y. Feb. 21.

Feb. 21

#### TRENTON.

On March 1 the sidewalk society will present the drama, "A Family Affair," at Evergreen hall. Music by Kelley's orchestra, of Bar Harbor. A dance and supper will follow. If stormy, the play will be presented the first pleasant even ing.

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#### **SLEEPLESS NIGHTS.**

Many a night's rest is spoiled by frequent fits of coughing — sometimes by a mere tick-ling in the chroat that is so annoying as to prevent sleep. Kemp's Balsam will cure coughs if any medicine will, and will relieve the irritation in the throat. For all throat and lung troubles take Kemp's Balsam. Drug-gists sell it at 25c. and 56c. s bottle.

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered the most effective remedy for all kidney and biadder froubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Bemedy corrects irregulari-ties, builds up the system, and restores lost vitality. G. A. PARCHER.

William Stewart died Feb. 18, after a from Pensacola, where he has spent the winter.

> Miss Velma Stanley, who returned home from Castine on account of illness, is out again. She will return to graduate in the spring.

J. Y. Spurling is still ill, but all hope to see him out again soon.

Mrs. Charlie Stanley attended the local union at Bar Harbor, also visited her mother at Otter Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley have just moved into their new home here, and they bave the best wishes for a long and happy married life.

The community was shocked Monday morning by the death of Joseph Richard Harding, who had been ill of pneumonia but a few days. Mr. Harding was taken ill Thursday with grip and pleurisy. Saturday pneumonia developed, and he pass away Monday morning at 4 o'clock. Mr. Harding was one of our most respected townsmen. He was sixty years of age. He leaves a wife and three daughters bree brothers, two sisters, and Gilbert M. Stanley and son Bertie who have been a part of the family. He was a member of working in the woods, cut his foot and the Odd Fellow lodge, of Southwest Har- | came home.

Feb. 21. ROONEY.

#### DEER ISLE.

At the meeting of the senior class of the Deer Isle high school the following assign-ments of class parts were made: Valedictory, Edith Merle Small; salutatory,

SORE LUNGS AND RAW LUNGS.

Most people know the feeling, and the mis-erable state of 111 health it indicates. All poople should know that Foley's Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, will quickly cure the soreness and cough and restore a normal condition. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar. ... PARCHER.

Mr. E. A. Kelley, Belvidere, Ill., writes us: "I am an ex-engineer with 22 years, active service to my oredit. About three years ago my kidneys were affected so that I had to give up my engine. First I was troubled with se-vere, aching pains over the hips. Then fol-lowed inflammation of the bladder, and specks appeared before my eyes. A sample of Foley's Kidney Pills that I tried, so bene-fitted me, that I bought more. I continued to take them, until now I can safely testify they have made me a sound and well man." G. A.

The ladies' aid society of Bass Harbor was entertained by Mrs. Frank Manchester Wednesday. Dainty refreshments were served.

P. M.

BARTLETT'S ISLAND.

Mrs. Lois Bartlett is recovering from pneumonia.

Eugene Ray, of Calais, has been visiting his brother, George.

George Duffy and wife, of Seaville, are visiting relatives here. Feb. 16. I.

TREMONT.

Postmaster Rich, who has been ill a week, is improving.

Miss Sylvia M. Rich visited her brother Leslie in Rockland last week.

Giles Farley, of Portland, spent a few days last week with his parents, Thomas Farley and wife.

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#### MARLBORO.

Homer Wilbur, who was in Greenfield,

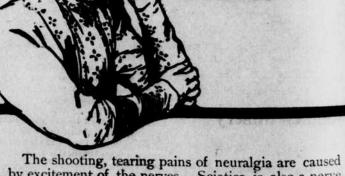
Mrs. Emma Wright who has been with her sister, Mrs. Reuel Bartlett, in Ellsworth, the past few weeks, is home. Feb. 21. ARE

"Don't get down in the mouth, old man," said the optimist. Look on; the bright side of things." "That's all very well," mournfully replied the sufferer; "but what is the bright side of a gumboil?"

#### A PACKAGE OF MEDICINE FREE.

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Most disfiguring skin eruptions, scrofuls pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood Burdock Blood Bitters is a cleansing blood tonic. Makes you clear-eyed, clear-brained, clear-skinned.- adet.



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family.

Student of Shakespears. The office boy sat in the corner busi-ly engaged in reading a book. Strange to say, it was not "The Adventures of Bunko Jim," "Daisy Dean, the Demon

Detective," nor even a thrilling narrative of more or less correct life on the

experienced a change of heart. His eyes sparkled, and his whole expres-

sion was one of happiness. Finally he

turned to a worker at another desk. "Say, Jim," he said, "I've got a ques

tion for you. Did you ever read Shake-

"Yep," was the reply. "And d'yer know what he talks

"Den maybe you can help me."

"Well, I want to know which was de man, Romeo or Juliet?"-Youth's Com-

Losing His Mind.

"Mother, guess you'd better send fer th' doctor," gasped Uncle Charlie Sea-

ver as he sank into a chair and rocked

back and forth, holding his gray head.

"Sakes alive! Ye haven't been and got the misery in yer head, have ye, Si-las?" gasped his astonished wife, drop-

"I dunno what's the matter, but I've

alwus had a hunch my mind 'd go

some time. It's cum, I guess. I no-

ticed th' trouble fust last week when I

plumb forget to go up an' swear off th' \$100 assessment till it was too late.

Then I neglected to go to th' school

meetin' last night to fight agin the new

commissioner. But, wuss and wuss,

didn't guess within eleven pound seven

ounces of th' weight of Wal Weaver's

big hog killed today. I guess my mind has gone all right. I'm about all in."

Tuning Forks.

The tuning fork was the invention

of John Stone, royal trumpeter, in

Tuning forks are capable of being

made of any pitch within certain lim-

its, but those commonly used are the

notes A and C, giving the sounds rep-

resented by the second and third spaces in the treble stave.

An Incentive.

"Won't you try to love me?" he

"I have tried," she replied kindly,

"My rich aunt has just died," he

went on. "In that case, dear, I will try again."

A Blunt Answer.

Mother (to her daughter)-You'd bet-

ter accept Peter, my dear. He is a

nice boy, though he may not be hand-

some. After all, good looks fade, don't they, papa? Father-Rather!-File-

The Ways of Men.

Many a man who would be unable to find the family Bible if he hunted

all day would have no difficulty in put-

ting his hand on the corkscrew, even

in the dark.-Chicago Record-Herald.

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"Yep."

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# THE AMERICAN, ELLSWORTH, ME., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1910.

