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Maine Central R. R. time-table.  
Nelson Sprague—In bankruptcy.  
Joseph W. Leighton—In bankruptcy.  
Sawwood's music dept.—Popular songs.  
Mary Ann Greely—Notice of foreclosure.  
Union Trust Co.—Notice of foreclosure.  
Sorrento Realty Co.—Special meeting.  
Harry C. Austin & Co.—Furniture and undertaking.

WASHINGTON, D. C.:  
James Knox Taylor—Sealed proposals.

### SCHEDULE OF MAILS AT ELLSWORTH POSTOFFICE. In effect Dec. 3, 1911.

**MAILS RECEIVED.**  
FROM WEST—7:13 a. m.; 4:14, 6:25 p. m.  
FROM EAST—11:06, 11:57 a. m.; 5:47, 10:52 p. m.  
**MAIL CLOSURES AT POSTOFFICE.**  
GOING WEST—10:30, 11:30 a. m.; 5:15, 9 p. m.  
GOING EAST—6:45 a. m.; 3:45, 8 p. m.  
Registered mail should be at postoffice half an hour before mail closes.  
No Sunday trains.  
Postoffice open on Sunday from 9 to 10 a. m.

Mrs. S. P. Jordan has gone to Eastbrook for an extended visit.

Lygonia lodge will work the third degree Thursday evening.

Mrs. Alice J. Murch has gone to Cranberry Isles to spend Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Richard Hawkes, who has been quite ill for several weeks, is improving.

Walter Smith, who has been employed on the steamer Pemaquid, is at home for a short visit.

George R. Lowell and wife have gone to Portland to spend the winter with Mr. Lowell's son Harry.

The first rehearsal of the Ellsworth festival chorus will be held at society hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 7.

G. Nixon Black and Mr. Pitman, of Boston, spent last Sunday at Woodlawn. They left on the evening train.

Mrs. F. G. Allinson, of Providence, R. I., is here to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Judge Emery and wife.

Mrs. John F. Whitcomb is home from the Bangor hospital, where she has been for some weeks, greatly improved in health.

Rev. R. B. Mathews was called to his former pastorate at Newcastle last Monday to officiate at a funeral. He is expected home to-night.

The timetable of the Maine Central, in effect Dec. 3, may be found elsewhere in this issue. From now on there is no Sunday train either way.

Irene chapter, O. E. S., will have a 6 o'clock supper Friday evening, followed by work and election of officers. A large attendance is desired.

The dance and supper of Senator Hale hose company will take place this evening at Odd Fellows hall. Monaghan's orchestra will furnish music.

At the banquet of Blanquefort commandery, K. T., last Monday evening, roast loin of venison was the piece de resistance: it was the gift of Sir Knight J. Sherman Douglass, of Lamoine.

Roy C. Haines, who attended the Harvard-Yale football game at Cambridge last Saturday, is home. On Sunday morning he entered a hospital to have a minor operation performed on his throat.

Miss Maud E. Bellamy left Saturday for Bangor, where she will remain until after Thanksgiving with friends. On Monday she attended the wedding and reception of Duncan McDonald at East Hampden.

To-morrow being a legal holiday, the banks will be closed for the day. The postoffice will be closed from 9 a. m. until after the distribution of the evening mail, and will close at 7 p. m. instead of 8 as usual.

Ex-Chief-Justice Emery was one of the speakers at the exercises commemorating the one-hundredth anniversary of the founding of the First parish Congregational church in Bangor last Monday evening.

H. E. Davis and wife returned Thursday from a visit in Boston and vicinity. Their daughter, Mrs. F. E. Gregory, of Brookline, Mass., with her infant daughter, accompanied them home for a visit until after Thanksgiving.

The union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock to-morrow evening. Rev. Edwin D. Kizer, pastor of the Methodist church, will deliver the sermon. Pastors of the other churches will assist in the services.

Chief Quartermaster M. E. Thibodaux, of the U. S. S. Trippe, is spending a twelve-day furlough with Mrs. Thibodaux before leaving for South American ports. Mrs. Thibodaux will spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. Carrie O'Connell.

The treasury department for the third time is asking for bids for the building of the extension of the custom house and postoffice building in Ellsworth. Bids under the two previous calls were beyond the amount available, and were rejected. Bidders have until Jan. 8 to put in their proposals.

A large number of Ellsworth Rebekahs went to Bar Harbor last Thursday night, where they were delightfully entertained by Union Rebekah lodge. The Ellsworth team worked the degree. The Ellsworth Rebekahs returned home Friday noon, singing the praises of Bar Harbor hospitality, while from Bar Harbor came many compliments of the Ellsworth team's degree work.

The second men's banquet at the Methodist church vestry was served last Wednesday evening. About twenty were in attendance. After the supper, which was served by Mrs. Kizer, Mrs. Haskell and Mrs. Pomroy, Dr. Kizer introduced Roy C. Haines as toastmaster. Rev. Royal

W. Brown, of Southwest Harbor, was introduced, and gave an interesting and scholarly talk on some modern views of the bible. Another banquet was announced for Dec. 20.

Miss Lilla Clark, who has spent the past year with her cousin, Miss J. A. Thompson, in Ellsworth, left Sunday for Boston, whence she sailed yesterday for her home in Brunswick, Ga. During her visit here Miss Clark has made many friends, by whom she will be greatly missed. Miss Thompson accompanied her to Boston, where she will remain a few days on business.

A novel event in fraternal circles in Ellsworth will take place January 24, when a member of Nokomis Rebekah lodge, and probably one or two candidates from Bar Harbor, will be decorated with the degree of Chivalry. This will be the first time this decoration has ever been conferred in Ellsworth. The impressive exercises accompanying it will be by Canton Bangor, in full uniform. A delegation of about forty is expected from Bangor, and will be given a reception and banquet at Odd Fellows hall on arrival. The exercises will be public, an admission fee being charged. A dance will follow.

Vernon Raymond, formerly of Ellsworth, son of the late William Raymond, died last Wednesday, of diphtheria, aged twenty-two years. Mr. Raymond was born in Ellsworth, and lived here until a few years ago. He was employed in a shoe factory at Rochester, N. H. The funeral was held there Friday, the remains being brought here for interment. He leaves a mother, who is now living in Rochester; five brothers—Frank and William, of Rochester; Ralph, of Springvale, Me.; Guy and Wallace, of Ellsworth, and two sisters—Mrs. Goldie Spillane, of Portsmouth, and Miss Blanche Raymond, of Rochester. The family have the sympathy of Ellsworth friends. Guy and Wallace Raymond went to Rochester to attend the funeral.

### Former Trenton Man Killed.

**EAST LAMOINE, Nov. 27 (special)**—Nelson L. Young died Thursday, Nov. 16, at Everett, Wash., from injuries received by a fall from an electric light pole. Mr. Young was doing some work on the wires when it is supposed he received a slight electric shock which caused him to fall. He died a few hours later of internal injuries.

Mr. Young was superintendent of several electric plants, and while his duties did not require him to do any linework; where there was any danger, he would frequently go himself instead of sending one of his men.

Before going to Everett, about three years ago, he was superintendent of the electric light plant at Quincy Point, Mass., and later at Millinocket.

Mr. Young was the son of Melita and the late Wilson Young, of Trenton. He married Miss Myra Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dyer Young, of Lamoine. He was a very bright, energetic young man, and of excellent morals.

He is survived by a wife, three small children, a mother, two brothers—David and Alfred, all of Everett; and three sisters—Mrs. Julia Googins, of Everett, Mrs. Etta Dyer and Dr. Angie Young, of Massachusetts.

### Another Moose Trap.

Another death trap for moose, similar to that at Casebottle heath, in the town of Waltham, has been discovered in Trenton woods. This is a slough-hole in a meadow or heath on the Joseph Smith homestead lot, about three-quarters of a mile from the Trenton road.

Two years ago, during the moose-hunting season, Henry Smith discovered a bull moose caught in this hole, which was making ineffectual efforts to get out. He shot the moose, and found it necessary to cut up the carcass to get it out of the hole.

A few days ago Mr. Smith, hunting in the same vicinity, discovered the bodies of two moose which had some time within the past two years got caught and perished in the hole. He notified L. F. Giles, who wrote the fish and game department, which notified Game-Warden Shea to have the hole covered so that no more moose would be caught in it. This will be done this winter, probably by laying logs across the hole which is long and narrow.

At Casebottle heath the hole was closed up by felling several trees so that their tops fell across the hole.

### ELLSWORTH FALLS.

Frank S. Holmes, of Belfast, was here Tuesday calling on friends.

W. H. Brown, with a crew of carpenters, is making repairs on the mill of C. J. Trowery.

Mrs. Abbie Jellison and children, who are home from Boston, are visiting here this week, guests of H. E. Flood and wife.

Judson Fox and wife and Mrs. Lucretia Fox, who have been at Bar Harbor through the summer, have moved home for the winter.

Miss Mildred A. Trowery returned to the E. M. general hospital at Bangor Monday evening, after spending several days at home here.

Daniel E. Loweree and children left Tuesday noon for Roslindale, Mass., to join Mrs. Loweree who went there two weeks ago. They expect to make their home there.

