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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.

York for a visit of a few weeks George R. Lowell and wife, who have

spent the winter in Portland, are home. The Ellsworth festival chorus will meet for rehearsal at Society hall to-morrow

About fifty Ellsworth Odd Fellows attended the district convention at Bluebill last Thursday.

Mrs. Chester L. Bailey, of Searsport, is visiting her parents, Capt. Roland C. Bonsey and wife.

The Village improvement society realized about \$ 112 from its food sale at the Ellsworth food fair.

The pastor's subjects at the Methodist church next Sunday will be: Morning, "Devout Life." Evening, "Vegetable Re-

The high school pasket-ball team played Northeast Harbor high at Northeast Harbor Friday evening, winning by the score

The Wm. H. H. Rice relief corps will serve supper in G. A. R. hall to-morrow at 6 o'clock. Members are requested to fur-

The new hotel at the foot of Green lake is up, boarded and shingled. An iceouse has been built and thirty tons of ice harvested.

Rev. P. A. A. Killam, of the Baptist church, will exchange pulpits next Sun-day evening with Rev. O. J. Guptill, of

Capt. C. P. Dorr left to-day for Portland to attend the meeting of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion. B. L. Potter accompanied him to Portland.

Winfield Grindle and wife, of Bar Harbor, were guests over Sunday at the home of her uncle, A. E. Moore. They returned to Bar Harbor Monday afternoon.

Harold B. Salsbury, of Ellsworth, and Miss Isabelle F. Frost, of Mariaville, were married at the Baptist parsonage in Ellsworth this forenoon by Rev. P. A. A. Kil-

The junior class of the high school will give an entertainment at the high school building next Wednesday evening, March 13, at 8 o'clock. Home-made candy will be

Ald. Judson A. Austin, of Ellsworth Falls, who was recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia, suffered a relapse a few days ago, but is now improving slowly.

The Boy Scouts of Ellsworth met the Northeast Harbor boys at basket ball last Saturday at Mechanics hall, and won by a score of 17 to 13. Mr. McClellan was

The Thursday club, and all who are interested in the spectacular cantata to be given after Easter, are requested to meet with Mrs. H. M. Hall Friday afternoon at

Miss Wilia S. Frost, formerly of this city, who has been teaching at Livermore Falls, has resigned to accept a position as

principal of the grammar school in Peabody, Mass. The Thursday club of the Congre tional church will resume work at the

vestry on Thursday, March 14, at 2 p. m. Orders will be taken for the popular Capt. A. W. Hutchings, with his cook Jaspar Kane, left Monday for New York

to take his vessel, the Melissa Trask, out of winter quarters. He will load coal for

The Ellsworth firemen are preparing for their Easter play and ball on Easter Mon-day, April 8. The play, "Little Lord Fauntleroy," will be put on under the direction of Fred E. Cooke.

The several committees of the Congre gational society have united for the purpose of giving a series of suppers at the vestry. The first will be given on Thursday evening of next week, March 14,

at 6 p. m. A "coal supper" will be given in the vestry of the Methodist church this evening from 6 to 7.30. To the price of admis-sion a lump of coal must be added, and if the coal is missing five cents additional

The missionary society of the Congregational church will meet to-morrow atternoon at 2.30 with Mrs. Austin H. Joy. Any information relating to China, past or present, will add to the interest of the meeting. A large attendance is requested.

Keith Killam was the victim of a sur-C. C. Burrill & Son prise party last Saturday evening, in honor of his thirteenth birthday. The party was arranged by the boys of his STATE STREET, ELLSWORTH, ME. Sunday school class, while the girls' class

LOCAL AFFAIRS. o' about the same age was considered a necessary addition. A pleasant evening was spent. Mrs. Hattie Curtis assisted in

Mrs. Mary J. Wentworth died Saturday at her home on Franklin street. egec seventy-five years. Her husband died in service in the Civil war. She leaves two sons and one daughter.

The John Chapman house on Railroad avenue, near Park street, was badly damaged by fire this afternoon. The fire broke out about 2.30 o'clock, in the attic, evidently from the chimney. The house was occupied by George Marshall and family. Most of the furniture was saved.

During the past week, more of the machinery for the knitting mill has arrived, and the bleachery machinery is on the road. As soon as it is possible for Mr. Blood to leave the work of installing the machinery now here, he will return to Pennsylvania to get the last of the machinery there shipped, after which he will return to Ellsworth to stay. He expects to get the mill here running some time next month. The second installment of subscriptions to stock is now due, payable lo J. A. Cunningham, collector.

SHOE FACTORY.

Merchants' Association Now Investigating a Proposition.

The Ellsworth Merchants' association is now investigating a shoe factory proposition, which may be submitted to the people in definite form at an early date.

Some weeks ago P. B. Russell, well and favorably known here through his former connection with the Cole shoe factory, propped into Ellsworth, and looked over the plant of the Elisworth shoe company. He was looking for a location for a small shoe facaory, and Ellsworth was one of the placed considered.

Mr. Russell introduced to the Merchants' association F. C. Normandie. who is now manufacturing shoes at Norridgewock, and who desires an additional factory for the manufacture of another line of shoes. Last Friday evening Mr. Normandie laid before a meeting of the Merchants' association and business men

a definite proposition. E. G. Moore, J. A. Cunningham and Harry E. Rowe were appointed a committee to present the proposition to the public. Yesterday Mr. Rowe and C. L. Morang left for Norridgewock to visit the factory there and investigate the proposition further.

The proposition to Ellsworth involves subscription to \$7,500 worth of stock. While at first some members of the Merchants' association were skeptical about raising this amount so soon after the successful knitting mill campaign, voluntary subscriptions aggregating more than \$1,000 have already been promised without solicitation, and they are more optimistic

The proposition will not be put up to the people of Ellsworth until after the Merchants' association has thoroughly investigated it.

OBITUARY.

CAPT. J. ATWOOD BOWDEN. Capt. James Atwood Bowden died Sun-

day night at his home on Hancock street. Capt. Bowden had been failing in health for some months past. Last fall, after hauling up his vessel in Rockland, he came home, and had been gradually fail-

Cant. Rowden was born in Mt. Desert Oct. 11, 1851, but had lived in Ellsworth since boyhood. He had followed the sea since a young man, going as master for schooners Adam Bowlby, Mary C. Stuart and Willie L. Maxwell. He owned a commanding interest in the last-named ves-

Capt. Bowden was a commandery Mason and Shriner. He was popular socially, a congenial companion and good neighbor. He leaves a widow and two step-daugh-ters—Mrs. Allen McKenzie, of Brockton. Mass., and Miss Mildred Rowe, of Ells

The funeral was held at the Methodist church this afternoon, Revs. E. D. Kizer and R. B. Mathews officiating.

Former Surry Man Missing. THE AMERICAN has received a copy of

the Beacon, Mendocino, Cal., dated Feb. 10, which contains an account of the disappearance of Charles Merrill, aged sixtytwo years, a native of Surry, who has lived in California since 1874.

Mr. Merrill dropped out of sight Feb. 5 Several years ago Mr. Merrill lost the sight of one eye. Recently the other eye had been troubling him, and he feared he was going to lose the sight of it also.

On the day of his disappearance, he started from his home some distance out of Mendocino to go into town to consult a physician. He was last seen near town, but was not seen by any of his friends in town, and did not call on any physician It is generally believed that, despondent over the condition of his eyes, he committed suicide by drowning, though some ope is entertained that he may have wandered away while temporarily deranged.

Sunday School Institute. A Bunday school workers' institute will be held at Ellsworth Falls church Tuesday afternoon and evening, March 19. All Sunday schools of Ellsworth and contigu-ous towns are invited to send representa-

H. E. Lufkin, secretary of the Main State Sunday school association, will have a prominent part in the program. The full program will be sent to the various Sunday schools soon.

A man's natural bent seems to be

Abberisements.

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cretic city committee, gave notice that CITY ELECTION.

CONTESTS OF FACTIONS RATHER THAN OF PARTIES.

DR. A. C. HAGERTHY DEFEATED FOR MAYOR-BUT THREE REPUBLICAN ALDERMEN ELECTED.

The municipal election in Ellsworth Monday was in many respects unique. It was a battle of men or party factions rather than of parties. Party lines were down entirely and trampled under the feet of the contending factions.

Ward workers of both parties who had often locked horns in party combat, worked harmoniously together for one or the other of the rival candidates. unfamiliar with the situation in Monday's contest was kept guessing "where he was

There were three principal factions in the fight on the mayoralty contest, with some small factions, like wheels within wheels, mixing things up in the aldermanic contests. The principal factions referred to were the Hagerthy-Hurley action, composed of both democrats and republicans. Opposed to this faction were the anti-Hagerthy faction of the republican party, fighting the head of the republican ticket but supporting the republican nominees for aldermen, and the anti-Hurley faction of the democratic party, working for the straight democratic ticket. There was much splitting of tickets, but the number of defective ballots resulting from this was not much

larger than usual. The total vote on the head of the ticket was curiously close to that of last year. Last year's vote was: Hagan, 445; Leland, 457, a democratic plurality of 12. This year's vote was: Hagerthy, 443; Cun-

ningham, 456, a democratic plurality of 13. Dr. Hagerthy ran behind the republican candidate for alderman in every ward, except in ward 3, where there was no regular republican nominee. Three republican aldermen were elected-C. W. Grindal, in ward 1, John P. Eldridge in ward 2, and Howard B. Moor in ward 5. Wards 3 and Heath and Daniel Richardson.

Following is the vote in detail from the tabulation made by the mayor and aldermen yesterday morning. The vote for mayor last year is printed for comparison VOTE FOR MAYOR, 1911.

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3	Frank L. Heath, d Richmond I, Moore, ind	86	88
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5.	Howard B. Moor, r Charles J. Brown, d	144 64	80
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1	Milton Beckwith, r Harold L. Hooper, d	175 99	76
2	Henry A Eppes, r	115 108	12
3	Balph A. Fernald, d and r	110	110
•	William A. Austin, r James A. Staples, d	50 46	
5	Percy E. Higgins, r Wilbur H. Smith, d	140 68	72
	POR WARD CLREK.		
1	Walter J. Clark, jr., r David Linnehan, d	173 96	77
2	John F. Royal, r	115	12
8	Martin A Garland, r and d,	111	111
4	Percy E. Flood, r John Artelle McGown d	50 46	•
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3	Edward L. Drummey, r Moses IMayo, d	113	11
	Alton Sargent, r	29	
1995	Martin E. Salsbury, d	88	54
	James A. Salisbury, r	50	50
	Dorephus L. Fields, r Charles A. Thompson, d	141	74
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After tabulation of the returns by the

municipal officers yesterday morning Mayor Leland, as chairman of the demo

inspection of the ballots. Counsel for Mr. Cunningham asked that the ballots be sealed in the presence of the board of aldermen, pending the inspection, which probably will be made this evening. ELECTIONS ELSEWHERE. Auburn-Dr. C. E. Williams, republi-

counsel for Dr. Hagerthy has asked for an

can, elected mayor. Four republican and one democratic aldermen. Last year's board republican.

South Portland-John A. S. Dyer, democratic, re-elected mayor. Five republican and two democratic aldermen. Last year's Rockland--G. Herbert Blethen, republi-

can, re-elected mayor. Six republican and one democratic aldermen. Last year's onard same. Bath-Frank A. Small, democrat, elected

mayor by a majority of 7 votes. publican and one democratic aldermen. Last year's board democratic. Eastport-Jefferson M. Swett, democrat, elected mayor. Four democratic and four republican aldermen. Last year's board

republican.

Waterville - William R. Pattangall, democrat, re-elected mayor. Five democratic and two republican aldermen. Last year's board democratic. Lewiston-Frank A. Morey, democrat,

re-elected for sixth term. Six democratic and one republican aldermen. Last year's board democratic. Saco - Frank L. Palmer, republican,

elected mayor. Five republican and two democratic aldermen. Board republican for first time since 1900.

Hallowell – Emery O. Beane, democrat, re-elected mayor. Five republican and two democratic aldermen. Last year's hourd ramblican.

board republican.

COMING EVENTS.

ELISWORTH.

Wednesday, March 6 — At Methodist vestry—a "coal" supper; 15 cents. Thursday, March 7, at G. A. R., ball-

Relief corps supper at 6; 15 cents. Thursday evening, March 7, at Bayside grange hall-Dance and supper. Friday evening March 8, at Society hall

Wednesday, March 13, 8 p. m., at high school building-Entertainment by junior class. Admission, 15 cents; children, 10 cents.

Thursday, March 14, at vestry of Con-

gregational church - Supper by united committees at 6 p. m. Friday, March 22, at Mechanics' building, Boston-Ellsworth reunion. Tickets,

Monday evening, April 8, at Hancock hall-Play and ball by Ellsworth firemen.

Business Notice. The Staples Piano & Music Co., which is conducting a thirty-day reduction sale, finds that this has been misinterpreted by some as a closing-out sale. This the company wishes emphatically to contradict. It is here to stay.



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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning March 10, 1912.

Teple.—Christian testimony that counts.

John I, 25-42 (Led by the prayer meeting committee.) Edited by Rev. Sherman

H. Doyle, D. D.

The purpose of all testimony is that it may count. In fact, all testimony does count on one side or the other. The life of every professed disciple of Christ counts for Him or against Him in proportion, as it is a true or false representation of what Christ wants His disciples to be. Regardless of the fact that a false profession of Christianity should not count against Christ, in that He was never false, nevertheless it does. The testimony of a patient who neglected his physician's medicine could not properly be used against him. But in religion men fail to make the proper distinction between Christ and professing Christians. How vitally important, therefore, that our lips and lives testify in a way that counts for Christ and not against Him. -

The supreme alm of Christian testimony is to win souls for Christ. Christ dwelt but a brief time upon the earth, but He gathered about Him a Still close together, we journey on, band of men who after His departure from the earth were to bear testimony of Him and thus win others to Him. The purpose of His teaching and of the special revelation of Himself to the apostles was that they might tes-tify of Him to others and these others to still others, and thus by an endless chain of testimony the world was to be evangelized and Christianized. This fact is strikingly illustrated in the examples selected of testimonies that counted in winning others. The testimony of John the Baptist won Andrew for Christ. The testimony of Andrew won his brother, Simon Pe-ter, to Christ, and thousands were led to accept Christ by the testimony Peter, His great apostle. The end of Christian testimony, so far as we are concerned, is not reached when we are saved. We also are to be wit-nesses for Christ. We also are to tell What a scanty handful to Thee I'd brought. others the story of Jesus and His love | The face of the Master with gladness shone in order that they may be saved and that they in turn may become witnesses for Him who saves them.

Personal testimony counts. John tified personally to Andres the Apostle and the wand John was the personal that won Simon by were won. It testimony is the testimony of Andrew testimonies in w. Peter. Face to face vation of the spot most effective of all Men ca aning souls.

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They are won one by one, and what Christian does not know some one to whom he can go and say: "I have found the Saviour. Will you let Him save you?"

Testimony that exalts Christ counts. John the Baptist did not speak of himself, but pointed out Christ and said, "Behold, the lamb of God." When Andrew became a follower of his Lord. he did not speak to Simon of any thing in himself, but simply said. "We have found * * * the Christ, and he brought him to Jesus." If we would be successful soul winners we must obliterate self and exalt Christ. Nor need we hesitate to testify because we realize our own infirmities and weakcome to us, but to come to Him, and, while we may be weak. He is strong; while we are imperfect. He is perfect; while we are unable to save ourselves. much less others, He is able "to save sive spirit of this country. unto the uttermost all who come unto Him." "He that winneth souls is wise."

BIBLE READINGS.

Josh. iv. 19-24; xxiv, 14, 15; Ps. xliv, 1; cvii, 1, 2; Matt. v, 16; xi, 32, 33; xvi, 13-17; John i, 14, 15: II Thess. 1, 10-12; II Tim. 1, 8; I John 1, 1-3.

UTAH PRISON WORK.

A Life Transformed by Christian En-deavor In Utah State Prison.

For twenty-one months the writer of the following stanzas, L. McPherson Shockley, a Missouri boy, lay under sentence of death in the Utah state prison. He was condemned to die for killing two street car men in an attempt to hold up a car one night six years ago. At that time he was a des-

His sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life. In prison he came into touch with Christian Endeavor work and has completely changed under Christian influence. He has been given an important clerkship in the prison and has won the entire confidence of the authorities.

We quote three stanzas from a poem from his pen on "Does Death End All?" a theme on which he doubtless ad time to meditate while waiting earn his fate:

The blushing flower that droops a But, dying, scatters seeds
To reproduce a thing of joy,
God given for our needs;
The fading bloom a lesson gives
The teaching then it negatives
That death ends all.

