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RALPH S. MORRISON.

hauled up in New York. Thomas E. Lee left last week to join his

wife at Whitman, Mass. Later he will go to Florida for the winter.

Lawrence and Harold Treworgy, of Bangor, spent Christmas with their parents, Reuben Treworgy and wife.

Earle B. Tinker, traveling representative **STRAND THEATRE** of the World Film corporation, spent Christmas at his home in Bayside.

Miss Ella F. Jordan, of Jamaica Plain, Mass., is spending the Christmas recess with her brother, Harvard C. Jordan. Misses Katherine and Margaret Dram-

mey, of Portland, spent Christmas with their parents, M. J. Drummey and wife. Austin L. Maddox, civil engineer at Norwood, Mass.# spent the Christmas

week with his father, Addison Maddox. Harold Moore is employed as delivery clerk by Austin H. Jey, succeeding Fred P. Haynes, who has been appointed R. F. D. carrier.

James Hartwell, of Bar Harbor, committed to the county jail in Ellsworth Monday, in default of \$1,500 bonds, on the charge of breaking and entering



elected officers Monday evening as fol-lows: Edgar A. Mitchell, C. P.; H. B. Estey, H. P.; Willis M. Foster, S. W.; Everett B. Morey, J. W.; Frank S. Call, scribe; H. F. Wescott, treasurer.

> The Ellsworth A. A. basket-ball team measured strength last evening at Hancock hall with one of the strongest teams in eastern Maine-Dover-Foxcroft A. A. While the visitors won, the local team gave them a good game, the score being 35-30.

George C. Pierson, who has for some years been driver of the express wagon in Ellsworth, has been appointed railway express messenger on the run between Ellsworth and Bar Harbor. Edward Woods will succeed him as driver of the express wagon here.

The new time-table, reducing the train service on the Mt. Desert branch to two trains each way daily, went into effect Monday. The condensed time-table at the head of the local column, showing the time of arrival and departure of trains at Ellsworth, has been corrected to date.

The literature club met at Mrs. Elmer E. Rowe's Monday evening. An interest-ing paper on Dr. S. Weir Mitchell was read by Miss Carrie Harrington, and Mrs. Alexander's review of "Hugh Wynne" was very much enjoyed. The club was invited to meet with Mrs. Tapley Jan. 11.

A letter bearing a Christmas greeting from C. P. DeLaittre to the pastor of the Baptist church arrived on Christmas day. In it the writer generously offers to pay one-fourth of the cost of painting the church exterior. The church appreciates the kindness of Mr. DeLaittre, and plans to take advantage of his offer.

The special for New Year's day at the Strand will be the big five-reel production, "The Lights o' London," to be presented at special matinees in the after noon at 2 and 3.15, and in the evening. Every child attending the afternoon performance will receive a present. There will be an entire change of program for Saturday.

The statement emanating from Dexter to the effect that Rev. Horace B. Haskell, of Ellsworth, had been appointed pastor of the Methodist church there, Was

will be canvassed for the sale of the little tags, the proceeds from which will go to handling thirty salesmen and a business the Belgian relief fund. As all the ex- of a million and a half dollars. penses are provided for by the New England Belgian relief committee, every cent contributed by the people of Ellsworth of Ellsworth, and has won their full conwill be turned over by the local treasurer, Frank S. Call, to the headquarters in Boston, and will go direct to Belgium. There is no set price for the tags-anything from five cents up will be accepted. It is a worthy cause, and the generous response of the people of Ellsworth is anticipated.

To-morrow evening, "Fanchon the Cricket" will be presented at Hancock hall by the Ellsworth dramatic club, under the management of Fred E. Cooke. The cast of characters was printed in THE AMERICAN last week. The proceeds are for stage improvements at Hancock hall. The advance sale of seats assures a good house. The people of Ellsworth have always shown appreciation of the good work being done by Mr. Cooke for the improve-ment of the hall. A new set of scenery, to be paid for by the proceeds of this play, will be used for the first time tomorrow evening, and with novel electric light effects, will add greatly to the pre-sentation of the play. A dance will fol-low the play, with music by Sinclair's

Mrs. Eloise A. Ells, formerly of Ellsworth, died at her home in South Brewer Thursday, Dec. 24, at the age of twentynine years, five months and seventeen days. She was the wife of Oswald W. Ells, who survives her. She also leaves; one son-Clarence N. Mrs. Ells was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Hodgkins, of South Brewer, who, with her brother, Clarence T. Hodgisins, also of South Brewer, have the sympathy of a large circle of friends. The funeral was held at her home on Brewer street Saturday fore-noon, Rev. Henry L. Griffin officiating. The bearers were Leon Swett, Joseph Davis, Winfred Ells and Arthur Hodg-don. Interment was at Oak Hill cemetery, Brewer. Mrs. Ells was born in Ellsworth and lived here for many years. She had many friends here, who regret to hear of her death. her home on Brewer street Saturday fore-

Friday of this week the big pow-wow of the Red Men of this district will be held in Ellsworth. The meetings will be held at Hancock hall. It is expected that from 250 to 300 Red Men will be in the city. Admission to game, 25 cents; dance tickfounded on the fact that Mr. Haskell had Among the grand officers expected are ets, 25 cents.

country manufacturing this line of goods,

P. B. Russell, the superintendent, has had a longer acquaintance with the people fidence, but his greatest value to this factory is the fact that he is recognized throughout the trade as an expert turn shoe maker.

This is an organization which spells success. That it is so recognized is proven by the fact that before and since locating here these men have received flattering invitations to locate in other cities. These they have refused, feeling that Ellsworth would appreciate a live, progressive and prosperous industry, and that the people of this city would co-operate with them. They like Ellsworth, and have faith in their ability to demonstrate that a properly-managed factory can succeed and become a permanent institution here. The comfort shoe, in sixty styles, be-ing turned out by this factory, is receiv-ing ouick recognition in the trade, for

ing turned out by this factory, is receiv-ing quick recognition in the trade, for quality and workmanship. Orders are coming in satisfactorily, and what is perhaps equally pleasing are letters of commendation for the shoe which give assurance of future business. All in all, the outlook is most encouraging. The factory is starting on a solid foundation, with every prospect of steady and healthy growth. growth.

growth. Just now the company is preparing to establish an "in stock" department, which would mean additional business, as shoe dealers depend upon a stock de-partment to fill sizes and stocks frequently and promptly and insure quicker turn, over.

## COMING EVENTS. ELLSWORTH.

Thursday evening, Dec. 31, at Hancock Hall - "Fanchon the Cricket", by Ellsworth dramatic club, under direction of Fred E. Cooke.

Thursday evening, Dec. 31, at Nicolin grange hall, North Ellsworth-Masquerade ball. Dance tickets, 50 cents; supper tickets, 50 cents couple.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 6, 6.30 o'clock, at Unitarian vestry-Supper; 25 cents.

Friday evening, Jan. 8, at Hancock hall -Basket ball; Ellsworth A. A. vs Bar Harbor Y. M. C. A. Dance after game.

# SUNDAY SCHOOL

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Lesson I .- First Quarter, For Jan. 3, 1915.

## THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

## Text of the Lesson, Judg. ii, 7-19. Memory Verses, 11, 12-Golden Text, Hos. xiv, 4-Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The lessons of this year begin with five studies in the book of Judges. showing the failure of Israel, God's in tervention and man's faithlessness. Ev ery deliverer whom God raised up was in some sense suggestive of the great Deliverer, the Lord Jesus Christ, and each one wrought in the power of the Holy Spirit. Joshua tells of the entrance of Israel late the promised land and its subjugation and division among the tribes, ending with Joshua's fare well appeal to Israel to fear the Lord and serve Him in sincerity and in truth and the determination of the people so to do (Josh, xxiv, 14, 24). One of his grandest farewell words was when he reminded the people that not one thing had failed of all the good things which the Lord had spoken (Josh, xxiii, 14). See the same blessed testimony in 1 Kings, viii, 56, and let each one lay it

to heart for his own special comfort. The section assigned us for this day's lesson is a concise epitome of the book of Judges, telling of Israel's persistent turning away from God and of His great patience with them. David summarized the record in these words: "Many times did He deliver them, but they provoked Him with their counsel and were brought low for their iniquipleasure. ty. Nevertheless He regarded their affliction when He heard their cry" (Ps. evi, 43, 44; Ixxviii, 38). Paul summa-When I read of the M. B. C.: When I read of the birthday of the M. B. C. I said right out loud: "Is it possible that it has been sixteen years since the M. B. C. commenced its journey around the world?" rized Joshua and Judges in these words: "When He had destroyed seven nations in the land of Canaan He divided their land to them by lot. And after that He gave unto them judges about the space of 450 years until Samuel the prophet"

(Acts xiii, 19, 20). The first chapter of Judges tells how tribe after tribe had failed to drive out the people of the land as they had been commanded, and our lesson chapter opens with the Lord's reproof for this sin, saying: "Ye have not obeyed my Why have ye done this?" voice. (Verse 2)

Our lesson begins by telling us that while Joshua lived and also during the lifetime of the elders that outlived Joshua the people served the Lord. The Lord and even one man can lead a host of people in the right direction. Think of the worldwide testimony to the God of Daniel by the faithfulness of himself and his three friends. See II Chron. xvi, 9, and desire above all things a whole heart for Him.

The next lesson verses tell of the death and burial of Joshua, and these three verses (7-9) are identical with Josh. xxiv. 29-31. When the Spirit repeats words He thus asks special attention to them. The words that specially hold me are "Joshua the servant of the Lord" and "The people served the Lord" and make me wish to appropriate more fully the beautiful heart words "Whose I am and whom I serve" (Acts xxvii, 23). Joshua ends with the burial of two other bodies, those of Joseph after so long a time and Eleazar, the son of Aaron

Bodies are buried, but people go on living better without them (if redeemed) until the time of the resurrection bodies. How pitiful to read of "a generation which knew not the Lord" (verse 10), and they the de 10 Th a people for whom the Lord wrought as He had never wrought for any other nation! They forsook the Lord God of their fathers, did evil in His sight and worshiped the idols of the nations which should have been destroyed by them, for the Lord had said. "Thou shalt make no covenant with them nor shew mercy unto them, \* \* \* for thou art an holy people unto the Lord thy God, \* \* \* a special people unto Him self above all people that are upon the face of the earth" (Deut. vii, 246). Such sowing brings sad reaping according to lesson verses 14, 15; chapter ill, 5-8, 12, 13, and records in chapters following of similar turnings away from God. A very odd thumbs and toes story of sowing and reaping is found in chapter 1, 6, 7. The principle always stands, "Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap" (Gal. vi. 7). Nevertheless the Lond raised up judges, who deliv ered them, for the Lord was with the judge (verses 16, 18; chapter III, 9, 15). We should think that the Lord would grow weary of forgiving and delivering a people whom He knew would after a time commit the same sins again, but He is the same Lord who told Peter to forgive until seventy times seven. or until the end of Daniel's seventy. sevens, which means the coming of the kingdom. They would not hearken unto their judges: they turned quickly out of the way: they ceased not from their own doings nor from their stubborn way (verses 17, 19). Long afterward it was written of them. "Their doings will not suffer them to turn unto their God' (Hos. v. 4. margin). In the days of their kings they mocked the messengers of God and despised His words and misused His prophets (II Chron. xxxvi. 16), and when the (II Chron. xxxvi. 16), and when the Messiah came in the fullness of time they crucified Him. Yet He said: "How often would I.\*\*\* but ye would not." "O Israel, thou hast destroyed thyself, but in Me is thine help." "I will heat their backsliding; I will love them free-ly" (Matt. xxiii. 37; Hos. xiii, 9; xiv, 4).