The ladies' sewing circle will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. B. S. Jellison. It is desired that a goodly number be in attendance, as plans are to be discussed pertaining to the annual Christmas sale.

No less than \$12,000,000 is now paid annually by the American government for the traveling expenses of its officials in the several branches.

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### FOUR DROWNED.

TRAGEDY AT GREEN LAKE WILL NEVER BE EXPLAINED.

SHERIFF WEBSTER, DEPUTY SHERIFF FINN, JOSEPH CLOUGH AND ARTHUR COLSON THE VICTIMS.

Sheriff John E. Webster, Deputy Sheriff Edwin T. Finn, Joseph D. Clough and Arthur E. Colson, all of Ellsworth, were drowned last Wednesday in lower Green lake. The exact circumstances of the tragedy will never be known. There were no eye-witnesses. The most plausible theory, and that generally accepted, is that the officers in one boat were upset, the other two men attempted a rescue and shared the fate of the sheriff and his deputy.

The people of Ellsworth were stunned by the tragedy, though the full extent of it dawned upon them gradually. The fact that Sheriff Webster and Deputy Sheriff Finn were missing was not generally known until Thursday afternoon. They left Ellsworth for Camp Comfort, lower Green lake, Wednesday forenoon between 8 and 9 o'clock, intending to return the same afternoon. Mrs. Webster, who returned Wednesday afternoon from a visit of several weeks in Massachusetts, gave the alarm early Thursday morning, and a quiet search was instituted for the men.

As further facts became known, alarm increased. The theory that the men were lost in the woods was scouted as absurd, Deputy Sheriff Finn being an experienced woodsman and familiar with that particular section. A visit to Camp Comfort, where Clough and Colson had been stopping, disclosed the fact that these men also were missing, that the camp apparently had been hurriedly left, and there were no boats on the shore. The theory that the officers had met with foul play was quickly abandoned.

By nightfall Thursday it was generally believed that all four men had been drowned, and the finding of Deputy Sheriff Finn's body, Clough's hat and an overturned boat Friday morning brought full realization of the tragedy.

### FACTS AS KNOWN.

During the week preceding the accident, Sheriff Webster received word from John Thornton, of Bangor, that his camp on the railroad shore of upper Green lake had been broken into, and some bedding and other articles stolen. Sheriff Webster met Mr. Thornton at Green lake Friday, and visited the camp. It was there suggested that Clough and Colson, who were occupying the old Camp Comfort on the lower lake while cutting hoop-poles, might know something about it, or give some information, and the sheriff decided upon a visit to Camp Comfort.

It was originally planned to go with Harry W. Haynes to Uneeda Rest, camp on the western shore of the lake, and go by boat from there to Camp Comfort. Wednesday morning, the day set for the trip, Mr. Haynes advised against going by way of Uneeda Rest, telling the officers the wind was so high it would be impossible to cross the lake in a small boat.

Thereupon the officers decided to go by way of the wood-road around the head of Northeast cove, and Mr. Haynes did not accompany them. Sheriff Webster and Deputy Sheriff Finn drove to Simon Garland's place at Lakewood, where they left their horse and took the road through the woods. They had their guns with them, as their trip took them through a good game region. They left the Garland place about 10 o'clock. That was the last seen of them alive by anyone except Clough and Colson. They expected to return to Ellsworth before dark.

Early Thursday morning Mrs. Webster notified Mr. Haynes that the officers had not returned and Mr. Haynes and Harvard C. Jordan drove to Lakewood to make inquiries. At this time they felt no serious alarm, believing the officers had been detained or had extended their hunting trip.

Not until they reached Camp Comfort did the matter assume a really serious aspect. Here they found the camp deserted, but evidently as if left hurriedly and with the intention of an early return. In the

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**Verona Man Missing.**  
Horatio Gross, of Verona, aged sixty-eight, has been missing since Monday morning of last week, when he left his home to go to Bucksport. He was a man of good habits, and highly esteemed.

On the theory that he may have fallen from the Verona bridge, the river was dragged, but without success. The woods and surrounding country have been scoured, but no trace of the missing man has been found.

### COMING EVENTS.

**ELLSWORTH.**  
Wednesday evening, Nov. 29, at Odd Fellows hall—Dance and supper by Senator Hale hose company. Tickets, 50 cents; ladies free; supper, 50 cents a couple.

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**PRIMARY ELECTIONS.**

**HOW NEW NOMINATING SYSTEM WILL WORK.**

**CHIEF POINTS OF THE NEW ELECTION LAW TOLD AS SIMPLY AS POSSIBLE.**

[From the Lewiston Journal.]

**CHIEF POINTS OF PRIMARY ELECTION LAW.**

(1) Applies to all State and county offices, State senators, members of legislatures, congressmen and U. S. senators—not to municipal or town offices.

(2) Political conventions merely, adopt platforms and elect party committees.

(3) Previous to the first Monday in May all candidates for nomination must file nomination papers with the secretary of state containing requisite number of signatures.

(4) Primary elections of all political parties are to be held at same time in each town and city; opening at 12 noon on the third Monday in June in year of State elections.

(5) To vote, a man must give name, residence, party affiliation, place of enrollment. He then gets his party ballot, each party having different-colored ballot. He votes by putting an X opposite each name he desires to vote for, or by writing in names of others.

(6) Votes are counted and declared in the usual way.

We have been requested to explain in a few words as possible the working of the new direct primary election law of Maine. The law in full fills five columns of the Journal's smallest type. We confine ourselves, therefore, to giving simply the principal requirements of the law from the voter's standpoint.

First. It applies to the nomination of candidates for United States senators, members of Congress, governor, State auditor, sheriffs, county treasurers, clerks of courts, registers of probate, county attorneys, county commissioners, and all other county officers for which we vote directly in September. It does not apply to mayors, aldermen, councilmen, or any other municipal or town office.

Second. Some time after March 17 and on or before April 18, 1912, each political party in Maine must hold a State convention. (The law says that this convention shall be held not less than sixty nor more than ninety days before the third Monday in June of each year in which a State election is held.) These State conventions are called in the usual way, by the State committees of the respective parties. At the convention of the political party the sole business is to adopt the party platform, and elect a State committee, a district committee for each congressional district, and a county committee for each county.

Third. Having held this State convention as above indicated, the next thing is to get the nominations on the official ballots. All these nominations must be made on nomination papers signed in each instance by a certain number of voters. For instance, if a man is to be a candidate for governor, his nomination papers must be signed by not less than one per cent. nor more than two per cent. of the entire vote cast for governor in the last preceding State election. The same is true for United States senators.

In other words, the nomination papers for a candidate for governor would require from 1,420 to 2,840 signatures. If a man is to become a candidate for member of Congress, he must have his nominating papers signed by not less than one per cent. nor more than two per cent. of the gubernatorial vote in his congressional district, probably from 300 to 500 signatures. If a man wants to be nominated for State senator, he must have not less than one per cent. nor more than two per cent. of signatures of the total vote cast in his county for governor.

The same is true for the man who wants to be a candidate for sheriff, or other county office. He must secure as signatures to his nomination papers not less in number than one per cent. nor more than two per cent. of the votes for governor in the county at the last preceding State election. No nomination papers shall be signed before the first day of January in the year in which the primary election is to be held. No voter may sign more than one nomination paper for each office. Any person signing a nomination paper must belong to the political party of the candidate. There are other minor restrictions regarding the signing of these papers.

Fourth. These nomination papers are to be sent to the secretary of state, on or before the first Monday of May of said year. With such nomination papers must be filed the consent of the candidate in writing, and his promise if nominated at the primary election not to withdraw, and if elected that he will qualify and serve.

Fifth. The secretary of state is required to print the ballots for the primary election, placing on them the names and residences of the candidates according to their political parties who have received the requisite number of signatures, and in the order in which they are voted on in the regular September election. The ballot is to be printed so as to give each voter a chance to make an X in the square to the right of the name of the person for whom he wishes to vote. There is also to be blank space for the writing in of names of persons not on the ballot. There are many other minor specifications regarding the ballot which are not material to this article. The secretary of state is also required to furnish

the town clerks at least fourteen days previous to the primary election, a list of all the nominees and to publish the same in the newspapers.

Sixth. We have now gotten the voter through the party convention and through the preliminary canvass, the nominations being made, and the next thing in order is, therefore, the calling of the primary election itself, to vote upon the nominations of these various nominees. This primary election is to be held on the third Monday in June. This date is fixed by law in each year in which a State election occurs. The warrants calling said primary election must be issued not less than seven days before this third Monday in June.

Under this warrant the primary elections are held in all places in the State, by all political parties at the same time.

The polls open at 12 o'clock noon, and continue open until 9 o'clock in the afternoon, except in towns of 3,000 inhabitants or less, when the polls may close at 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

Voters not enrolled as members of a political party will not be permitted to vote, but such voters may enroll themselves at the polling places in such party as they desire, by taking oath.

The term political party is declared to mean such parties as at the gubernatorial election next preceding, polled a vote of at least one per cent. of the entire vote cast in the State for governor; in Maine this would mean about 1,420 votes.

No person shall vote unless a legally qualified voter, exactly as is required under the laws governing other elections.