Mintual Benett Coimmn.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE". Its Motto: "Helpful and Hopeful."

The purposes of this column are succincily stated in the title and motto—it is for the mutual benefit, and alms to be helpful and hopeful Being for the common good, it is for the common use—a public servant, a purveyor of in-formation and suggestion, a medium for the in-terchange of ideas. In this capacity it solicits nmunications, and its success depends largely the support given it in this respect. Communications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permason Communications will be subject to approvalor rejection by the editor of the column, but none will be rejected without good reason. Address all communications to THE AMERICAN,

Elleworth, Me

Early and late to-day I tolled, In the field of ripened grain, Gathering sheaves for the Master dear, Looking for those both large and fair; Intent on naught but gain Until a bundle of golden grain, At the sunset hour I here, Fair and perfect and meet I thought. To add to the Master's st

But close beside, as I journey on. Walks one whose step is slow, Pootsore and weary of form and face, And yet with manner of wonderous grace With only a handful of sheaves She had gathered here and there. Where, thought I, does this gleaner poor, Think to bestow her scanty store?

To where, amongst the garnered sheaves The Master's voice we hear.
With goatle words He greets them all: As at his feet their burdens fall; Toen turns to us, as we linger near

And again He speaks in words of love: Whence cometh these gleaners two! l answer: Lord, I have to lied all day, Nor stopped for aught along the way; But gathered the brigtest sheaves for thee "A beautiful gift, 'tis true," said He, Yet lackest is one thing. Charity; Without which your labor must b

Then He turned with a smile to the other: "Why this handful of sheaves, I pray"
"Lord," she answered, "I went at daybreak, But I stopped along the way To find a bundle for some one, Who was lonely and sick at heart, And to another weary and sad, I gave of my sheaves a part. As He took the handful of sheaves alone

Then spoke He to her such which That sweet -- LEAST HARBOR. Ernest Hall has returned to the course of cheer, versity of the course o

"For inasmuch as thou gavest free, That; thou too, digst give to me. Know thou the giver is blest indeed. Who gives his best for another's need.

Dear M. B. Friends:

There is a great lesson for us in the original poem contributed by E. C. S. which heads the column. Too busy with our own gleanings to help others increase either their sheaves or their courage There is no need of a sermonette this week. The text is: "Bear ye one another's burdens;" the sermon is the picture-poem, and the application-well, that is for us all to take hold of and work out.

AUNT SUE'S TRIP.

EN ROUTE TO SAN FRANCISCO VIA MT. SHASTA ROUTE, Feb. 7. After a night's ride south from Portland during which we have climbed and climbed until an altitude of 7,500 feet or one and one-half miles, has been reached, we awoke to find ourselves entering the Rogue River val-ley, famous for its apples, peaches and pears. During a twenty minutes' stay at Ashiand

our own infirmities and weak-We are not asking men to here for twenty-seven years, who distributed much valuable information along with his mation free. Pippins five cents. Same grade of apples bought in Liverpool or Minneapolis for two for five cents. Such is the progres-

We are now crossing the line between California and Oregon; as yet no perceptible diffence is noted. The grass is green, the willow catkins wave in the breeze and just now we saw on the hillside, close to the track, clusters of what looked like blue and pink hepaticas. It really seems, like spring and is a decided change from Mianeapolis, with its 30 degrees below zero when we left. We are climbing out of the Rogue River

valley, and our two engines are making a good dear of noise. The panorama stretched out before us of nearby wooded hills, green fields in the valleys and snow capped mountains beyond, is truely grand.

Down grade now, and we are coming again to fertile field. As you watch the farmers plowing and harrowing their fields, with the only sign of snow that on the far distant

back where so many of our friends are.

Just crossed the broad, clear Klameth river,
which is said to have "a course of 140 miles through the richest gold region of the country". A large bill board contained this information. As the old Irish woman said:
"Tis not the truth I'm after teiling ye; I tell it as 'twas told to me.'

Here at the thriving town of Weed we get our first near view of grand Mt we reach in about an hour. At this busy new mill town we see many tent houses among the pine trees, and wonder if it doesn't get pretty cold sometimes even in the shelter of the pines in California. Darkness comes on before we reach Shasta, but to those of us who have visited it in the daytime this is a wel-

we are give are given ten minutes to go down and drink the vile-tasting waters, with their famed curative properties. But the most of us, after one sip at the spring, go back to watch the cascades. The water falls for 100 feet over a series of casca

minated by electricity. It rains and is very dark outside. Inside

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He writes: "I not only have cured bad cases of ecrems in my patients with Electric Bitters, but also cured myself by them of the same disease. I feel sure they will benefit any case of ecrema." This shows what thousands have proved, that Electric Bitters is a most effective blood purifier. It's an excellent remedy for ecrems, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Price 50 cts. Satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

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from inflammation, and your Sanative Wash relieved me. I am glad to tell anyone what your medicines have done You can use my testimonial in any way you wish, and I will be glad to answer letters."- Mrs. CHRISTINA REED, 105 Mound St., Peoria, Ill.

Mrs. Lynch Also Avoided Operation.

Jessup, Pa,-"After the birth of my fourth child, I had severe organic inflam-mation. I would have such terrible pains that it did not seem as though I could stand it. This kept up for three long months, until two doctors decided that an operation was needed.

"Then one of my friends recommended Lydia P. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound and after taking it for two months I was a well woman."—Mrs. JOSEPH A. LYNCH, Jessup, Pa.

Women who suffer from female ills should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegeta-ble Compound, one of the most successful remedies the world has ever known,

before submitting to a surgical opera-

the Pullman our fellow-travelers are occupyand conversation. Soon we shall be seeking He never lost a man, but and rescu

in Cakland in the margine ricket, make a Party name. To And then comes

Isn't Aunt Sue redeeming her Christmas promise! And what trips we are sharing But the "home-keeping hearts" must not forget we want their presence in the column, and when a housekeeper of experience said: "I might give the younger members some new ideas or helps," I replied:
"Let us have them." So I say to each who has any recipes or hints that will aid us

Dear Aunt Madge: It is June 21, and we are in Malden, Mass The weather is good enough to suit the most chronic kicker, I think. I have taken my morning stroll on the street below this Here I find two Maineites, brothers, from

I learn from them that it costs as much to build houses here as it does with us in Cali-fornia. They tell me that rough lumber is per thousand, and carpenter's wages \$1 per day. Of course carpenters lose i more time here on account of bad weather Our wages for carpenters is \$3.50 and \$4. Rough lumber is a little higher here. No doubt free lumber from Canada would be of

advantage to the people wanting houses.

To-day I hankered for a blueberry pie, so I bought one. When we came to eat it conries, so did not enthuse over it very much.

This afternoon I go to Beston; visit the Do-minion Atlantic Railway Steamship Co.'s office, to fine out what a ticket to Fort Fairtrip; and I anticipate that I will find much pleasure in making it. I will start July 10.

June 25. I am going to put on my new summer suit, which is blue, and attend service at the Universalist church on Pleasant street. This is my church—the church of my choice; and yet all means of grace are mine and yours. Waves upon life's sea from every clime beat upon our shore; and how sad it is so many find so little of the sweets and so ch of the sour in living. I hear a good

In the vestibule of the church there is book in which all visitors are expected to register, and one must be spry if he wishes to get away from the minister's warm handgrasp and hear his words of cordiality and welcome. Near the pulpit, on a crossbeam, are these wonderful words of the Master: "And l. if I be lifted up, will draw all men

June 27. It looks as though it would rain any minute. I go to the South station, Bo ton, with the mother and two of the five chil-dren mentioned in a former letter. They are going on a visit to an aunt, on an island in the Atlantic, am I am here to see them off on the train that is to take them to Wood's Holl, where they will take their steamer. On my way home I call at a trunk store and purchase a suit case for my Nova Scotia trip.

This afternoon we take a car ride, and this takes us through the tunnel under the river to East Boston, and to the end of the tunnel line, where we connect with a line for Revere beach. Arriving there we walk the boulevard to opposite end of the beach from where we got off our car. We rest occasionally as we come to setless along the way, till we arrive at a loog, broad, walk running at right angles with said boulevard on the left; and here we find a car that takes us back to Mai-

This was our first trip through East Boston tunnel. When we started out to take it, it was hot and muggy; but on the East Boston side we meet with a refreshing seabrecte which we enjoy very much, and which makes unaless our fans.

SCRAN.

GOLDEN THOUGHT-WORK. Each man bas an aptitude born with him to do easily some feat impossible to any other. Do your work—I have to say this often—but nature says it oftener.

Correspondence

Death of Capt. George W. Bunker WESTFIELD, N. J., March 2, 1912. To the Editor of The American:

Capt. George W. Bunker, who died of daughter, Mrs. G. E. Clark, was known to tew of the younger generation in Hancock county, but he is remembered by many of the older ones, especially at Gouldsboro, where he moved with his parents when about ten years old to the old Cobb farm.

I was brought up in the fandly of his grandfather, Capt. Thomas Bunker, sr., and often we were playmates and bedfellows. I did not think it would be my sad duty to write his obituary, but such are the mysterious ways of Providence. While I have been confined to my home, almost helpiess and useless for over three years, waiting my turn to cross over the Great River, many of my old friends and associates, apparently well and hearty. have slipped in ahead of me and passed

Bunker was born at Cranberry fales in July, 1839, the son of Thomas Bunker, jr., and Lydia (Preble) Bunker. He went to sea young, and was in command of small vessels when a mer boy. Later be commanded vessels in the European, South American and West India trade, but for the last twenty-five years had been mostly in the coastwise coal trade.

The schooner Onward, that was built for him, drove on the shore at Cow Bay, C. B., in the hurricane of Aug. 18, '73, and the barkentine "Alexander Campbell", that he commanded for sixteen years, having never had any other master's on her papers, went down off Block Island, wes variously, with books, cards and he landed with his crew on the island.

He was in command of the three-masted. schooner Alasia B. Crosby at the time the steamers Portland and Pentagoet and schooner King Phillip went down with ail on board. He was in company with the with our M. B. travelers East and West. latter vessel in the afternoon, and arrived in Portland before morning. The King

Philip was never heard from. Capt. Bunker came from a long line of sea-faring men who settled at Mt. Desert in 1762. His grandfather, Thomas Bunker, sr., was one of the principal actors in the battle of Norwood's Cove in 1814. His maternal grandfather, Esais Preble. was a relative of Commodore Preble, and the first keeper of Mt. Desert Rock light.

Capt, Bunker was often referred to as the salt-water poet. He had quite a gift for writing both prose and poetry. He was strictly bonest, temperate, conscientious and capable. He leaves one son, three daughters and a sister-Mrs. George W. Bulger, of Cranberry Isles. He and I made our first voyage to the West Indies to gether in 1861, and a year later our first voyage across the Atlantic, to Spain, he as mate and I before the mast.

H. G. BUNKER.

W. F. Jordan and wife are visiting at

Mrs. W. E. Keniston, of Bangor, visited her mother, Mrs. Julia G. Hutchins, last

Mrs. Viola Hodgkins has been very ill

Mount Desert Ferry, where she has been caring for her daughter, Mrs. Frank P. Goodwin, who is ill of measles.

March 4.

BLUEHILL FALLS.

Harry Conary and wife have the sympathy of all in the loss of their mother. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley and son Frank, after a week's visit among friends, returned home Sunday. March 4.

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Among the Grangers.

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DATES.

Tuesday, April 2-Meeting of Hancock ona grange with Verona grange, Bucksport.

Penobscot grange held a regular meeting March 1. Three applications were reapoplexy Feb. 23 at the home of his ceived. At the next meeting everyone is requested to bring in all the brown-tail moth nests they have, or rather the number they have. Number present, thirtysix, including visitors. Receipts, \$3.

> SEAGIST, 471, SOUTH DEER ISLE. Seagirt grange met Feb. 24; good attendance. There was work in the first and second degrees. One application was received. The lecturer, Ceres, Pomona and Flora, not having been previously installed, were installed by Worthy Master C. M. Pert, assisted by Sister Pannie Stinson, as follows: Lecturer, Rosie Steele; Ceres, Ellen Snowden; Pomons, Nina L. Stinson; Fiora, Lena T. Dorr. A short program was presented. A social time followed the grange, ,

Brooklin grange met Feb. 27, with thirty-nine members and one visitor pres-It being gentlemen's night, the ent. chairs were filled by the brothers, with Herbert Tapley as master. Two applications for membership were received. The brothers presented an smusing program. The brown-tail moths gathered by the re spective members, were counted by the judges. Roland Fiye's side was found to have gathered the most moths. Ice-cream and cake were served by the brothers and a social time was enjoyed by all.

RAINBOW, 203, NORTH BROOKSVILLE Rainbow grange met in regular session with about fifty present. The principal with about business of the meeting was the taking us the grange work. The by-laws were read by the master; also letters of interest. A short program was presented A full grange is desired March 8, as im portant business will come up.

NICOLIN, 389, NORTH ELLSWORTH. Owing to cold weather and bad traveling, there was a small attendance at the meeting Saturday evening. In the absence of the master, Worthy Overseer George E. Davis presided. A pleasant meeting was held.

BARVEST HOME, 403, WEST ELLSWORTH. Harvest Home grange met March 2; small attendance. It was young people's night, but as the traveling was bad, there were not enough present to fill the chairs. It was voted they fill the chairs March 16, and furnish a program. The grange will not hold any meeting March 9. A good program was carried out.

Brown-tail moth nests are being brought in and counted for the contest. Many are trying for the prize offered.

LAKE VIEW, 451, HAPPYTOWN. Lake View grange met March 2; small attendance. Two candidates received

first and second degrees. Refreshments were served. There was a short program.

ARBUTUS, 450, SURRY.

The regular meeting of Arbutus grange was held March 1. After business, the older patrons filled the chairs, worked the third degree and presented an excellent program, which certainly did exceed that of the young people's night. There were of measies; also her son Shirley and no long faces among the young people daughter Ruth. when the report of the judges was given Mrs. E. E. Scammon is home from in favor of the older patrons, but rather cheers for their victory. It is up to the young people to serve the supper, and they will do their best.

> At the next meeting, March 8, supper will be served at about 9.30. There will be a special table for those who giory in victory; also some for members of Harvest Home grange, who have been invited to meet with us.

About eighteen teams and more than twice as many patrons attended Hancock Pomona at East Bluehill, March 2, in spite of the bad roads. The sessions were interesting. We attended also the regular meeting of East Bluehill grange in the evening. If you want to be well entertained, just go to East Bluehill grange The members from Arbutus grange extend thanks to the people of East Bluehill for the care of teams and the hospitality shown in every way.

JOHN DORITY, 381, SULLIVAN: John Dority grange met March 1. One application was received. For the benefit of young members who will soon become voters, and also for the sisters who expect to vote some time, a part of the lecturer's hour was devoted to the demonstration of election and primary laws.

OCEAN VIEW, 508, CENTER. Oceanview grange met Feb. 29; twenty-seven present. After business, the lecturer presented an interesting program.

11 MASSAPAQUA, 477, SOUTH BLUEHILL. Massapaqua grange met Feb. 29; thirty-two members and two visitors present. It was voted to invite a speaker here during the coming season. An interesting program was presented. Next week the brothers will furnish the program.

SEDGWICK, 244. Sedgwick grange met March 1; fifty-three present, with visitors from Massa-paqua, Rainbow, Castine, Harborside and

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Windsor granges. Three were elected to membership and two applications received. Five were instructed in the first and second degrees. The lectors membership are descented an interesting program. The question: "Should women doing the same yattom work as men receive the same yattom opened by Sister Abbie Page. It was voted to change the time of opening his meeting from 7 to 7.30 p. m.

Highland, 364, NORTH PENORSOOP. Highland grange met slarch 1; thirty, three present. There was work on two candidates. An interesting program was carried out.

ELLSWORTH MARKETS.

The quotations below give the range of

retail prices in Ellsworth:

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KITTERY TO CARIBOU

Fire in the business centre of Limeston Saturday destroyed four w ings, containing some of the principal stores of the village. Estimated loss, \$30,-

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Mrs. R. I. Moore, Ellsworth Falls, Me., "I verify all I said in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills when I previously tecommended them, and authorize the continued publication of my endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills given some years sgo. In December, 1903, I came home from the hospital, where I had undergone an operation. All that winter I was miserable. I did not seem to gain my strength. la February, 1904, I was taken with a serest attack of kidney trouble. The pain in my back was almost unbearable and doctor's treatment faited to do me good. Don's Kidney Pills, however, went directly to the seat of my trouble, not only carief the backache but strengthening my kidneys and improving my condition in every way. Iknow of many other people who have taken Doan's Kidney Pills with just as satisfactory results as 1 received." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cests. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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His Avenger

Later Events Showed a Mistako

By CLARISSA MACKIE

The men of the Lone Bull ranch had inished supper and were gathered about the long table over newspapers and cards. Most of them were smoking, and the air was blue with the exhalations from pipes and cigarettes.