And speak of those to rest the weary ear Of earth, so hurt by one continuous strain Of human discontent and grief and pain. -Ella Wheeler Wilcox. FRANKLIN. Its Motto: "Helpful and Hopeful."

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THE NEW YEAR.

A flower unblown, a book unread; A tree with fruit unharvested;

A tree with truit unharvested; A path unitod; a house whose rooms Lack yet the heart's divine perfumes; A landscape whose wide border lies In silent shade 'neath silen; skies; A wondrous fountain yet unscaled; A casket with its gifts concealed – This is the year that for you waits Beyond to-morrow's mystic gates.

Beyond to-morrow's mystic gates.

Dear Friends of the M. B. C .:

I will say to Jennie, I am glad you are

bers would eat their Christmas dinner to-

bers would eat their Christmas dinner to-gether? I often think I would like to meet them all, but never expect to, but must say that I have found some beauti-ful peu friends through its influence. To one and all I extend my most hearty greetings for a pleasant Christmas and a Happy New Year. AUNT EMMA.

Yes, it would make a big family party

on Christmas, and I should propose put-

mountain-tops. The mountains north of Pasadena, Cal.,

ting Aunt Maria in charge.

Dear Aunt Madge:

better and hope you will continue

the digestion.

Dear M. B. Friends:

coming year.

(By Amos R. Wells,)

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sung.

When things got to goin' wrong with me, I says, "O Lord, whatever comes, keep me from gitin' sour!" Since then I've made it a practice to put all my worries down in the bottom of my heart, then sit on the lid and smile. —Mrs. Wiggs. The purposes of this column are succine y stated in the title and motto-it is for the mut .1 pencilt, and aims to be helpful and hopefull Being for the common good, it is for the com-

> A happy and prosperous year to you all, AUNT MADGE. is the wish of

## EDITOR'S POSTSCRIPT.

(Not censored by Aunt Madge.) "Irish Mollie" wrote: "You certainly could not have made a better choice. Sh is the most patient, long suffering, and persevering woman that ever lived. But Dell said you 'struck her'. I don't like that, at all. Don't do it again."

## Among the Grangers.

What if an angel should hand you a This column is devoted to the Grange, es book containing a full history of your prcially to the granges of Harcock county. The column is open to all grangers for the discussion of topics of general interest, and next three hundred and sixty-five days? Would you dare open the book and read? for reports of grange meetings. Make letters Undoubtedly you would be sorry if you short and concise. All communications must did. It is well for us all that the new be signed, but names will not be printed ex-cept by permission of the writer. All comyear is, as Horatio Nelson Powers has munications will be subject to approval by the editor, but none will be rejected without good reason.

> Wednesday, Jan. 13-Meeting of Green Mountain Pomona with Bayview grange, Salisbury Cove.

## PAMOLA, 265, HANCOCK.

Despite the severe cold, thirty members were present at the session of Pamola grange Saturday evening, Dec. 26. In the It is nearly time once more to "Ring out absence of the master, Chester Stratton the old! Ring in the new !"-and the poem presided. Two candidates were instructed is fruitful in its representations of a newin the final degrees and a harvest feast was enjoyed. At the next meeting officers will be installed. Chester Stratton will I wish to thank you each and all for the be the installing officer, with several as-Christmas remembrances you have sent sistants. Refreshments will be served. me. I know you would enjoy going over them with me. They have given me much

## MARIAVILLE, 441.

There will be a public installation, without a feast, Jan. 2. Every one is welcome to come.

## JOHN DORITY, SULLIVAN, 381.

The newly-elected officers are as fol-Edward E. Bragdon, master; lows: the world?" Now, I wish to say right here to our good editor that I for one will speak up and say you surely made no mistake in your choice of a leader, for she has cer-tainly been a very faithful one in all the duties pertaining to it, and but for her ofttimes it would surely have died a nat-ural death. I will say "All bong to Everard D. Noves, overseer; Grace M. Wilbur, lecturer; Pearl D. Robertson, steward; Maurice E. Bragdon, assistant steward; Viola A. Hanna, chaplain; Fred A. Noyes, treasurer; Julia E. Noyes, secretary; Austin J. Stover, gate-keeper; urai death. I will say, "All honor to Aunt Madge, and may her years be many." Jessie N. Bragdon, Ceres; Minnie Hatch, It is our duty in the coming year to make it still better than ever. Pomona; Annie B. Johnson, Flora; Frances Atwater, lady assistant steward.

## BAYSIDE 476, ELLSWORTH.

Now, Aunt Maria, it is so near Christ-mas I do hope you will not make such a sad (or glad) mistake as you did Thanks-Bayside grange held its regular meeting Dec. 26, with twenty-four members and one visitor. Plans were made for instal giving, as too many good things are bad lation supper. A committee was appointed for the digestion. I wonder if you all realize what a short year this has been to us all? It does not seem but a few months since every one was getting ready for Christmas, and now in a few days it will be here again. Now to Aunt Madge, will say, would it not be lovely if all of our M. B. C. mem-bers would eat their Christmas dimer to. to see to the fire escape. On account of the cold, no program was furnished.

EAST BLUEBILL, 252. The newly-elected officers of East Bluehill grange are as follows: Nellie M. Wood, master; Walter K. Carter, overseer; Ethel M. Howard, lecturer; John Horton, steward; Willis E. Snowman, assistant steward; Mabel D. Grindle, chaplain; Arthur B. Wood, treasurer; Manda L. Carter, secretary; Wesley Robertson, gatekeeper; Georgie Grindle, Ceres; Fannie A. Long, Pomona; Alice D. Moore, Flora; Dora M. Hutchings, lady assistant steward. It was voted to invite Brother Charles Youtman to install officers Jan. 9, if pleasant; if stormy, the first pleasant meeting night.

## DEER ISLE, 296.

Perhaps you and the sisters and friends would like a short account of the delight-ful trup we took to-day, Dec. 12, 1914. There were four of us. Three were New Englanders. The other one had never seen snow except in the distance on mountain-toos Deer Isle grange held a special meeting Dec. 22, and elected officers. The attendance was the largest of the season. The lady members served refreshments. The grange will hold regular meetings every Monday evening at 7.20. Weather permitting, gentlemen members will serve reffee

John W. Blaidell is on a business trip to Bangor. The moving-pictures Christmas evening were much enjoyed.

Miss Frances Dyer commenced a term of chool at Hall's Mills this week.

Miss Marion Goss, of Bangor, is with er parents at the Relay house. Mrs. Mary A. Bragdon has returned rom Hancock, where she has been emfrom H

Bernard Donnell, of Tunk Pond, spent Christmas with his parents, Fred Donnell and wife.

Maurice Fernald, of Old Town, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Gertrude Fernald.

William Havey is home from Presque Isle, where he and Mrs. Havey have been several weeks.

Lorenzo Bragdon and wife were Christmas guests of their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Robertson, at Sullivan.

Robertson, at Sullivan. Miss Morrison, of Ellisworth, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Estey, re-turned home Saturday. Principal F. A. Morris, of the high school, and Mrs. Morris left for Old Town Thursday, for the boliday vacation. John Coombs and wife, of Prospect Harbor, are with Mrs. Coombs' sister, Mrs. Sarah Bunker, for the winter. Mrs. Down Dure and two childen come

Mrs. Dana Dyer and two children came from Eastbrook Wednesday, and are with her parents, L. C. Bragdon and wife.

Friends of Allan Bragdon are pleased to see him on the street again. Miss Edith Bragdon, of Portland, was home to spend Christmas

Edward Bragdon, while cutting wood two weeks ago, was hit by a flying chip which cut his eyeball. Thursday he went to Bangor, and Dr. J. B. Wood operated on the eye, taking two stitches in the ball. He will remain for an indefinite time for treatment. His many friends hope there may be no further trouble. treatment. His many frie may be no further trouble. Dec. 28.

## PROSPECT HARBOR.

Robert Corbett and wife left Sunday for Eastport to visit relatives.

Henry Hamilton and family spen Christmas day with their mother, Mrs Eliza Tracy, at the Spring.

Guy R. Whitten and John W. Stinson, jr. returned to-day to resume their studies at Coburn classical institute.

Capt. and Mrs. Deasy, the Ira N. Work-mans and the L. P. Coles were among those who entertained Christmas parties. Mrs. Edith Yeaton and Marshall Young, of Gouldeboro, were married at the par-sonage Saturday evening, by Rev. R. C. Dalzell.

Schoodic lodge, K. of P., worked the first rank on a candidate Saturday even-ing, and elected another member to membership.

Mrs. George W, Allen has returned from West Gouldsboro, where she has been for a week since coming from Paine's hospi-

tal in Bangor. A party of fourteen young people at-tended an entertainment in Corea Satur-, day night to help in adding to a fund for a bell for the Baptist church.

Hannah Over, wife of Ernest Marshall, died after a lingering illness the first of the week. Funeral services were held, Wednesday, Dec. 23, from the Methodist church. Rev. R. C. Daizell officiated. Mrs. Marshall is project by a busbend and Marshall is survived by a husband and young daughter, a father and two sisters. who have the deep sympathy of all.

The Sunday school had a fine concert The Sunday school had a line concert and Christmas tree. The recitations, ex-ercises and carols were all good, due largely to the untiring efforts of the vil-lage school teacher, Miss Gove, as the pas-tor explained in his remarks. At the close of the program, Santa Claus dis-tributed gifts for the children, and treated all to anyles, candy and non-corn. all to apples, candy and pop-corn.

## OTIS.

Dec. 28.

Emery Willey and wife were guests part f last week of Henry Salisbury and wife, of last week of Henry Salisbury and of Brewer.

George Eddy Webb, of Bradley, is vis-iting at the home of his mother and brother, Mrs. James Jordan and son Ru-

fus. Del Salisbury came home Friday through the woods from Green Lake sta-tion from Reach river, where he has been employed.

E. L. Grover brought back from one of his business visits to Bangor, a handsome young horse to make a span with his colt Molly.

Edward Jordan and Misses Viola and Dorothy Salisbury were guests of the latters' grandparents, W. Johnson and wife, from Wednesday to Friday.

ville last week for a visit with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Thomas Tapley. Miss Imogene Grant returned to her school in Kingman Friday.

Miss Evelyn Gray is home from Anson, where she has been teaching. Mrs. L. W. Guptill entertained a party of friends Wednesday evening.

A. N. Dority, wife and little daughter spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Dority. Mrs. Louis H. Lane, who went to Bos-ton last week to mee: her husband, re-turned with Capt. Lane Saturday. Miss Mara Dority, of Nauton Mar

Miss Myra Dority, of Newton, Mass., is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents, A. H. Dority and wife.