# COUNTY NEWS.

#### NORTH SEDGWICK. E. McPheters is quite ill of grip. willside circle had a poverty supper at

n house Feb. 2. Mrs. Lois Page has gone to East Bluehill

isit her daughter, Mrs. Marks. Leslie Friend, of Metrose, Mass., who

in town a few days last week, rehome Monday. Mrs. Adelia Allen, of Sedgwick.

been visiting her brother, W. M.

Esther, the elder daughter of George M and wife, died February 10, at the of about twenty-one years. Mis her graduated from the Bluehill acadwhen seventeen years old, and spent next year in Boston studying music taught several terms of school here. was a young woman of estimable eter, kind-hearted, genial in temperament artistic in taste, always intere the good of the community, and tried ke others happy by her kind words out two years ago she was taken ill ang trouble, and loving hands could tay its progress. Her friends were rised at the suddenness of her death. will be sadly missed. The funeral place at her home Saturday afteron, Pastor Davis officiating. The casket as covered with beautiful flowers, exing the love of relatives and friends. leaves besides her parents, one other, Roy, and one sister, Florence, and ther near relatives who have the sym-

Feb. 21.

NORTH CASTINE. Mrs. David Hitchcock is ill.

Ralph Snow is at home from Fitchburg,

Miss Marion Coombs spent Saturday in Malcolm Wardwell is working for Dun-

an Dunbar. Mrs. Frank E. Witham is recovering

m a recent illness.

Newell Perkins came home from Bangor ast week, ill of pleurisy.

J. W. Bowden and wife left Saturday to visit relatives in Lamoine.

A. R. Devereux and wife, of Lamoine re guests of M. C. Devereux. Capt. M. W. Grindle, is landing a large

amber of logs at A. K. Dodge's mill. Lester Hanson and bride, of Bar Har or, are visiting Mrs. Devereux Hanson. Mrs. Arthur P. Guilford and niece, Miss Mildred Wardwell, of Owl's Head, are

isiting relatives here. Feb. 21. L. BROOKLIN.

Mrs. J. B. Babson is ill. A. H. Mayo was in Rockland last week. Schools closed Friday. High school will tinue three weeks longer. A. E. Farnsworth and wife returned om Boston Sunday. Fred Ward and wife, of Rockland, are siting Weston Gott and wife. Edward Anderson and wife were g of Mrs. Emma Kane last week. The members of the junior class of the high school gave an entertainment and

Aducrtisemente.

Microbes in the Scalp. The Latest Explanation is that Microbes Cause Baldness. few days

ocial in grange hall Monday evening, which was well attended. Proceeds, \$21. Mrs. R. W. Nutter, who has been to Bangor for treatment for her eyes, is home. Library circle will meet with Miss Bes

sie Small at the parsonage Wednesday evening, Feb. 23. Miss L. M. Tibbetts, of Waltham, Mass.

is spending the winter with her father, Capt. J. M. Tibbetts. Feb. 21. UNE FEMME.

SOUTH BLUEHILL.

Mrs. Earl Beade is visiting her parents

t North Sedgwick. Fred Sylvester and wife have I

Miss Evelyn Hutchins, of North Bedgrick, is visiting her grandparents, Allen Henderson and wife.

Miss Orendie Mason has closed her school here on account of trouble with her eyes. The term will not be finished this winter.

Feb. 17. C Miss Gertie Cole, of Seaville, is visiting

her aunt, Mrs. Charles Henderson. Ed. Anderson and wife, of North Sedgwick, were the guests of Hollis Eaton and

wife last week. W. P. Eaton, of Boston, is spending a

few days with his father, A. W. Eaton, who is seriously ill.

The sewing circle presented the drama, "A Fighting Chance," Feb. 15 and 16, to a fall house. Those in the cast were Donna Ingalls, Clara Day, Flora Day, Alice Eaton, Flora Hodgdon, Lulu Maddox, Annie Eaton, Evelyn Hutchins, Hallie Henderson, Emmagene Bickford, Clara Henderson. Proceeds, \$30.25.

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Feb. 21.

WEST BROOKLIN. Miss Eva Herrick visited relatives here recently.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Parker Bridges Feb. 15.

Miss Marguerite Carter was the guest of Eva Herrick at Brooklin recently.

Mrs. George Grindle and daughter, of

North Brooklin, are guests of Mrs. Isaac Bridges. Mrs. Benjamin Spear and daughter, of

North Brooklin, visited her son Frank last week. Miss Addie Ingalls, who has been visit-

ing Miss Lettie Carter, has gone to her home in Bluehill.

Mrs. Joan Reddy, who is spendidg the winter with her sister, Mrs. Abbie Joyce, at Brooklin, spent a few days at home recently.

EAST SURRY.

Feb. 21.

Capt. Hiram Treworgy is very ill.

Mrs. J. A. Chatto and Mrs. Susan Mosley on Saturday visited their sister, Mrs. R. B. Carter, at Bayside, whose health is very poor.

A pension has been granted to Mrs. Almira Saunders, widow of John W. Saunders, and to Mary J., widow of Charles N. Beede, of Surry, \$12.

News was received here Saturday of the death of Mrs. Aurilla Hunt, at Wakefield, Mass. Mrs. Hunt was the daughter of the late Nicholas Ober, born at West Surry about seventy years ago. For many years she lived at Lynn, Mass., but after the death of her husband, less than a year ago, she moved to Wakefield. She leaves one daughter, Ella Hunt, and one granddaughter, the child of her only son, who died several years ago. She had a strong love for her native town and early friends, by whom her cheery letters will be C. Feb. 21.

NORTH ORLAND.

COUNTY NEWS.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burton, Feb. 17. Rodney Ginn cut his thumb badly while splitting wood last week.

W. F. Chute's teams are hauling spool bars to the station for Rogers & Iugalls.

Warren Moore has gone to Eddington to cut pulp wood for George Mann, of Mr. Rich has moved from the Arthur

Gray house, and Harry Moore and wife, of Bluehill, have moved in. Lester and Dana Crockett were called t

Hancock last week by the death of their stepfather, William Stewart.

Mrs. Lorenzo Blaisdell returned hon Friday from East Orland, where she has spent a few days with her husband's grandfather, Guilford Blaisdell, who is ill. Miss Winifred Gray, who taught at Happytown last year, is in the hospital at Belfast, where she has been operated upon for appendicitis. At last accounts she was

gaining. Feb. 21. WEST SURRY.

Mrs. Joan Ober is better.

Mrs. I. E. Lufkin is gaining. All hope for her speedy recovery. Mrs. Harry Leach and her sister, Mrs. Herman Gray, of Bluehill, are visiting their parents, S. E. Grindle and wife.

Mr. Phillips, the R. F. D. mail carrier, gave orders to Hollis Willins to break out the road from Orland town line to Surry village, and it is now the best road we even saw in this part of the town. Feb. 21.