The Chinese cook flapped into the nom noisily. He addressed the company impartially in a high, complain-

"Him, Hally Bally, no come eat chow; him sabe I keep chow velly hot til him come alound!"

Harry Barry's seven comrades fixed plercing eyes on the cook. Gabriel spoke, smothering a yawn with one lean hand before he did so.

"I guess he sabe you'll keep his supper hot for him, Lee. If you don't" e paused significantly, and the wrathful Chinaman found seven blue muzsled revolvers focused upon different parts of his anatomy. "Understand?" snapped Gabriel.

Lee's straw slippers flapped restless-ly on the bare floor. His frightened, beady eyes roved from one to another of the stern faces. He nodded his bead like a toy mandarin. "Yes, yes, I abe velly, velly much!" "You will keep Mr. Barry's supper

hot for him?" "Velly hot!" said Lee forcibly. "As

bot as"- And he named the hottest place there is.

The seven were still shaking with

flent laughter over the episode when there came the rapid thud of small hoofs and the Widow Clancy slipped from her saddle at the door and stood before them. "Where is Harry Barry?" she de-

manded in a low, intense voice. All the pretty color had fied from her face, and her pallor was enhanced by the vivid auburn of her lovely hair. "Where is Harry Barry?" she repeated as they arose and clustered around

"We've been expecting him every minute. He oughter been back long ago," drawled Gabriel.

"Mebbe his horse went lame," suggested the Crane from the background. One or two others offered suggestions as to the probable cause of Harry Bar-17's absence even while they expected to witness his dashing arrival at any instant. At last they stood mutely before the pale widow and waited for her to speak again.

"You're a clever lot of fabricators!" she sneered.

A look of concern came into Gabriel's face. "You don't think he's got into any trouble, Mrs. Clancy?" he asked quick-

"As if you didn't know!" Her voice trembled with grief and anger. "As if you didn't know! What has he done that you—the men that he called his mates, his friends—yes, every one of you—what has he done that you should string him to the tallest cottonwood at

"What!" thundered Gabriel, pushing forward. "Harry Barry hanging— where did you say?" The seven who loved the merry hearted comrade whose grave danger had caused them larm on another occasion listened with white faces while Mrs. Clancy explained in a shaking voice:
"I saw him myself. His horse was

staked under the tree. I was a quarter of a mile off when I happened to see him dangling up there in the tree." She hid her face in her hands and "I was looking for a lost shuddered critter and had my fieldglasses."

"Mrs. Clancy," said Gabriel heavily. for he loved Harry like a younger brother, "there is some mistake. You can count on the seven of us to avenge Harry if harm has come to him."

"I am his avenger," said Mrs. Clancy toldly. "I want you seven to come along with me."

The seven silently obeyed more from

pity for the agitated woman than be-cause they were fearful of her threats. Harry Barry's comrades were grief stricken at the disaster that had over-taken their friend. What could be have done to have merited the severest penalty of that unprotected country. where justice is swiftly meted out wherever it is outraged, with the dome of heaven for a courtroom and the vic-

tims for judge and jury? Crane, who was leading the file, turned and spoke to Gabriel, who was "You remember once before we was hauled out to save Harry, the time when we got the letter about the Last

"Sure," returned Gabriel, "and we found that the Last Hope was the name of a mine he'd discovered. Mebbe there ain't anything in this either." He smiled hopefully.

The Widow Clancy's voice came nervously shrill from the rear. "Laugh, will you?" she cried. "One of you augh again and I'll p-put a-a-b-bul-let-through-y-you!" She suddenthrough—y-y-you!" She sudden-broke into tears and bowed her each on the neck of her pony. Gabriel

was beside her in an instant. "You're mistaken, Mrs. Clancy," be mid soothingly. "We was only remembering that Harry scared us once before. You remember we've told you about the Last Hope mine and how we rode all night chasing that boy, only to find him alive and well at the tand of the trip, and we can't help but riding slowly, hand in hand.

think there's some a lake now and that Harry can't be done away with."
"But I saw him?" cried the widow plaintively. "I saw him there, his heed drooping. Oh, it was awful!"

"We think - we're sure that he wouldn't do one of the things he'd have to hang for," was Gabriel's earnest assurance.

"Of course he wouldn't!" Mrs. Clan-cy lifted her tear stained face and turned drenched blue eyes upon him. Gabriel was relieved. To see the spunky little widow giving way to grief was so foreign to her disposition at he was alarmed.

"Mebbe you'd like to wait here while we go and investigate," he suggested, but the widow was firm in her deterination to be on the spot.

"You ain't used to such scenes, ma'am," protested Crane mildly, for they had paused to discuss the ques-

"I may as well get used to it-if it kills me," declared Mrs. Clancy, and then, fixing glowing eyes upon each in turn, she said earnestly: "I want you to understand I appreciate you've been good friends to me ever since I came from the east, and I know you've always been good friends to Harry, but if convinced that his being up there is your fault-why, why, the whole seven of you will hang for it if I have to do fectly capable of engineering any number of lynchings at that moment.

Absurd as was the situation from one point of view, there was the tragedy in the background, and it was a grave-ly presccupied party that swung nd the last hill as the sun dropped its lower rim below the horizon.

A yellow shaft of sunlight struck

one something dangled from a stout upper limb.

"Don't you look, ma'am-wait till we ome back," commanded Gabriel with sudden authority, and he pressed a flask into her hand.

The brave hearted little widow suddenly lost courage and bowed her head once more on the neck of her

When the seven pounded to a standstill under the cottonwood tree they slipped from their saddles and hesitated. Harry Barry's roan horse whin-nied sharply, and then, apparently from the air above them, came a famfliar voice, peevish, as if from long waiting.

"Don't stand staring like idiots! I'm plumb tired out hanging up here!" it

The seven turned awed looks upon one another, and as by one accord the youngest and strongest, the two Lewes, Jim and Tim, sprang toward the tree and fairly spurred their way up into the lower branches, from which they mounted higher. Then there came sound of several voices raised in inquiry, explanation and direction.

After awhile three men came down the tree instead of the two who had climbed up. The third man was Harry Barry, and the others were helping him, for his limbs seemed stiff and his face was quite pale. He smiled as cheerily as ever as they gathered around him.

"Another one on me," he grinned sheepishly when they had administer-ed restoratives to him. "I was coming back from dosing the sick critter, when I took a notion to climb that there tree and look around the land and see if there was anybody I knew sashaying around—laugh if you wanter!" he said as a knowing smile went the round of the group.

"I went up in the tree, and I looked, and I thought I saw way off an old friend of mine" (he showed all his white teeth), "and so I was in a hurry to get down, and my heel caught in a crooked little branch, and I fell kerplunk till a handy little stump of a broken limb caught hold of my belt, and there I hung as fine as silk. That was all beautiful and nice, only, gents, was so that there was a sharp little prongy branch sticking out of the tree right behind my shoulders, and I couldn't move hand or foot without ketching it like a knife, so there I hung till I went to sleep a while back, When I woke up I was all numb and cold from hanging there. I'm feeling better now, thanks. Next thing I knew I heard you fellers coming and

seen you out the corner of my eye." ey examined the small ragged tear in Harry's shirt between his shoulder blades, and they saw that the flesh was red and bruised from the torturing branch that had pierced it.

"You had a narrer escape," said Gabriel soberly.

"I guess you won't get to breaking no laws now." joked Hem Wayland. "You've somehow got a taste of what a necktie party feels like when you're

Crane had ridden ahead to break the good news to Mrs. Clancy, and Gabriel suddenly vaulted into his saddle and beeled about. "We chaps better be making for the Lone Bull. Lee's keep-

ing your supper hot for you, Harry!"
"And there's a lady waiting around the corner for you," added Jim Lewis ver his shoulder as he followed Crane,
"A lady—who—ah!" The question "A lady-who-ah!" The question died on Harry Barry's lips as the Widow Clancy's little pony dashed toward the cottonwood tree, bearing a slender, erect figure, with an aureole of auburn hair and dancing blue eyes. There no lack of color in her cheeks as she saw the stalwart form of

Harry. "Gosh! Let's get out of this!" gasped Jim Lewis as he followed the rest of the seven in their mad dash to escape the tender scene that would follow.

"Let's go home and see Lee has supper plenty hot for them," suggested Gabriel, and soon the faithful seven were dim dots on the twilit plain,

Following them in the mystic light came Harry Barry and his sweetheart,

All Shad Are the Same.
Fishes are proverbial aids in magnifying facts. None of the finny tribe tends more to that end than the plain, ordinary, "house broken" shad. Floridians will testify that the St. Johns river shad is without equal; North Carolin-ians stoutly maintain that the Cape Fear river variety is the only kind orth eating: Washingtonians vow that the Potomac shad is perfection; Philadelphiaus swear by the Delaware product, and "il'l' old" New York simply thinks that any other shad than the Hudson river brand is unfit to eat. And thus they go-the farther north the greater seems to be the prevarica-tion daring. The fact is, however, that they are all talking about the same old bony shad. In migrating north it goes up each of the rivers in turn. It is a salt water fish, in fact, which swims into fresh water to spawn and is captured when perpetuating the species. It is true that the residue from oil works, gashouses, etc., in the several large citles enumerated may give Mr. or Mrs. Shad a slightly local flavor, but none to be proud of or to provoke the unstinted partisan praise that is showered upon this much over-

The Judgment of Years.
A significant bit of wisdom, to be pondered over by the very young, whose griefs and disappointments seem so tragic, was that uttered by Mrs. Dolly Madison when she was over eighty years old and near her death. Her life had been fortunate and beautiful not only because circumstances had proved kind to her, but from the brightness and buoyancy of her temperament. She harbored no bitterness over past experiences, but life had taught her the unimportance of most trials which loom so gigantic in approaching. Not long before her death one of her nieces went to her for sympathy in some slight trouble.

rated fish .- New York Tribune.

"My dear," she said, "do not trouble about it. There is nothing in this world really worth caring for. Yes." she repeated, looking intently out of a window, "I who have lived so long repeat to you that there is nothing in this world below really worth caring for!"

Not Soon Enough.

A man who is now one of the leading embers of the Stock Exchange was rather wild in his youth, which is not an exclusive characteristic of this member of the Stock Exchange. But this man was a favorite with his mother and generally called on her to help him out of his scrapes, and she usually responded freely, even lavishly. On one occasion, however, when his demands had been especially frequent and extravagant, it was with considerable trepidation that on discovering himself "the morning after" in a distant city and picked as clean as a new fledged sparrow, he penned the following heart moving appeal, to be sent

"Send \$50 and save disgrace." His worst fears were realized when an hour later he received the reply from his mother, "Too late."-New York Tribune.

Had 'Em Again.

A company of motion picture actors and actresses gave a performance of "Chantecler" on the grounds adjoining the suburban studio of a film manufacturing company. A little later one of the actors, out for a walk, came upon a man seated by the roadside and weeping bitterly.

"What's the matter?" inquired the

sympathetic player. "I'm one of the patients at the sanitarium for bugs over yonder," explained the despairing one. "Yesterday the doc said I was well-boo-boo-and that I could leave in a day or two. And what do you suppose I saw this morning? Roosters and hens six feet high and talkin' just like h away from that sanitarium in years I'll be doing mighty well."-Lippincott's.

When Wild Winds Blow.

Most of us are apt to look on a storm as simply a strong wind blowing straight from one place to another. It is not so at all, for a storm wind always blows in a curve ,and a storm is not really a wind, but a whole wheel of winds with curving spokes. These curving spokes represent the various winds all blowing toward the hub. This hub is called the "eye" of the storm. It is the spot at which the barometer is lowest. On the rim of the wheel the barometer is high, and the nearer the hub the lower is the barometer. This wheel of winds is usually several hundred miles across.

Here's the word of a person who took our word.

"I have been using PARISIAN SAGE about a year. When I began to use it i had only a light "fuzz" on my head. Now I have a good thick growth, and it is growing thicker and longer right along. Many people don't believe it can be done, but I know from my own experience with PARISIAN SAGE that it can; I recommend it in the fullest confidence.

—Gainse Brown, 708 North Fillmore St., Maryville, Mo."

The above statement was made to Dr. C. D. Koch of the Koch Pharmacy, Maryville, Mo., April 29, 1911. Large bottle 50 cents at G. A. Parcher's and druggists everywhere. It is guaranteed. Set Him to Thinking.
They had been talking as they walked. She had remarked pathetically: "Oh, it must be terrible to a man to

be rejected by a woman!"
"Indeed it must," was his respo

Then, after awhile, with sympathetic disingenuousness, she exclaimed: "It doesn't seem that I could ever have the heart to do it." And there came a silence between

them as he thought it over.

Parsons Pills The Liniment lone **JOHNSON'S** the hat is LINIMENT IOI **Jystem** over 100 years it has had no equal and Years Requiate LS. JOHNSON & CO. Old

Mattie Grindle is home from Franklin oad, where she has been teaching. Mrs. Wilder, of Newton Center, made a hort visit at E. M. Cunningham's re-

Gage Grindle, with his wife and son George, is visiting Mrs. Grindle's moth-er, Mrs. Sarah Young.

There was nearly a week of fine ice-boating on the bay before the last snow. S. W. Wilder came from Newton Center, Mass., and Dr. Frank Whitcomb from Orono to enjoy the sport.

March 1.

TRAMP.

Abbertisements.

SCOTT'S **EMULSION**

has helped countless thousands of thin, weak, delicate children-made them strong, plump and robust.

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People who have taken our word for it that PARISIAN SAGE is the real

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How often do we see things offered for sale at prices which would be impossible if the goods were equal to the claim made about them. The wise purchaser shrugs his shoulders and passes by. The honest merchant says, "Oh, well, after the people get stung they will come back to me."

Both are winking at a crook's work.

Untrue statement in advertising is in some states legal crime with penalty prescribed. The honest business man should be a thief-taker to the extent of protesting against having the public swindled.

The public owes it to the cause of Law and Order to see that criminals are brought to justice.

The manufacturer, the merchant, the consumer, all are vitally interested in having printed statements true, and in being warranted to believe advertisements.

Boards of Trade, Merchants' Associations, Advertising Clubs, should undertake the prosecution of dishonest advertisers. In many places they

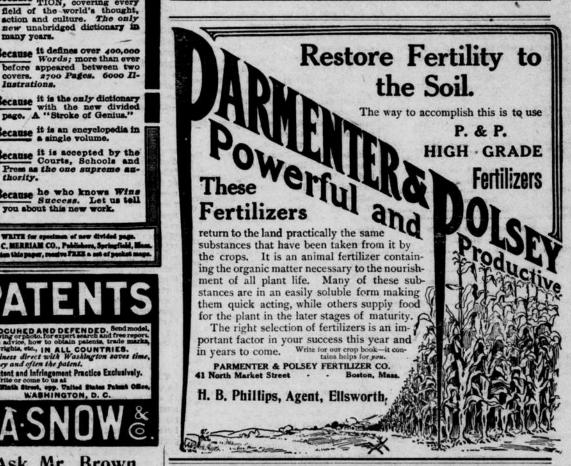
Don't think that the crooked advertiser does not hurt you, because if he is successful he takes productive dollars from the purchase of legitimate commodities, and handicaps business to that extent. He breeds suspicion of what honest men print, and dulls the edge of proper trade.

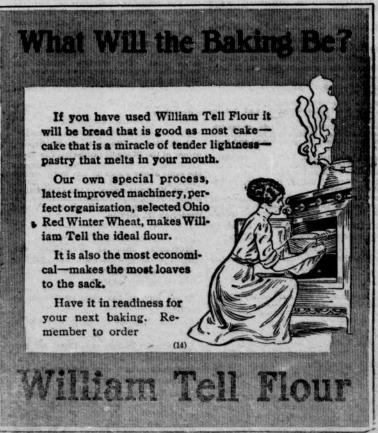
Get after the crook-Make him pay the penalty of his crime-Put him out of business for the common good.

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The Municipal Election.

There is little to add to the story of last Monday's municipal election as told in our news columns. It was clearly a contest of men and not of measures or of parties.

This being the year of both national and State elections, the republicans were naturally anxious to win the local election, not only for that election itself, but also for the influence it might have on the effort that will be made to swing back the State to the republican column at the September election.