Many children were made happy by the tree and supper at the hall Friday night. Santa Claus and wife were both in attend-ance. Mrs. Santa gave several readings, and there were recitations by the chil-dren. G. M. Means impersonated Santa, and Mrs. I. S. Candage' acted as Mrs. Claus. Claus

Dec. 28.

WEST SEDGWICK. Eugene Gray spent Christmas with his

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family. Miss Mazie Gr with Della Gray. Mazie Gray spent the week-end

Mrs. Ellen Leach and little daughter, of Bluehill, visited her parents last week. A Christmas tree and exercises were eld in the schoolhouses at Nos. 5 and 7.

Mrs. Brooks Cousins and children, of Brooksville, spent Christmas with her parents, Washington Gray and wife.

Mrs. Nancy Littlejohn, of Portland, and Luther Carter, of New York, are spending the holidays with their parents, Lincoln Closson and wife.

A dance was given at North Brooksville hall Saturday evening, conducted by Martin Peasiee and Henry Grincle. A large crowd was present and a good time is reported. Atherton's orchestra. Miss Lucy Astbury and Maynard Gray were married Friday evening at Sedgwick, by Rev. Mr. Sanderson. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

days from Sedgwick high school are: Della Gray, Mazie Gray, Irene Prescott, Mary Nevells, Jennie Staples and Martha Carter. Dec. 28.

# SURRY.

Lena Sperry is home from Lubec for a Little Bernice Curtis is able to be up and

about the house again. A. L. Shorey and wife, of Charleston, re home for two weeks.

are

Roy and Earl Gaspar are home from Beverly, Mass., for a few weeks. Florence and Paul Curtis, of Bangor, cent Christmas with their parents, A. C. Curtis and wife.

doubt on this point. Mr. and Mrs. Seavey and Alice Conary, Bangor, Me., says: "J would not be withof Newport, spent Christmas with their parents, Otis Conary and wife.

Mrs. Bernice Phillips, of Boston, went through here Thursday on her way to Brooksville, called there by the serious illness of her mother. the house, and you cannot make my endorsement of them too strong. I give a statement for publication in praise of

The usual Christmas exercises and tree this remedy some years ago and can add were held in the Baptist church Thurs-day evening. Santa was present and skillfully performed his part. s at this time that continued use of this remedy rid my system of kidney trouble."

Varden Lord came near losing his house by fire last Wednesday. His wife discovered the fire just in time. It had caught from some unknown cause in one of the chambers, and the entire contents of the room were burned. Dec. 28. ANON.

## WEST SULLIVAN.

Gladys Rolfe has returned from Gouldspro to resume her studies at Sullivan high school.

Former Postmaster Elmer Pettengill and on Francis, of Ellsworth, were in town Mi-o-na Will Ouickly and Safely Rid Wednesday.

When your stomach is out o your food lies like a lump of le-menting and surely causing the Mrs. W. H. Moore and Mrs. Henry Hamilton, of Prospect Harbor, were re-cent guests of Mrs. H. H. Havey.

ing 'of fulness, sour taste in the mouth, coated tongue, billiousness, Among those who spent the Christmas vacation at home were Miss Florice Clark, Armond Joy, Marion Mattocks and Morand many other warning signs of digestion, which is often a dangerous ton Havey.

A dance was enjoyed at K. of P. hall Wednesday evening, under the manage-ment of Miss Florence Hysom. Roberts' orchestra.

any druggist can supply you Miona, a harmless and cff remedy for all bad stomaches The tow boat Phillips Eaton is hauled up for the winter. Capt. J. K. Mitchell expects to spend his vacation in Boston and New York. small tablets give almost into and joyful relief, while a few

## WEST SURRY.

Dec. 28.

Arthur Young and wife, of East Surry, are at R. T. Carlisle's, where Mr. Young is employed. Capt. George Gray slaughtered three

gassy stomach, sick headaches, rest-less nights and other distressing symptoms quickly vanish, not wait-let Milo-na give yo and lasting relief. G. A. Parc it with guarantee of money you are not satisfied.

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gastric juices is increased, the

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food is properly digested;



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But the easiest and most comfortable way of going is by electric car to base of mountain, at Runio canyon; thence by the incline cable railway to Echo moun-tain, to connect with another electric car that will take you on a railway of many carves and bridges in order to accommo-date itself to the projecting points or ridges and great dents or gorges on the face of the mountain, lying like a snake, seven miles long from said Echo moun-tain to Alpine tavern, which nestles among live oaks five or six miles short of the summit of Mt. Love. This was our trip. We had left our home in the garden city. Pasadena, about 10 a. m., and had arrived about 11 a. m. at Alpine tavern, the big fireplace of which much the summit But the easiest and most comfortable

Alpine tavern, the big fireplace of which was eating great logs of oak, and there was calling great logs of oak, and there was a great black pot hanging on the swingang crace. O, how we did enjoy that friendly fire. There was snow outside, and the caves of the tawern were weeping great lears of joy, I gueas, because of our presence and the presence of many others, coming on the same car. Besides having a very pleasant ride, up,

Desides anying a very pleasant ride, up, up, skyward where we got a magnificent view of the salley, a very wide range of it and the sarrounding country, we had the pleasure of seeing and feeling the chili that comes from meeting the beautiful snow. We left flowers in the garden just below us there in the valley, while here on the mountain-top the snow was a foot on the mountain-top the snow was a foot deep. What a change so soon after break-fast! I wish you could have enjoyed it, auntie. BUSAN.

The following quotations were sent by Sister E., and they are especially appro-priate for the time and the season:

With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive to finish the work we are in; to bind up the strive, wound, to see for him who nation's wound; to care for him who shall have borne the battle and his widow who and orphan, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations-Abraham Lincoln.

Talk happiness. The world is sad enough Without your woes. No path is wholly

rough; Look for the places that are smooth and clear;

## A Test for Liver Complaint

ng, gentrements at the next meeting. shments at the next meeting. e newly-elected officers are: George lack V. Stinson, over-The newly-elected officers are: George L. Hardy, master; Jack Y. Stinson, over-seer; Myra F. Browne, lecturer; Frank A. Haskell, steward; Harold E. Hardy, as-sistant steward; Flora O. Stinson, chap-lain; Elmer W. Hardy, treasurer; Ada H. Hardy, secretary; Guy H. Gray, gate-keeper; Lena E. Annis, Ceres; Maud A. Haskell, Pomona; Lida M. Stinson, Flora; Elma G. Hardy, lady assistant steward Elma G. Hardy, lady assistant steward

## WINTER HARBOR

E. N. Bickford and wife have returned from a visit in Gouldsboro.

Hazel Weston is at home, after a successful term of school at Otter Creek.

Mildred Jordan, who is attending H. C. , Charleson, is home for the holidays.

Durrell Noyes and Earl Tracy, students at Hebron academy, are home for the holi-days.

Linwood Coombs is building a house on Newman street, which is nearly com-pleted.

Grading of the State highway has been postponed until spring, owing to cold seather.

A. S. Adams, of Newport, former princi-pal of the high school here, was a recent guest of Mrs. Rubie J. Tracy.

Loring Rand and wife, who lost their house in Gouldsbore by fire a few weeks age, are occupying John Stever's house for the winter. Dec. 28.

## RUTERUL

Jas. A. Garfield post and the W. R. C. will install officers Saturday atternoon Jan. 2, at 2 o'clock. A pienic dinner will be served at 12, at W. R. C. hall. The W. R. C. and their husbands and comrades' wives are cordially invited.

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## THE NEW TREATMENT FOR SOUR STOMACH

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Geor George Johnson's camp on the shore of Beech Hill lake was occupied several days last week by a large party, including Bangor, Houlton and Augusta students.

Hadiey Pyle, of Orrington, brother of Mrs. Edgar Remick, has been their guest for s.few days. While here he sold his horse to A. B. Edgecomb, returning home by train from Ellsworth Falls.

by train from Ellsworth Falls. John Sallsbury and wife, of McKinley, who have taken their brother's furnished cottage at the shore of Beech Hill lake for the winter, were pleasantly surprised Christmas eve by their neighbors drop-ping in upon them, each carrying a cake or pie. Mrs. Sallsbury proved a delight-ful hostess, serving coffee and cream, which completed a happy and social supper. supper.

Dec. 28. DAVIS.

## NORTH SEDGWICK.

Mrs. Rena Page's sister, of Boston, has been visiting her.

Mrs. G. M. Allen and Florence Allen are n Boston for a visit. Charles Snow, jr., of Bluchill, spent Christmas with H H. Allen.

Roy Allen and wife are home, after spending several weeks in Massachusetts.

There will be a dance at Riverside hall New Year's eve, given by several young ladies of this place.

A. N. Dority and family have rented the Abbott place while he has employ-ment here for the winter. the

All are glad to know Mrs. Clara M. Clapp reached Oklaboma safely and found her son Harvey and family well.

Ed Nevells and G. M. Allen are on a business trip to Bangor. From there Mr. Allen will go on to Boston to meet his wife and daughter.

A fire which might have been serious was discovered in the grange hall last Saturday morning, after burning all night from a cigar stab thrown in the waste-box

box. The Christmas concert at the church was a decided success, the children taking their parts well, thanks to the faithful training which they received. Santa Claus was present with an abundance of presents. The decorations were pretty and artistically arranged. Dec 25

## A. G.

## SEDGWICK. Henry Harding is home for the holidays.

Dec. 28.

There will be a dance at Riverside hail Dec. 31. Capt. William Lane arrived home Sat-urday for a short stay.

Miss Elizabeth Husband is home from Coburn for a short stay.

F. H. Smith and wife were in Brooks-

Johnson's camp on the shore of 1,001 1/2 pounds.

H. M. Willins and wife gave a Christ-ms dinner at their home on Christmas day, entertaining thirteen guests.

Miss Doris Moore returned to her home in Backsport Saturday after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Albert Willins.

with her sister, Mrs. Albert Withds. Albert A. Carter visited his niece, Mrs. Jennie Judkins, at Alton recently, spend-ing Christmas with his nephew, Ralph Hatch, at Waterville, on his way home. Dec. 28.

## EAST FRANKLIN.

Miss Coombs, the grammar school teacher, went home for Christmas.

<sup>c</sup>upt. L. W. Blaisdelf, of Turner and Canton district, spent last week with his parents, F. E. Blaisdell and wife.

Miss Harriet Blaisdell, who teaches in Springfield, Mass., is spending the Christ-mas recess with her parents here.

The Christmas entertainment and tree in the Baptist church Thursday evening was well attended and much enjoyed.

Miss Eva Springer has finished her school at Northeast Harbor, and has ac-cepted a position in one of the Canton schools, to begin Jan. 4.

EASTBROOK.

Miss Etta Piper, who has been working in Dexter, is home.

Mrs. Hannah Springer, who had been a great sufferer for some time, died early Saturday morning. She is the third to die this month bere in town.

There was a Christmas tree and enter-tainment at the grange hall Christmas evening. Barker French was the commit-tee on entertainment and decoration, and much credit is due him. He was again chosen for next year.

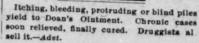
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## SEAL COVE.