A person who desires to vote in a primary election must give his name, residence, party affiliation, and place of last enrollment. He is then given a ballot of his party. Each party has a ballot of a different color. In 1912, the democratic ballot will be white; the republican ballot yellow; and the socialist ballot blue, these being the only three parties now by size of vote entitled to be designated as such, although any party may get back on the official ballot by means of the provisions of chapter 8, section 4, of the revised statutes, which is especially retained in force by the terms of the new law. This section provides that nominations of candidates for any offices to be elected by the people at large may be made by nomination papers signed by not less than 1,000 qualified voters of the State, and in other cases such as congressmen, county officials, etc., by one per cent. of the voters at the next previous election. This provides for the admission of new political parties and the return of old political parties to the official ballots in both primaries and State elections.

On the official ballot given to the republican, for instance, the voter will find the names of all the nominees of his party. He puts an "X" against the name of each for whom he wishes to vote. There are blank spaces in which he can write the names of persons whom he prefers to those on the ticket, he deposits his ballot, and this is practically all there is to the primary election. The ballots are counted in the usual way; the aldermen and selectmen are required to tabulate the votes, and the returns are made with the secretary of state, who declares who are nominees under the primary election law.

The secretary of state is obliged to register the results, and for the State election in September he must issue the ballots as he does now.

Seventh. In addition to this primary election law there is a corrupt practices law which is made a part of it, which makes it a crime for candidates to spend sums of money in excess of certain prescribed amounts for their nominations or elections, and requiring sworn itemized returns thereon to the secretary of state.

**Manners.**

We are familiar with the story of an accomplished host who drank out of his finger-bowl to save an unsophisticated guest from embarrassment. This is offset by the social kindness and tact of a certain physician, famous alike for courtesy and skill.

A countryman, coming early one morning for the doctor, was kept for breakfast. At the table the countryman poured his hot coffee into his saucer, and set his cup on the immaculate damask beside it. Then he looked around the large table only to perceive that he alone had done this. But before the flush could fairly show in his face, the doctor had likewise poured his coffee into his saucer, and set the cup beside it, to the evident great relief of his guest.

There is a saying in the Talmud that he who causes another to blush is as if he shed that other's blood; and so conversely he who spares or shields another's blush saves some wounding of the spirit. For good manners really call for much chivalry, much heroic self-control and living for the moment in the experience of another. For so soon as we go below the surface, we find that manners are one with morals, since the tap-root of both is the same.

That famous order of Grant's by which Lee was spared the soldier's pain of surrendering his sword, is a happy instance of the "best" manners, since it combines chivalry and magnanimity alike, a full appreciation of the situation, with a fine consideration for another's feelings.

A German, who came to America to master our language, was being shown behind the scenes of a vaudeville theatre by one of his American friends. "That man," said the American, indicating an actor with a wave of his hand, "is taking off his make-up to make up for another take off." The German departed sputtering.

**ONE OF THOSE TUNNEL KISSES**

By J. BERRY CRAPE

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There is a woman whom I bitterly hate. She is both young and pretty, and yet I hate her. Why so? I will tell you.

I was traveling with my friend Bob Caruthers—both of us bank clerks—going on our minute vacation of one-twenty-fourth of the year. We were on the train to Cheltenham Beach and both feeling pretty good. We were young, and youth is not overwise. We talked too much, and we talked too loud. In other words, we were fresh.

There was a party of four in the two seats next in front of us, one back being turned to face the other. It consisted of a young woman, two children and a negro nurse. The children, two little boys, were doing pretty much as they pleased, sometimes insisting on riding forward, at other times backward. This kept the lady changing her seat. When she rode backward she faced us, when forward she sat with her back to us, but in the next seat in front.

While she was facing us I made a discovery. I learned to my satisfaction that she would flirt. There are different grades of flirtation, from the little miss who passes her handkerchief over her lips to the lady who simply darts her eyes about, flashing them at rare intervals, and but instantaneously, on the fellow she flirts with. This was the kind of flirt the girl was who sat in front of us. That she was not married was evident from the fact that the nurse called her "Miss." The children called her "Aunt Carrie."

After a considerable play of eyes I made up my mind that Aunt Carrie was full of Old Nick. I began to talk to Bob about her, expatiating upon her beauty, naming different features—her eyes, her nose, her chin—any one of which would make a model for an artist. As for her lips, I pronounced them the most kissable I had ever seen. All this I said quite loud enough for her to hear, at the same time pretending to talk in a low tone.

Then Bob put an idea into my head. "Why don't you kiss her?" he remarked.

"Kiss her? Do you suppose I would profane those sacred lips without permission?"

"You might steal a kiss."

"Would that I dared and found an opportunity!"

"The opportunity will present itself shortly. There's a tunnel on this road."

"Don't tempt me."

"Faint heart never won fair lady."

We kept up this conversation, intentionally speaking loud enough for the young lady to hear what we said. I dwelt on the delight there was in a stolen kiss and the inexpressible bliss I would derive from pressing my lips to those of the girl in question. Bob told me all about the tunnel; said we were approaching it and dared me to take the kiss while we were in it, adding that since it was not a long tunnel and the only one on the road the lamps were not lighted in passing through it. Presently he said:

"This is Markham Station we're passing. We'll reach the tunnel in five minutes."

Notwithstanding that the young lady must have heard the most of what we said she resolutely kept the seat next in front of us. I argued that if she didn't wish to be kissed she would take the other seat, where I could not reach her. Indeed, I construed her remaining where she was for a direct challenge.

Suddenly the train shot into the tunnel, and within ten or a dozen seconds the car was black as midnight.

"Now's your chance," cried Bob.

"I dare not."

Nevertheless I half rose from my seat and threw my arms about the neck of the woman sitting in front of me. I expected a box on the ear, but instead two arms were thrown about my neck and a pair of lips glued to mine.

Scarcely had we embraced when the darkness began to disappear. I attempted to unwind the arms from around my neck, but they refused to be unwound. It grew lighter, and in a few seconds more the train shot out into broad day.

Great heavens! I was held tight by the negro nurse.

I can yet hear the burst of laughter that came from the passengers. I can see the eyes of Aunt Carrie dancing a jig. I can see the horrible face of the black wench as she released me of her own accord and heard the horrible yah-yah! And I still feel in my heart the shame, the mortification of having been made a spectacle before a car full of passengers.

Bob—the villain—lay back in his seat and roared. I struggled between a desire to throw him out and punch his head where he sat. As for the girl, my admiration was turned to gall. I longed, and long today when I think of her trick in changing seats with the negress, that we might be back two or three centuries and I might accuse her of witchcraft, to see her burned at the stake.

P. S.—Since writing the above I have met the young lady who played me the shabby trick and have been introduced to her. She recognized me at once as the man she had punished and was so repentant that I determined to forgive her. In fact, the result of my second meeting with her is an engagement.

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A quarter of a box of gelatine soaked in a quarter of a cupful of water. Two squares of unsweetened chocolate, three-quarters of a cupful of sugar, four tablespoonfuls of boiling water; stir the sugar, chocolate and boiling water over a slow fire until smooth, then add three-quarters of a cupful more of boiling water and boil steadily for five minutes. Add the gelatine and stir until dissolved. Strain and set away to cool.

When cold add four tablespoonfuls of grape juice and one teaspoonful of vanilla. When this mixture begins to thicken add the whites of three eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Fold the whites in thoroughly and add. Serve with a custard sauce. This dessert is most attractive when molded in a ring, or ro and mold, and the centre filled with the custard. It should be very spongy and light.

**Charlotte Russe.**

Soak one-quarter package of gelatine in four tablespoonfuls of cold water. Whip one cupful of thick sweet cream to a solid froth. To the gelatine add a scant half cupful of powdered sugar, stand in a pan of hot water, stir until dissolved. Add one teaspoonful of vanilla and two tablespoonfuls of grape-juice. Cool and when beginning to thicken mix carefully with the whipped cream. Turn into molds lined with sheet sponge cake or split lady fingers.

**Pauper Notice.**

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

M. J. DRUMMEY

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It lies within the power of every mother to save her children suffering. The little ills so often looked upon as necessary evils in child life may be almost wholly avoided. Instead of being languid, pale, underdeveloped and unhealthy, children may be robust—sound as little nuts from top to toe, with cool nerves, strong stomachs and hard muscles. Mothers! This is true, and it lies within your power to bring it about.



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STATE OF MAINE.



By the Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

In accordance with a good and ancient custom, originating with our New England ancestors, and hallowed by joyful rites and observance for more than two hundred and eighty years...

The sincere sympathy of the community goes out to Clerk-of-Courts John E. Bunker in the death of his estimable wife.

The distressing drowning accident at Green lake, the story of which is told in our news columns, has cast a gloom over the entire county...

River and Harbor Estimates. Estimates for continuing the work of river and harbor improvement throughout the country, made public last Wednesday...

Mrs. John E. Bunker Dead. Caroline, wife of Clerk-of-Courts John E. Bunker, of Bar Harbor, died Friday at the home of her sister in Worcester, Mass.

A New Jersey inventor has covered a aeroplane with a canopy in the belief that it will act both as a plane and as a parachute should the machine fall.

DEARY IN NEW YORK.

He "Hands out a Few" to Some of Maine Now Gothamites. A banquet of the Maine society of New York was given at the Hotel Martiniere last Thursday evening, Nov. 23.