In this attempt they were only partially successful. Three of the five republican candidates for aldermen were elected, while the head of the ticket ran behind in every ward except ward 3, where there was no regular candidate, and ran so far behind as to throw the election for mayor to the democrats. And this in spite of the fact that a considerable number of democrats supported the republican candidate for mayor.

FOR COUNTY OFFICES.

Candidates Who Seek Nomination at Primaries June 17.

Below is a list of republican and demo cratic candidates for nomination for county office, whose candidacy has so far been announced, and whose names will doubtless appear on the official ballots for the primary elections to be held on Monday, June 17. There will undoubtedly be several additions to this list. THE AMERICAN will be glad to add to it on notification the names of any who seek nomination, either; republicans or demo-

Republican.

Melvin D. Chatto.......Bouth Brooksville
J. Herbert Patten......Bar Harbor
George A. Savage.....Northeast Harbor Democrat. Joseph C. Harmon......Stonington Byron H. Mayo....Southwest Harbor Dr. C. E. Wasgatt....Deer fale FOR SHERIFF. Republican. Forrest O. Silaby. Democrat. Otha H. Jellison Ellsworth FOR REGISTER OF PROBATE.

Timothy F. Mahoney Elizworth John A. Conningham Ellsworth FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Republican.

John E. Doyle. Elisworth H. Fremont Maddocks. Elisworth FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

Democrat.

Herbert L. GrahamBar Harbo

FOR TREASURER.

Democrat. Frank L. Heath.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES.
Under the apportionment by the last legisla ture, there are seven representative classes in Hancock county, instead of eight, as, follows:

Class 2 —Bucksport, Orland, Castine, Ded-im and Verona. Class 8— Ellsworth, Trenton, Aurora, America, Otle, Mariaville, Waltham and Planta ons 8, 10, 21, 28, 33.

Class 4—Stonington, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, sie au Haut, Eagle Island, Hog island, Butter sland, Bear Island, Pumpkin Island and Long sland plantation.

Class 5— Gouldsboro, Sullivan, Franklin, Iancock, Winter Harbor, Sorrento, East-rook and Townships 7 and 2.

Class 6—Bluehill, Sarre, Berkhill, Sarrento, Beatler, Sarrento, Beatler, Sarrento, Beatle, Be

class 6 -Bluehill, Surry, Brooklin, Penob-

Class 7—Mount Desert, Tremont, Southwest Isrbor, Swan's Island, Cranberry Isles, La-noine, Mt. Desert Rock and Marshall island. Candidates in the primaries in above classes so far announced are as follows:

Willis A. Ricker, rep ... Milton S. Beckwith, rep Ellsworth
Class 6. Joseph M. Hutchins, repPenobscot Dr. Otis Littlefield, dem......Bluehil

Correspondence.

For County Commissioner DEER ISLE, ME., Feb. 26, 1912. To the Editor of The American:

As I am unable at the present time, to go over the county and make a personal canvass, I am taking this manner to announce to the republicans of Hancock county that I am a candidate for the republican nomination for county commisoner for Hancock county, at the primaries to be held in June.

Gown.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

The burning of the Travellers Bome at Sedgwick last. Wednesdy removes one of the famous old hostelries of Hancock

The proposition to sleet five selectmen nstead of three for the town of Eden was defeated at the town meeting Monday, 505 to 361. The suggestion for a change was the result of agitation begun last August, when non-resident tax-payers held a pubmeeting protesting against the high

The autoless Eden will be autoless no longer. By a vote of 469 to 172 in the Eden town meeting yesterday it was voted to petition the legislature at the special session on March 20, to open one conti s road for automobiles from the bridge at Mount Desert Narrows in Trenton to a point in Ear Herbor, not more than half a mile from the Ber Harbor postoffice. Another section of the same article, which was passed, provides that a petition also may at any legal meeting open to the use of automobiles and motor vehicles any part of or the whole of any public street or highway within its limits.

TOWN MEETINGS.

Officers Elected and Appropriations Voted in Hancock County Towns. SUBET.

Moderator. George F Ingalls; selectmen and assessors, G E Cousins, Joseph Mc-Kenney; clerk, E N Osgood; tressurer and ollector, D J Curtis; school committeeman, Otis Conary; road commissioner, J H Wescott; constables, E N Osgood, C B Clark; auditor, E D Smith

Appropriations - Schools, \$500; textbooks, \$100; high school, \$500; schoolhouse walks, \$50; State road, \$200; poor, \$500; current and contingent, \$700; discount on taxes, \$100; interest, \$96; tuition, \$75; repairs on town hall, \$50. Total, \$3,771.

Moderator, H D Wakefield; se Mark C Morrison, James W Silk, Orient E Brewer; assessor (three years), John Suminsby; clerk, W H Sherman; treasurer, Charles F Paine; road commissioners, Millard Hanson, Ezra Higgins.

TREMONT. Selectmen and assessors, L W Rumill, T A Kelley, W B Watson; clerk, L A Bunker; tressurer, B B Reed; collector, A A Lopsus; school committee, C M Rich, T A Kelley, J R Kelley; road commissioner, L J Norwood.

Appropriations - Schools, \$1,000; textbooks, \$250; schoolhouse repairs, \$250; roads and bridges, \$1,000; sidewalks, \$250; State road, \$400; poor, \$1,000; current and contingent, \$1,600; debt, \$2,800; interest, \$350; Bass Harbor library, \$25; Gott's Island road, \$100; road machine, \$150; tuition, \$50; Bass Harbor, buoys, \$60. BROOKSVILLE.

Moderator, R H Condon; selectmen and assessors, Thomas T Harvey, Alvarado Gray, Ira J Cousins; clerk, George Tapley; treasurer and collector, William II Stover; school committee man, I L Stover; road commissioners, G G Cousins, I L Stover, Benjamin Black. Appropriations-Schools, \$500; roads and bridges, \$1,500; State road, \$400; poor, \$500; carrent and contingent, \$800.

Moderator, J W Jordan; selectmen and assessors, J D Remick, W G Haynes, E D Ladd; clerk, Frank Dunbar; tressurer and collector, T J Hopkins; school committee, H W Burns; road commissioners, W A Trim, L B Googins; constables, H Burns, A B Smith, T J Hopkins, A B Marshall.

Appropriations - Schools, \$500; textbooks, \$25; tuition, \$10; schoolhouse re-pairs, \$25; roads and bridges, \$700; State road, \$200; poor, \$100; interest, \$25; snow, \$25; hearse fund, \$50; to rebuild Mill bridge, Bayside, \$200.

Hancock Pomona Grange.

Hancock Pomona grange met with East Bluebill grange March 2, with a large attendance. John F. Wood, master of the host grange, gave the address of welc and Thomas Grieve responded. The report of granges was called for, and repreentatives of many of them responded

Two topics were discussed: "What farm crops are best adapted to this locality?" "What is one of the greatest questions before the American people to-day?" These two topics were well dised and were interesting. Mrs. Burrill was unable to be present, but was very kind to prepare a paper: "Home-Life Picture Fifty Years Ago," which was read by Mrs. Wood, and was listened to with a great deal of interest.

The fifth degree was conferred upon a large class. The worthy master was authorized to appoint a committee on resolutions on the death of Treasurer A. L. Saunders, and he appointed J. B. Wilson, W. S. Bridges and J. E. Gross.

As always, the host grange proved royal entertainers.

Prominent Bucksport Man Dead. Capt. George Blodgett, of Bucksport, wner of the Blodgett tanneries, the larg-

owner of the blongert tanneries, the large-est industry of the town, died Sunday in the same house where he was born eighty years ago, and where he had always lived. Capt. Blodgett served in the Civil war as captain of Co. K., 14th Maine infantry. A widow and two sons—Benjamin P. and Frederick H., survive.

Moosehead Inn Burned. Moosehead Inn, at Greenville, burned yesterday afternoon. Loss, \$25,000.

NICOLIN.

Elmer DeWitt has gone to Bangor to

Bernice Starkey spent last week in Brewer.

Mrs. Charles Sweeny is visiting! her son James at Bar Harbor.

Mrs. Fred Starkey and children visited her brother at Hudson recently. Helen King, who is employed at Bangor, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frances Me

Watson McGown and wife, of Hull's Cove, and A. J. McGown, wife and son Roger, of Carmel, spent Sunday with their PAUL W. SCOTT. | father, Melvin McGown.

Tongues Betray Them,

Le-o-minster at once reveals himself es a rank outsider.

But if the Massachusetts man goes up into New Hampshire and in what he calls Coose county or Cooze county the natives of Co-os county

And, in Maine, Saco is the test word that betrays the stranger within the state. For variety of propunciation those who don't know that word of four letters is believed to hold the record.

They used to tell the story that a each train bearing summer visitors started up from Biddeford, just across the river, the brakeman announced

"The next station is Sayko-Sacko Sarco-Sawko-Sayso-Sasso Sarso-Saw-

Maine people will tell you that it is ced exactly as it is spelled-S-a-c-o. Sawko.

Any Maine man recognizes a fellow Maine man at once by his pro tion of a town name.-Boston Globe.

As an example of faulty rhyming the great Alfred Tennyson is being held up by an English critic as in the wn to have taken license as a great poet that would have damned any small rhymer. The critic gives as ex amples of Tennyson's imperfect rhymes "river" and "ever," "given" and "beaven." which are considered too convenpal to be criticised. He then passes on to the famous "Charge of the Light Brigade," where Tennyson, with the inaccurate ear of the thorough Briton, rhymes "onward" and "hundred,"
"said" and "dismayed," "hundred" and
"thundered," "hundred" and "blundered," "hundred" and "wondered," all in that one short poem. One may look in vain through the works of Longfellow, Bryant, Lowell or any American poet of the first rank for such orthospical blundering, which passes without question among Britons.

Yucatan's Water Caverne. Since Yucatan, where the Mayas built their strange cities, is of coral limestone formation, it follows that it would have been a desert but for its subterranean rivers and the cenotes. or water caverns, which give access to them. The Mayas noted the course of the underground streams and built their towns round the cenotes. Many cenotes are now found surrounded by ruins and give indications of the methods employed by the Mayas to reach their cool waters. In Uxmal a cenote about forty feet deep is inhabited by a peculiar species of fish. At Bolanchen there is a cenote having five openings in the rocks at the bottom of the cavern. Ladders made by tying three trunks together lead down a total distance of 1,400 feet, but the perpendicular depth from the surface to the water is not more than 500 feet -Exchange.

Chinese and Chinaman.

On the subject of surprising modern words it is notable that the Oxford dictionary finds no earlier instance of "Chinaman," in the sense of a native of China, than 1854, when Emerson so used it. The previous word was "Chinese," from which the plural "Chineses" was formed by Milton and his contemporaries, and the false singular 'Chinee" by modern Americans. "Chinaman" in another sense, that of a dealer in china, was in use long before 1854. The Oxford dictionary gives three instances of it from London directories of 1772, 1801 and 1819, but does not notice that in 1763 one "John Crowther, Chinaman," was gazetted "Chinawoman" in a simibankrupt. lar sense goes back to Ben Jonson .-London Chronicle.

A Monument to Cheerfulness.

It strikes one as one of the prettiest monuments to cheerfulness in all Mer-rie England: "Here lieth the body of Peter Isnel (thirty years clerk of this parish). He lived respected as a ple and a mirthful man and died on his way to church to assist at a wedding on the 31st day of March, 1811, aged The inhabitants seventy years. Crayford have raised this stone to his cheerful memory and as a tribute to his long and faithful service."-London

Dutch Humor. Here are two specimen jokes from Dutch papers of the day:

Mr. Newly Rich (to landlord) - I hear you have raised all your rents. Why haven't you raised mine as well? I can't imagine how I have merited such an insult to my dignity.

A .- I wouldn't like to be standing in your shoes just now. B.-Why? A.-Because they are in the cellar, and twenty tons of coal have been dumped

Worth Trying.

Mrs. Binks—The people in the next suit to ours are awfully annoying. They pound on the wall every time our Mamie sings. I wish we knew of me way to drive them out of the

flat. "Why not have Mamie keep on sing-■ Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Inheritance,

torturing with redhot pincers."
"I believe it. She can wear shoes three sizes too small and look happy. -Harper's Bazar.

world move?" asked the teacher. "The landlord." replied Johnny Hard-

From January Form Journal.

You want water not quite 300 degree A man need not be an expert to begin

or less expert to surreed. Many dealers object to eggs with pale yolks. When you find yours are getting that way, put a little more corn in the

Eggs overwashed in water lose the ! tiful fresh appearance they have when first laid. Add a bit of vinegar to the water and use as little water as possible.

A bit of experience with damp flo The upper sash of each window was taken out and muslin placed there instead, and the dampness entirely disappeared. The theory of this seems to be that the moisture, rising, escaped through the m stead of remaining in the bruse.

There are many days in this month then it is unfit for fowly to be outdoors. For that reason they should be suppliwith a good-sized house, and the floor heavily littered so they may exercise and keep in good health. The premises must be kept perfectly clean. Filthy quarter ease, and diseased poultry is not profitable.

Something queer about hens and ever chicks turning cannibals and eating each other up alive. The best explanat far is that birds that do this need more mest to est. A bit of a scratch comes on ome hen, and the rest see the red spot or drop of blood, and out of cur pick it off. That gives them a taste of the blood, and at it they go to devour the poor creature. It plenty of meat scraps given, the chances are that you never will have any trouble of this kind.

A common mistake of local advertisers is to estimate the value of advertising space of one newspaper by the amoun asked by some other publication. It is a mistake of judgment for a business man o estimate the value of space in a repu table 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)

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional it reatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 18 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. There is more Catarrh in this section of the Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 7ic. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipution

Abbertisement.

A NOVEL INTRODUCTION.

Dr. Howard Co. Makes a Special Price.

The Dr. Howard Company have entered into an arrangement with Parcher's drug store, by which a special introductory offer will be made of 25 cents on the 50-cent size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia.

Headaches, coated tongue, dizziness gas on the stomach, specks before the eyes, constipation and all forms of malaris and liver trouble are soon cured by this scientific medicine.

Mr. Parcher has been able to secure only a limited supply, so everyone who wishes to be cured of dyspepsia or constipation should call upon him at once or send him best medicine ever made on this special The following quaint epitaph is to best medicine ever made on this special be seen in Crayford churchyard, Kent. half-price introductory offer, withhis personal guarantee to refund the money if the specific does not cure.

Legal Notices.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of SAMUEL P. COUSINS, late of LAMOINE in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 23, 1912.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executris of the last will and testament of JOHN T. MILLER, late of BLUEHILL,

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 ind-bted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Blushill, Feb. 24, 1912. Bluehill, Feb. 24, 1912.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of FRANCIS C. DUNHAM, late of CASTINE in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment timediately. Bunproap E. Tracv. Winter Harbor, Feb. 25, 1912.

BENJAMIN F. DUNHAM, late of CASTINE in the county of Haucock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the cestate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Burdon E. Tracy.

Winter Harbor, Feb. 23, 1912.

The newspaper which has no uniform A Moving Force. rate for advertising space, and is satis-"What is the force that makes the fied to take what it can get for it, is a sheap advertising medium, and the aduppe promptly .- Philadelphia Record. | results .- Lawrenceburg (Ind.) Press.

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VICTOR and EDISON Talking Machines

SMALL INSTRUMENTS OF ALL KINDS

S. J. CLEMENT, MUSIC STORE, Pleas 342-3 Harbor, Me.

CLOVE-Tan glove, right hand. Found Thursday night, Jan. 18 at foot of Bridge bill. Owner call at AMERICAN office.

NOTE BOOK - And diary. Will finder please return to L. H. CURRIAN, or THE

OFFICES over Moore's drag store, just va-cated by B. T. Sowie; hot water heat and tollet. Inquire of E. G. Mooan, Ellsworth, for Salt.

STORE BUILDING, stock of groceries, counters, show cases, scales, etc. A. L. Richardson, Upper Main street, near roap factory; Elisworth.

BOAT LUMBER -Cedar %, %, %, % planed 2 sides Long oak for keels, Oak timbers sawed to order. R. E. BEST, Brooklin, Me. Plano-ivers & Pond upright, nearly new; a bargain. Inquire of FRED L. MASON,

HAY-About 2 tons of Hungarian hay. Address "A", care AMERICAN office, Ella-

Manteb.

H ARDWOOD—We are in the market for white birch, yellow birch and rock maple, to be delivered at our factory the coming winter. We have decided to pay for No. 1 woods, \$6.50 per cord. For No. 2, \$6.50 per cord. delivered in the pard at our factory. All who wish to furnish us with a quantity of these woods, we would like to have call at the factory office as early as possible and state the amount you could furnish, and consult with us in regard to our requirements for sine and quality of wood to be furnished at these prices. Ells work Hardwood Co.