Mrs. Margaret Murphy fell down a stairway at her home a few days ago, breaking a bone in one hip. It is feared the injury may cripple her permanently. the injury may cripple her permanently. A Christmas entertainment and tree was given at the ball on Christmas eve. The choir sang Christmas selections, music was farnished by Miss L. M. Heath and Georgia Reed, and there were read-ings by Miss Georgia Lunt and others. The affair was under the manage sent of Mrs. H. S. Mitchell. Two well-filled trees delighted the little ones and every one was remembered.





## COUNTY NEWS' SCUTH DEER ISLE.

# Charles Bray is at home suffering with an attack of asthma.

Anthoy Bye is employed on the barge America, at present in Camden.

Capt. A. J. Stanley, of steamer Monhe-gan, is at home with a sore hand.

Alfred Stinson will leave Jan. 3 for fonticello, where he is employed by Jerry

Anset Stanley was called to Swan's Island to attend the funeral of his brother

Little Arthur Saunders, who broke his arm last fall, had it injured quite badly while playing at school.

will Newbert and wife, of Appleton, who have been visiting Harry Stanley and wife, have returned home.

Mrs. Amanda Higgins, of McKinley, Mibert Cleveland, of New York, and yndal Cleveland, of Boston, are in town, alled here by the death of their brother Guy

Mrs. Anna Tracy, who came home last week with her husband, B. D. Tracy, has returned to Boston. Mr. Tracy, who has been employed in the West nearly three years, will return next week.

years, will return next week. The triends of Guy Cleveland were saddened to hear of his death, which oc-curred at New Lispeard, Ont., Dec. 14. His hody was brought here by his brother-in-law, James I. Stinson. He leaves a wife, six small children, a mother, sister and two brothers. Funeral services were held at West Stonington Dec. 20. Rev. W. H. Hall officiating. The deceased was a member of the masonic lodge of South-west Harbor. Stonington lodge attended in a body. in a body.

Dec. 22. TREP. NORTH PENOBSCOT.

Raymond Hutchins is buying rabbits or shipment to Boston.

A dead cow moose was found on the bog here a short time ago, minus a large por-tion of the steak. The game warden was

Della Hatch was operated upon for ap-pendicitis in the Bar Harbor hospital last week. She has been attendied ool there.

Harvey Leach sold a wood-lot to George Leach, and Sylvanus Cunningham sold a wooded section of the Moore farm to Charles Billings last week. There is quite a stir in the lumber business. <sup>5</sup>

Many of the wells are about dry, and many have to drive their cattle to the brooks and streams in the pastures for water. Not in many years do we recall such a lack of water at this season.

Butter is quite scarce, no doubt largely on account of the Grain made by the creameries on the dairy resources of this section. The Castine creamery sends a team through this section weekly, which, with the Bucksport creamery, absorbs the dairy products from several towns.

Raiph Hatch, of Waterville, will move his family here next week to the farm for-merly owned by Melville Hutchins. Mr. Hatch has been employed in a responsible position on the railroads there several years, but thinks he prefers a more healthful and independent occupation. Dec. 26. H. Dec. 26.

EAST BLUEHILL.

Mrs. A. J. Grindle is ill.

Richard Ashworth is home from Vinal-haven for the winter.

Miss Margaret Wardwell is home from Massachusetts for a few days.

H. F. Strout and wife returned to their some in Springfield, Mass., Saturday. Miss Susie Long, who teaches in Wake

field, Mass., is spending the holidays at Dec. 28. R.

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## A Young Girl Takes a Lesson With an Unexpected Result

## By MARTHA V. MONROE ·····

Louise Brewster's father died when she was seventeen years old, and her mother had then been dead some years. Louise was left with a competence which needed taking care of as well as herself. Her father had appointed Harold Vandeveer to administer her estate during her minority, and Harold's mother was to have the care of the young lady berself, she taking up her residence in the Vandeveer home.

Harold Vandeveer had been a chum of Mr. Brewster, though he was ten years younger than Brewster. When Louise went to live with his mother he was between thirty-five and forty. He was a literary man and made his living by writing fiction. He was a dignified man, methodical and, when composing, unapproachable. When not at work he was quite genial.

Vandeveer looked upon Louise much as he would have regarded a niece. She was to him a child and to be treated as a child. Neither she nor any one else was permitted to enter his study when he was at work, and when he had finished his daily labor. about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, he usually went out for recreation: consequently Louise saw very little of him except at dinner.

Such was the routine of the Vandeveers and Louise Brewster. Mrs. Vandeveer was occupied with the care of the house and Louise's require-Their son was absorbed in his ments. literary work, while Louise-well, Louise's mind should have been upon her

"Quite right." Mr. Vandeveer was trifle taken aback by the interrup-

"No. I was not aware of all this or of anything else concerning the art of writing. If I had been I should not have come to you for instruction. 1 am profoundly ignorant of the mat-

Mr. Vandeveer was turned from getting material for his quizzing scene to a problem. How could one be taught to write? Beyond the proper use of language he saw nothing to teach. If there were would there not be schools for the purpose? "The only way I know of to learn

to write," he said. "is to write." "Well?"

"Suppose you start by writing a story. First you must get your motif. then locate the story. Begin to write on the germ of a plan and the germ will increase and multiply. After you have finished cut out all that is super-

fluous. "I've thought of a motif already. A girl of my age is in love.'

"You mean a girl several years older than you is in love."

"Didn't I tell you I am eighteen today ?"

"So you did. Well, with whom is this girl in love?"

"With a man in love with himself." "That's not a bad theme," said the author, all the while more and more surprised at his ward's sudden development, "but it has its difficulties. You must show the fellow to be conceited by what he does and says, an attractive contrast between his pomposity and the girl's real simple worth.

"But the man is very learned, and the girl knows nothing. She is not bright, either." "I thought you said the man was

in love with himself."

"I meant he was absorbed in himself "Oh, that makes a great difference!

"But he is greatly her superior.'

sorbed in his work-not in himself."

"Perhaps you meant that he was ab-

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In that case I would invent some act by which the girl by her heroism or devotion attracts his attention from himself to her and, seeing her superiority, is convinced of his own unworth-

ing what is there. No one has ever yet

"Of course I did." "This involves another change. girl is in love with a man whose mind s so absorbed in some great purpose that he does not notice her. Invent some way by which she may befriend him or save him from a great calamity. Then wind up your story with an effective scene between the man and the girl who has been devoted to him." "But the girl wouldn't be capable of heroic act; she isn't brave. She would feel proud and happy to have the hero love her, but wouldn't be competent to do anything to make him love her.' Mr. Vandeveer looked a bit discour-

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He knew how to construct a iged. story, but telling some one else how to do it was another matter.

"Have you any real persons in view for your hero and heroine?" he asked. "Yes."

"In that case you have an advantage in real persons for models, but you must not hesitate to make them fit your literary purpose; otherwise you will get no story."

"Won't the girl's love for the man count for a good deal?"

Mr. Vandeveer was puzzled how to explain that her love must be express ed, that there were various ways of bringing it out, and doing so was dependent upon the skill of the writer. "It seems to me." he said thoughtfully, "that you are attempting a theme that is very difficult. A heroic man arbed in a noble purpose is loved

## KITTERY TO CARIBOU.

The George Crosby buildings at Albion were burned Sunday night.

The stores of William Soper and Charles Moore, at Solon, were burned Sunday Loss, \$10,000. Alpheus L. Webber, of Dexter, was

burned to death in a fire which destroyed his 'arm buildings on Christmas day. He lived alone. Mr. Webber was a Civil war veteran, and was formerly in the hotel business in Dexter.

Nine Bangor & Aroostook freight cars, with their contents, were burned last Wednesday at Cape Jellison. The loss is estimated at about \$13,000, partially covered by insurance. Five of the cars were loaded with paper owned by the Great Northern Paper Co., and four cars were filled with potatoes.

Over 65,000 barrels of Aroostook county potatoes were destroyed by fires in potato ouses at Limestone, Caribou and Smyrna Mills, Saturday and Sunday, with a loss of over \$50,000, only partially covered by insurance. The fires are said to have been caused from the forced heating required on account of the extremely cold weather

in Aroostook county. A decrease of \$1,224,705 in dividends paid the past year was shown by the annual report of the Maine steam railroads filed last Wednesday. A total of \$1,-661,888 was paid by six of the fifteen corporations, the average rate being 5.61 per cent. The other nine paid no dividends The gross income, \$70,020,879, was \$230,594 less than last year. The operating expenses increased \$486,854, while the total revenues from operation were \$383,442 less than in 1913, but there was a gain of \$1,-014,539 in income from other sources.

COUNTY NEWS

SALISBURY COVE. Miss Alta Emery is visiting her brother, Rev. Clarence Emery, in Charleston. Earle Emery and Harry Fogg, students the U. of M., are spending their vacaat the U tions at home.

Miss Sue DeLaittre, who is teaching in Marlboro, spent her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Nettie DeLaittre.

The many friends of Mrs. J. W. Wood will be glud to know that she is recover-ing from her recent severe illness.

ing from her recent severe illness. The Sunday school observed Christmas at the church with a tree and a pleasing program Thursday evening, with the foi-lowing exercises: Opening chorus; re-sponsive reading and prayer, pastor; sing-ing, school; singing, Paul and Sarah Auger; recitation, Milton Moore; chorus; recitations, Pauline Johnson, Eleanor Emery, Sidney emerson; singing, Mar-garet Emery, Pauline Johnson, Singing, school; recitations, Kenneth Johnson, Witliam Emery; Lullaby song, Mrs. Bun-ker's class; recitations, Georgia McFar-land, Hilda Emery; singing, school; exer-cise, "The Making of Christmas;" closing chorus; distribution of gifts.

chorus; distribution of gifts. Dec. 26.

CAPE ROSIER. Alvarado Gray returned from Portland

Tuesday. Oscar Staples cut his foot quite badly last week.

Stanley and Asa Gray are working for Van Black.

Orlando Howard arrived home Saturday from Dark Harbor.

Mrs. John Gray and daughter Christina pent Tuesday in Belfast.

Hobart Blake, of New York, is visiting his grandparents, John Blake and wife. There were Christmas trees in the Methodist and Union churches Thursday

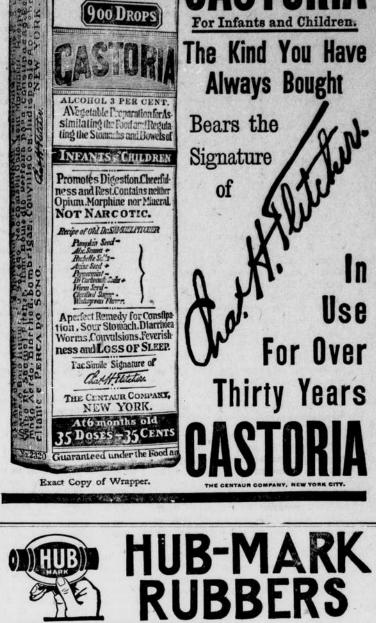
evening. Mrs. Augusta Redman, who has been a nurse in the Webster hospital at Castine, is at home for several weeks.

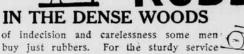
Edith Howard, who has been in the Webster hospital several weeks, returned home Wednesday greatly improved in health. G. Dec. 26.

NORTH HANCOCK.