WALTHAM.

Miss Georgie Jordan has gone to Ellsworth to work.

Austin Giles, who has been at work in Brewer, is home.

Mrs. Howard Davis, after several days

with her parents, George Jordan and wife. in Ellsworth, is home. Mrs. J. A. French and Mrs. L. F. Giles of Ellsworth, were the guests of their

sister, Mrs. Ella Martin, recently. Feb. 21. H.

SOUTH HANCOCK.

Mrs. Mary Smith is working at Milo. Mrs. L. A. Penney, of Bangor, spent a few days last week with her father, R. H. Young.

The officers of Leonard Wooster lodge I. O. G. T., were installed Feb. 8 by D. G.

C. T. L. S. Jordan. Nine candidates were initiated, and one application was received. Supper was served. Feb. 21.

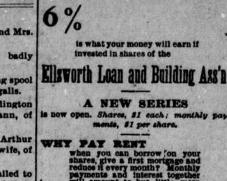
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Legal Notices. STATE OF MAINE.

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To all persons interested in e takes hereinafter named. At a probate court held at El for the county of Hameool day of February, a. d. 1910. THE following matters has

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Berry or some other suitable person be spipointed administrator of the estate of said deceased presented by Charles W. Gerry, son and heir at law of said deceased.
 Caroline M. Bice, late of Cramberry Isles, in said county, deceased.
 Dette administrator of the estate of said deceased.
 Buils A. Patten, late of Buoksport, in said deceased.
 Julis A. Patten, late of Buoksport, in said county, deceased.
 Frankie M. Jordan, late of Orland, in said county, deceased.
 Frankie M. Jordan, late of Mount Desert, in said county, deceased.
 Junn, administrator, filed for settlement.
 Stephen Smallidge, late of Mount Desert, in said county, deceased.
 First account of Charles J. Dunn, administrator, filed for settlement.
 Stephen Smallidge, late of Dedham, in said county, deceased.
 First account of Almena.
 As B. Young, late of Dedham, in said county, deceased.
 First account of Almena.
 H. Smith, administrator, filed for settlement.

thereon. Attest:-JOHN F. KNOWLTON, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE.

Attest:-JOHN P. KNOWLTON, Clerk. **STATE OF MAINE.** Courts of Hancock ss:-Peb. 10, 1910. The Bobinson & Co., a corporation duity in-forporated and located and having its princi-pla place of business at Bangor, Penobscot couples of business at Bangor, Penobscot outy, Maine, is plaintiff, and William J. Johnston, of Amberst. Hancock county, maid county, is defendant, and will be sold at 2 o'clock in the atternoon, at the sheriff's office. at the jail in Elisworth, in said county, all the right which the said William J. Johnston the right of the said William J. Johnston, the the right of the said William J. Johnston, the science of Maine, to wit: This Biohardson's home lot near the store form is land to the S. W. corner of lot No. 38 to the herst Corner to Aurora; thence westerly and place of beginning, containing two acres there of the main road leading from Am-herst Corner to a rarce of lot No. 38 to the forney deved dated October 14, 1885, recorder for Maherst, county and State aforesaid, ronved by said county. State of Maine, hounde and described as follows, will, thence what while; thence southerly by said county road twen ymain road the south side of the plane of the sub state of the road twenty for the grees south thirty seven and a for where deards to the county road twenty of whether and staty road to a stake; thence on the right road to hounde and described as follows to stake; thence muning westerly by said county road twenty for a take at four degrees south fitty seven and a fit road near stake; thence northerly for the running westerly by said county road tw

# STATE OF MAINE. HARCOCK SS.: - Supreme Judicial Court. In vacation. Ellsworth, Feb'y 11. A. D. 1910. Upon the within wit, Ordered: That the Plaintif give notice to the detendants to ap-pear before the Justice of our Supreme Ju-dicial Oburt, to be holden at Ellsworth, within and for the county of Hancock, on the second Tuesday of April. A. D. 1910, by pub-lishing an attested copy of said writ and this order thereon, three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed in Ellsworth, in our county of Hancock, the last publication to be thirty days at least prior to the second Tuesday of April next, that they and answer to said suit. Mr. P. WHITEMOUSE, Justice of the Sup. Jud. Court. A true copy of the writ and order of court thereon. STATE OF MAINE.

Professor Unna, of Hamburg, Germany, and Dr. Sabourand, of Paris, France, share the honor of having discovered the hair nicrobe.

Baldness is not caused through a few eeks' work of these hair microbes, but is the result of conditions brought about by their presence. Baldness may not occar until years after the microbes began work, but it is certain to come sooner or

The microbes cut off the blood supply. They feed on the fatty matter about the roots of the hair, through which the blood s absorbed. Finally the fatty matter s consumed, the food supply of the hair s gone and it starves and finally dies.

Resorcin is one of the most effective rm-destroyers ever discovered. Beta Naphthol is a most powerful, yet absotely safe germicide and antiseptic which events development of germ matter, and creates a clean, healthy condition.

Pilocarpine, although not a coloring tter or dye, is an ingredient well estabished for its power to restore natural for to human hair when loss of color has been caused by a disease.

Borax, because of its well defined softaning and cleansing properties, is most aseful in the treatment of scalp and hair liseases. Glycerine acts as a stimulant to the hair bulbs and has a soothing, healing and nourishing influence. Alcohol is indispensable in medicine because of its antiseptic, stimulating and preservative Qualities unlities

We want every one who has scalp or air trouble to try Rexall "83" Hair Tonic, which contains all these ingredients. If it does not give you complete satisfaction n every particular, we will return every enny you paid us for it for the me of course you understand that when we of course you understand that when we say that Rexall "33" Hair Tonic will grow hair we do not refer to cases where the ng and without question or formality. Toots are entirely dead, the pores of the scalp closed, and the head has the shiny appearance of a billiard ball. In cases like this there is no hope. In all other cases of baldness Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will grow here on the baldness the shing Will grow hair, or cost the user nothing. Two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember, Tou can obtain Rexail Remedies in Ells-tore. E. G. MOORE, cor. opp. postoffice. you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Ells-worth only at our store — The Rexall

A surprise party was te and George Grindle Thursday evening.

NORTH BROOKLIN. George Grindle, of Seaville, is here for a

The young people have given up the drama which they planned to present here.

Miss Sidney Clark and Miss Leslie Vinol, of Boston, are visiting John J. Sexton and wife.

A very pleasant occasion was the pound party arranged by Mrs. Lucy Hale for Mrs. Anna Coombs and her son Fred, Tuesday evening.

XENOPHON.

Feb. 21.

NORTH PENOBSCOT.

Alonzo Shedd lost a valuable horse recently.