NURSES - Pupil nurses in the training school of the Waldo County general bompital, Belfast, Me. Apply to the SUPERIN-TRADENT OF NURSES.

BOARDING PLACE - For cat for three months. Address Mas. E. L. VARNEY, Southwest Harbor, Me.

Special Notices.

STATE OF MAINE, PUBLIC NOTICE.

In conformity with the provision sections 36 to 39 of chapter 32, of the revised statutes of Maine, and upon the petition of five or more citizens of the State, and deeming it for the best interest of the State, the commissioners of inland fisheries and game, after due notice to all persons interested in the subject matter of said petition, and public hearing thereon in the locality to be affected, and deeming it necessary and proper for the protection and preservation of the inland fish of the State, hereby adopt the following needful rules and regulations relating to the times and places in which and the circumstances under which inland fish may be taken in the waters of Spring pond, so-called, situated in the townships numbered Three, Old and New, so-called, and in Passadumkeag stream above Grand Falls, so-called, and in certain tributaries to said stream, in the county of Penobscot and in county of

Hancock. RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Section i. It shall be unlawful for any per-son to take, catch or kill more than four fish in all in any one day while fishing on or through the ice in Spring pond, so-called, situated in the townships numbered Three, Old and New, so-called, in Hancock county.

It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession in any one day more than four fish in all taken on or through the ice in said Spring pond. Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch or kill more than fifteen fish in all in any one day while fishing on or

through the ice in Passadumkeag stream, above Grand Falls, so-called, situated in the county of Hancock and in the county of Pe-It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession more than fifteen fish in all in any one day taken on or through the ice

in said Passadumkeag stream above Grand Section 2. It shall also be unlawful for any person to fish for, take, catch or kill any kind of fish at any time in any of the tributaries to suid Passadumkeng stream above said Grand Palls, except Nicatons stream, so-called, in the county of Hancock and in the county of

renouscot.

It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any kind of fish taken from any of the tributaries to said Passadumkeag stream above said Grand Falls, except Nicatous stream, so-called. This section, however, shall not apply to

any lakes or ponds flowing into any of the tributaries to said Passadumkeag stream

Section 4. These regulations shall take effect February fifteenth, a. d., 1912, and shall remain in force for a period of four years. Dated this 6th day of Pebruary, a. d. 1912.

J. S. P. H. WILSON, Chairman,
BLAINE S. VILES,

P. E. Macs, Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game.

CARD OF THANKS. TAKE this public way of extending my sincere thanks and gratitude to the employees of the Elisworth hardwood factory for their financial aid in my recent accident. Such contributions were deeply appreciated.

William Chapman.

Ellsworth, March 2, 1912. CARD OF THANKS. W E wish to thank the people of Sedgwick and Brooklin for the assistance ren-dered in assing our house at the time the Travelers Rome burned.

MSA. CARRIE J. DORITY AND FAMILY. Feb. 29, 1912.

THIS is to certify that I, W. M. Hopkins, and wife. Marietta Hopkins, do mutually gree to separate in marriage now and forever (Signed) W. M. HOPKINS.

Trenton, Me., March 6, 1912.

Advertising is like learning to swim vertiser need expect nothing but cheap Have confidence, strike out and you will National Bank Statement

REPORT OF THE

CONDITION

BURRILL NATIONAL BANK

14,045 36 2,500 00 \$294,603 M

Due to State and private banks and bankers.

Due to Trust Companies and Sar-ings banks.

Due to approved reserve agents.

Dividends unpaid.

Individual deposits subject to check.

Demand certificates of deposit...

Cashier's checks outstanding....

Total----- \$294,663 86 STATE OF MAINE

51 00 174,039 09 7,361 56 147 43

COUNTY OF HANCOCK SA.T.-I, Edward F. Small, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemning swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and bellef.

EDWARD F. SMALL. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this land day of March, 1912.

LYNWOOD F. Given Correct-Attest: Lynwood P. Gilles,

LEWIS HODGEINS, C. C. BURRILL. Directors. Legal Notices.

STATE OF MAINE. Supreme Judicial Court, October Term, 1911.

Supreme Judicial Court, October Term, 1911.

To the Honorable Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, next to be holden at allieworth, within and for said county on the second To-saidy of October, 1911.

Marcia Sargent, or Elisworth, wife of Albert H. Walker, respectfully represents that she was inwfully married to the said Albert H. Walker, respectfully represents that she was inwfully married to the said Albert H. Walker, at Elisworth, Maine, October, 29, 1906, by the Rev. S. W. Sutton, a minister of the goapel, duly commissioned to solemning marriages; that they lived together as husband and wife at said Elisworth from October, 1906, to January, 1907; that your libelant has always conducted herself towards her said husband as a faithful, true and affectionate wife; that the said libele totally disregarding his marriage vows and obligations was guilty of cruei and shoulve treatment and entreme cruelty towards your said libelant. That in March, 1907, the said Albert H. Walker deserted your said libelant, without cause, and went to parts unknown to ber, and for more than three continuous consecutive years prior to the making of this libel he has unterly deserted your libelant, without cause, and went to parts unknown to ber, and for more than three continuous consecutive years prior to the making of this libel he has unterly deserted your libelant, and during said time she has neither seen nor heard from him, or received from him any support; that there is no coliusion between your libelant and the said libele to obtain a divorce that the bonds of matrimony between her and her said hunband should be dissolved by divorce:

Wherefore she prays that such divorce may be decreed.

Elisworth, August 26, 1911.

Marcia Sargensy Walker.

MARCIA SARGEST WALKES.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of August, 1911.

Justice of the Peace.

STATE OF MAINE. Hancock as Supreme Judicial Court. racation. Ellaworth, Feb. 28, a. d. 191
Upon the foregoing Libel, Ordered: The Libelant give notice to the said Libe Upon the foregoing Libel, Orsered: The Libelant give notice to the said Liberal Judicial Court, to be holden at Eliswor within and for the County of Hancock, on second Tuesday of April a. d., 1912, by plishing an attested copy of said Libel and it order thereon, three weeks successively in Elisworth American, a newspaper printed Elisworth in our county of Hancock, the spublication to be thirty days at seast prior the second Tuesday of April next, that he is there and then in our said Court appear answer to said libel.

ARNO W. King

Anno W. King.

Justice of the Sup. Jud. Court.

A true copy of the Libel and Order of Court

Attest:-Joun E. Bunkun, Clerk, THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of EMILY SMITH CUSHMAN, late of ELLS-

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 arc desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Entry L. Smith.
Elleworth, Maine, Feb. 6, 1913.

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CITY MEETING.

FAREWELL SESSION OF THE OUTGOING BOARD.

WRITS SERVED IN TWO SUITS AGAINST THE CITY-HOLLS OF ACCOUNTS.

mayor and board of aldermen of the past year's administration held their rell session Monday evening. Ald. sidridge is the only member of the present board who was a candidate for rection, and he will have a seat at the big sble another year.

Mayor Leland, Ald. Smith, Eldridge and

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\$3,129 01 It was voted to issue plumber's licenses o John P. Eldridge, Edward F. Brady and loy J. Goodwin, and one to Mr. Eldridge inspector of sewers. Ald. Smith, to whom was referred claim

by dogs, reported that it was a just claim, and should he paid, and the board so roted.

SUITS BROUGHT AND THREATENED.

City-Clerk Hale reported the service spon the city of writ in an action brought by William Nevells to recover damages for ajuries to a horse through alleged defect a highway at Joyville, and also in an-ther action brought by Fred Dunham to wer amount alleged to be due him on cover amount alleged to be the real colpitts, the city having refused payment of the amount, claming that it was not a one fide assignment by Colpitts, who wed taxes to the city. In both these suits notice for trial at the April term of the supreme court was given. They were the court was given.

Mrs. Willis Moore gave notice of inuries received by fall on an icy sidewalk on Water street. Referred to next board. The claim of Stephen Gross, who was aluried by tripping over a loose plank in the sidewalk on Water street, was also rered to the next board.

Mrs. Minnie Witham is at Gouldsboro. aring for her sister, Mrs. Linwood Sar-

rorth last week to work for Emery Mad-

urday from Amherst, where she has been for a week's visit.

Harvey Moore and wife, of East Orland, were guests over Tuesday of Herbert

W. H. Brown was at home over Sunday Machias, where he is building a mill for the Machias Manufacturing Co.

There will be a supper in the vestry this evening, to which all are cordially invited. A small admission will be charged. Earl Clark and wife, of Old Town, came last week to spend a few days with Mrs. Clark's parents, Judson A. Austin and

Herbert M. Salsbury and wife are in Brewer, called there by the serious illness of Mr. Salsbury's mother, Mrs. Horace

Artemas Smith was in Amherst last week visiting his father, C. M. Smith, and enjoying the fishing. He brought home

Herbert Strout and wife went to North Ellsworth Tuesday afternoon, called there by the illness of Mrs. Strout's mother,

Mrs. Stillman S. Jordan and daughter, Mrs. Everard L. Moore, went to Kingman Tuesday noon, called there by the death of a brother of Mrs. Jordan.

Percy S. Moore and wife, who are living at Trenton this winter, were here over Sunday and Monday, guests of Mrs. Moore's parents, F. E. Cottle and wife.

There was an important meeting of the church Tuesday evening. Through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. Guptill the members were invited to meet at the par-

There was a family gathering Saturday afternoon and evening at the home of Loring Moore and wife. A fish supper was served at 6 o'clock and refreshments during the evening.

Edward Finn, one of the oldest citizens of this community, died Thursday, aged eighty years. Mr. Finn had always been an active man for his years, but the death by drowning of his son, Deputy-Sheriff Edward T. Finn, last November, was a death-blow to the old man, who gradually failed. Mr. Finn had worked as millman and lumberman all his life. He was an honest, industrious man-a good citizen. He leaves a widow and two daughters-Mrs. John W. McCarthy and Miss Mary Finn. The funeral was held a stop even for food. at St. Joseph's Catholic church Saturday morning, Rev. P. F. Flanagan officiating.

NORTH ELLSWORTH.

J. H. Nason was in Bangor Monday. Bernard Lynch has returnd to his work

'The ladies' aid society met with Mrs. H. F. Maddocks Thursday. Clifford Patten, of Ellsworth Falls, is

working for Emery Maddocks. E. H. Moore and two children, Mildred

and Marion, have been ill the past week. Mrs. Hannah Maddocks is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Walker, at Ellsworth.

Miss Anna Googins, of Ellsworth Falls, visited her aunt, Mrs. Ransom Bonsey,

Luther Nason and wife, of Bangor, spent a few days last week at A. W. Nason's camp at Branch pond.

H. F. Maddocks, who has been in Aroostook county the past four weeks, was at home Sunday and Monday.

WEST ELLSWORTH.

Henry Glass is working for Henry Hig-

Old Town Monday to visit relatives. Morris Higgins and son, of Bar Harbor,

were week-end guests of relatives here. Mrs. Lois Treworgy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Nevells, in Ells-

Amy F. Astbury closed her school at Jonesport Friday, and is the guest of Robert Cartisle and wife.

Mr. Blaisdell and wife, who have spent the winter with Austin Conary and wife, have returned to North Orland

MOUTH OF THE RIVER.

Capt. Emerson, of Sunshine, is the guest

Miss Marion Mattocks, of Sullivan, is spending a few days with Mrs. Susie Pray. Miss Margaret Mathews is visiting her sister, Mrs. Everett Tinker, in Mass

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COUNTY NEWS.

NORTHEAST HARBOR

Ralph Reynolds is home from Lamoine George E. Kimball, of Boston, is in

W. S. Grant, jr., of Philadelphia, is in

Nathan Smallidge, of Pretty Marsh, was n town Monday.

Mrs. Bertha Wilbur and daughter Charlotte are visiting in Franklin.

Joseph W. Small and wife are home from visit in Boston and Milbridge.

The Willing Workers will meet with Mrs. A. L. Manchester Thursday.

Miss Agnes McKinney has gone to her ome in Surry for a brief vacation. Mrs. Charles N. Small and little daugh-

ter Dorothy are visiting in Bangor. The primary and intermediate schools close Friday. Stetson grammar school

The Boy Scouts' basket ball team went to Ellsworth Saturday, and were defeated 17 to 13 by the Scouts' team there.

T. N. Graves and wife, and Harvey Whitten and wife, have been called to West Eden by the critical illness of Charles Kittridge.

Miss Marion C. Smallidge, a recent graduate of Bryant & Stratton's commercial school, has a position as stenographer in the law office of Jerome H. Knowles

NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE

Ellsworth high defeated the first team ere in a slow and loosely played game of basket-ball Friday night. Score, 26-15.

The second bowling team was defeated 172 pins by the Bar Harbor bowlers at Bar Harbor last Wednesday evening. A return game will be played here.

The members of the first bowling team are getting ready for their scrap with Bar Harbor next Thursday evening. They want to win back those 180 pins they lost a few weeks ago. The game will be rolled

WEST TREMONT.

Miss Julia Norwood spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Hollis Austin at La-

Miss Katie Pomrov accompanied Miss Gertrude Carver and Helen Clancy on their return to Owl's Head.

March 5.

Greatest Bird Traveller.

The golden plover leaves Nova Scotis and flies without a stop straight to South America, wintering on the pampas of Argentina—a journey of some five thousmiles, 2,500 being over the ocean, without

On the Pacific side the golden plover leaves the Aleutian islands and goes 2.500 miles to Hawaii without a rest, and winters in the southern hemisphere from the Society Islands to Australia.

With this bird it is the northward trip that is slow, and the eastern group crosse the continent of South America, Mexico, the Great Plains and across Canada to its Arctic nesting grounds, while the western birds go up to Malay Peninsula and along the Chinese and Siberian seaboard.

Wonderful as is this enormous journey of 12,000 to 15,000 miles each year, there is at least one bird whose annual trip exceeds the plover's by several thousand miles. The Artic tern nests from Maine to within eight degrees of the North Pole spends its summer in the land of continuous day, and in its migration goes to region in the Antarctic equally near the

South Pole. In its round trip it may cover as much as 22,000 miles - nearly equal to flying around the world at the equator! In all the year the only time it experiences full darkness is during the few nights passed in the neighborhood of the tropics, for its summer about the North Pole is one long day, as is winter about the South Pole.

But although this is much the longes journey made by any bird, it is not in some ways as remarkable as the plover's for the tern is a sea bird, an time dive into the water and feed on the abundant supply of fishes and other marine animals, while the plover is really a land bird, incapable of feeding at sea. So it has to fatten up before leaving its summer home, and make half of its enormous autumn journey without food.

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CROSBY-At Amherst, March 1, to Mr and Mrs Cecii W Crosby, a daughter. HAMMOND-At Winter Harbor, Feb 23, to Mr and Mrs Dana Hammond, a daughter. LUNT-At Long Island. Feb 23, to Mr and Mrs. John R Lunt, a daughter.

MARRIED.

DODGE-BARBOUR-At Deer Isle, Feb 28, by Rev H W Collins, Miss Isabelle Dodge, of Deer Isle, to Archibald Barbour, of Stoning-

EATON-ROBBINS-At Deer Isle, Feb 19, by Rev H W Collins, Miss Ethel Eaton, to Allen B Robbins, both of Deer Isle. EATON-ROBINSON - At Stonington, Feb 24, R W Carter, esq. Miss Vesta E Eaton, of Deer Isle, to Charles H Robinson, of Ston-ington.

ROST-SALSBURY-At Ellsworth, March 6, by Rev P A A Killam, Miss Isabelle F Frost, of Mariaville, to Harold B Saisbury, of Ellsworth.

DIED.

BLODGETT-At Bucksport, March 3, George Biodgett, aged 30 years, 7 months. BOWDEN-At Ellsworth, March 3, Capt J At-wood Bowden, aged 50 years, 4 months, 22

days.

CONNER—At North Brooksville, March 2.

Miss Geneva M Conner, aged 25 years, 10 months, 11 days.

DAVIS—At Orland, Feb 20, Aaron B Davis, aged 73 years, 11 months, 20 days.

FINN—At Elisworth Falls, Feb 29, Edward Finn, aged 89 years.

HAYNES—At North Brookson March.

HAYNES-At North Penobscot, March 2, George W Haynes, aged 59 years, 4 months, 7 days. MERCHANT—At Stonington, Feb 22, Myra Louise Merchant, aged 7 years, 10 months, 8 days.