Ex-Congressman Charles E. Littlefield, president of the society, presided. Brief addresses were made by J. C. Hamlin, of Portland, Woodbury Blair, former private secretary of the late Senator Frye, and by Hon. L. B. Deasy, of Bar Harbor.

Wood, of Hancock county, Maine, and he naturally refused to leave his post. "When a Maine man gets a government job no bloodthirsty Gago, no unspcakable Turk can drive him out of it."

Sloop Bertha B. Raised. The sloop Bertha B., in which Lee Libby left Winter Harbor before the gale of Nov. 12 for Machias, has been raised in Flint Island passage, where she was lost.

Orland State Road. The special commission has granted the change of location in the State road asked for by residents of the town of Orland.

Bangor Schooner Lost. The Bangor schooner Hannah F. Carleton, bound from Port Reading for Castine, with coal, foundered Friday night one mile and a half northwest of the Handkerchief Shoal lightship.

DOLLARDTOWN. Miss Grace Carter is spending her school vacation with her grandfather, Asa S. Barron. Miss Julia H. Barron came home Saturday from West Tremont, where she has been teaching, accompanied by one of the other teachers, who spent Sunday at her home.

CRANBERRY ISLES. Daniel K. Stanley is very ill. Mrs. E. D. Lurvey is visiting relatives at Islesford. Sawtelle Teal, of Long Island, is visiting friends here.

ISLES/ORD. Miss Bertha Trytes, of Bar Harbor, is the guest of Mrs. Clarence Spurling. Mrs. Ezra Lurvey has been visiting her brothers and sisters here, returning to her home last Sunday.

Advertisements. Don't You Remember? Who Are You With To-night? All Aboard for Blanket Bay All Alone Alexander's Ragtime Band Silver Threads Among The Gold

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I am a globe trotter. I have visited every country on the earth, but I have had only one adventure worth telling.

When we reached the temple we found that the way we were to be taken care of was this: A darning and wily brigand named Giovanni Tarantola had sent the police word that any party going to the temple of Ceres would be robbed.

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Generous Offers by Power Company and Owners of Factory Building. The proposition for the location here of a knitting mill for the manufacture of underwear is assuming definite form.

This price for power is extremely low, that for the first year being merely nominal, and as evidence of the kindly disposition of the power company toward the location of industries in Ellsworth, it is extremely gratifying.

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Wanted. BOYS AND GIRLS—Earn you Christmas money selling our goods, cash or premiums. Write to L. EMERY SUPPLY CO., Box 114, Quincey, Mass.

Spirit Notes. SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS. NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of the Sorrento Realty Company at the office of Hais & Hamlin, Main street, Ellsworth, Maine, on Tuesday, Dec. 6, a. d. 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon...

Legal Notices. NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. WHEREAS James E. Phillips, of Dayton, in the State of Ohio, by his mortgage deed dated the twenty-second day of November, a. d. 1909 and recorded in Hancock registry of deeds, more or less, conveyed to David M. McFarland, of Hancock, Hancock County, Maine, a certain lot or parcel of land...

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COUNTY NEWS.

WEST HANCOCK.

Fred Milliken spent Sunday at Bar Harbor. Miss Vera Johnson is very ill of tonsillitis. School will reopen Dec. 6; Mrs. Peaselee, teacher. Mrs. Emogene Peaselee is visiting relatives in Sedgwick. Pearl Heath, of Portland, was in town last week calling on friends. Miss Marcia Milliken, who has been very ill of tonsillitis, is much better. James Foster and wife, of Bar Harbor, were recent guests of Henry Milliken and wife. Chester Norris and wife, of Nicolin, were recent guests of E. H. Butterfield and wife. Sherman and Irving McFarland, who are employed in Bangor, spent Sunday at home. Irving Peaselee, who has been employed at Northeast Harbor the past five months, is home. Mrs. Margaret Milliken is spending a few weeks in Bar Harbor with J. M. Milliken and wife. W. K. Springer, who fell from a staging about two weeks ago, is better, but not able as yet to attend to his work. Clifford Tinker and wife, of Northeast Harbor, are guests of Mrs. Tinker's father, Jesse Brown. Mrs. Brown is visiting friends at Springfield. Nov. 27. SUMAC.

NORTH LAMOINE.

A. E. Sargy at has moved into the Seba Young house on the Ellsworth road. The Christie brothers, of Bar Harbor, have moved into their home on the Cove road. Mrs. Cora Sargent and family have returned from Ellsworth to their former home. Lester Young is expected home from Coburn Wednesday for the Thanksgiving recess. School closed Thursday, after a successful term taught by Miss Eunice Coggins.

Advertisements.

This Is Certain.

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What could furnish stronger evidence of the efficiency of any remedy than the test of time? Thousands of people testify that Doan's Kidney Pills cure permanently. Grateful endorsements should prove undoubtedly the merits of this remedy. Years ago people right in this locality testified to the relief they had derived from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. They now confirm their testimonials. They say that time has completed the test. Mrs. John L. Smith, Waltham Road, Ellsworth Falls, Me., says: "I had trouble from my kidneys for a long time. There was a dull, heavy ache in my back and I was subject to dizzy spells. Reading, how effective Doan's Kidney Pills were in such cases, I procured a supply and began their use. They helped me right away, also correcting difficulty with the kidney secretions. This remedy can be depended upon to bring benefit." (Statement given July 6, 1908.)

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On August 5, 1911, when Mrs. Smith was interviewed, she said: "I still have unlimited faith in Doan's Kidney Pills and believe that there is no other kidney medicine on the market as effective as they. You can continue to publish my former endorsement of this preparation, and add that occasional use of Doan's Kidney Pills keeps me in good health." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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M-I-O-N-A Stomach Tablets are guaranteed by G. A. Parcher to end indigestion or any stomach distress, or money back. They relieve upset stomach in five minutes. M-I-O-N-A for belching of gas. M-I-O-N-A for distress after eating. M-I-O-N-A for foul breath. M-I-O-N-A for biliousness. M-I-O-N-A to wake up the liver. M-I-O-N-A for heartburn. M-I-O-N-A for sick headache. M-I-O-N-A for nervous dyspepsia. M-I-O-N-A for night sweats. M-I-O-N-A for sleeplessness. M-I-O-N-A for bad dreams. M-I-O-N-A for sea sickness. M-I-O-N-A after a banquet. M-I-O-N-A for vomiting of pregnancy. Makes rich, pure blood—puts ginger, vigor, vim, vitality into the whole body. Fifty cents a large box at G. A. Parcher's and druggists everywhere.

COUNTY NEWS.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

Misses Annie and Bessie Clark are home from their school teaching for the Thanksgiving holidays. Sincere regret is felt here over the recent death of Mrs. Nettie Lawton, of Tremont, and deep sympathy is felt for the bereaved family. Mrs. Venia Hodgkins, who has spent the past month at the home of her son, Lowell Hodgkins, whose wife has been ill, has returned to her home here. Christopher Lawler, a student at Maine Central Institute, Pittsfield, is at home for the vacation days, as are several other young people of Southwest Harbor. The Eastern Star chapter held a sale and entertainment at Masonic hall Tuesday of last week, and in spite of the rain which somewhat interfered with the program, the affair was successful. Hiram Robbins was taken seriously ill last week, and has been in a helpless condition since. His friends hope that, as he has recovered from many severe attacks, he will be about again soon. Quite a delegation from Rowena Rebekah lodge accepted the invitation of the Bar Harbor lodge last Thursday, and report a most enjoyable visit, fine weather, excellent degree work and hospitable entertainment. A pretty wedding took place Monday evening, Nov. 20, at the home of Smith Savage and wife, whose second daughter, Mildred, was married to Raymond Whitmore. Both are popular young people. Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore commenced house-keeping on the day after the wedding, and will be at home to their friends in the cottage recently occupied by Billy Murphy. Nov. 27. SPRAY.

SULLIVAN HARBOR.

Dr. R. A. Black is in Boston. Fred Black has moved his family to Bangor. Eugene Simpson left Monday for Cambridge, Mass. Mrs. George Noyes and son have returned to Presque Isle. The high school closes Wednesday for the remainder of the week. Mrs. Farrell has gone to Boston to spend the winter with her son Halph. Howard Gordon and wife, of West Sullivan, spent Sunday with Fred Clark. Mrs. Mary Kingsley, of West Gouldsboro, is a guest of Mrs. John Urann. Janet Clark will spend this week with her aunt, Mrs. McVicker, in Bar Harbor. Mrs. C. A. Moon has left town to spend the winter with her son Calvin in Stonington. Mrs. W. H. Russell and sons Lawrence and Carroll are spending a couple of weeks in Boston. Mrs. A. S. Cummings and grand-nephew, Fred Emery, are visiting relatives in Newton and Boston. Ruth Allen, of Farmington normal school, will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Oscar Aldrich in Phillips. All who are interested are cordially invited to attend the rehearsals of the Christmas music for the Sunday school concert. Miss Annie Clark is spending the Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Southwest Harbor. She will return to teach the winter term of school. Nov. 27. H.

WEST EDEN.