Several teams have been hauling shovel handles to Bucksport for shipment. Monday night the ladies' aid society gave an entertainment. Ice-cream, cake and home-made candy were sold.

н. Feb. 19.

#### BLUEHILL FALLS.

Allie Friend has been at work for A. R. Conary

Albert Conary last week visited his son Wiley in Bucksport and son Wilford in Bangor.

Mattie Dow returned to her home in Surry Sunday to spend a few days before

## SOUTH SURRY.

Mrs. Nora Young, who has been afflicted with a severe cold, is much better. Services are held at the church every

two weeks by Rev. W. H. Dunham. S. W. Wilder, of Newton Center, Mass. is at E. M. Cunningham's for a few days TRAMP. Feb. 21.

Itching piles provoke profanity, but pro fanity won't cure them. Doan's Ointment cures itching, bleeding or protruding piles after years of suffering. At any drug store .--

HOARSE COUGHS, STUFFY COLDS,

BANGOR lv	6 00	10 30	8 24	5 00
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Trains leaving Ellsworth at 7.13 a m and 4.28 p m, and arriving at Ellsworth 11.07 a m, 10.52 p. m. connect with Washington Co. Ry. 1 Stops on signal to conductor.

e Stops only to leave passengers from points ast of Washington Junction. a Stops to leave but not to take passengers

These trains connectat Bangor with through rains on Main Line, to and from Portland Boston and St John.

loston and St John. Passengers are carnestly requestly to pro-ure tickets before entering the trains, and specially Ellsworth to Falls and Falls to especially Ellsworth. F. E. BOOTHBY, General Passenger Agent.

MORRIS McDONALD. Vice President & General Manager.

Portland, Me.

Eastern Steamship Company

Reduced Winter Fares,

\$3.00

#### Between Bar Harbor and Boston

the Boothbay leaves Bar Harbor 10 a m, Mondays and Thursdays for Seal Harbor fortheast Harbor, Southwest Harbor, Manee isolington, North Haven and Rockland, con secting with steamer for Boston.

Steamer Catherine leaves Bluehill 900 a m fondays and Thursdays for South Bluehill rookin, Sedgwict, Deer Isle, Sargentville outh Brookaville, Dark Harbor and Rockland onnecting with steamer for Boston.

RETURNING

New turbine steel steamer Belfast leaves Borton at 5 p m, Tuesdays and Fridays for Rock

Leave Rockland at 5.15 a m, or ou arrival of steamer from Boston, Wednesdays and Satur-days for Bar Harbor, Bluchill, and interme-diate iandings.

E. L. SMITH, Agent, Bar Harbor.

Justice of the Sup. Jud. Court. A true copy of the writ and order of court thereon.

#### Attest:-JOHN F. KNOWLTON, Clerk.

## NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. W HEREAS. Seth O. Hanscom, of Am-herst, Hancock county, State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated April 8.a. d. 1871, and recorded in the Hancock county, Maine, registry of deeds, book 141, page 494, conveyed to Philander Fletcher, then of said Amherst, a certain lot or parcel of land situate in said Amherst, ard bounded and described as fol-lows: Beginning at a stake and stones at the orthwest corner of lot No. 15; thence east 27 degrees south thirty-one rods to a corner; thence south 23 degrees west fifty-two rods to a corner; thence west 4 degrees morth twelve rods and nine links to a corner; thence north 4 degrees east sixty four rods to first-men-tioned bound, containing eight acres, more or less, according to the survey of Roswell silaby; and whereas the said Philander Fletcher on the twenty-sixth day of January. a. d. 1910, assigned said mortgage to the un-usid registry, in book 465, parc 458; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken; now therefore, by reasson of the toreclosure of said mortgage. By his attorney, Lynwood F. Giles. February 15, 1910.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executive of the last will and testament of JONATHAN W. PENNEY, late of SEDG-

JONATHAN W. PENNEY, late of SEDG-WICK. in the county of Hancock, Maine, decessed, and given bonds as the law directs. And she has appointed Fitz H. Smith, of said Sedg-wick, her agent in the State of Maine. in ac-cordance with the provisions of Sec. 43, Chap. 66, of the revised statutes of Maine. All persons having demands against the es-tate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment im-mediately. CARBIE A. ADAMS. Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 27, 1910.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed adminis-trator of the estate of FRANK W. THOMPSON, late of PENOB-

FRANK W. THOMPSON, Inte SCOT, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All per-sons 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 are requested to make payment immediately are requested to make payment immediately are requested to make payment immediately

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed adminis-tratrix of the estate of

DANIEL R. HAGERTHY, late of BUCKS-PORT,

in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are re-quested to make payment immediately. CARNE M. HAGERTHY. Bucksport, Feb. 3, 1919.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. Whereas the contry, Maine, by his port, Hancock county, Maine, by his port, Hancock county, Maine, by his port, Hancock county, Maine, by his port, Bancock county, Maine, by his port, County, and State, book 452, page and county and State, certain real estate thus course of the county, and bounded, begins from a said county, and bounded, begins how the counter line of Verona Island at N. E. corner of land of Hattle Hutchings and Hutchings' and Abbott's head about eighty boots to land of Manly Abbott's heirs; ihead thore the count wenty for the bounded is and boots the count wenty for the boots of the series porther by said heirs' land about eighty by asid chebott's hand about eighty rods to porther by said heirs' land about eighty fords to be the source the twenty rods to point of by add to land of Peter Abbott; thence easterly by asid center line; thence southerly by said center line; thence southerly by said the boots the condition of said mort-by addie to Base premises conveyed to me-by addie to Base broken, now therefore, by reat-to at the condition of said mort-to at the count of the said mort-to at the breach of condition of said mort-to at the breach of the said mort-to at the breach of the said mort-to at the breach of the br

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. WHEREAS, John Howard Snyder, of Winter Harbor, Hancock county, Maine, by his mortgage deed dated the first day of May, a. d. 1963, and recorded in the registry of deeds for Hancock county, book 383, page 105, conveyed to me, the under-signed, a certain lot or parcel of land with all the building thereon, situated in Winter Har-bor aforesaid, and described as follows,

bor aforesaid, and described as follows, namely: Being that certain tract or parcel of land known as and included in tone William Rand homestead lot, situated on the william Rand homestead lot, situated on the north side of the town road known as Main street, con-taining sity-six and one-lalf aches, more or less, subject to all the exceptions and reser-vations therein contained; for a more com-plete description of the premises reference is hereby made to the me etgage deed herein-above referred to. And whereas the condi-tions of said mortgage have been broken, now therefore, by reason of the breach of the con-ditions thereof. I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage and this notice is given for that purpose.