PERT-At Bluehill, Feb 28, Mrs. Sarah Emily Pert, aged 46 years, 2 months, 23 days. PICKERING-At Orland, Feb 22. James E Pickering, aged 6 months, 23 days. Fickering, aged 6 months, 28 days.

STANLEY—At Swan's Island, Feb 27, Albion R Stanley, aged 70 years, 11 months.

SWEETSER—At Stonington, Feb 27, Avery Pifield Sweetser, aged 52 y.ars, 4 months, 19 days.

WENTWORTH -- At Ellsworth, March 2, Mrs Mary J Wentworth, aged 75 years.

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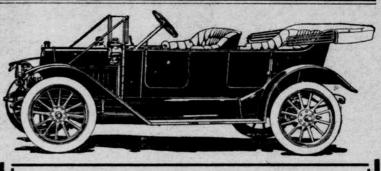
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BLUEHILL.

A. C. Long, of Bangor, formerly of this town, is spending a few days here.

James R. Abram is on a business and pleasure trip to Boston and New York. Miss Mildred Bettel is home from

Stonington, where she has been teaching. Abram & Kane announce a poverty ball in town ball March 9, with an orchestra of

Marshall K. Olds and wife and daughte Margaret are home, after a visit in Dexter and New York city.

The sewing circle of the Congregational church will have an all-day session in the vestry Thursday. Dinner will be served

Frank McGouldrick and wife, Norman H. Mayo and wife, Miss Nettie Pollard, Miss Dewherst and Prof. A. W. Boston spent the week-end in Harrington, the guests of Miss Augusta Leighton.

ODD FELLOWS' CONVENTION.

The Odd Fellows' convention Thursday was attended by more than 300 Odd Fellows. The following had charge of the arrangments: George S. Hagerthy, D. D. G. Alonzo S. Whitham, Charles H. Wardwell, Charles A. Snow, Ward W.

The convention was called to order at 2 p. m. There was exemplification of the initiatory degree by Brooklin lodge, and first degree by Lejok lodge, of Ellsworth, Supper was served at 6 p. m.

In the evening the second degree was exemplified by Bluehill lodge, and the third degree by Governor Brooks lodge, of

Addresses and instruction by the grand officers followed. Charles Jackson, of Portland, grand master, Geo. S. Hagerthy, of Ellsworth, district deputy, Frank S. Call, of Ellsworth, grand marshal, were

At midnight a supper was served. The work throughout the day was of a high order, and seldom has the interest been maintained or the sociability and spirit of brotherly love and friendship

Merch 4.

HANCOCK.

Mrs. C. A. Crabtree is visiting in Frank

Miss Lula Stratton, of Lawrence, Mass. visited relatives here last week.

Howard Young is home from Wilton, where he has spent the winter. O. B. Pettingill and wife are visiting in

Cherryfield. Miss Vera Fernald, of Franklin, was the

week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. C. P. The members of the J. N. E. club were

pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. H. W. Johnson Tuesday afternoon Percy Hodgkins and wife, of Bar Harbor, were recent guests of Walter Hodgkins

Miss Hazel Young, of Bar Harbor, visited her parents, C. B. Young and wife,

Misses Bernice Eldridge and Mas Studer, of Ellsworth, were guests of Miss Gertrude Foss a few days last week.

Mrs. O. W. Foss returned Saturday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Worthen, at Melrose, Mass.

Mrs. Harold Foss and brother Kenneth Crabtree, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Ira Gray, at Mansfield, Mass.

Augustus I. Foss, master of Green Mountain Pomons grange, attended a meeting of the Pomona masters at Augusta last week. March 4.

FRANKLIN.

Miss Vida Springer is home from an extended visit in Bangor. Miss Frances Dyer is at home from

Greenfield, where she has been teaching. Mrs. Carrie Holbrook, of Brewer, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eunice Blais-

Mrs. Ruth Card returned Friday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Nickerson,

Members of the different church ocieties are planning to serve dinners town meeting day. ▲ delightful dinner party was given a

the Relay house Friday, when, by invitation of the hostess, Mrs. Carrie Havey, friends of Mrs. Martha Havey observed her seventy-seventh birthday, by a surprise gathering. It was a genuine surprise to the former landlady of this hostelry, who is spending the winter there. The number was largely increase in the afternoon by callers. Social chat, with pleasing vocal selections by Mr. Arey and Miss Mary Mayo, filled the time. Mrs. Havey has been well this season, and busy with her needlework, which includes two finished patchwork quilts.

March 4.

SOUTH BLUEHULL

Herman Oison has gone to New York to join the yacht Kajurens Mrs. B. E. Sylvester, jr., and daughter

Berths are visiting in Brooksville Blanchard Bowden, who has been employed in Massachusetts, is hor

Mrs. W. C. Conary and child, of Bu port, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Sarah

Mrs. Harriet Day pleasantly entertained friends Saturday evening, her birthday

Mrs. Irving Collins, who has spent some

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time with her parents, James Henderson and wife, in Brooklin, is hor C.

Feb. 27

M. W. Lurvey and family have moved to ound, where Mr. Lurvey is employed. C. W. Kittredge is seriously ill. His sor Charles, who has been employed in Massa

E. B. Higgins, who had been ill three months, died Monday, Feb. 26. He was a direct descendant of the two oldest families of Mt. Desert island, being the fifth child of Betsey Hamor and Joseph Higgins. One daughter and grandsou; also a sister-Mrs. Esther Shackford, of Center

Barnstead, N. H., and several near relatives are left. The funeral services were held at the home Wednesday, Rev. Mr. Walker officiating. Mr. Higgins was eighty-six years old, and had always been unusually active. Interment was in Mt. View cemetery.

March 4.

SUNSET.

Alden Stinson cut his foot badly last

Mrs. William Powers spent last week in Willard Mathews and wife are visiting

at Stonington. Mrs. Freeman Robbins, who has spent

the winter here, has returned to South Deer Isle. A pretty church wedding took place in

the Latter Day Saints chapel, at Mountainville, Feb. 25, when Mrs. Myrtle Robbins became the wife of Nathan Eaton Elder Foss officiated. The chapel was filled with friends from all parts of the town. Mr. and Mrs. Eaton will reside at Feb. 26.

SURRY.

Miss Nellie Sinclair, of Ellsworth, visiting here.

Earl Gaspar is home from Beverly, Mass. for a short visit.

Mrs. Sasan Mosley, who has been with Mrs. C. E. Billington, left Sunday.

There will be a poverty ball next Monday eyening, at the grange hall, under the auspices of the grange. Monaghan's rchestra will furnish the music.

March 4.

TREMONT.

Mrs. Ida M. Norwood, of Seal Cove, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mildred Nor-

wood. The entertainment and sociable by the ladies' aid, Feb. 28, was a success. All had their parts perfectly. The solos by Mrs. Sidney Wallace and Mrs. Cora Bragi were finely rendered. Ice-cream, cake and candy were sold. Proceeds, over \$20, for

church purposes. March 2. KIN.

BAYSIDE.

Mrs. Ethelyn Remick closed a success ful term of school in district No. 1 last week. All hope for her return in the spring.

Mrs. Phebe Marshall celebrated her eighty-sixth birthday Feb. 16. Her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and a good many friends remembered her by gifts and cards. Mrs. Marshall is a smart old lady and enjoys good health for one of her years.

ISLESFORD.

Miss Ruth Stanley, who has been em ployed at Charles Jarvis', has returned to Cranberry Isles.

Ralph Bryant came near cutting his hand off last week while using a circular saw at his father's shop.

Mrs. L. A. Richardson, of North L. moine, who has been employed as nurse at Benjamin Campbell's, has returned home.

PARTRIDGE COVE.

Mrs. Elizabeth Saunders, of Old Towns is visiting at Henry Bartlett's.

William Emery and daughter, Mrs. Leighton, visited in Bar Harber over Sun-

Clarence Young and wife and Leander Smith went to Bayside Wednesday to attend the county grange and visit their brother, Wesley Smith.

March 4.

WEST SURRY.

Mrs. Carrie Anderson, of South Surry, with daughter Rubie, is visiting her parents, G. F. Gray and wife. Because of snow-blocked roads the rural

delivery was unable to reach us Feb. 27, for the first time in seven years. Young folks attended a pie sociable at

the chapel Friday evening, in honor of its being Mrs. Susie Williams' birthday.

WEST TRENTON.

Mrs. Herman Douglass is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Andie Spurling, in Boston Addie D. Dark entertained the euchre club Feb 24. Mrs. Edwin Hopkins won first prize; Lester Hopkins second; Mrs. George Hopkins the booby prize.

HANCOCK POINT. William Crabtree is very poorly. C. A. Penney is visiting in Bangor.

Howard Hodgkins has gone to Bangor to

W. H. Phillips will soon move to North Ellsworth. March 4

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COUNTY NEWS.

SEDGWICK.

REACH ROAD. Charles Holden and daughter Constance left Monday to attend the wedding of Mr. Holden's daughter Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Allen are re daughter-Priscilla Louise.

Miss Lucie Grant has been called to Boston by the serious illness of her nephew's wife, Mrs. Sadie Billings.

Mrs. Daniel Eaton slipped on ice on her piazza recently and fell, bruising her face adly, and scalding her wrist and arm from a kettle of hot water she was carry-The ladies of the No. 3 branch of the

Sedgwick missionary society met Wednesday at the chapel and "knotted" a quilt, to be sold for the benefit of the society. They took a basket lunch, and report a good time. They will give a supper soon.

Miss Laura Means returns to Boston to

J. F. Small, who has been ill a week, is better.

Mrs. L. J. Sylvester and Miss Lillian are visiting in Boston. Earl Stanley and wife, of Sutton, are visiting Mrs. Stanley's parents, W. N.

Means and wife. Henry Kenney and Frank Gray, who had rooms at the Travelers Home, lost verything in the fire Wednesday. Mr. Kenney, besides his personal effects, lost \$40 in old coins which he had been collect-

The Travelers Home, one of the old andmarks here, was burned Wednesday. When the alarm was given, men for miles around quickly responded. but had to work valiantly to save the surrounding houses. The house had been in the Dority family for three generations, ent time by I. S. Candage. It had been closed to the public for several months, but was to have been opened this month by R. A. Bracy, who had leased it for the year. The family saved nearly everything of value below stairs.

OAK POINT.

Frank G. Murch is at his brother Fred's ill of measles.

Charles Sargent has gone to Hall Quarry to work.

Maurice Grindle and Arthur Morton are visiting in Bar Harbor.

Myra Walls has gone to Otter Creek to stay a while with Mrs. Hillard Walls. Mrs. Flora Gray and son Walter, who

have been in Massachusetts the past win-ter, are expected home this week. George Murch and wife, who have been at their cottage here this winter, will go to Bar Harbor this week to get ready for their summer work.

NORTH PENOBSCOT.

March 4.

A heavy snowstorm has again covered the roads and fields with about a foot of snow, and the traveling is quite hard.

The selectmen have issued their annual report. The tax-rate has been large, .028. Assets over liabilities, \$2,459. The penditures have been kept within the appropriations.

George Haynes, who has been confined to his house with paralysis during the winter, died Saturday. He was a good citizen, a kind neighbor, and a devoted husband and parent. He had many friends and no enemies, and will be much missed in the community.

March 4. EAST LAMOINE.

Alva Pickering is recovering from pneu Miss Gertrude Mason is home, having

finished her school at Buck's Mills Mrs. Alice Gibbs was in East Bucksport last week, visiting her brother, John

Grindle. James Pickering and wife have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their infant son, who died last week, of

pneumonia. March 4.

NORTH DEER ISLE. Mrs. A. G. Haskell has gone to Boston

Mail Carrier F. E. Hardy has been ill the past week. His son has carried the

mail. Edward Thompson and wife, of Swan's Island, are visiting their father, Capt. L. Thompson. Miss Gertrude, who has been at Swan's Island three months, re-

turned with them.

MARLBORO. A son was born to Arthur Hodkgins and wife March 3.

Mrs. Vietta Duffee, of Bluehill, spent a few days last week with her brother, Gar-

Mrs. Clara Ford has gone to Lamoine to visit Maynerd Young and his mother. Miss Inez Ford accompanied her mother. March 4. ARE.

FRANKLIN ROAD.

Lee McKay visited in Bangor last week. Miss Sadie Mullan closed her school in

amoine last week, and is home. Mrs. C. E. Scribner, of Milford, visited her parents, Henry Butler and wife, re-

March 4.

John W. Sickelsmith, Greensborn, Pa., has three children, and like most children, they frequently take cold. "We have tired several kinds of cough medicine," he says, "but have never found any yet that, did them as much good as Chambertain's Cough Remedy." For sale by all dealers.

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A CONDUCTOR'S STORY

By BISSELL T. RAND

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We railroad conductors have to stand a great deal of abuse, to which we are expected to give a courteous reply. I make it a rule when a passenger takes me to task for something that occurs in the line of my duty not to stop for a talk, but to push on to another part of the train. In this way I avoid an unpleasant discussion, probably having to listen to a catalogue of the railroad management's sins against the public and being tortured into breakng rules by using severe words.

The severe words are severe words.

ductor is putting persons off the train who either cannot or will not pay their fare. We must be careful to keep within the law, and we can't always be certain about it. The company don't wish to be sued for damages in such cases, and where they are it prefers that the law be on their side.

I was going through my train one day when a seed; looking man handed me a ticket on another road. I refused to take it, of course. Whereupon he said that it had been sold to him for a ticket on my road and I had got to take it. I insisted that if he didn't pay his fare I would put him off, whereupon he paid to a station called Arlington, saying that was all I would get for the whole distance. I replied that he could ride to Arlington, and if he didn't pay further he would be put off at Harkerville two miles beyond

The man was evidently playing some game. I disliked interfering with him for fear he was intending to get put off that he might serve some purp by doing so. The fellow looked too respectable for his clothes. However, the rules were imperative, and when he refused to pay at Arlington I de termined to put him off at Harkerville. When the train stopped I put my arms under his and lifting him out of his seat hustled him to the door of the car. I got him through but when I endeavored to dislodge him from the platform he put up an effective resistance. Getting his grip on the guard rail, he hung on till a crowd, attracted by the noise, collected, and my man, though struggling found breath to curse the railroad, its management and all its employees. Finally I pushed him off and signaled the engineer to pull ahead. I left the man shaking his fist at me and vowing vengeance. Looking back from a distance, I saw him haranguing those who had witnessed his ejectment.

The matter troubled me. I expected that he had some right to ride that I knew not of-that he would sue the company and I would be discharged for not having passed him. Ordinarily, this would not have troubled me, but in this case the man, though shabbily dressed, did not look like a tramp or a man accustomed to force himself as a deadhead. There had been an attempt to wreck

one of the trains on the road which had nearly succeeded. The train referred to carried a large sum of money for an express company, and it was supposed that it was to rob this car that the attempt had been made. Running a local train myself. I did not take much interest in the matter, for my train was not liable to be wrecked for purposes of robbery.

One morning I was told that the gang who had attempted to wreck to any kind of party watchword, has the train had been tracked by detectives employed by the company, and an arrest had been made. But where they had been captured I did not hear. I was just starting out on my daily trip and had no time to indulge my curiosity by making inquiries about the matter.

When I reached Arlington I was handed a telegram from the superintendent to stop my train just across a bridge about a mile before I reache Harkerville and take on a party that would be waiting there for me. I made the stop as ordered and found several clothes police officers, arm with rifles as well as revolvers, guarding a number of handcuffed pris officers put their captives aboard the train, and after starting I went into the car where they were to collect ir fares. One of the officers, clapping a hand on my shoulder, said:

"See here, conductor, a few weeks paying my fare. I was obliged to mit, but now I propose to carry this whole gang through without tickets or

thing that may happen."

The man spoke banteringly. I leoked at his face and it seemed familiar. Then it dawned upon me that he was the seedy passenger with whom I had had the scuffle.

"Don't you remember me?" he asked "I think I do."

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with these gentlemen with bracelets on their wrists. They are the men who tried to wreck the express some time ago. They were tracked to Harkerville, and the company sent me there to gain their confidence. I saw no better way for an introduction than to get put off the train. I stayed awhile in Harkerville, cursing you and the road, until one of these men was em-

boldened to propose to me another attempt at wrecking. had had a pass in his pocket at the time I put him off, and had an other now for himself and party. But I didn't ask to see it.

The Strength of Infants.