Mrs. Lillian Hamor spent last week at Bar Harbor with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Ingalls. Mrs. E. F. Burns has gone to Hull's Cove to keep house for Rev. S. H. Jobe for the winter. Miss Katherine Miland left last Monday for Bermuda, where she has employment during the winter. Frank Powers is at home and in poor health. His many friends hope he will regain his health speedily. Mrs. Nina Richardson, of Presque Isle, has been visiting her parents, M. G. Joy and wife, returning home last Saturday. Mrs. Joy, although an octogenarian and obliged to keep her bed the past three years, retains her faculties and general health to a wonderful degree, and can read the finest print without glasses. Miss Margaret Koch, the former field secretary of Maine C. E. society, was making farewell calls on her many friends here last week. Miss Koch is now visiting in Portland, and will then go to Spencer, Mass., to identify herself with the Bethel bible school. All wish her success in her new work. Nov. 27. M.

PROSPECT HARBOR.

W. F. Bruce and wife entertained a tea-party Friday evening. A. R. Joy returned Saturday from his hunting trip with two deer. Irving S. Ray and wife have gone to Jonesport for an indefinite period. The first fair which the ladies of the Methodist church have ever attempted was held Thursday afternoon and evening. They were favored by a fine day, and their friends were pleased at the success of their efforts. Tables were very attractive with their display of articles for sale. The fancy work table was in charge of Miss Susie Over, assisted by Miss Lulu Rice. A table containing dolls and toys was presided over by Miss Selma Noonan and Miss Leitha Temple. Mrs. John Hutch-

BUCKSPORT.

Willie P. Green, of Barnard plantation, who was pardoned from State prison recently by Gov. Pleasant, after serving three years of a twelve year term for breaking and entering and larceny and also for assault with intent to kill died at Bucksport Friday. Relatives took Green from the prison immediately after the granting of the pardon. His death resulted from tuberculosis. The remains were taken to his home at Barnard Saturday. A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulets (25 cents per box) correct the liver, tone the stomach, cure constipation—46c.

COUGHING AT NIGHT.

Means loss of sleep, which is bad for everyone. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound stops the cough at once, relieves the tickling and dries in the throat and banishes the inflamed membranes. Prevents a cold developing into bronchitis or pneumonia. Keep always in the house. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

COUNTY NEWS.

ings and Mrs. Irving Moore presided over the candy table. Mrs. J. S. Coombs and Mrs. Ann Stevens had the table of edibles, and Miss Gladys Hutchings had the apron table and practical bags. A chicken supper left nothing to be desired. The entertainment in the evening consisted of a drill, music and recitations. "A Labor Medley" was the hit of the evening. Mrs. Henry Hamilton, Mrs. Irving Whitaker, Miss Lydia Shaw and Miss Evelyn Waagatt had solos. The things left unsold were auctioned off by W. F. Bruce, whose good humor and pleasantness won cash easily, and everything was sold. Nov. 27. C.

TREMONT.

Mrs. Mildred A. Norwood spent Thursday with her son, C. H. Norwood. Hiram Dorr and wife, of Bucksport, called on friends here Sunday. Mrs. Dorr, who has spent the summer at McKinley, returned home with her husband for the winter. Mrs. Leslie J. Rich and son Everett left Monday for Rockland to visit friends. Her mother, Mrs. C. B. Stanley, who has been visiting her, went to her home at Mark Island light station. The postoffice, formerly kept by the late Maurice R. Rich, has been moved to the home of Eben B. Clark, where his sister, Mrs. Kate C. Pray, who has been appointed postmaster, has charge of it. The funeral of Nettie, wife of Fred W. Lawton, of McKinley, was held at the church here Tuesday afternoon. Rev. C. W. Robinson officiating. The bearers were Fred Rich, George Wallace, Everett Stanley and Frank Manchester. Many beautiful flowers bespoke the love of kind friends. Nov. 24. KIN.

PRETTY MARSH.

Friends of Benjamin Carter are glad to learn of his continued improvement. A school entertainment will be held at the schoolhouse Wednesday evening, Nov. 29. Harvey Freeman returned from his hunting trip Nov. 18 with his full quota of deer. He reports game as more plentiful than ever in northern Maine. R. L. Smith showed his skillfulness as a gunner when he shot three wild geese from one flock on Saturday. All three were large birds, one of them being above the average. T. J. Bowker, of Boston, is expected on a visit to his estate at High Head this week. When his improvements are all perfected, he will have one of the finest estates on Mt. Desert island. Nov. 27. G.

PARTRIDGE COVE.

Henry Bartlett killed a hog last week that weighed 450 pounds. A surprise party was given William Emery and wife Thursday evening. About thirty were present. Games were enjoyed and cake and coffee were served. All went home planning where the next shall be. School closed last week after a successful term of twelve weeks taught by Miss Ruby Gurney, of Ellsworth. Those not absent or tardy during the term were Effie McDonald and little Sylvia, six years old. Much regret is expressed that Miss Gurney will not teach the winter term. Nov. 27. HUBBARD.

MARIAVILLE.

Hollis Carter killed a fine buck deer last week. Wilbert Dunham, who was kicked by a horse last week, is improving. Walter Dunham and wife are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Daniel Young and wife, of Otis, were in town Sunday, visiting her father, Frank Frost. Mrs. Herman Jordan is in town for a few days helping care for her aged mother, who is in failing health. Iva Frost and Olive Rankins spent Saturday and Sunday in Waltham at the home of Herman Jordan and wife. Nov. 27. S.

SEAL COVE.

A lecture on North Dakota will be given at Bayside school house Saturday evening, Dec. 2, by Rev. O. D. Smith. A fine lecture, the first of the series, was given at the hall Thursday evening, Nov. 23, by Rev. S. H. Jobe. The subject, "Abraham Lincoln," was illustrated by five colored views, ably explained. An enjoyable feature of the evening was the music by Mr. Young, cornetist, accompanied by J. J. Heath on the organ. Nov. 27. N.

COBEA.

Leonard Campbell has moved into his new house. Schools closed Friday after a successful term of eleven weeks. Mrs. Walter Young was called to Belfast last week by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Clara Shaw, of pneumonia. Nov. 27. S.

ASHVILLE.

Mrs. George Robertson, of East Sullivan, is visiting her son, E. J. Robertson. Howard Martin and wife are going to keep house in the Charles Martin house. Harry Hammond, of West Gouldsboro, is employed on Seward's island, helping take up E. E. Hammond's weir. Nov. 27. PACHEE.

A MAIL CARRIER'S LOAD.

Seems heavier when he has a weak back and kidney trouble. Fred Duchene, Mail Carrier at Atchison, Kas., says: "I have been bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and had a severe pain across my back. Whenever I carried a heavy load of mail, my kidney trouble increased. Some time ago I started taking Foley Kidney Pills, and since taking them I have gotten entirely rid of all my kidney trouble and am as sound now as ever." For sale by all druggists.

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COUNTY NEWS.

BROOKLIN.

Charles Parker and family have gone to Boston for the winter. Roland Carter has moved his family back to West Brooklin. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wells, Monday, Nov. 20. Gleason Allen, of Boston, is visiting his parents, Henry Allen and wife. Mrs. J. J. Bridges and Miss Ada Herrick were in Rockland last week. Will Allen has moved his family into the up-stair rent at Mrs. Isaac Mayo's. Lee H. Powers, of Boston, with a party of friends, is spending a few days at his cottage. Lawrence Kane has been to Rockland to have an operation performed on his throat and nose. R. L. Smith and Capt. W. W. King attended the masonic convention at Castine Friday. The Farnsworth Packing Co.'s sardine factory closed last week for the season with the largest pack in its history. Mrs. Augusta Staples left Monday for Roxbury, Mass., where she will spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. R. K. Babson. Mrs. M. A. Flye went to Boston Monday to visit her son, Leonell, who is attending the Wentworth institute; also her sister, Mrs. Charles West.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

The school entertainment given by the graded and high schools at I. O. O. F. hall Monday evening, Nov. 20, was much enjoyed, all parts being well taken, showing much work by the teachers. The presentation of Hiawatha was especially pleasing, the children in their Indian attire making a pretty scene. Following is a list of the characters: Hiawatha, the boy.....Foster Blake Hiawatha.....Roy Blake Hiawatha.....Etta Bridges Hiawatha.....Bernice Staples The Arrow Maker.....Theodore Small Jagoo.....Howard Freethy Pan Pak Kewis.....Kendall Allen Chibiabos.....Harold Flirth Famine.....Ruth Allen Fever.....Ella Griffin Indian warriors, women and youths.....School This play was followed by "The Revue of a Bachelor", with the following cast of characters: Bachelor.....Payson Carter The Little Maid.....Maud Cousins The Rich Lady.....Eadith Kane Country Girl.....Ruth Roberts The Lady of the Period.....Laura Gray The Coquette.....Etta Bridges Ball Girl.....Dorothy Cole Nun.....Loisette Bridges Skating Girl.....Violet Wells Japanese.....Violet Tainter House Girl.....Alice Kane Sailor Girl.....Marjorie Kane Actress.....Ruth Kane Quaker.....Claribel Herrick Bride.....Vera Small Nov. 27. UNE FEMME.

M'KINLEY.