Burpose. Dated February 12, 1910. JESE K. MITCHELL, By his attorney, Harry I. Crabtree.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that it has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of

MARGARET A. LEACH, late of BUCKS-PORT,

in the county of Hancock, deceased, no bonds being required by the terms of said will. 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. KENDUSKKAG TRUST Co. Feb. 5, 1910. By H. E. Collett, Secretary.

THE subscribers hereby give notice that they have been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of

NAHUM B. GRANT, late of HANCOCK,

in the county of Hancock. deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All per-sons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all ind-bited thereto are requested to make payment immediately. ORLANDO W. FOSS. ROXANNA W. GRANT. Hancock, Feb. 3, 1910.

JOSEPHINE B. TILTON, late of BOSTON, in the county of Suffolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, deceased, and of the pro-bate thereof in said Commonwealth of Massa-chusetts, duly authenticated, having been presented to the judge of probate for our said county of Hancock for the purpose of being allowed, filed and recorded in the probate court of our said county of Hancock. Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed at Ellsworth, in said county of Han-cock, prior to the first day of March, a. d. 1910, that they may appear at a pro-bate court then to be held at Ellsworth, in and for said county of Hancock, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, against the same. EDWARD E. CHASE, Judge of Probate. A true copy of the original order. Attest:-T. F. MAHONEY, Register.

Ass E. Young, late of Dedham, in said county, deceased. First account of Almena H. Young, administratir, filed for settlement.
 Edwin C. Parker, late of Eden, in said county, deceased. First account of Almena H. Young, administratir, filed for settlement.
 William B. Quimby, late of Elswo.th, in said county, deceased. First account of Almena H. Young, administratir, filed for settlement.
 Maria T. Scammons, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased. First account of Almena H. Young, administrator with the will sanexed. First account of Almena H. Young, administrator with the will sanexed. First account of Almena H. Young, administrator with the will sanexed. First account of Almena H. Young, administrator with the will sanexed. First account of Almena H. Young, administrator with the will sanexed. First account of Almena H. Young, administrator, first account of Merrilli Trust Company, erecutor, filed for settlement.
 Abby M. Fulton, an insane person of South-west Harbor, in said county. Petition filed by John B. Redman, guardian, for liceme to sell certain real estate of said ward, as described in said petition.
 Weilington R. Pendleton. Inte of Eden, in Mitor M. Bengent, late of Mount Desert, in Mitor adexert. Petition filed by Waitirator, that an order be issued to alstribute among the here of said administrator. Sasken, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Waitirator, bast an order be issued to distribute among the here of said deministrator. Barban E. Young, late of Manoock, in said county deceased. Petition filed by Sarah A. Young, administrator, that an order be issued to distribute among the here of Said decided by Markinistrator, upon the settlement of alide during the said county deceased. Petition filed by Sarah A. Currier, inte of Sedgwick, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Sarah A. Currier, inte of Orland, in said deceased, presented. Petition filed by Norris L. Suidell, or and the said deceased.
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In said petition. EDWARD E. CHASE, Judge of said Court. A true copy of the original order. Attest:-T. F. MAHOWEY, Register.

STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK SS.-At a probate court held at Ellsworth, in and for said county of Hancock, on the first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

ten. CEBTAIN instrument purporting to be a copy of the last will and testament and one codicil of

JOSEPHINE B. TILTON, late of BOSTON,

#### STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK 8S.-At a probate court held at Ellsworth, in and for said county of Hancock, on the first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

CERTAIN instrument purporting to be a copy of the last will and testament of JOHN STEWART KENNEDY, late of the city, county and state of NEW YORK, deceased, and of the probate thereof in said state of New York, duly authenticated, hav-ing been presented to the judge of probate for our said county of Hancock for the pur-pose of being allowed, filed and recorded in the probate court of our said county of Han-cock.

the probate control our said county of Han-cock. Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed at Ellsworth, in said county of Hancock, prior to the first day of March, a. d. 1910, that they may appear at a probate court then to be held at Ellsworth, in and for said county of Hancock, at ten o'clock in the forencon, and show cause, if any they have, against the same. EDWARD E. CHASE, Judge of Probate. A true copy of the original order.

#### STATE OF MAINE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed adminis-trator of the estate of ALBERT BLAISDELL, late of ORLAND,

ALBERT BLAISDELL, inte of ORLAND, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are re-quested to make payment immediately. HowARD H. BLAISDELL, Orland. Feb. 3, 1916.

# THE AMERICAN BLLSWORTH. ME., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23 1910.

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him. But if the first attempt is a fail-

adequate reason has ever been offered.

Will those ingenious people who tell us why a dog turns around before lying down and why ducks walk behind

makes four attempts to roll over and

never succeeds at the second?-Ex-

Diseases of Fear. If you are afflicted with an unreason

able fear of anything do not waste

time being ashamed of yourself; hurry

at once to a doctor, advises a writer

in Success Magazine. A writer in the

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# A BURIAL.

#### By MARTHA V. MONROE. Copyright, 1909, by American Press Asso-ciation.]

The sun was standing low off the coast, about to go down into a bank of red clouds, when a French ship was noticed making for the harbor. She came on until within a mile of the docks, when she was brought up to the wind and the stillness was broken by the rattle of her anchor chain in her hawse pipes, followed by another rattle marking the lowering of her sails

On the dock were various loiterers all looking at the Frenchman. There were customs house men, ready to balk any attempt at smuggling, free traders watching for an opportunity to get goods off the new comer without pay-ment of duties, and the chronic lounger, who has no business in view whatever. The chief of the customs officers deployed his subordinates as a general would post his men to be ready to meet a possible attack. He was a pompous old fellow, seemingly as anilous to display his zeal as to do his duty by his government and ready to nip in the bud any attempt to run goods ashore surreptiously.

"They are lowering a boat, sir," said one of his men, saluting respectfully.

"Notify all the stations," was the prompt reply. "It will doubtless not move till after dark, when it will make for one of the creeks. She must be intercepted."

But the boat did not wait for the darkness. She put off as soon as released from the davits, and, what was still less anticipated, was pulled directly for the dock where the chief was standing. On came the boat, bobbing up and down over the waters, whose crests were made blood red by the rays of the sinking sun.

"They've got a box aboard, sir," remarked a customs officer.

The chief knit his brow and drew down the corners of his mouth severe-ly, indicating that any attempt to defraud the government would go hard with the perpetrators, but on second thought he concluded that people did not attempt to smuggle thus openly and relaxed.

"It's a coffin, sir," said another. Somebody's dead."

"Of course if there's a coffin," said the chief sternly, "somebody's dead. You don't suppose they'd be bringing it ashore empty."