The myth of the infant Hercules who strangied two serpents in his cradle may not be a myth at all, but fact. Modern science has proved that it is a possible feat. The newborn babe is relatively much stronger than a full grown man, according to the result of medical tests. The muscles of the forearm are surprisingly strong. A few hours after birth a baby pended by its finger to a stick or to the finger of a person can hold itself in the air for ten seconds and in the case of particularly strong infants for as long as half a minute. At four days old the child's strength has increased, and the time is two and a half minutes for 98 per cent of ba-bies. The maximum is attained at a fortnight. Few infants can hang on for more than one and a half minutes though one exceptionally young Hercules remained suspended for minutes and thirty-eight seconds by his right hand. After that he hung on with his left for fifteen seconds longer.

She Got Her Manuscript.

George Eliot was always solicito about her manuscripts and was afraid she should lose them. Blackwood had occasion to send her the manuscript of "Daniel Deronda." She would not She would not have it intrusted to the mail, Mr. Blackwood said he would send it by his footman the next day.

"Oh, don't," the author said. "He might stop at a public house and forget it!" Mr. Blackwood explained that this

an was a perfectly sober man of high character and went on to praise the man's virtues, but this did not re-assure her at all. "If he is the sort of chivalrous Bayard that you describe," she said, "he is just the kind that would stop and help at a fire."

This was a contingency that Mr. Blackwood could not bear to consider. He promised that some member of his family would bring the manuscript and next day, in fact, Mr. Blackwood drove over with it.

When Shaw Was Married.

"I was very ill when I was married," Bernard Shaw once wrote, "altogether a wreck on crutches and in an old jacket which the crutches had worn to rags. I had asked my friends, Gra ham Wallas and Henry Salt, to act as witnesses, and, of course, in honor of the occasion they were dressed in their best clothes. The registrar never im agined I could possibly be the bridegroom; he took me for the inevitable beggar who completes all wedding pro cessions. Wallas, who is considerably over six feet high, seemed to him to be the hero of the occasion, and he was proceeding to marry him calmly to my betrothed when Wallas, thinking the formula rather strong for a mere witness, hesitated at the last moment and left the prize to me."—"George Bernard Shaw-His Life and Works," by

A. Henderson, M. A.

The Word Shibboleth.
The word "shibboleth," now applied a Scriptural origin. In the fifth and sixth verses of the twelfth of Judges fords of Jordan against the Ephraimites, and it was so that when any fugitive of Ephraim said, Let me go over, the men of Glicad said unto him, Art thou an Ephraimite? If he said Nay, then they said unto him, Say now Shibboleth, and he said Sibboleth, for he could not frame to ounce it right. Then they laid hold of him and slew him at the fords of Jordan. And there fell at that time of Ephraim forty and two thousand."

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A Castle Legend

A Story Suggesting That Medieval Landlords Were Sometimes Not What They should Be

By EVANGELINE C. ROBERTS

Tourists steaming up or down the Rhine looking at the ruins of medieval castles on its banks will pass one especially gloomy looking. No matter how bright the day, this castle maintains the same somber appearance. On moonlight nights it stands out against the lighter sky like a black, ragged cloud. People inhabiting that region never pass it or see it in the distance without muttering a prayer or crossing themselves. There is a legend connected with the old ruin that has come down from a time when the castle was in good condition and regularly occupied by its last owner. Baron Muhlenberg.

The baron, runs the legend, was one

of those feudal lords who lived and whose retainers lived by robbing trav-eiers. Muhlenberg did not descend to taking purses. He was a sort of taxgatherer. When he saw a merchant carrying a load of goods on a road which ran past the foot of the hill on which his castle was built he would go down and collect a percentage on pied by the newborn babe and its the value of his wares. He also possessed a large boat moored below his castle on the Rhine, and when he saw a cargo of goods going either up or down the river be would send a force out into the stream to collect transit money. But, by whatever name fie called his collections, they were either robbery or piracy.

The baron was unfortunate in his domestic relations. His wife was what in these days we call a nagger, and his children quarreled with their parents and with one another. In this way they finally were him out and a short time before his death made such a clamor, each urging him to leave him or her a large slice of the property he had accumulated, that they nearly drove him mad. Indeed, it is quite likely that they did drive him mad, for on opening his will after his demise they read these words:

I bequeath my cantle and all I possess to the devil My soul I commit to a mer-

This testament threw the ownership of the castle and the rest of the property into confusion. The courts would have divided it, as in cases where there is no will, but the legal beirs fought each other so fiercely that the estate was never settled. The court of chancery kept control of it and offered the castle for rent. But no one seemed desirous to rent it, and it remained unoccupied for a long while.

One day a man named Siegel went to the court and said that he would rent the castle on a ninety-nine year lease. Such leases were not in vogue at that time, and the master in chancery asked him if he wished to sublet it to a newly born witch. Siegel deciared that he would sublet it only to pious people. So the lease was made out, and Siegel was virtually made owner of the property. As for the money the baron bad left, that had disappeared in the litigation brought about by the beirs at law.

The first tenant the lessee put into the castle was Carl von Schomberg, a younger son of a German nobleman. Von Schomberg was an excellent man, and his wife, Hildegarde, was a saint. he had omitted to put it on.

Their iandlord promised to make them "I have a crucifix that I will give Their landlord perfectly comfortable by putting the you," said Hildegarde. castle in prime order. A great many repairs were necessary, because since the death of Baron Muhlenberg no one had lived there, and the place was failing into decay. The Schombergs, who were very honorable persons, did not doubt that their landlord would keep his promise and, like many other tenants nowadays, signed the lease and took possession, trusting him to make the repairs at his convenience.

He never found it convenient.

The first night young Schomberg and his wife siept in the castle there came a terrible storm that would have rocked the old pile had it not been so soild. But the roof leaked badly, and a stream of water came pouring down on the bed in which the couple lay. The next day Schomberg wrote his landlord, begging him to attend to repairs at once, since be and his wife had suffered much already from the

The letter bad hardly been sent before Siegel came up the declivity. and, meeting Schomberg and his wife in the courtyard, began to abuse them violently for endeavoring to get concessions while they paid so small a rent. Schomberg, who had never spoken an unkindly word to any one in his life, fell into a rage with the man and spoke to him so violently that his wife dragged him into the castle. Then she went out again and told Sie gel that they would themselves make all the repairs needed and he need not

trouble himself about them. The landlord went away, but came ack occasionally on pretense of assuring himself that his tenants wanted for nothing. This was especially irritating, because they knew that it they should ask him to make any re-justra they would call down upon themselves a torrent of abuse. He had a very bad effect on the husband and after awhile when the wife saw meir landlord coming up the hill she would try to get Carl out of the way

rastle they expected to make it their home. They proposed to Siegel to buy it, and he swore at them, saying:

"You think to buy the castle, do you? You wish to deprive me of my interest in it? Do you know who owns Well, I will tell you. Baron Muhlenberg, the last owner, when he dled left it to the devil."

Hildegarde was so shocked at this that she crossed herself and cast her eyes up to beaven, muttering a prayer. When she looked again at egel she saw him striding away as rapidly as possible. He passed out of the castle and down the bill, disap-pearing behind a rock. The Schombergs, astonished, followed him to see where he would go; but, though they waited a long while to see him reappear, he did not do so, nor did they see him again that day.

Frau Schomberg gave birth to a boy, her first child. Not long after this son came Siegel appeared one day and offered his congratulations. berg, finding him apparently in a good bumor, ventured to mention the matter of repairs. All the tenants' plans to make the castie habitable had failed. He had employed workmen to fix their sleeping room, but after the job was finished the roof leaked worse than before. A foundation wall that supported one of the towers having crumbled, Schomberg attempted to prop it up and in doing so brought a part of the tower down about hisenra.

Whatever he touched gave way. He told his landlord of his bad luck and asked him if he would not at least make habitable the room occumother, explaining that both needed warmth. Siegei said that nothing would give him more pleasure. He would go at once to examine the apartment to see what was needed.

Schomberg took him up to the room where his wife was lying in bed, endeavoring to keep warm under the clothing, while the babe slept in its cradie. Siegel went to the cradle to see the child and took him up in his arms. Then, with a look of malicious triumph, he turned and moved toward the door. Schomberg seemed rooted to the spot, having no power to stop the flend from carrying away his child.

"Help! Hely mother!" cried Hilde garde, and in a moment the father dashed forward, and Siegel dropped the babe on the floor. Schomberg took him up and was so anxious to know if it had been injured that he ceased to regard the would be kidnaper. When homberg and his wife, being satisfied that their child was uninjured, looked again for Siegel be had disappeared.

One day a priest came up to the castle and told Schomberg that Siegel had admitted at the confessional how badly he had treated his tenants, had repented and had been given absolution He had sent the priest to him to say that he was the sole owner of the cas-tle and had made a deed for it to Schomberg and his wife forever. All that was needed was that they should sign a receipt for it. The couple were pleased at this, for since the castle cost them nothing they could well afford to employ a first class architect to put it in repair and live comfortably in it for the rest of their days.

Schomberg signed the receipt, and Hildegarde was about to do likewise when it occurred to her to read it. She did so and found nothing but an ordinary receipt. She took up the pen she had laid aside and was about to write her name under that of her hus band when she noticed that the priest

had not a cross on his person. "Father," she said, "how is it that you wear no crucifix?"

The priest seemed surprised and said

She went to her bureau and, taking from it a crucifix, came back, holding It up that the priest might see it. He trembled and shrank away like a whipped spaniel. Schomberg and his looked at each other wonderingly. listening to the footsteps of the man as he went quickly down the staircase. He had dropped the deed

"He was no priest," said the husband, "but the devil, who came here for some unboly purpose."

and left the unsigned receipt on the

They took up the deed and read it carefully. Hidden among a number of legal phrases they found a consideration for the castle, and that consideration was their son when he should reach the age of twelve years.

Dropping on their knees, they gave thanks to beaven that they had been spared being trapped in this nefarious transaction, then rising determined that they would no longer live in a castle that had been willed to the devil. So the next morning Hildegarde took the babe and went away, followed by her husband as soon as he could re-move their effects. They were not sorry to leave an abode in which they had had so much trouble and where they had been so near losing their babe.

That same night a black cloud arose in the west, advancing toward the eastle. It had the shape of the aboutders and head of a man with the arms outstretched, and when it reached a point over the castle the arms seem to be drawn together, the gigantic ing bending down as if to enfold it. Then a bolt shot from the cloud, striking one of the towers, and when the thunder had rolled away among the neighboring hills the old pile was left the ruin it has remained till the pres-

ent day. Such is the legend connected with this old ruin—a legend that goes to show that in feudal times there was as much disagreement between land-The Rehombergs had signed a long lord and tenant as to keeping removes. for when they went into the houses in repair as there is now. lord and tenant as to keeping rented

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Attest: —John E. Bunker, Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
STATE OF MAINE.
Still day of February, a. d. 1912,

SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF MAINE.

Taken this 13th day of February, a. d. 1912, on execution dated February, 3, 1912, issued on a judgment rendered by the supreme judicial court, for the county of Hancock, at the term thereof begun and held on the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 1911, to wit, October 10, a. d. 1911, in favor of Edmund D. Noves, of Waterville, Kennebec county, State of Maine, doing business at said Waterville under the name of Noyes Stove Company, against Fred L. Kenney, of Verona, Hancock county, Maine, for thirty-one dollars and fitty-three cents debt or damage, and ten dollars and three cents costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction, at the office of W. C. Conary at Bucksport, said county, to the highest bidder, on the 18th day of March, a. d. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest which the said Fred L. Kenney has and had in and to the same, to wit: A certain lot or parcel of land, with the buildings standing thereon, situate in said Verona on the westerly side of the main road and bounded and described as follows to wit: southerly and westerly by land of heirs of Thomas Mooney (formerly land of William Butler), northerly by land of Fred Bassett (formerly of J. & N. Bassett), easterly by the main foad leading from the bridge, said lot being ten road square, and containing one hundred square rods. Charless A. Alex, Deputy Sheriff.

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THE subscriber nereny gives notice that a she has been duly appointed executric of the last will and testament of ELLEN DONOVAN, late of ELLEWORTH, in the county of Hancock, deceased, no bonds he in grequired by the terms of said will. All persons having demands against the sate of said deceased are desired to present thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Feb. 29, 1912.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. DISTRICT OF MAINE,
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

runy 11, 1907, entitled "an act making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirsleth, niesteen hondred and two, and for prior years, an: for other purposes", a fund was appropriated for the purchase of an addition to the fish hatchery station at Green lake in the town of Oits and States of Maine, and that thereby the secretary of commerce and labor of the said United States is authorized to procure such real estate as may be necessary for the said purpose, and that in pursuance of the said authority the said secretary of commerce and labor has determined that the hereinafter described lot or parcel so, and is necessary

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

DISTRICT OF MAINE,
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

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VS
EBEN MERRILL. ORDER OF COURT.

C. H. By the court,

[L 8.] James E. Hewer, Clerk,

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COUNTY NEWS.

NORTH CASTINE.

Miss Josephine Conner is slightly bet-

Miss Nancy Irish is able to leave her

Mrs. Maurice Hilton and children are

Miss Emma C. Wardwell will leave Sat urday to teach in Hampden.

Frank Perkins, of Castine, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Alma Perkins

Eugene Osgood and wife, of Bluebill, were guests last week of Mrs. Clara P.

Mrs. Lillian Butler, who was called here by the death of her nephew, Ithel W. Farnham, has returned to Farmington.

There was a pleasing entertainment and ice-cream social at the Perkins hill schoolhouse Wednesday evening, under the di-rection of Mrs. Alfred Perkins. After the entertainment, the ladies' aid society sold ice-cream, cakes, candy and popcorn balls, realizing a nest sum to help in the church work. Thanks are due Mrs. Per-

The funeral of Ithel W. Farnham, whose young life went out so suddenly by accident, was held Tuesday, Feb. 20, at the home of his parents, Frank J. Farnham and wife. Rev C. W. Lowell spoke words of consolation, and appropriate selections were sung. The house was filled with friends and neighbors, who have expressed their sympathy in many ways, for which the family are very grateful affection for the deceased was attested by the many beautiful flowers. Interment was in the village cemetery.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

Miss Beatrice Carroll, who has been teaching near Houlton is, home for her spring vacation.

Mrs. Alice Gilley, of Baker's island, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. William

Evangelist Smith opened the week's series of meetings at the Congregational church Sunday morning. The district convention of Odd Fellows

Wednesday was a marked success, with a large attendance. The Rebekah food committee furnished three excellent meals.

Friday evening the Congregational sew ing circle gave a fine entertainme Masonic hall, to a large audience. Icecream was served at the close. A tidy sum was added to the circle tressury.

Miss Rebecca Gilley, who has been with her sister, Mrs. John Harvel, of Portland, since Christmas, is hor bringing the news of the arrival of a little son at the Harvel home.

Mar. 4. SPRAY.

SULLIVAN HARBOR.

Miss Charlene Wilson is expected hom this week from Boston.

The Neighborhood club will meet with Mrs. James Meynell this week. . Mrs. R. A. Black and Mrs. W. A. Uranz

will be matrons for the Sorosis next week. Mrs. Moses Hawkins and daughters are expected home from Cambridge, Mass.,

Charles Allen has gone to Camden, here the steamer J. T. Morse is docked for repairs. There will be a concest by the high

chool pupils under the direction of Mrs V. H. Russell, at K. of P. hall, West Suiliven, Friday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all

who desire to join the bible class conducted by W. H. Russell at the church nday afternoons at 2 o'clock.

BROOKLIN.

The harbor is clear of ice

Frank Staples is home for a few days. Victor Bridges went to Boston Thur

E. B. Kane, who has been very ill, i H. S. Kane is baving a cistern built in

me from Boston, wh

Capt. Judson Freethey, who has

og at Ellsworth, is h Edward Linscott spent the week

A. E. Farnsworth, who has spe

of the winter in Florida and Boston, is

Mrs. G. W. Herrick.

Mrs. Hatch was called to Islesboro Thurs-

Miss Helen Mayo, who has been attending a business college in Boston, is home. Mrs. Augusta Staples has moved into

day by the illness of her mother.

the upstairs spartments at Mrs. Isaac George C. Hall has returned from Somerville, Mass., where he visited his daughter,

Miss Helen McFarland, who has been attending the conservatory of music, returned from Boston Wednesday.

The remains of Osman Allen Bridge vere brought here Feb. 24 from Woonsocket, R. I., where he died suddenly of pneumonia, Feb 22, at the age of fifty ears. Mr. Bridges left home some years ago to study electrical engineering, in which profession he had been successful, having held important positions in the South as well as in New England. He was a Mason and an Odd Fellow. Services of his brother, Arthur W. Bridges, Rev. S. W. Trueworthy, of North Sedgwick, and beautiful. His death is a heavy loss to an aged mother and father and an in-

UNE FRAME.

LAMOINE.