Steamer Boothbay calls here on her trips to and from Rockland. Wasson Tapley will spend Thanksgiving with his grandparents in Brooksville. Annie Gott left Wednesday for Portland, to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Turner. John Sprague and wife and Colon Sullivan and wife left Monday for their home in Millbridge. E. S. Kelley left Sunday for Eastport, where he is employed winters in Underwood's clam factory. Mrs. F. L. Manchester and her mother, Mrs. M. C. Trask, left Monday for Attleboro, Mass. Mrs. Trask will visit her daughter, Flavilla Hodgkins, this winter. Capt. John W. Kane, schooner Mildred May, of Bluehill, loaded with the remainder of P. W. Richardson & Son's fish this week. He will take them to Gloucester, Mass. Nov. 27. P. M.

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, It being the will and pleasure of the Supreme Grand Master, in His divine wisdom, to summon our beloved brother to a lodge in the "house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens"; Resolved, That by the death of Brother Maurice R. Rich, McKinley lodge, F. and A. M., mourns the loss of an esteemed member and a just and upright Mason; the family, a kind and loving husband and father; and the community a true and tried patriot. Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved widow and family our deepest sympathy in this great affliction. May they find comfort in the thought that he for whom they mourn, is not dead, but only gone before for a little time. Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, that these resolutions be spread upon our records, a copy sent to the bereaved widow and family, and a copy sent to THE ELLSWORTH AMERICAN for publication. T. S. TAPLEY, F. L. MANCHESTER, O. L. BRAGO, Committee.

WEST BROOKSVILLE.

Mrs. William Davis entertained the ladies' circle Thursday. Dr. Farrow attended the masonic convention at Castine Friday. Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Carrie Ellen Tapley and Arthur Cranston Perkins, at the home of the bride, Brooklin, N. Y. Miss Tapley is the daughter of Capt. Ira W. Tapley and granddaughter of Capt. Thomas Tapley and wife, of this place. She is well known in West Brookville, having passed her summers here since childhood. Mr. Perkins is a civil engineer, son of the late Capt. John King Perkins, a native of North Brookville, who moved to Brooklin in the early '80s. The steamer Rockland made her last trip to Bangor for the season Nov. 25. Tapley Bros. landed 5,000 bushels of herring from their weir in three tides last week. The grammar school, taught by Miss Ada Mills, has closed for a four weeks' vacation. Merrill Farrow is at home from the Maine Central Institute, Pittsfield, for the Thanksgiving recess. Small & Pearson, who have been here all the fall attending their weirs, leave for their home in Stonington this morning. Miss Laura H. Jones went to Boston with her brother, Fred D. Jones, of Belfast, last week, on a few days' business trip. Nov. 27. TOMSON.

SOUTH DEER ISLE.

Mrs. Leander Allen is very ill. Arthur, little son of Ralph Saunders and wife, is ill. Benjamin Tracy and wife came home Wednesday. Winifred Bye is visiting friends at North Deer Isle. Byron Tracy, who has been employed at North Jay, came home Monday. Anthony Bye and wife and Mrs. L. E. Stinson spent Monday in Rockland. Hezekiah Barber has been visiting friends in Rockland and Thomaston. Grace Dow, who has been teaching at Little Deer Isle, is spending her vacation here. Mrs. Harry Stanley was called home Monday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Richard W. Judkins. Mrs. Brainard Smith is having her household goods moved into Lyman Stinson's house, where she will live this winter. Nov. 24. H.

SWAN'S ISLAND.

D. J. Cole, Jr., was called to Boston as a witness in a salvage case. Mrs. Sophia Stanley celebrated her eighty-fifth birthday Nov. 15. Mrs. F. W. Kunt, of Rockland, was called here last week by the illness of her father, G. W. Smith. G. W. Smith had a slight shock last week, but he is improving, so it is hoped he will be out in a short time. Capt. Barbour will have a vacation of a month. Capt. Reuben Pray will take his place on the steamer Vinal Haven. Miss Maude Stanley has returned from the Rockland hospital, where she underwent an operation. Miss Stanley was accompanied home by a trained nurse, Miss Bertha Bird. Nov. 27. SPEC.

GOTT'S ISLAND.

School will close to-day, after a term of eleven weeks, taught by Miss Violet Gott, of Bernard. Capt. E. L. Gott arrived home from Ellsworth Tuesday in his sloop Daisy, with a load of corn and flour. He reports rough weather. There was quite a musical gathering at the home of M. V. Babbidge and wife Tuesday evening, and a pleasant evening was enjoyed. Mrs. Maggie Trask left Thursday for McKinley, where she will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Manchester, before going to Attleboro, Mass., to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Curtis H. Hodgkins. Nov. 24. CHIPS.

FRANKLIN ROAD.

J. W. McKay is at Hancock, doing mason work for Chester Stratton. Mrs. George P. Clark has closed her house here, and returned to her home in Newton, Mass. John A. McKay, who has had employment with Fred Milliken at West Hancock the past six months, is at home. The many friends here of Horace A. McFarland, of Brighton, Mass., are sorry to hear of his serious illness. He was taken last Wednesday to the Massachusetts general hospital, where he was successfully operated upon for appendicitis. His friends here receive encouraging reports from him daily, and all hope for his speedy recovery. Nov. 27. M.

CAPE ROZIER.

Sherman Gray is building an addition to his house. Alice Manson has gone to Bangor, where she has employment. Orville Veague and wife went to New York Thursday for the winter. William Clifford, a former resident of this place, now superintendent of the Barre Granite Co., Barre, Vt., visited friends here last week. The workmen are stripping their weirs at Cape Rozier, as the season is near its close. On the whole the business has been a failure, owing to the low price and scarcity of fish. Nov. 27. G.

A HOUSEHOLD MEDICINE.

That's Stomach and Cough Cures colds is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Mrs. Anna Palmer, 2029 Jefferson St., So. Omaha, Neb., says: "I can recommend Foley's Honey and Tar Compound as a sure cure for coughs and colds. It cured my daughter of a bad cold and my neighbor, Mrs. Beason, cured herself and her whole family with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Everyone in our neighborhood speaks highly of it." For sale by all druggists.

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do not sick or gripe, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most delicate woman or the youngest child. The old and feeble will also find them a most suitable remedy for aiding and strengthening their weakened digestion and regulating the bowels. For sale by all dealers.

My Friend The Colonel

Being a Story of a Return For a Trifling Favor

By F. A. MITCHEL

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Soon after the civil war while at work-I am instructor in the chemical laboratory in the G. college-a shabby though soldierly looking middle aged man approached me and asked if I were Professor Pingree.

"To accept anything more till I have paid for what I have received would crush me to the earth. No, sub; no more. It is now my part to transmit to you, not you to me."

THE SMUGGLER

By M. QUAD

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Aunt Jane Roe, wife of Uncle Joe Roe, farmer, was a conscientious woman. That was the chief reason why there were no screens at doors or windows to keep the flies out in summer.

COUNTY NEWS.

NORTH PENOBSCOT. Charles Grindle is recovering. Mrs. Raymond Hutchins has been quite ill of a bad throat trouble, but is some better.

Coughs and Colds. You could not please us better than to ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis.

Any good doctor will tell you that a medicine like Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cannot do its best work if the bowels are constipated.

Subscribe for THE AMERICAN. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankruptcy act.

Legal Notices.

Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge. In the matter of JOSEPH W. LEIGHTON, Bankrupt. To the Hon. Clarence Hale, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

Order of Notice Thereon. On this 25th day of November, a. d. 1911, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 5th day of January, a. d. 1912, before said court at Portland, in said district, in the forenoon.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. WHEREAS, Cadwell C. Gray, of Penobscot, Hancock county, State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated October 28, 1904, recorded in Hancock county registry of deeds, book 44, page 29, conveyed to Mary E. Warren, of Castine, said county and State, the following lots of land situated in Penobscot, and described by plan in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. WHEREAS, Cora B. Hanna, of Sullivan county, Hancock county, State of Maine, by her mortgage deed dated the first day of November, a. d. 1909, and recorded in Hancock county registry of deeds in book 456, page 481, assigned to me, Celia Alexander, of Castine, in said county and State, and said mortgage deed, and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken and still remains so, now therefore, I claim a foreclosure and give this notice for that purpose.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. WHEREAS, Andrew Ginn, of Orland, in the county of Hancock, and State of Maine, by his deed dated December 10, 1904, and duly recorded in registry of deeds for said county, book 417, page 196, conveyed to me, Celia A. Buck, his homestead on the Castine road in said Orland, Maine, No. 77 and 78 according to Jacob Sherburne's survey of said town in mortgage and in fee and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken and I claim a foreclosure and publish this notice for the purpose of such foreclosure.

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Legal Notices. To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named. A. E. probable court held at Ellsworth, in and for the county of Hancock, on the seventh day of November, a. d. 1911.