When the boat pulled up at the foot of the steps of the dock those looking on took off their hats respectfully in presence of the dead. A Frenchman with a serious expression came up, and the chief of the customs advanced to meet him.

"Are you the mayor?" asked the sail or in broken speech.

"I'm the collector of the port," was the dignified reply.

"Well, monsieur, if you have the au thority I would be obliged if you would grant us a permit to bury a body in your cemetery. I had on board my ship an American missionary lady, coming home from India. She was delicate, and from the first, having worn out her body in an execrable climate in the service of the Lord, I feared that she would never complete the voyage. Growing rapidly worse, she exacted a promise from me that in case she died before reaching port I would not commit her body the deep. 'The waves are so dreadful,' she said, 'so merciless. Take me to the a willow beside my grave." The captain paused, took out a ban-danna handkerchief and wiped his

eves.

#### The Pip and the Slip. Too much mince pie had done the trick. Little Maimie got a pain in her sash

and had to go to bed. The family physician and his top

hat called and prescribed a pill. Maimie's mother said very well, but the family physician did not know Maimie. and she was quite sure Maimie would not take the pill. The family physician said he would make it a sweet pill, but Maimie's mother replied that so long as it was a pill it would be no use.

Then the family physician was struck with a brilliant idea. The pill should be craftily concealed in the renter of a preserved pear and sent up to little Maimie to eat. An hour later Maimie's mother went

to see how her sweetest dear was going on. She appeared to be going

on excellently. "And did my pet eat all her pear?" inquired the fond mother. "Yes, mumsie," replied the little dar-ling, "all but the nasty seed."

There's many a slip 'twixt the pear and the pip.-London Answers.

#### Bituminous Coal.

The first bituminous coal mined in the United States, states the United States geological survey, was taken from what is usually termed the Rich-mond basin, a small area in the southeastern portion of Virginia, near the city of Richmond. This basin is situated on the castern margin of the Piedmont plateau, thirteen miles above tidewater, on the James river. It lies in Goochland, Henrico, Powhatan and Chesterfield counties. The coal beds are much distorted, and the coal is of rather low grade when compared with that from other districts with which it has to come into competition. The occurrence of coal was known in the Richmond basin as early as 1700, and in 1789 shipments were made to some of the northern states. At present what little coal is produced in this field is for local consumption only .-Scientific American.

#### Movement of Icebergs.

In the investigation of the currents round the coast of Newfoundland it has been observed that there is at times a wide difference in the direction of the drift of icebergs and that of the flat or pan ice, which, having no great depth, is governed in its motions by the surface currents and the winds, whereas the icebergs, the larger parts of which are submerged to a great depth, follow only the movement of the ocean water as a whole and are uninfluenced by the winds. In consequence a huge berg may often be seen majestically maintaining its slow advance in opposition to the wind and across the general motion of the fields of flat ice surrounding it. The set often take advantage of this fact by mooring their vessels to an iceberg in order to prevent a drift to leeward. Philadelphia Record

#### Hunting the Kangaroo

When brought to bay the kangaroo jumps like a flash for the hunter's chest and tries to crush it in with his fore feet. To prevent this each man wears across his breast a two or three inch thick matting. Armed with a spear, with a club attachment at the other end, they ride upon swift horses into a herd. With the agility and equipoise of circus riders they stand erect upon their horses and use their spears and clubs.

The kangaroo is able to jump clear over a horse. As the game is bagged it is skinned, and the skin is stretched on the ground and pegged down to pre-vent shrinkage. The flesh furnishes meat for the camp. Each man places his private mark upon his booty, and n they b back to civilization.

# HIS SHADOWER.

### By SARAH J. ATWATER. Copyright, 1909, by American Press Ass ciation 1

In the town of Selkirk during the reign of Henry IV. of Scotland a shoemaker sat working at his bench. From the rear of his shop came a child's ery. The man paused in his work and listened. The child was hushed by its mother, and the shoemaker went on with his work. Presently a woman entered the shop. She was young and handsome.

"I pray you, Alec," she said, "give up this mad freak. We are not strong enough to successfully invade England. Let the king lead an army over the border if he likes and take the consequences which will be sure de-feat. But do you stay at home. If you go you may lose your life; if you re-turn our people will revile you for bringing misfortune upon them."

"I think you are wrong, Margaret," replied her husband. "Our people are turning out in great force. I alone am to bring a hundred men to the army of invasion."

"And wreck a hundred families!" "Scotland will be the gainer." "Scotland will be the sufferer. I be

eech you desist.'

"I have gone too far to retreat, Mar-Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette has compiled a list of fear diseases from garet. I would be upbraided for a turncoat."

Margaret Hume returned to the screaming at mice to being afraid to go home in the dark, is a well recogdwelling portion of the cottage, but in a moment returned with their baby girl, five months old. Holding the child up to its father, she said: -"If you are killed, Alec, in this

war who will keep me and your child from misery?"

The appeal brought tears to the man's eyes. Gladly would he have abandoned his intention, but pride held him from doing so. He would not desert his king and his country in their hour of need. "Your desire to be thought brave,

Alec," cried his wife, made desperate by his firmness, "will not supply the child whom you are bound to support with bread of clothing. Honor, for-sooth! Here is where honor lies for you-dishonor in deserting your wife and baby!"

The couple parted in anger, Hume to join the force marching to battle.

In the fight that ensued Alexander Hume was in the thick of the battle, performing prodigies of valor. The men he had induced to join in the enterprise and whom he commanded, incited by his example, stood by him nobly. One man in leathern doublet nobly. One man in leathern doublet and with a small white feather in his helmet, who had come on to the field just as the battle began, took position beside him and fought with equal courage as himself. An English soldier acceeded in getting very close to Hume and was about to plunge his spear between the clasps of his armor when the man with the white feather struck down the enemy. "Your name?" cried Hume.

"Never mind my name," replied the man who had saved his life.