Lyle Brown and wife, of Bangor, are guests of David Springer and wife. Merle Googins and Lee Joy are home from Charleston for the holidays.

Mrs. Bernice Abbott of Grimes, is visit-ing her parents, G. P. Cline and wife.





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been able to name an age when one of the softer sex is insensible to notice or indifference. Louise did not like it that this, to her, wonderful creator of imaginary beings should treat her as something of far less importance than the most insignificant of his puppets. She once asked him at the dinner table if he would not put her into one of his stories. He looked at her thoughtfully for a short while, then said; "No. I can't see that I could use you." Possibly if the author could have looked within her he might have seen how she could use him..

Half a year after Louise had gone to live with the Vandeveers she had a birthday. She was eighteen years old. Mr. Vandeveer was in his study working up a scene between an old bachelor and a pert young girl in which the former was good humoredly quiz-zing the latter. The door opened, and in walked Louise. The author frowned. but his ward was not dismayed.

"Guardy." she said-wards usually call their guardians guardy, at least in story books-"I am eighteen years of age today and have made choice of a profession."

"A profession!" exclaimed the astonished scribbler, turning in his chair to face her.

"Yes. I have chosen literature."

Mr. Vandeveer opened his eyes still "What branch of literature, wider. may I ask?"

"Fiction."

"You don't mean it." How apropos this scene, coming as it did when the author was drawing one of the same type! Loads of material were at hand. He was the old bachelor; Louise was the pert girl.

"Yes," added Louise, "and I have come to ask you to be my instructor." "Indeed. Um-are you aware that story writing requires experience, some knowledge of human pature, a bit of humor, pathos"

"A sort of literary salad." Louise broke in.

by a simple girl not especially brilliant"

"She is stupid."

"You can't manage these two as they are. You must make some change in one or the other. I've been studying the art for years, and I couldn't make a story out of a stupid girl in love with a man engrossed in a noble purpose. "You might make him treat her with

some consideration, couldn't you? Now, there was nothing in the words to make Mr. Vandeveer start. Louise bit her lip at having said them, for she found herself unable to speak them without a slight tremor in her voice. The author started because this love story he was trying to teach the girl to write was suddenly made to appear very near home. Louise turned to leave the study. He arose from his chair, step-ped forward and placed himself be

tween her and the door. "Louise," he said, "I fear I have not realized that a girl of eighteen is not a child.

She put her hand on the doorknob to turn it. He stopped her by placing his own hand on the knob. But there was not room for the two hands, and his rested on hers.

"I will not let you go." he said. "till this matter is cleared up. You have intended to show me in an indirect way that you are not satisfied with my treatment of you; that I have looked upon you as a child, while you should have the consideration of a woman. Forgive me. I will mend my ways."

What there was to make the girl cry a story writer, who has long studied feminine emotions, would perhaps find it difficult to analyze. Vandeveer didn't try to analyze the cause. An author may sit at his writing table sucking the end of his pen handle trying to conjure some light touch to explain why his heroine weeps, but put that same author in the place of his hero, beside the weeping heroine, and he will do just what the hero did-he will draw her head down on his breast, and the rest of it. At any rate, this is what Vandeveer did, and that's the end of the story.

guests of Mrs. Halcie Coombs in Egypt Christmas.

Mrs. Clarence Stratton and daughter Phyllis were guests last week of R. H. Williams and wife in Franklin.

W. E. Tracy and wife, of Franklin, L. I. Scott and wife, of Ellsworth, and G. W. Googins were guests Christmas day of C. E. Googins and wife. Dec. 28. ANON.

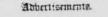
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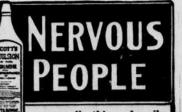
William Brooks Grant, of East Orland, died Saturday at the home of his daugh-ter, Mrs. E. W. Marks, in this town, in the eighticth year of his age. He was a veteran of the Civil war.

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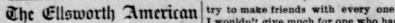
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Governor Haines will turn over to his democratic successor on January 1 one of the largest cash balances ever in the State strong box. The actual cash in the State treasury on January 1 will be about \$750,000. In addition to this, the incoming administration will have the advantage of the \$250,000 gain in settlement of school funds with the State tax. In reality this constitutes an available fund of over \$1,000,000. This is one of the largest surpluses in the history of Maine. The cash on hand when Gov. Haines came into office was \$457,000. Governor Cobb left over some \$650,000 to the incoming administration which was considered unusual.

Chairman Nelson, of the State highway commission, in a speech bethe automobilist in regard to State road work. The discussion has at progress of good road work in Maine. Chairman Nelson gives assurance of the desire of the highway commission to harmonize the conflicting interests, and to work along a definite plan for the ultimate good of both. He appreciates fully the farmers' position. and admits that their complaint is not without good cause. We print elsewhere that part of his speech relating to this subject.

We print this week a word of Christmas greeting from Rev. Sydney S. Booth, of Exeter, Eng., formerly pastor of the Ellsworth Unitarian church. In a personal letter to the editor, Mr. Booth says: "I felt tempted to write you an article on the suggestion that Ellsworth should revert to the town form of government. I am heartily in favor of such a proposal, because I have seen its working under peculiar circumstances. It makes for such real social democracy as no other form of government possibly can. Also, it helps to eliminate party politics to a certain extent. It passes my comprehension why any measure should be accepted or rejected on party grounds rather than on its own intrinsic merits."

The town of Eden is taking up in earnest the plan of purchasing the Mt. Desert toll bridge, and its maintaining it as a free bridge. The charter of the bridge company provides that after twenty years the towns of Mt. Desert island and Trenton may take over the property at its original cost. Eden has taken the initiative, and hopes to interest the other towns of the island and Trenton in the proposition. It is probable that a bill providing for the purchase and maintenance of the bridge will be presented in the next legislature. The tentative plan proposed is for the several towns named to share a proportional part of the cost, and the county also to pay a small portion of the expense. The plan seems feasible and reasonable. The opening of this bridge to free traffic would be a benefit extending far beyond the neighboring towns, even beyond the confines of the county. Because of this it is suggested that possibly special legislation for State aid might be se cured.

I wouldn't give much for one who has not sentiment. I believe it is Goldsmith who declares:

"Be it a weakness, it deserves some praise, We love the play-place of our early days." .

The King is Dead!

The night is setting thick! Faint grows the Year, And through the balls soft beats the pulsing

air From mystic wings, and on the baunted ear Come foot-falls, stealing down the frosty stair!

Ho, there, Old Year! 'Tis hard to say farewell E'en though the perfumed censer bodes thy death! Stay thou the ivied bells that toll thy knell,

Vouchsafe a blessing with thy fleeting breath!

Mysterious creature of the boary beard, A shriveled myth, the youthful dream agel

Once strong of life, respected and revered, Now at the final exit of the stage!

Eventful Year! Thou camst to us unsought When youth was keen and all before made way.

And orioles sang, and eager fingers brought Elysian flowers to crown the queen of

The night wears on! Hark to the Banshee's song See, all the tenants of the church-yard

start Her shrill dirge swells the starless night

along. And loth, we know, old friend, that we must part.

A long farewell! Slow swings the clanging

Whose b-azen tongue proclaims high overheads Peace be on earth, good will to man, jall's

well, Forgive! Aye, let the dead past bury its dead!

-A. S. CONDON-"Author of "A Handful of Flowers", etc. Ogden, Utah, December, 1914.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

The Neighborhood association incorpo rated at Sargentville has laid out for itself fore the Maine automobile association a big program. It expects to inaugurate last week, took up the subject of the a State-wide campaign against the mailcontroversy between the farmer and order houses, its slogan being, "Keep retail trade at home."

A Hancock county man, Roy F. Leach. times become acrimonious, and the of Penobscot, has been appointed assistfeeling aroused threatens to delay the ant clerk of the public utilities commission, with a salary of \$1,500. Mr. Leach is twenty-three years of age. At nineteen he was elected tax collector of Penobscot, bal did not serve, being a minor. He was United States census enumerator in 1910, and is now postmaster. At twenty he was master of the grange. His many friends in the county are pleased at his appointment.

New Deputy Sheriffs.

Sheriff Silsby announces the appointment of the following deputy sheriffs for the new year:

Frank E. Weston, Winter Harbor Ernest L. Osgood, Bluehill; Cecil W. Crosby, Amherst; Norris L. Grindell, Penobscot; Seymour F. Wardwell, Penobscot; Chandler M. Wilson, Bucksport: John Carter, Southwest Harbor; H. Leroy Fernald, Franklin.

BAR HARBOR.

William Dolliver, of Northeast Harbor. was in town Saturday.

Lewis Suminsby and family spent Christmas with T. B. Knowles and wife, of Eden.

Frank Conners is confined to his hon suffering from an injury received in his blacksmith shop.

Vernon Grant and wife, of Harrington and Miss Effie Morgan, of Boston, were in

town for the Huzzey-Moran wedding. The Misses Lindell and Miss Olive Cleaves gave a dancing party at the Casino

for the Belgium relief fund, and realized

## Correspondence.

The Passing of the Leaders. NORTH PENOBSCOT, Dec. 26, 1914. To the Editor of The American:

I am forcibly reminded of late of the great loss which the republican party and Hancock county have sustained in the death of leading citizens within a brief period of years. The recent death of Hon. Elmer P.

Spofford draws the curtain again over the cemetery of the past, and removes from political activity one of our shrewdest and most successful politicians, a safe councilor and a companionable man.

A little earlier had failen Judge Chase hose patent influence in many a hardfought campaign was widely felt, and who, "with a heart for any fate," pressed his way up in political life against great odds

And fresher still in the hearts of our own townsmen is the passing of Postmas ter B. H. Cushman, one of our staunch, life-long republicans, ever to the front, strong intellectually, and whose in fluence, however silent, was widely felt; and also L. A. Snowman, ex-representative, a veteran war-horse in politics, a man of sterling character and sound to the core.

And then, too, ex-Senator and Postmaster Guy McAlister, of Bucksport, one of the ablest man who has helped to guide the politics of that town for the past forty years, and make it in its prime one of the strongholds of republicanism in this county, and also Hon. Parker Spofford, who had won a high place in the confidence of his party by his sterling virtues.

And our memory still refuses to forget the grand old man of Eden, Hon. Eben Hamor, who at his best was one of the regal forces in Hancock politics, a man strong both in mind and character.

And then comes Castine, with William Witherle, a man of culture and character, with broad views and the power to express them; and George Warren, the man popular, who in his palmiest days exerted powerful influence in Hancock politics. and easily won polifical favors.

Who will rise up to fill the ranks sadiy depleted by so long a list of citizens of nnnsual intelligence, worth and influence. and who contributed, in a marked degree, to the prestige of the party, and to the business interests of our towns and county? Will the public spirit and party fervor of the few guiding spirits that led and aroused our county conventions in the years past during a period of magnificent victories be more generally diffused through the mass of our citizens, and high ideals and far-reaching principles sway and guide the action of a party, once great in size and results and broad in vision? J. M. HUTCHINS.

A Greeting From Old England. 13 EGERTON PARK ROAD, EXETER, ENGLAND, Dec. 13, 1914. To the Editor of The American:

Just a word of good cheer to all my good friends in Ellsworth this Christmastide. For you all it will be pretty much the same sort of Christmas as it was a year ago; but what a change for us who are living on this side of the Atlantic! It cannot be a very merry one for us, but for the sake of the children we have got to treat it with smiling faces. And vet, after all, things might have been a great deal worse.