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**COUNTY NEWS.**

**DEER ISLE.**  
 Carl Knowlton gave a party to his young friends Friday evening.  
 Fred Beck and wife have been visiting friends in Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 Marine lodge, F. and A. M., worked the third degree on two candidates Tuesday.  
 Judge Spofford made a business trip to Boston this week, returning home Saturday.  
 Mrs. Emery W. Pickering left Thursday for a week's visit with friends in Bangor and vicinity.  
 About forty members of Marine lodge attended the district masonic convention at Castine Friday.  
 Miss Ethel King, assistant in the high school, is spending her vacation with relatives in Lewiston.  
 Capt. George Haskell, who has been sailing one of the Drexel yachts, is home, after an absence of a year.  
 Eldredge Cole, who is employed on a tug out of Rockland, is spending a few days with his parents, Daniel Cole and wife.  
 Miss Jessie Johnson, who has been employed at the Home for the Feeble-minded, came home Saturday for her vacation.  
**Nov. 27. REX.**

**DEDHAM.**  
 Everett Black and wife, of Bangor, are guests of J. T. Black and wife.  
 Gerald Thompson has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Easton.  
 G. W. Brewster has returned from Olanon, where he has been for some months.  
 Mrs. C. L. Burrill has gone to Wellington to visit her parents, Alphonso Davis and wife.  
 Wallace W. Heath is moving his family to Verona, where he is employed in Witham's mill.  
 Mrs. J. G. Wolvin and little grand daughter, Elsie Varnum, visited friends in Bangor last week.  
 Mrs. Ethel Fogg and Miss Marcia Burrill, students at Maine Central institute, are home for the Thanksgiving recess.  
**Nov. 27. B.**

**SEAL HARBOR.**  
 W. H. Whitmore, with his mother and sister, left Monday for the South, where they will spend the winter.  
 Annie M., wife of Samuel J. Dodge, died Thursday, Nov. 23, at the age of forty-five years. Mrs. Dodge had been in failing health three years, and for several months past her sufferings had been almost unbearable. Although friends were aware of the seriousness of her illness, she was hopeful of recovery until a short time before her death. Her fortitude and courage were remarkable.

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**COUNTY NEWS.**

**FRANKLIN.**  
 The district schools commenced the winter session Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Seibert left Wednesday for their home in Easton, Pa.  
 Mrs. Priscilla Dwellley is at the home of Mrs. Irene Gay for the winter.  
 It is a matter of much regret that Mrs. Eunice Blaisdell continues very ill.  
 Miss Eleanor Dyer came Friday from Wypotilock, where she has been teaching.  
 Boyd Blaisdell and wife are conveniently and pleasantly located at the Havey cottage.  
 Miss Geneva Bragdon has closed her school at Guilford, and is spending her vacation at home.  
 Mrs. Edward Bunker and young daughter, of Bangor, are at Arthur Bunker's for Thanksgiving week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Hurley, of Frankfort, are visiting their daughter, who is assistant teacher in the high school.  
 Mrs. E. F. Bartlett, of Eastbrook, was in town Monday. Her daughter, Miss Marion, and Miss Piper took the train for Ellsworth, where they will spend Thanksgiving with relatives.  
 Percy M. Hanson and bride arrived home Wednesday, and are occupying Eugene Bunker's cottage. Their friends gave them a cordial welcome to their new home, with the table laid for their first tea.

Announcements of the marriage of Elburn Leroy Eldridge and Miss Ruth Elizabeth Fairman, of Vernon, Vt., have been received here by the family and friends of Mr. Eldridge, who is one our enterprising young men. After a month of travel in the South, the newly-wedded couple will be at home to their friends in Shelburne Falls, Mass.  
**Nov. 27. B.**

**NORTH CASTINE.**  
 Fred Conner has recovered from a recent illness.  
 Frank Dunbar left to-day for Brockton, Mass., for the winter.  
 Mrs. Mary L. Leach is spending some time with Mrs. Clara West.  
 Rev. C. W. Lowell is holding evening meetings in the Perkins district.

The scallop fishermen are making good catches and getting good returns.  
 Miss Annie L. Dunbar is home from Penobscot for a two weeks' vacation.  
 Miss Annie B. Conner resumed her work in the Devereux district to-day.  
 Misses Eliza and Adele Westcott are home from an extended visit in Whitneyville.  
 Miss Ethel Hutchins, of Penobscot, begins the school in the Dunbar district to-day.  
 Warren Hooper, of Castine, has sold one of his farms here to his uncle, Frank Cooper.  
 Miss Annie B. Conner has returned from a visit with Mrs. Millard Clement at West Penobscot.

Mrs. Mary Wilson and daughter Abbie, of Orono, were recent guests of Miss Hattie Dunbar.  
 Stephen Marshall and wife, of Port Clyde, are visiting Mrs. Marshall's sister, Mrs. Alma Perkins.  
 Mrs. Algie Wardwell, of Penobscot, spent several days last week with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Wardwell.  
 District-Superintendent H. B. Haskell preached at the Dunbar schoolhouse Sunday forenoon and at Bethany chapel in the afternoon.  
**Nov. 27. L.**

**NORTHEAST HARBOR.**  
 Lyman Haskell is ill.  
 V. R. Smith and wife were in Boston last week.  
 David Branscomb and Ralph Hamor are on a hunting trip.  
 Misses Emily Whitmore and Dorothy Branscomb are in Bangor.  
 C. A. and A. K. McBride have returned from the wilds of Maine with three deer.  
 Prof. Charles Lord has moved into Dr. Richardson's house on Rock End avenue.  
 Mrs. Mae Rogers left Monday for Waltham, Mass., to spend Thanksgiving with her mother.  
 The monthly business meeting of the Baptist church will be held at the Union church Saturday evening.  
 Dr. Heze Richardson left Monday for Boston, where he will practice during the winter. He was accompanied by his family.  
 A few of the Boy Scouts spent Saturday on Brown's mountain at work upon their camp. Good progress was made. Another day of hard labor will see the sides of the camp erected. It is hoped that certain local scouts will get rid of "that tired feeling", and do their part in this work.  
**Nov. 28. V.**

**EAST LAMOINE.**  
 Harry McNider has gone to Boston to visit relatives.  
 George Young, who has been employed at Hull's Cove, is home.  
 Irving Young, who is employed in Bangor, was home a few days last week.  
 Otis Googins has gone to Cambridge, Mass., to spend the winter with his brother Eben.  
 Herbert Davis and wife, who have occupied a part of Capt. S. P. Cousins' house several years, have moved to his mother's house on the shore road.  
**Nov. 27. N.**

**AURORA.**  
 Fred Davis shot a deer last Friday.  
 Roy Treadwell, of Brewer, visited relatives here last week.  
 The sewing circle will meet with Mrs. William Crosby Friday.  
 Harold and Alison Jordan, of Bangor, are visiting their father, George Jordan.  
 Fay Mills, Lewis Crosby, Doris Mace and Alice Silaby, students at Maine Central institute, are home to spend their vacation.  
**Nov. 27. C.**

**WEST BROOKLIN.**  
 Roland Carter and family have moved home from Brooklin.  
 L. B. Bridges, who has been in the weir business at Seville, is at home.  
 Mrs. Parker Bridges is keeping house for her mother in the north part of the town.  
 Ahira Bridges, who has been employed on the steamer Boothbay, is at home for the winter.  
**Nov. 27. B.**

## A Telegraph Joke

*And How It Turned Out*

By **SCOTT KRAEMER**

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There is no more favorable opportunity for young people of opposite sex to poke fun at each other than over a telephone or telegraph wire. There is a fascination in operating from behind a shield rendering one invisible. A girl will delight to say things to a man who can't see her and doesn't know who she is. I was a telegraph operator when a young man, and I noticed this disposition in many a girl operator with whom I talked over the wire. I am a matter of fact sort of a fellow myself and doubt if it would ever have occurred to me to bamboozle a girl in this fashion had not the girl shown a disposition to bamboozle me.

She who first tried it was an operator at a station about twenty miles away from me. I was in the town of M., while the girl was out at G., a way station some twenty miles distant in the country. She had more time on her hands than I, and I suppose this is what set her on to quizzing me. She started in one night about 9 o'clock after having taken a message from me, beginning by asking me what was going on in town; how I liked M.; if there was any fun going on there and expressing her dislike at being compelled to live in a little way station like G. From this we fell to talking about ourselves and naturally, as persons of opposite sex at that age invariably do, finally drifted on to love and marriage. From love and marriage in general we dropped into specialties, at last narrowing the topic down to ourselves.

The girl led me along in the channel she laid out herself till I admitted that, marriage being a lottery, I would about as lief marry a girl I had no knowledge of as one I had met and loved. All I required was to know that the girl I was to marry possessed a fair amount of good looks. One thing led to another till it was arranged that she should mail me her photograph and I should send her mine. Then if we were mutually pleased we might proceed further toward forming an acquaintance with a view to matrimony.

The next day I looked over my stock of photographs—not of myself, but my friends—and, selecting one of Sam Atkins, the best looking fellow in the lot, I sent it to the girl. Sam was off at the Spanish-American war at the time, and I trusted to his getting shot or dying of disease so that I might not get into trouble by passing him off for myself. In return I received a picture of a rather pretty girl, who I judged from her features was full of the Old Nick, the very one to get up just such a complication as we were entering upon. On her lips was an engaging smile and in her eyes a very saucy look.

After that the wires began to warm up with our conversations, till at last they came to a white heat with love passages. When we had fired a lot of such missiles at each other we began to talk about meeting. At my proposal to go to see her she cooled down a bit, and it was easy to see that her exuberance was the result of fighting behind a masked battery. I made several propositions to go to see her on a certain day and hour, but for every time I set she gave some reason why it would be inconvenient or impossible for her to receive me. At last it occurred to me to go up and look her over without an appointment. Never having seen me, she wouldn't know me.