Wherever Hume went that day the man with the white feather went, protecting him from the many perils that beset him and on many an occasion forestalling an enemy who was about to crush him. At last the scattered army gave way and fied in every direction before the victorious Englishmen. Hume, with the others, escaped from the field and for a time lay concealed to avoid capture. His first thought after emerging from his hid-ing place was the soldier who had hovered near him. Of every one he met he inquired if he knew of the fate of the man with the white feather. Had he escaped or was his dead body lying on the field of battle? All he could learn was that the shadower had disappeared. Hume's next thought was for his wife and child. He hurried toward his cottage his mind filled with her prophecies as to the misfortunes the invaders would bring upon Scotland by their rash course and her pleadings for him to take no part in it, reserving his life for her and their child. He would acknowledge her superior judgment, and he would ask her forgiveness. He longed to fold her and their child in a single embrace. He hoped as he approached his cottage to find her looking for him. She would be at the door or he would find er on the street, coming to meet him. He did not meet her, and she was not at the door of the cottage when he arrived. There was an ominous silence. With a dread he could not account for he lifted the latch and walked in. There was no one in his work room, and no sound came from the rear. En tering there he looked about him. There was little light and he could distinguish no one in the room. Presently his eyes became used to the darkness, and he distinguished a man sitting in a chair. Going to him, he saw on his head an iron helmet and in the helmet a white feather. Re moving the helmet, he recognized the pale face of his wife. Their child was clasped tightly in her arms. She was The coat of arms of the town of Selkirk show a woman seated on a tomb on which is placed the Scottish fion. The legend about this heraldic device is the story of Alexander and his wife Margaret Hume. It is historically true that when King James was about to invade England the town plerk of Selkirk, William Brydone, tried his best to aid his sovereign by persuading the Scotts to enlist in the royal cause. Among those was a ng, brave young man, a sho er, named Alexander Hume of Selkirk, who brought a hundred men to the royal standard. The rest may be legend, but why the woman in the Scotch coat of arms?

## COUNTY NEWS. Count the Times a Horse Rolls. To see a horse when out at pasture colling on the ground and endeavoring

PENOBSCOT.

A class of three went to Castine Monsight, but how many people have no-ticed that in doing this he observes an invariable rule? The rule is that day night and received R. A. chapter de grees. A. E. Varnum attended the grand neeting of the A. O. U. W. at Augusta always rolls over either at the first

-and more than three attempts are never made. In other words, if the ast week. B. E. Varnum, a student at Doe business college, Bangor, spent Sunday here with his parents. orse succeeds in rolling over at the first try, well and good-that satisfies

The little daughter of Pearl Leach and wife has been seriously ill of tonullitis, the past two weeks. All hope for a speedy he either rolls quite over at the third or gives it up. He never makes a

fourth. If horses are rolling on slop-Mrs. Ida Wardwell returned home Sating ground they usually roll uphill. This is more easy of explanation than the strange custom regulating the number of attempts. As to this no irday from Perkins hill, where she has been caring for Mrs. Lillian Littlefield, who is ill.

The Methodists and Baptists held union service at the Methodist church Sunday evening. There was a large at-tendance. The next union service will be at the Baptist church in four weeks.

each other in a string instead of abreast explain why a horse never The many friends of Mrs. J. B. Sellers will be pleased to learn that she is having a successful recovery from the recent operation performed at the Eastern Maine general hospital, Bangor, Friday. Miss Muriel Hutchins, who is attendiing chool at Castine, was brought to the hom of her grandmother, Mrs. Helen Grindle,

last Friday, suffering from tonsilitis. She had been ill at Castine two weeks. As soon as she is able she will be removed to her home in Bucksport. WOODLOCKE. Feb. 21.

#### BROOKSVILLE.

Della Cousins has been ill the past week. L. O. Fowler is cutting stone at South Brooksville.

Miss E. J. Walker returned from Boston Wednesday.

Hollis Staples, of Lamoine, is visiting his parents, J. E. Staples and wife.

There was no ice harvested at the Maine Lake Ice Co.'s plant this season. Gaton Osgood, of Bluehill, is boarding

at Miss Emma Gray's and working at the quarry. Walter Robertson and Jennie Littlefield.

of Bluehill, were guests of L. H. Billings and wife over Sunday.

The engagement of Ray C. Gray, of South Brooksville, and Miss Daisy Bow-

den, of this place, is announced. The postoffice has lately been moved from the upstairs rooms to the rooms down stairs, and remodeled, making it much more convenient. Feb. 21.

## HALL QUARRY.

A son was born to Irving Babbidge and wife Feb. 10.

A Valentine party was held at the chape Monday evening for the benefit of the pastor.

Mrs. Amanda Perkins is home from Southwest Harbor, where she has been calling on friends.

Henry Reed, wife and little daughter Bracie, of North Sullivan, were in town lew days last week calling on friends.

Friends of Edward Hillgrove have had a laugh at his expense this week. When he went to work he wore an under cost and a thick reefer. He came home in his shirtsleeves, with the thermometer below zero. When he started in to work, he

slipped his pipe in his pocket, took off both coats and laid them on the ledge. When he looked again his coats were all ablaze Feb. 21. BRIAR.

## SARGENTVILLE.

Etmer E. Cummings is in Portland o

PE-RU-NA SCORES Another Triumph in Canada. "A Relief to Breathe Freely Once

Dibertisements.

A CHOIR LEADER

Tells How Peruna Rid Him of An Catarrhal Troubles.

More." MR. G. W. MARTIN, Hartford, Ont., choir leader at St. Paul's

Episcopal church, writes: Peruns is a wonderful remedy for catarrhal troubles. "I have been troubled with catarrh

for a great many years, and always trying something for it, but was able only to secure temporary relief until I used Peruna.

"Only five bottles rid my system of all traces of catarrh, and I have not noticed the slightest trouble for several months.

"My head was stopped up, my breath offensive, and it is a relief to be able to breathe freely once more."

town, called here by the serious illness of their father, John A. Shaw.

Miss Viola M. Olson, who has been vis-iting Miss Mildred H. Noyes, left Tresday for Charleston, where she will spend a few days with Miss Joanna Simmons before returning to her home in Buzzard's Bay, Mass. Feb. 21.

#### WINTER HARBOR.

Miss Marcia Weston is ill of tonsilitis. Mrs. Annie Gerrish is critically ill of

Mrs. Eunice McKay, of Bar Harbor, is isiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Gerrish. Henry E. Frazier, who has been emloyed as fireman on a Boston steamer, is

About twenty-five Odd Fellows will attend the district convention at Ellsworth Friday. Grindstone lodge will work the initiatory degree.

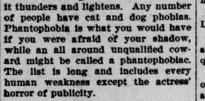
C. T. Hooper has moved his family here from South Gouldsboro, and is occupying the house of Harry Hooper during the latter's absence in Bo ston

Frank Goodwin cut his leg quite badly

Saturday while working on the Cline lot

for S. S. Scammon. The cut was just below

About twenty-five friends of J. Frankbusiness. lin Anthony and wife gave them an old-Mrs. Wyer Grant is visiting friends a fashioned surprise party at their home st Ashville Wednesday evening. An enjoy-Wiscasset. iting friends at South Penobscot. Capt. W. H. Parker, Dr. Small, F. S. Howard Dodge, of Bluehill, has been Young, Joseph L. Smallidge, Herbert visiting his uncle, Azor C. Dodge. Gerrish, B. E. Tracy and D. A. Morrison Mrs. Lucius Bridges, of Sedgwick, has attended the Foresters' convention at been the guest of Mrs. Charles K. Foster. Gouldsboro Thursday. E. Feb. 21. Benjamin C. Sargent and wife visited Mrs. Sargent's parents at Cape Rosier last EGYPT. Mrs. Lena Clark and daughter Gladys, of Franklin, were the guests of Mrs. George Butler last week.