Our hearts will be with the gallant men in the trenches, no matter on which side they may be fighting; brave men who are doing their duty that those they guard may rest in peace around their own Christmas trees. Everything possible will be done to make the lot of the homeless sufferers as pleasant as possible under the circumstances; looking forward, at the same time, that they may be back again in their own homes, perhaps next Christmas, or the Christmas following at the latest.

My heart is with you all, and I am look 323.
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Stanwood Boynton, Standard STATE HIGH WAYS.

Chairman of Highway Commission Discusses Complaint of Grangers. Chairman Lyman H. Nelson, of the State highway commission, in a speech at the annual meeting of the Maine automobile association in Portland last week, took up the discussion and dissension which have arisen between the grangers and the automobilists in regard to State highway work. He said in part:

"I want both the grange and the automobile association to know that the highway commission rejoices in the interest both organizations are taking in this great problem. If you ask me what is the greatest need for the future of Maine roads, I say it is that more interests, more honest intelligent, unselfish interest be taken in the matter by the people of The highway problem is the Maine. greatest single problem in Maine to-daythe one question vitally affecting more people than any other. And yet comparatively few realize this.

"The economic development of our State, whether from the farmers' standpoint or the tourists' standpoint or the general business standpoint, depends fundamentally upon better roads. And the best minds among us should be bent towards a solution of the complex problems presented.

"I have complete sympathy with the grange and its demands for better roads from the farm. Every farmer, living as he does in a more or less isolated place, is dependent upon the road. The city man has generally a good street, a good sidewalk or a trolley line he can use, but the farmer has none of them. For the hauling of his farm products and supplies, the schooling of his children, attendance at church and social events, he requires a good road.

"I am glad the grange is discussing and resolving upon this matter, but I would like to have the grange get right down to business and say what it wants in detail. Its purpose is evident enough a road from every farm to the village or railroad station, but what detailed plan has it for secomplishing this muchdesired result? Twenty-five thousand miles of road cannot be built all at once. If the work is to go on at all it must be by some comprehensive business-like system and method. It is apparent to all that the general attitude taken by the grange and the automobilist is quite opposite. The grange wants farm roads; the automobilist wants long, connected thoroughfares.

"How are both to be provided? answer, not by class criticish and gliftering generalities, but by the active, intelligent, charitable interest of both parties. The legislature has made a law which undertakes to do both of these things. A fund is provided for through lines in the bond issue; a fund is provided for country roads by special appropriation. But the granger knows to his discomfort that improvement under State aid is very slow -each town can improve but a short section each year, and he looks askance at the large volume of money now being expended upon through lines. He calls them scenic boulevards and speedways. and is jealous of and antagonistic to this work.

-"The law, however, requires the building of connected, inter-county through lines, as well as State-aid or country roads. The granger knows this, and why, therefore, should he complain? I will tell you why. It is because the trunk lines are costing too much money and yielding too little mileage. The road work on the State highway system has been going on in the past year in every county. The granger has seen it and he knows it is costly work.

"It is doubtful if the first million dollars of our bond issue will yield over 140 miles out of a proposed system of 1,300 The roads built this year will miles. average to cost the State approximately \$7,000 per mile. They are good roads, Apply to E. G. Moone, Ellsworth. average to cost the State approximately thoroughly built, the very kind of roads



Abbertisements.

Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the d of Elisworh, in the county of Hancock, the the year 1914. THE following list of taxes on realess of non-resident owners in the city. El sworth afe resaid. for the year 184, to mitted to me for collection for said city, the fact day of May, 1914, remains uppur and notice is hereby given that if said is be match of the real estate taxed as is no citat to pay the amount due theretor, is not in interest and charges, will be soid with further notice at public auction, and with in the source of Elisworth, on the first Moeso of February, 1915, at 9 o'clock a.m. Norman Gray is at home, after spending a few months in Aroostook county.

Ernest L. Osgood has been appointed deputy sheriff in place of Ward W. Wescott, resigned.

Miss Myrtle Pillsbury, of Woodland, spent Christmas with her parents, G. M. Pillsbury and wife.

Miss Abby Partridge, of Simmons college, Boston, is visiting her parents, W. 1. Patridge and wife.

Carl Hinckley and wife, of Boston, spent the holidays in town. Mrs. Betts, Adelbert W, house and lot, Hinckley will remain for a short visit with her parents, H. H. McIntyre and wife.

Bayside. Bryant, Mrs J A, E L Brown shop and lot, Water St. Crocker, J H, camp and lot, Green Lake & acre. Bunker, John, heirs, Meadow lot, Pleasant Valley, Donovan, Mrs Timothy, house and lot, Gran St. J., E. Mortell and wife announce the marriage of their daughter Margaret to Donovan, lot, G ant St. Ginn, Charles, Eldridge land, Gray, William W. Carpenter place, Warren Harriman, of Seal Harbor. Miss Mortell was one of Bluehill's most popular young ladies, and has the best wishes of a host of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Harri-

Boggy Brook. Ingalis, Eliza E.land at Happytown, Jordan, John W, heirs, cast side Jordan, John W, heirs, east side Oak St, Jude, William F, pasture land of Herman Hill, camp at Branch pond, Mason, Edward G, island in Branch man will reside at Seal Harbor. Η.

## Interesting Legislative Session

Dec. 28.

The Maine legislature will be seated next month under conditions never before en-countered in Maine law-making. In the Senate the republicans have a clean plurality of 3; in the House the democrats have a small plurality, the republicans a threatening minority, and the progressives an annoying handful. On joint ballet the democrats apparently will have 91, the republicans 87, and the progressives 4. The organization of the two banches will be interesting to follow. the deliberations and voting of the joint sessions will be intensely interesting, and some of the battles of the session will without doubt be very spectacular.

In order to follow the history of this legislature you should have a daily copy of the newspaper which is best equipped and located to cover this big piece of Maine news every day. The Kennebec Journal has a staff which in editorial talent and reportorial efficiency is unequalied in Maine, and it is especially well equipped in every detail to cover the legislative news.

This winter the Kennebec Journal will turn the best men on its staff to the business of reporting and interpreting the movements of the legislative session, and the paper will bring out in detail the meaning of every movement of importance.

Advance notices of all the committee hearings are published in the Journal, a matter of great importance to those who are watching new legislation. The Journal also publishes at the opening of the session biographical sketches of the members of the legisla

ture, accompanied by portraits. The price of the Daly Kennebec Journal will be \$1.25 for the session. Addres: Kennebec Journal Company, Au-gusta, Maine.-Adrt.

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Ellsworth, Me., Dec. 30, 1914.

NOTICE.

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Dec. 21, 1914.

THE Wm. Oke or John Meader place, so called, on the east side Surry Road, in Ellsworth, Maine, consisting of about fifteen acres of land and good dwelling house and outbuildings. For particulars inquire of FRED L. MASON, Ellsworth, Maine, or JOHN H. DASPORTH, FOXCOFT, Maine.

ENTIRE equipment of Gem theatre, new July 4, 1913. Chairs, oscilating fans, picture machines. Plenham ventilating sys-tem. Address, Gun THEATRE, Lewiston. Lo Lrt.

Castine, Maine, Dec. 14, 1914.

TENEMENT-D-sirable tenement for small family; within 5 minutes' walk of P. O. Apply at 11 Court St., Ellsworth. STATE OF MAIN Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town Gouldebroy, in the county of Bancock. In

umpaogh, mill buildings and ma-chitery. Savage, George, house lot, Bayside, Smith, Justina, house and laod, Bay-side, C. J. BROWN, Collector, of taxes of the city of Ellsworth Ellsworth, Dec. 19, 1914. STATE OF MAINE Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Land

Mason, Edward G, Island in Branch pond, Moore. William H, ½ mill privilege: Field. Waitham road; Gray land, 50 sq rods; wild land. Waitham road; land of Gerry 2 acres; pasture land of Hamilton; wild land of J & W P Perry. Moon, Howard D, land on Surry road 12 acres. N. Bunker land. S. Tre-worgy, E. Surry road, W. Trewory, Moulton, Charles, Louise Barker and Alice Kincaid land. Murch, Mrs Samuel J, house lot Water St. Osgood. Harry W, ½ camp at Pat-ter's pond.

Dogood, Harry W. 2 ten's pond, Bogers & Ingalis, steam mill, Wink-umpaugh, mill buildings and ma-umpaugh, mill buildings and ma-

Name of owner, description of property.

of Non-Resident Owners Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the torne Castine. In the county of Hancock, for the year 1914.

year 1914. THE following list of taxes on resistate mon resident owners in the tors of Castine, for the year 1914, committed is a for collection for said town on the hitten day of April, remains anguid, and solice hereby given that if said rates, interest a there of a state in the in state, interest charges are not previously paid, so multi-the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pa-amount due therefor, including interest charges, will be sold at public auction town hall, on the first Monday of Febr 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

S. W. CASE, Collector.

Amt o tax du J Wesley Grindle, one lot or parcel of land bounded on the north by Perkins St., on the east by land of Mrs A H Folsom, on the south by the harbor, and on the west by land of Mrs Ellen Richardson, contain-

of Max Ellen Richardson, containing one-half acre, more or less with the buildings thereon Daniel Johnson, one lot or parcel of land, bounded on the north by land of Anna Witherle, on the south by land of W A Waiker, and on the west by Main St., containing one-fourth acre, more or less, with the buildings thereon, Miss C C Schenck, one lot or parcel of land bounded on the north by Perkins St., on the east by land of Heory McLangblin, on the south by harbor, and on the west by land of W G Sargent, containing one-fourth acre, more or less, with the buildings thereon, S. W. G. cold

There is no more loyal nor more affectionate son of Hancock county than Dr. A. S. Condon, of Ogden, Utah, author of "A Handful of Flowers", who contributes to THE AMERI-CAN this week a poem appropriate to the dying year, "The King is Dead." Dr. Condon gives a glimpse of his tended by her sister, Miss Anne Moran, heart-yearning for old friends and old places in the following paragraph from a personal letter to the editor: "Right now, this minute, my heart is in Maine, old Hancock and North Penobscot. I'd give a whole lot to be there! I could go all right, if I tried to, but do you know the leaving there to come back rips me to pieces. Location is strong in my temperament, and home and friends, once home and friends, are always such, and grow deeper and deeper into my soul as the years draw on. I have been lucky in keeping my friends all my life, and that is the reason why-because I love them when once made. But I do not deeper and deeper into my soul as the

Harbor high school, have won prizes for their stories printed by the Bar Harbor Times.

A successful Christmas tree was given the children of the Forest street Episcopal Sunday school last Sunday afternoon. Members of the Girls' Friendly society sang Christmas carols. Clarence Salisbury and Winfred Hodgkins, of the church choir, led the singing. Fred Wescott, the church organist, came out to play for the occasion. Malcolm Brewer had wired the tree with colored lights as a surprise for the little ones, and they were much delighted when it became radiant with colored lights. After the singing of the carols, some of the children grouped selves at one side of the room and sang "Old Santa Claus" and "Little Town of Bethlehem" for those who had provided them such a happy time. The children learned these songs in the public school.