So one day, having secured a leave, I started to see my charmer. On arrival I walked up into the village and on the street met my girl, whom I recognized at once by her photograph. I followed her into several shops and finally to a yellow house that stood back from the street. She went into the house, and having waited half an hour for her to come out I concluded she lived there.

I knew a man in the place, Tom Foster, and hunting him up, told him that there was a girl in the town I wished to know. He said there was going to be a dance that evening and all the girls in the place would be there. He would take me with him and if he knew the girl I wished to meet he would introduce me. I thought that an excellent plan, since it would give me the advantage of keeping my affairs to myself. I could obtain an introduction to different girls without my introducer knowing the one I was especially interested in.

That evening I went with Foster to the hall where the dance was to take place. He asked about the girl I wished to know and why I wished to know her and all that, but I evaded his questions. I didn't propose to let the girl herself know that I was the fellow she had been making love to over the wire—at least till I had learned all about her.

She was there sure enough, looking as pretty as a picture—a brunette, with a profusion of jet black hair, a stately figure and as mischievous an eye as ever I saw in a woman. When I first saw her she was talking with another girl about her own age, and that I might not give myself away to Foster I asked him to introduce me to the other girl.

She proved to be Miss Ellen Ormsby,

a staid young woman whom I found rather hard to talk to. I asked her who was the girl she was with when I was introduced to her, and she said she was Agnes Miller and, taking the hint, offered to introduce me. I accepted and was introduced.

I don't think I ever chuckled so in my life as when I found myself innocently chatting with the girl whom I had been saying soft things to over the wire. I made up my mind to stave off the denouement as long as possible. Not for the world would I give her any clue to my identity by the slightest reference to what had passed between us. And as to letting her know even that I was a telegraph operator, nothing would tempt me to risk giving away the whole thing by doing so.

I danced several times with Agnes Miller and once with her friend Ellen Ormsby. I concluded to go slow with Miss Miller, but I got in a number of compliments and several looks indicating my admiration for her. When I left her to catch my train, which I did before the dance had ended, I pressed her hand and received a slight pressure in return.

Very soon after this I received a shock at the return of Sam Atkins. The Spanish war was over, and Sam had come home in excellent health and handsome as ever. What disconcerted me was that in some way—I having sent my girl his photograph—he might spoil my fun. But on second thought it occurred to me that there was no likelihood of this since she was so far from both of us.

On my return from G. I resumed my telegraphic chat with her, enjoying it far more than before from having made her acquaintance. It was very amusing to talk with her, having seen her, while I was still unknown to her except through Sam Atkins' photograph. She continued to complain of the dullness of G., so I concluded to ask her to come to town and go with me to the theater. This would let her into the secret of my having sent her another man's photograph, but I must let that out some time, and there was no especial reason for delay.

She accepted the invitation with alacrity and appointed a night. I procured a couple of seats and wrote her that I would meet her at the station and take her from there to the theater; she would know me by a bit of orange ribbon worn in my buttonhole. To keep up the fraud till her arrival I asked her to carry a few violets in her left hand.

When Miss Miller alighted from the train and saw me, whom she had met before, with the orange ribbon in my buttonhole she stood still for a moment; then, simply remarking that we had met before and I had deceived her about the photograph, we left the station, and since it was a summer evening and an hour must elapse before the play would begin, we walked to a park or central square and sat down on one of the benches. She then reproved me mildly for sending her the wrong photograph, but said she didn't mind that since she had made my acquaintance at G.

When we entered the theater and took our seats but few people had arrived. We enjoyed ourselves chatting about our telegraphic correspondence and watching the audience come in. Suddenly my heart stood still.

Who should enter and take the two seats in the next row in front of us but Sam Atkins and Miss Miller's friend, whom I had met at G., Ellen Ormsby.

The expression on their faces was, to say the least, peculiar. Smiles were struggling to assert themselves which the three were endeavoring to suppress. I cast a hasty glance at my companion and saw her eyes fairly dance with a mingled delight, mischief and triumph.

I knew at once that the game I had been playing had not only been discovered, but had been turned against me. "Sam, you rascal!" I exclaimed. "You're a traitor to your own sex!"

My remark occasioned a burst of laughter from the whole party except myself.

"Come," I said, "explain the matter."

At this moment the orchestra struck up the overture, and in ten minutes more the curtain rose. My tormentors forced me to wait till the end of the first act before giving me an explanation; then my companion said:

"Nellie Ormsby is a telegraph operator at the G. station and has been your correspondent. She sent you my photograph, with my consent instead of her own, and, having no more confidence in you in such a matter than herself, did not believe the likeness you sent her was your own. She went to M., taking the photograph with her, and a mutual friend of hers and Mr. Atkins there told her that it was his picture. Before leaving town she saw you at work at your instrument and knew that you were her correspondent. Then Mr. Atkins returned from the war. She went again to M., made his acquaintance and told him the secret.

"Meanwhile you had gone to G., and the moment you entered the ballroom Nellie recognized you. She saw your attention fixed on me and introduced you. Your enjoyment in the party you were playing gave us double what was evident in you. When your invitation came we decided to spring the joke on you here at the theater. We wrote Mr. Atkins to find out, if possible, where our seats were and get two more near them. This he learned through you.

"So you see that when a man sets himself up to outwit a girl he must sharpen his own wits on a whetstone. It was all plain enough now. I acknowledged myself beaten and after the play invited the party to the best supper that could be obtained.

There is a sequel to this story, but not to be given here. The gist of it is that I paired off with Miss Miller and Sam with Miss Ormsby.

## A CARD PROPOSAL

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They were sitting on the porch overlooking the ocean. Waves were rolling in, breaking and sliding the foam glistening in the sunlight upon the beach. A table stood between them, and on it a pack of cards.

"Shall I tell your fortune?" he asked.

"If you like."

He took up the cards and shuffled them. She asked him by what method he would tell her fortune, and he said he learned it from an Indian princess. The truth is he knew no fortune telling method. He intended to propose to her through the cards and to make up the process as he proceeded. He began to throw them off on to the table face up. The first turned was the two of hearts.

"You have two lovers," he said. She knew that she had three, not counting several uncertainties. He knew that he had one rival whom he feared. He went on throwing off the cards till he came to the knave of diamonds.

"That's the principal lover," he said.

"He has the inside track. No one else has much of a show. He is tall, good looking and has an excellent opinion of himself. Just the man for a heart smasher. And these diamonds falling so near together indicate that he is the favorite with—Hello! The queen of hearts! That's you. The knave of diamonds and the queen of hearts are connected by a lot of small cards of the same suit, showing very plainly that there is an affair between them."

"How old is the knave of diamonds?" she asked.

"Thirty-five or thirty-six."

"Can't a younger lover be got out of the cards?"

"Well, here's the knave of clubs. He's one of the kind who uses a big stick for accomplishing anything he undertakes. Nothing suave or polite about him."

"I should think he would have a better chance than the other. I like a helter skelter kind of man; most girls do."

"Well, this knave of clubs is not exactly bad; but, on the other hand, he isn't very good. He's neither one nor the other. He adores you, though, and if it turns out that the knave of diamonds gets you the knave of clubs will have the breath knocked out of him."

"That would be too bad, wouldn't it? Who's that queen of spades you just turned?"

"That? That's a rival you have for the favor of the knave of diamonds?"

"Haven't I a rival for the knave of clubs?"

She asked this in a subdued voice.

"Not a rival. He loves you alone. But these low diamonds coming in between the knave of diamonds and the queen of spades indicates that she has considerable hold upon him."

"She may have him for all I care."

"Here comes the king of hearts. He stands for your papa. Low diamonds following him so closely indicate that the knave of that suite is your father's favorite. When the queen of hearts comes out we shall see whom she favors. She's your mother, you know."

"I thought I was the queen of hearts."

"So you are! I forgot that. Well, we'll call your mother the ace of hearts. That's a good idea; the ace is the highest of its suit, and whosoever your mother favors—you consenting—takes the trick."

"I think that whoever I favor will take the trick."

"Right you are. These clubs—the two, three and four—indicate that the knave of clubs has loved you four years. Ever since that summer at—"

She was supporting her head with her hands, her elbows resting on the table. At this point she shaded her face with her fingers, so that he saw very little of it. He couldn't very well tell her, even through the cards, that he had loved her longer than that, for he hadn't known her longer. She was waiting for him to name the place where she had met the knave of clubs, but he didn't.

"He was walking on the beach with a couple of other knaves. She was coming toward him with three other queens, walking two and two."

"I acted very silly on that occasion."

"What did you do?"

"I giggled."

"And we were trying to get up a flirtation."

"But we are getting away from the fortune telling. How could the knave of clubs have loved the queen of hearts ever since that day? There were three other queens with her."

"They were not his queens. None of them was. His queen was the queen of hearts. He loved her the moment he saw her and has never swerved from that love since."

After this they talked so low that a couple lying under the porch in the sand could hear no more. Two young men passing on the beach surprised one couple above sitting hand and hand over a table, peering into each other's eyes, and another couple underneath on the sand, who started on being caught eavesdropping.

"This place is full of chaps and girls," remarked one of the passers.

"Yes," said the other, "it's only another fellow and another girl."