Miss Clara Hodgkins is ill of tonsilitis. Howard Hodgkins was in Bangor last week the guest of Dr. C. E. Holt.

N. P. Olsen has moved into his ho recently purchased of John L. King. Lawrence Leach, little son of Mrs. Mary

Covey, has been very ill of bronchitis. Capt. Charles Hodgkins and wife drove to Bar Harbor to-day for a visit of a few

A successful dinner was given by the grange town meeting day, nearly \$30

being taken. A social will be held at C. E. hall Friday evening. Home-made candy and other refreshments will be on sale. If stormy Friday, it will be held Saturday

EAST LAMOINE. Harry Hodgkins was at Islesford on

in Bangor last week Mrs. Fred A. Orcutt, of Ellsworth, vis-

ited Mrs. H. L. Smith last week Miss Agnes Boynton, who has been in

Bar Harbor several weeks, is hom

Miss Lena DesIsles, who was called home by the illness of her mother, Mrs. E. G. DesIsles, returned to Bangor Friday.

successful term of school here Friday. Miss Mullan is highly esteemed by her pupils, and has made many friends during her stay in town. . March 4.

NORTH LAMOINE.

Mrs. A. A. Richardson, who has been at Islesford several weeks, is home.

Harold Higgins, who has been visiting his grandparents in Otis, is home.

Florence Higgins recently returned from Ellsworth Falls, where she has been

oved from their home in Marlboro to Mrs. Ellen Young's.

Capt. Harvey Bragdon, who has spent the winter at home, returned to New York

Capt. A. B. Holt and wife spent the lat-

er part of the week visiting in Sullivan and South Gouldsboro.

WEST GOULDSBORO. Mrs. Newell Bunker is ill.

Mrs. Abbie Taft, who has been in East ullivan this winter is be

Mrs. C. M. Sterns and Mrs. Linwe rgent, who have been ill, are better.

Pearl and Clarence Bunker, who have en in the woods with their families have moved out.

John U. Tracy and wife are home after spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Smith, in Portland.

The entertainment Feb. 22, was reper March 2, by request, and was a success socially and financially. Much credit is due Mrs. N. S. Bunker and Mrs. Daisy Sterns, who had charge.

A Russian Nobleman Injured

While Hunting Is Entertained by a Charming Woman

The Invalid

By GEORGE BECKWITH

A party of gentlemen were hunting in the province of Tula, in Russia. One of them, Count Radzimon, a man about thirty-two and of a very aristocratic mien, was thrown from his horse and injured. On an eminence near by appeared a castle of modern build, and the count's servant was sent there to inquire if his master would be welcome until be might recover from his injuries. The servant rode to the castle, asked for the owner and was ushered into the presence of a young and beautiful woman.

master," he said, "Count Radzimost, while hunting in the forest be-low has fallen from his horse and sent me to learn if he may beg a lodgment here until it can be determined if he is able to proceed to the capital."

At the name Radzimoff the lady started. When the man had made his request she called for the master of her stables and ordered him to get out the most comfortable conveyance for an invalid, go with the lackey and bring the count to the castle. Before the departure of the carriage she said

"Answer no questions concerning Then, calling her household together, she said to them, 'During the stay in the castle of the gentleman who is coming you are to remember that I am Mme. Murienieff and am addressed solely as 'Madame.' "

On the count's arrival madame met him at the steps and herself assisted him into the castle. Her reception of him was full of sympathy, even tenderness. She placed him on a lounge in the great hall or living room, where, his head resting on pillows and cover ed by an afghan, she bid him remain quiet until the arrival of a physician for whom she had sent. She met the doctor without on the porch and said

"Doctor, I have received as my gues a gentleman who has been injured a fall from his horse. Whatever his condition, you are to tell him that he will not be able to leave the castle for at least a week." The doctor carried out his instruc-

tions, and when he left his patient madame went into the room where the count was lying and bent over him sympathetically. That rascally doctor says I must

thrust myself upon you for a whole week," said Radzimoff. "You shall be my welcome guest for

that time and longer "But the bunt-I shall miss that." "I am sorry for you, but I shall en-

deavor to make your enforced stay here as endurable as possible.' "I shall be needed at the capital. I

hold a position at the palace, and his majesty has given me leave for but a few days."

"His majesty, if he values you, will not risk your life by calling for you to come before your physician gives per-mission. I will write an explanation

"Nonsense! I can write perfectly well. Indeed, I don't believe a word that stupid doctor says. I can certainly go to St. Petersburg, even if it is not best for me to continue the hunt.

She brought writing materials, but his reclining position was not con-ducive to scribbling, and his hand trembled. So she did the work for him.

"And now," she said, "as your hostess it is my bounden duty to relieve, so far as possible, the tedium of your captivity. There are chess, checkers, cards and books. Which shall it be?"

The count, touched by her kindne apologized for not having shown his appreciation of it before and said that would prefer the books. So she went to her library and selected severa volumes, which she brought to him and read to him the titles, that he might designate one he would prefer. He se lected a novel, and, drawing a chair close beside the lounge, she began to read from it.

Madame devoted herself continu ously to the count. His bedroom was directly off the living room and on the same floor. Every morning her serv ant dressed him and assisted him into the living room, where he at first took to the lounge, but soon insisted on an easy chair. Madame read to him played games with him and cooked dainties for him with her own hands. studying continually, how she might administer to his comfort. There is no more certain way for a woman to win her way to a man's heart than by caring for him in his illness. In the present case there was but one drawback to the lady's method-the

count was perfectly well. The doctor called every day, felt the patient's pulse, examined a black and blue spot on his leg, took his tempera-ture, looking wise and thoughtful all the time, and at each departure ma-dame slipped 10 rubles into his hand. ing the so called sickroom, he said to

"The count will probably ask me, now that the first week has passed, if he can be moved. What shall I tell

"He will not ask you, but if he does

latter had forgotten that the week of his captivity had expired or wheth-er be feared the Gottor would tell him could go, he did not mention the latter. He continued to enjoy the attentions of madame, and since he re ceived an order from St. Petersburg not to risk anything by being moved he remained passive and content.

Then one morning, instead of madame bringing him his breakfast, a

"Where is your mistress?" asked the count in a dissatisfied tone.

"Madame is indisposed this morn-Madame was listening at the door.

The servant set the breakfast down on a table beside the count and left him to eat alone. When the dishes were carried out madame was in the pantry to inspect them. She smiled at

At 11 e'clock the count sent a servant to madame to ask after her and to express his disappointment that she would not be able to read to him. At 2 in the afternoon he sent another message, begging that she would make an effort to visit him if only for a few minutes; be was desperately lonely Before dinner, which they had been accustomed to eat together, he sent word that if he could not have company no dinner need be provided At 10 in the evening be de clared that if she did not come to bid him good night he would violate all rules of propriety and go to her. To this she sent word that she was better and would breakfast with him in the

So the count, forced to go to bed without seeing her, fretted all night, and when in the morning he waited in his easy chair for her to bring his breakfast and saw her enter with the tray, as usual, he was beside himself with joy. Rising and setting the tray on the table, he took both her hands in his and carried them to his lips.

"My benefactress!" he exclaimed. "Is it only gratitude that moves you?" she asked, lowering her eyes "Yes-no. It is both. I mean that I, having become accustomed to your

ministrations, cannot get on without That was a happy breakfast. Madame said she felt much better than yesterday, but needed the air. She

ount was not able to ride with her. But I am able!" cried the count, and, getting up from his chair, he pirouetted around the room

would ride out, but regretted that the

Madame looked sad. The count asked what was the matter. "Since you are well," she said, "we

must part." "But," rejoined the count, putting his hand on his side, "the motion has

brought on a terrible pain." "I think," said madame, smiling, "that you are well enough to ride out,

"Exactly," exclaimed the count, sinking into his chair, with an apology for

A pair of horses and a sleigh were ordered-for by this time the snow lay deep on the ground-and the two got in among a pile of fur robes and went for

That evening when madame and the ount were sitting before a great open fireplace the count looked very sad. What troubles you?" asked ma-

"Something that must separate me from you," was the reply.

"And that something is?" "You know of a custom with us here in Russia by which a woman who is ally trying to get another man away not noble may marry a noble and thus times a wealthy woman will pay a handsome sum to an impecunious no bleman to marry her, the two parting, not to meet again, as soon as the cere-mony has been performed. My herediestates came to me very much incumbered. Indeed, it was necessary that I should either raise 100,000 rubles to pay off the debt or lose them. At this time my eye caught an advertisement of a young girl who had just come into a large fortune for a husband with a title, she to pay for the onor conferred upon her, the two to part immediately after the marriage. I opened negotiations with this wom and the result was an agreement by which she was to pay 100,000 rubles and be my wife in name. So distaste-ful was the sale to me that I stipulated the ceremony should take place by proxy. I never saw my wife."

The count heaved a sigh at finishing "What was the name of the girl you

married?" asked madame. "I have forgotten." 'Was it Murianieff?' The count started. "It was. What

do you know of her?" "She is very near to me."

Madame arose and touched a bell A servant came, whom she met at the door and to whom she gave some instructions in a low tone. The servant departed, and the count hastened to

she as lovable as you?"
"We have the same disposition."

descring a letter on a salver. Ma-dame took it, glanced at the super-ecription and handed it to the count. "Countess Radzimoff?" he exclaimed. "Countess Radzimoff," he exclaimed.
"I am the Countess Radzimoff," said
madame quietly. "I paid you in hard
cash for your name and title."

"And I return it with my love," he said. "As my wife the money is yours as well as mine."

Private O'Neil

By F. A. MITCHEL

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During the Spanish-American war one morning Colonel Brewster of the -th United States infantry was sitting in his tent at Tampa, Fla., when a private-a mere boy with rosy cheeks and jet black hair-was brought up by the corporal of the guard.

"Well, corporal," said the colonel." not ceasing to wag a large palm leaf,

what's he been doing? "Interfering with the guard in the line of duty, sir."

"Private Thompson on being reprimanded by Lieutenant Bilster knecked the lieutenant down. We put Thompson in the guard tent, and this man lifted up the rear part of the tent wall while the sentinel wasn't looking and helped the prisoner out."

What did you do that for?" asked the colonel of the prisoner.

"Why, they told me," said the boy in a trembling voice, "that Thompson would be shot for mutiny."

"What good would it do you to try to save him that way?" There was no reply to this, the prisoner standing with eyes bent on the

you think," said the colonel "that if I let you off this time you can let the prisoners in charge of the guard

"I don't know, sir."

"Don't know!"

"I think I can, sir." The colonel told the corporal to march the boy back to his company en campment and release him.

The next day the recruit was marched to the colonel's tent again, having committed the same offense "See here, young man," said the olonel, "do you know that you are ila

ble to be shot for this?" "No. sir." "Thompson's striking an officer was outright mutiny; your helping the mutineer to escape from the guard is the

next thing to it. Do you want to get yourself shot too?" "Could I take Private Thompson's

place, sir? "Take his place in what?" Being shot.

"What in thunder do you want to do that for ?" asked the astonished colonel "I'd like to, if he has to be shot."

"How old are you?" asked the colonel, hoping the boy was under age and he could discharge him from the "I'm twenty, sir." "Twenty? Were you enlisted

wenty? You're nothing but a child."

There was no reply to this. Tears were standing in the boy's eyes. "Take him away," said the colonel to the corporal, "and tell his captain to try and find some reason to get rid of

The commander heard no more of the recruit Private O'Nell until after the first fight in Cuba. Then, on look ing over some papers that had come up to him from D company, he noticed that charges had been preferred against one of the men for cowardice. The colonel, suspecting that some boy had flinched under his baptism of fire and needed to be carefully handled, directed that the accused man be brought to his headquarters. When this was done, who should appear but Private

"You're the man who was continu from the guard when we were in

"Yes, sir."
"And if I remember rightly you wanted to be shot in his place?

"Yes, sir." What's become of him?"

"He's Private Thompson, sir," the orporal put in. "Lieutenant Bilster orporal put in. "Lie withdrew the charge of mutiny on the ground that Thompson, being a recruit, didn't know any better than to strike an officer. Thompson has distinguished himself in the battle and has been made a sergeant."

"I don't understand why this boy was continually trying to save Thomp

"They seemed to be great friends." "Well, take him båck where he came from and order Thompson to report to me in person."

won't tell you anything," said O'Neil. "You impudent, cowardly youngster, what do you mean? Away with him."

Thompson reported with an arm in a sling and a bandage around his head. understand, my brave fellow." said his commander, "that you have been promoted for gallantry in the bat Now, I wish you to tell me why this little chap who is to be tried cowardice was constantly interfering in your behalf with the guard when we were at Tampa

"I can't do that, colonel, unless you order me to tell you. "Very well; I order you to tell."
"O'Nell isn't a man; he's a woman."

"She's my wife. When I enlisted she followed me and enlisted, too, dressed as a man. I tried to make her go back to our kid, but she wouldn't

"Orderly," cried the colonel, "go to the captain commanding D company and tell him to send Private O'Nell Private O'Neil came, evidently fear

ful that the cat was out of the bag. "You are to go north," said the nel, "on the next train. You don't need a discharge since no such person exists. All I have to say to you is that

you are a cowardly man and a brave

COUNTY NEWS

PROSPECT HARROD

Guy R. Whitten is home from Rockland th before going to work. Dr. L. L. Larrabee, of Van Buren, a

The rally of the Christian Endeavorant The rally of the Unristial Engestorand other societies was held Wednesday, being postioned from Tuesday on account of the storm. Dr. Kizer, of Elisworth, added much interest to the discussion, and he sermon in the evening was replete was food for thought. Mrs. Henry Ham and Miss Hunt sang solos. Miss went to Boston Thursday to accom Mrs. Asa Stevens home. March 4.

M'KINLEY.

Lueman Sprague and wife have re-turned from Milbridge, and Walter from a visit to Owl's Head. Logan Gott recently cut his know

severely with an axe. Calvin Gordins has moved into Frank Eaton's house, recently occupied by Harry Gordius.

Mrs. Margaret Track has returned from Lowell A. Bunker injured his ankle by

fall from the sidewalk recently.

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WEST SEDGWICK Roscoe Gray made a trip to Brooks lag

Harvey Benson is at home from Aros.

Lynwood Gray is employed by A. A. Mrs. Fulton Gray has gone to Damarisotta to care for her mother, who is terr

Mrs. Minne Gray left Thursday to kin her husband, who is employed in

WINTER HARBOR.

Mrs. Arthur Tracy is ill of disease of the Richard Farrar and wife, who have been at East Sullivan two months, are home. Miss Nason, trained nurse, who has been with Mrs. Frazier, returned to Bar-

gor Saturday. Dr. and Mrs. Bragg entertained at disner Saturday evening. Rev. E. S. Drev. and wife, Mrs. Martin Drew, Dr. Smill and wife, Miss Dorris Bunker, N. T. Bez-ker and wife and Ephraim Drew.

NORTH BROOKLIN

Joe Tapley is home from Bar Harbor to The last berring weir in the bay hu

rone down, carried away by the ice. Mrs. Grace E. Gott, of Stonington, is visiting her father, Adelbert Scavey. Hattie Redman has nearly recovered

from her lameness, and is out again. Nellie Pervear, who has been employed t Roy Allen's, North Sedgwick, is home.

SOUTH HANCOCK Howard Hodgkins is employed at Barfor for a few weeks. John Wood, of Everett, Mass., who pur-

hased the Jeremiah Wooster hom Mrs. Jesse Abbott, of Eastbrook, who has been with her father, Hiram Mer-chant, who is ill, has returned home. Bet sister, Mrs. Lizzie Grindle, is here.

MARIAVILLE.

Mrs. Iva Cousins, of Eden, is at the arm Everett Davis and wife, who have been imployed at the Morrison farm, haven-urned to Ellsworth. March 4.

> SOLD THE WORLD OVER

Headaches and Their Treatment In treating a headache, there is a

safe rule to follow:—Never use as medicine containing acetaniid or sime coal-tar derivatives without the air of your physician. They may follow the case of the trouble and a likely to weaken the heart. The man common form of headache, frequent called sick headache, arising from disordered stomach, may be switch by care in the choice of food, the pastry, candy and rich food, take to eat, chew your food theroughly a toest, candy and rich food condities to eat, chew your food theroughly a toest, candy and rich food, take the pour bowels in good condities using one-half to one teaspoonts! to eat, chew your food thorough, the pyour bowels in good conditioning one-half to one teaspoon L. F. Atwood's Medicine after meal. This old reliable remed been a perfect blessing to thou for sixty years. Get a bottle and prove it for yourself. Any that it for thirty-five cents, or we a free sample on request. L. F. cine Co., Pertland, Me.