A Useful Pest. Despite the fact that the spider, next

to the mouse, is most violently stimulating to feminine sensitiveness, it is an insect of a very good character. feeds exclusively upon other freshly killed insects, and they are the kinds denounced by sanitary authorities, the housefly being its favorite quarry. His service in reducing the numbers of this pest is considerable, because the spider is always busy, and he is present in countiess numbers, says Leslie's Weekly. The reason why he is not more frequently seen is that he is retiring in his habits and shuns human society quite as much as that shuns him. He seldom bites anything but food, and even when in self de-fense he does assert himself the result is no worse than a mosquito bite or a The touching story of "The bee sting. Spider and the Fly" was evidently in-tended to invite sympathy for the fly.

Buttered Side Up. One of the stories which Levi Hutchins, the old time clockmaker of Con-cord, N. H., delighted to tell related to

the youth of Daniel Webster. "One day," said the old man, "while was taking breakfast at the tavern kept by Daniel's father, Daniel and his brother Ezekiel, who were little boys brother Ezekiel, who were little boys with dirty faces and sharly hair, came to the table and saind me for bread and butter. I complied with their re-quest, little thinking that they would become very distinguished men. Dan-iel dropped his piece of bread on the

nized mental aliment. The tramp is in reality a sufferer from ergophobia, or fear of work, often complicated with aquaphobia and sapophobia, which make him shun the bathtub. Siderophobia and astrophobia cause timid ladies to go into the closet when

"Pardon this emotion, monsieur, but the good lady was so kind to us all. Every one of my men was devoted to ber. She converted nearly all the crew

He turned, cast a glance at the men in the boat, and they, too, showed a similar emotion.

"To keep my promise and to do what little I can to return the many kindses of this admirable woman I came far out of my way at great loss of time and money to leave her remains in your soil. I trust now that I have told my simple story you will not refuse me.

The chief stood listening respectfully, feelingly to the recital. Though a pompous man, he was a tender hearted one, and the story moved him.

"Do not think, monsieur," he said. "that the French are the only people to possess that consideration for their fellows which, I admit, they have to an extraordinary degree. Permit me thank you in the name of the United States government for your kindness to an American lady. Bid your men remove the body from the boat and I will myself conduct you to our little cemetery.'

He sent a messenger ahead to make the necessary arrangements, and when the coffin was brought ashore a procession of melancholy sailors, nearly all in tears, wended its way slowly toward the cemetery. Then after waiting a short while for the completion of the opening of the grave, the body was deposited, the sailors returned to the dock and after a profusion of thanks on the part of the polite French captain they pulled out to the vessel and soon after made sail.

At midnight a party visited the mis-sionary's grave, took out the coffin, and another procession proceeded in-iand to a desolate spot where few passed even by day. There they ruthly took off the cover and removed thousand dollars. This they placed in arate covers and, loading them on light wagon, drove off to market the text day the remains of the sailors' beloved missionary, they participating in the profits.

Why He Searched. The old man had evidently dropped something in the muddy road, and he began searching for it. In three minutes about thirty strangers had joined in the search, and every additional minute brought additional searchers. till at last one, bolder than the rest. plucked up heart and spoke: "What are you looking for?" he in-

quired.

"My friend." mumbled the old man, "I have dropped a piece of taffy can-

"But, great Scott," cried another of the crowd angrily, "why do you go looking for it when it will be covered with dirt?

cause, my inquisitive friend," replied the old man, "my false teeth are sticking to that taffy."

#### Strange Hiding Place.

False teeth are occasionally used for secretive purposes. An eccentric old lady boasts of a roof plate which consists of two thin sheets of gold between which a miniature copy of her will is inserted. In a similar manner a dyer preserves a prescription which he declares he would not disclose for a large sum.-London Mail.

#### Envious

"Just think of it!" said the student of immigration. "Many men who come to this country cannot write their own names."

"Yes," answered Mr. Pinchpenny, "and when I get down my check book on the first of the month I am inclined to envy them."-Washington Star.

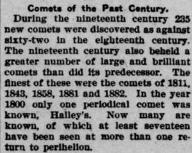
Fixing the Break. "They were both broken up by their

separation." "But I understand they've effected a reconciliation and are now re-paired." -St. Louis Star.

There is no teacher like necessity; it has been the making of man; it wakes up his dormant faculties and stimu-lates to action his latent talents.

sandy floor, and the buttered side, of course, was down. He looked at it a moment, then picked it up and showed it to me, saying:

"'What a pity! Please give me piece of bread buttered on both sides; then if I let it fall one of the buttered sides will be up.""



#### Alabama's Capitals.

When Alabama was a territory its capital was at St. Stephens, in Washington county. The convention that framed the constitution under which it was admitted into the Union was eld in Huntsville, where the first legislature met in October, 1819, and the first governor was inaugurated. Cahaba became the seat of government in 1820. In 1825 the capital was removed to Tuscaloosa, and in 1846 it was again removed, this time to Montgomery.

Didn't Want to See Much "What are you wearing that mono-cle for?" asked the theatrical manager. "You paid to see the show?" "Yes," replied the young man, "but" can see all I want of this show with the monocle."-Yonkers Statesman.

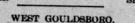
#### Caustic.

Sapleigh-The doctor says there's something the matter with my head. Sharp-You surely didn't pay a doctor to tell you that!-Boston Transcript.

How Good He Was George-Do you think I'm good mough for you, darling? Darling--No, George, but you're too good for any other girl.-Illustrated Bits.

Mrs. Inez Grindle, who has been vis-iting Mrs. Clara Bowden, has returned to South Penobscot.

Parker Hinckley, of Milton, Mass., in pending a few days with his parents, E. A. Hinckley and wife. Feb. 21.



Miss Eva Whalen spent the week-end with her parents in Steuben. Mrs. Emma Kingsley, who has been vis-

iting relatives in Bar Harbor, is home Fred K. Shaw, of Old Town, and Mrs. Fred K. Shaw, of Old Town, and Mrs. houses nearly filled. Elliott N. Benson, of Bar Harbor, are in Feb. 21.

the knee, and required five stitches. SIM. Feb. 21. WEST STONINGTON. Jesse Hamblen and daughter Iris are visiting in Boston. Maynard and Elmer Stinson are hauling ice for W. S. Thurlow. They have four

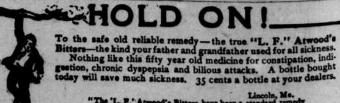
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