Miss Frances Moran, of this place, and Robert Huzzey, of Portland, were married at the bride's home on Cottage street on Christmas day. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Angus MacDonald, pastor of the Congregational church. Only relatives and close friends were present. The house was prettily decorated with palms, evergreens, holly and mistletoe. The bride was tastefully gowned in white satin, en traine, and wore a veil. She was atand Joseph Brown, of Bar Harbor, was best man. Mrs. Huzzey is the daughter of Mrs. Ada Moran and the late Thomas F. Moran, formerly of Ellsworth. For several years she has been a grade teacher in the primery schools of Bar Harbor. Mr. Huzzey is a member of the faculty o Norwich university, of Northfield, Vt. Mr. and Mrs. Huzzey left on the afternoon boat, with the best wishes of a host of friends. After spending the holidays in Boston, they will reside at Northfield. M. Dec. 28.

to pay you another visit; meanwhile let the autom me wish you all a very happy Christmas. SYDNEY S. BOOTH.

## ELLSWORTH FALLS.

Leon G. Flood, of Bangor, spent Christmas here with his parents, Asa C. Flood and wife.

George H. Lord was home from Portland Friday and Saturday of last week, with his parents, Henry Lord and wife.

Dalton Franklin and Wesley Rogers arrived home from Dexter Thursday, to spend the holidays with their parents.

Dr. L. K. Thayer, wife and daughter Ruth, of Salem, Mass., who have been here for a week with Mrs. Thayer's parents, Moses Cottle and wife, left for home Monday.

Mrs. Frank H. Lowell and son Erdman of Tarrytown, N. Y., arrived Christmas eve for a two weeks' visit with her parents here and at Mr. Lowell's home at North Penobscot. W. H. Lowell came for Mrs. munity can join it sooner with a short Lowell Tuesday.

Rev. John P. Roberts, of Lisbon Falls will speak in the Union Congregational shurches of Elisworth Falls and North Ellsworth next Sunday, Jan. 3. Mr. Roberts is a thoughtful and interesting preacher, and a man of fine social gifts, and his coming is anticipated with pleasure by the people.

The Christmas concert and tree under the auspices of the Sunday school was held Thursday evening. There was a short program, an address by the pastor, and Santa Claus appeared and helped distribute the presents from the trees. The concert and all arrangements and decorations were arranged by Mrs. E. C. Cochrane and her class of young ladies, and they elicited much favorable comment.

Man, hard of hearing, was walking along the street, in a thoughtful mood. when a young boy accosted him and said:

"Mister, yer mouth's open." "What's that?" "I say yer mouth's open." "A \*\*A little louder please, I'm hard of hearing.' "Yer mug's sjar - yer mouth's open." "O," said the man, passing on, "I know it, I left it open."

obilist wants, but they cost too much, and the money, therefore, yields too little mileage.

"Supposing this million dollars had been spent in improving as best we could 350 or 400 miles instead of 140; not so well, perhaps, not quite so thoroughly, but laid out on the general principle of first making the roads safe, safe for two vehicles to pass, the sharpest curves eliminated and the roads generally widened. Don't you see that three times as many people would have been benefited and a good main road thus brought that much nearer the great farming population?

"And it is right along this line that the automobilist and the granger can get together. If the former will yield somewhat of his demand for a costly road, he will find that the grange opposition will be greatly reduced, and in the long run both interests will be the better served. The trunk line will reach out farther and faster, so that the local farming combuild, and the motor enthusiast will have a 400-mile good, fair, safe ride rather than 130 miles of speedway.

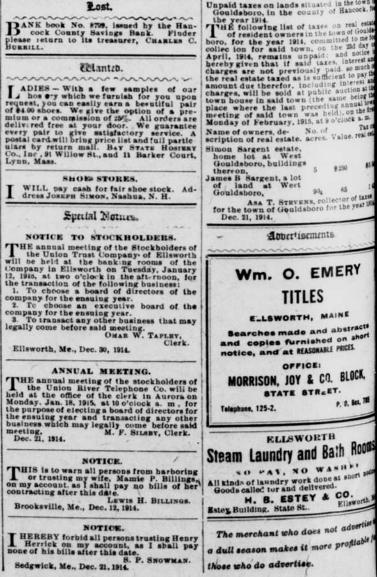
"There is one particular, practical way in which the grange can prove of great help in this good roads development. Let it bend its energies toward the increased use of the road drag on the country roads, and let it endeavor in every town to get a good, practical man to devote his entire time during the snowless months to dragging and patrolling the town roads."

## State of Ohio. City of Toledo, /

State of Ohio. City of Toledo, Lucas County, isa. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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## CHRISTMAN FESTIVALS.

## programs and Trees in the Sunday Schools of Ellsworth.

The Sunday schools of Ellsworth had their Christmas festivals last Thursday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST.

The exercises at the Baptist church were held in the vestry Thursday evening. A short dialogue, "The Christmas Window," made up the program, in which the principal parts were taken by Ella May Johnston and Martha Royal. The larger celebration of the Christmas festival came on Sunday. The pastor preached a sermon that was in harmony with the general theme, and both choirs assisted in the service. In the evening a Sunday school concert was given. The program follows: 

Choir

UNITARIAN.

A supper was served to the children of the Unitarian Sunday school on Christmas eve. After supper, ice-cream and cake were served. In the evening an attractive program was rendered by the little children. Margaret Walker, Vena Hagerthy, Marjorie Hagerthy, Eveline Lord, Alice Adams, Doris Wardwell, Newell Haynes, Blanche Watson, Elizabeth Royal, Raymond Royal, George Watson all assisted in the entertainment.

After the singing of a Christmas hymn, Santa Claus entered the vestry by the side door and distributed presents to all the children who were waiting for his advent, not to mention those who had not expected to receive any bene factions from him.

## CONGREGATIONAL.

At the Congregational church refreshments were served to the children of the Sunday school, followed by Christmas exercises.

The exercises were opened by scripture reading and prayer by the pastor, Rev. R. B. Mathews. There were recitations by the following children: Sarah and Louise Foster, Elizabeth and Mary Cousins, Alice Haynes, Hope Milliken, Ruth Whiting, Benjamin B. Whitcomb, jr., Thomas Holmes, Priscilla Scott, Helen Whitcomb and Mattie Royal. Distribution of pres; ents followed.

## METHODIST.

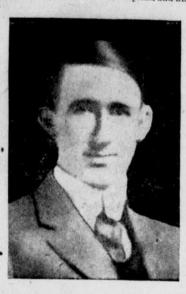
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Ellsworth Boy Who Has Made Good in Motion Picture Business.

Few Elisworth people will recognize the photograph herewith as Earle B. Tinker, an Ellsworth boy who, having left this city when quite young, returns here with his wife, and with the intention of making his permanent home at Bayside. Mr. Tinker early became associated with the motion-picture industry, and since 1910 has played an important part in this great and growing business. Having started in as a small town showman, his endesvorsattracted outside capital, and his

EARLE B. TINKER.



first big venture was launched. Since that time many important positions have been tendered to him.

When the great French firm of Pathe Freres wanted a representative for the State of Maine, Mr. Tinker was the man selected. His work with that company was the most profitable, considering the size of the Pathe output, of any of the big international companies, and towns where the "Red Rooster" trade mark and the Eclectic "Triangle" are not used, are exceedingly scarce.

With the formation this fall of the Shubert-Brady-Liebler producing companies, under the name of the World Film corporation, now producing all the popular stage plays in pictures which are available, with the original stars in the casts. Mr. Tinker received an offer from them to handle the business interests of the corporation in the states of Maine, of New Hampshire and Vermont, and finally agreed to accept their offer if his friend, Frank H. Vine, then manager of the Pathe interests in Boston, would accept the offer tendered him as manager at Bos-

ton for the world corporation. On the first of December, Mr. Vine accepted, and the week following, Mr. Tinker also severed his engagement and went down to the new office. It is said that the salary paid Mr. Finker is one of the largest ever paid a motion-picture executive.

THE AMERICAN, in common with his many friends in this vicinity, wish him success in his new position, and also hope he will succeed in his desire to own and operate a large farm near his present residence. Mr. Tinker has travelled extensively, and believes that Ellsworth is as good a place to farm as any.

## GO-TO-CHURCH CAMPAIGN.

Ellsworth Churches Unite In Special

Services. Last January the Ellsworth churches entered into a go-to-church campaign, believing that the first Sunday in the year was a strategic day in which to appeal to folks to begin the new year right. It is a time when many people are making resolutions, and many who have not been in the habit of attending church are apt to make that one of the resolutions, and the campaign, therefore, was an effort on the part of the churches to stimulate nonchurch goers to realize their privilege and duty in this respect. The meetings in the various churches were held in the morning as usual, with special emphasis on the campaign theme, and the churches combined in the evening for a union service. The attendance was gratifying, and revealed the fact that the people were responsive to the idea. Recently the pastors met and arranged for a campaign to run through the month of January. It is planned to have the morning services as usual, but the churches combine for the service in the evening, meeting in rotation in the various churches. The general subject for discourses will be the question "Why Go To Church?" and this will be answered from four different angles or viewpoints by the four pastors. Each pastor will be the speaker in his own church, and the arrangement is as follows: Jan. 3, the Congregational church; Jan. 10, the Unitarian church; Jan. 17, the Baptist church; Jan. 24, the Methodist church. The last Sunday in the month the service comes back to the Congregational church, and it is planned to have the question, "Why Go to Church?" answered by laymen-a symposium from the pews. Efforts will be made to have the services Efforts will be made to have the services as interesting and as helpful as possible. Special music will be arranged, and there will be no collections taken except on the last Sunday evening, and that simply to defray necessary expenses.

OBITUARY

CAPT. HORACE F. LORD.

News of the sudden death of Ca t. Horace F. Lord on Sunday, at his home at Green Lake, was a shock to his many Elisworth friends. Death resulted from pneumonia, after an illness of only one day.

Though living at Green Lake for the past nine years, Capt. Lord was still considered an Ellsworth man. He was born here, the son of Capt. John A. Lord. He followed the footsteps of his father, and as a young man went to sea, soon rising to the position of master. For several years he went southern and forsign voyages. His last command was the bark Julia.

About nine years ago he bought the little store at Green Lake, where he had since resided. In connection with the store, he kept a fleet of small .oats for fishermen, and also a motor boat for livery service on the lake. He was also care-taker for the winter for many of the Bangor cottage-owners, who looked upon him as almost indispensable.

Capt. Lord was fifty-six years of age. He was a member of Lejok lodge, I. O. O. F., of Ellsworth, the A. O. U. W., and the Knights of Pythias lodge, of Mobile, Ala. He is survived by his father, Capt. John A. Lord, a widow and one daughter-Mrs. Linwood T. Beckwith, of Winona, N. J. The remains were brought to Ellsworth, where funeral services were held to-day.

## DAVID A. STAPLES.

David A. Staples died suddenly yesterday at his home on the old Bangor road. Mr. Staples, who was nearing seventy-five years of age, had been in poor health for some time, but was not confined to the house, and yesterday morning appeared in better health than usual. About noon he was found dead on the floor in his home, where he lived alone. He had been dead but a short time.

Mr. Staples was born at North Penobscot, but had lived in Ellsworth many years, ongaged in farming. He is survived y one brother-James A. Staples, and three sisters-Mrs. Martha A. Tapley, of Calais; Mrs. Harriet Leach, of Orland, and Mrs. Emily Grindle, of McKinley. The funeral will be held at the home of James A. Staples to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### GEORGE W. DENNETT.

The sudden death last evening of George W. Dennett removes another of Ellsworth's well-known citizens. Mr. Dennett had been about town during the day, and in the early evening was doing some work about the house when he complained of a pain in his head. A moment later he became unconscious, and soon expired.

Mr. Dennett was born in Belfast sixtynine years ago, and came to Ellsworth more than forty years ago to work in the sail loft of his father, the late Joseph Dennett. He succeeded his father in the business, which he continued until his death. Mr. Dennett was a quiet, rather retiring good qualities. He

citizen, of many good qualities. He leaves a widow. The uneral will be held at the home to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## ELLSWORTH MARKETS.

Flour Going Skyward-Eggs in Better Supply and Cheaper.

A sensational rise in the price of flour is the feature of the market this week. A rise of about \$1 a barrel on all grades is recorded. Eggs are cheaper. Sugar is down to 6 cents.

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## To Mend Cuffs

In the January Woman's Home Companion appears a department called "The Exchange' - a department to which readers contribute helpful ideas which they have worked out from their own practical experience. Following is a suggestion made by a Wisconsin woman: "The cuffs of my busband's shirts 'break' and get ragged while the remainder of the garment is still in perfect condition. I have tried many ways of mending them and dnally have found an easy and satisfactory one. As the shirts are usually white with a colored stripe, a strip of stout white material about an inch wide will mend them. (If shirt is colored and you have no pieces to match cut a strip off either side of the tail of shirt.) Trim off ragged edge of the cuff and stitch on strip (right sides together) just below a stripe if possible. Pull tight over edge of cuff, turn under and stitch on wrong side.'

## MARINE LIST.

Hancock Connry Ports.

Hancock County Ports. West Sullivan-Sld Dec 26, sch J Howell Leeds, Bosion, Mass South west Harbor-Ar Dec 22, sch Annie P. Chase with coal for J T & Freeman Ar Dec 26, sch A J Sterling (Br) Dorchester, N B, for western port Sid Dec 21, sch Robert W In port Dec 26, sch Giorge R Smith Dec 28, sch Odell West Tremont-In port Dec 26, schs James L Maloy, Ella Clifton Bass Harbor-In port Dec 28, sch Laura and Marion, bound west

BORN. BRADBURY-At Franklin, Dec 15, to Mr and Mrs George S Bradbury, a son. BYE-At Oceanville, Dec 21, to Mr and Mrs Charles E Bye, a daughter. GRINDLE-At Penobscot, Dec 17, to Mr and Mrs Roland V Grindle, a daughter.

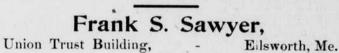
BLAISDELL – BUNKER – At North Anson, Dec 24, by Rev C W Rogers, Miss Mamie Blaisdell to Harry Bunker, both Franklin.

**Big Mark=Down** Sale Still Going On

Have Doubled Our Stock, and **New Goods Arriving Daily** 

If in need of a Suit. Overcoat. Ladies' Garments or Furnishings, call and see for yourself before purchasing elsewhere.

Note the Quality for the Money. Money Back if not Satisfied with Your Purchases.



## Abbertisements



Armed Peace a Fatal Policy.



Distribution of gifts from the tree followed.

## America China's Friend.

"It was evident as I traveled throughout the new republic that America is everywhere regarded as China's best friend," says Sherwood Eddy, in World's Work. "This will be a most valuable asset to us in all our commercial and political relations with China in the future.

"In 1861 it was America's first representative, Anson Burlingame, who resisted the 'spoils system'. In 1899 John Hay fought for the 'open door' against the spheres of influence' of other Powers.

"In 1901 America resisted the partition of China after the Boxer uprising and protested against the unjust indemnities levied by some of the other nations. Under President Roosevelt, America helped to confine the war between Russia and Japan to Manchuria, and to restore

"It was America that returned much of the Boxer indemnity money to educate Chinese students. But above all, America of all the great nations, does not possess any of China's territory. It is to America, the peaceful trading nation of the Pacific, the model republic, from which China has patterned her own government, that China looks for her best friend."

There are some questions that a witness cannot answer by a simple yes or no, and a browbeating lawyer will oftentimes take advantage of this fact. One of this class was demanding at a trial not long ago that a witness answer a certain question either in the affirmative or negative. "I cannot do it," retorted the witness. "There are some questions which cannot be answered by a 'yee' or 'no', as every one will testify to." The lawyer, somewhat metified by this reply, thundered forth: "I defy you to give an example to the court." The retort came in a flash: "Are you still beating your wife?" A sickly and baffled smile overspread the attorney's face as he resumed his seat.-Grit.

Advertisers in THE AMERICAN are capturing the trade.

## MOUTH OF THE RIVER.

Mrs. Clara A. York, who has been very ill, is improving.

Raymond Cousins, of Surry, spent M Jnday night with his sister, Mrs. Clifford Fullerton.

W. G. Bowden, who has been employed in Portsmouth, N. H., all summer, is home for the winter.

Mrs. Sophia Dodge, who has been nursing at Manset, was called home by the illness or her mother, Mrs. Clara A. York.

Judge (to woman asking separation) -How long have your relations been un-pleasant? Woman-Your honor, my relations have always been pleasant; it's his relations that are the old grouches.

Squash Turnips..... Parsnips, B..... Cranberries, qt ..... Celery, bunch..... FRUIT. Apples, bbl..... \$2.00 g2.50 A FEW STAPLES. Sugar, granulated, h ..... powdered..... yellow ..... Molasses, gal ... MEATS AND PROVISIONS. Beef, B..... Native veal, B... Native lamb, B..... Salt pork, 1 ..... FLOUR, FEED AND GRAIN. Flour, bbl...... \$7.00 g7.50 fancy brands, bbl ..... Corn, bag, (whole, cracked or meal, Shorts, mixed feed and middlings, 1.70 g1.75 Oats, bag (21bu)..... Amertigement GET RID OF HUMORS AND AVOID DISEASE Humors in the blood cause interderangements that affect the nal whole system, as well as pimples, boils and other eruptions. They affect all the organs and functions, membranes and tissues, and are directly

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# COUNTY NEWS. spent the week-end with her parents, T. COUNTY NEWS.

## WEST FRANKLIN.

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Misses Lettie and Ola Smith were in angor Wednesday and Thursday. Bangor Lloyd Hodgkins, of Bar Harbor, is pending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Hutching

Miss Janie Goodwin entertained her lit-Be friends Christmas in honor of her highth birthday. B. H. Hardison, of Bangor, took Christ-

mas dinner with his parents, Horatio Hardison and wife.

Earl Young, a student in Bangor high school, is spending the holidays with his sister, Mrs. S. S. Scammon.

Misses Adah Savage and Beulah Hardi-son left Saturday; the former to teach at Bradford, the latter at Glenburn.

Mrs. Clarence Stratton and daughter

Phyllis spent Christmas with Mrs. Strat-ton's parents, R. H. Williams and wife. C. T. Goodwin and wife went to Ports

mouth, N. H., Tuesday to spend the win-ter with their daughter, Mrs. Parslow. Frank Grindle and wife, of Bucksport, spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Grindle's parents, Eugene Orcutt and

rife E. E. Coombs and wife entertained at dinner Christmas their daughter Hazel and Sam Chapman and wife, of Ells-

Miss Alice Butler, who has been in a sanitarium in Adirondack mountains several months, arrived home Thursday. She was accompanied by her nurse.

E. O. Hardison and family moved into E. O. Hardison and family moved into their new and attractive home in time for their Christmas dinner. In the evening they were agreeably surprised to have for their guest their son Chauncey, who came from Bangor for a few hours' visit, returning on the late train. Есно.

## HANCOCK.

Wyman Beal, of Hallowell, is a guest at he home of C. A. Crabtree and wife.

Dec. 28.

Miss Gertrude Crabtree, of Portland, isited her mother, Mrs. Ellen Crabtree,

C. H. Abbott and wife and Theodore Abbott, of Bangor, were Christmas guests of G. H. Young and wife.

Misses Leah and Lillian Scammon, of Bangor, were Christmas guests of their parents, H. B. Scammon and wife.

Miss Gertrude Foss, of Bangor, and Miss Edith Foss, of Waterville, epent Christmas with their parents, O. W. Foss

Frederic Johnson and Horace Stratton, of Higgins classical institute, and Ken-neth Crabtree, of Hebron academy, are home for the holidays.

A Christmas concert was given Friday evening. The following program was pleasantly given: Voluntary; prayer; song, choir; responsive reading; Christsong, choir; responsive reading; Christ-mas acrostic, nine children; recitations, Reginal Johnson, Lena Young; song, choir; recitations, Bernard Joy, Celia Foss, Caroline Crabtree; song, Julia West; resitations, Philip Eldridge, Mina Strat-ton; song, choir; recitations, Cline Page, Doris Stratton, Bessie Walker, Ralph Young, Frances Page; song, Madeline Sabine, Merie Sabine, Earl Sabine; recita-tion, Samy Lounder; song, Minta Strat-ton, Doris Stratton, Celia Foss; recitation, Elsie Page, Madeline Sabine; excreise, Merie Sabine, Earl Sabine; song. At the close of the exercise, Santa Claus dis-tributed gifts from the tree and presented each child with a box of candy. each child with a box of candy.

Dec. 28.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR. Andrew Parker's new cottage near the Mills house is progressing, with the pros-pect of an early completion.

Rudolp Gilley, who has been a helpless invalia for a year or more, is gradually growing weaker.

Mr. Gott, of Bangor, the contractor for the Cours summer home, has been here again for the past three weeks doing the interior finish on the house.

Capt. Jacob Mayo is at home for the winter, having finished the herring sea-son. His daughter, Mrs. Byron Carpen-ter, is still giving her mother, a helplers invalid, faithful care.

A union service was held at the Con-gregational church Christmas eve, with bountifully loaded trees and a pleasing program. All the children, in addition to gifts from home friends, were given candy bags and a special present from W. L. Underwood, of Boston. Sunday morning, Dec. 20, the Christmas sermon by Mr. Mordecai was of thrilling interest and was enjoyed by a large united congre-gation. gation.

gation. In one home here Christmas bells heralded wedding favors. On Christmas evening, at an early hour, a few intimate friends gathered at the home of Mr. and St. James' chapel Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Macomber, of Seal Har-bor, spent the holidays with D. G. Hall and family.

C. R. Billington, who has been employed at J. Lee Fogg's the past season, is at

Philip Barnes has moved his family into

the house which he recently purchased of L. E. Higgins, of Seal Harbor. A drama, "The Warfarers," was pre-sented at the grange fail by Mt. View grange. They will present the same play at the Pastime, Northeast Harbor, to-night.

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Dec. 28. BEECH HILL.

John Carter and Alice Mason are at some from U, of M, for the holidays.

Mrs. Mary Hill, of Somesville, is at Mrs. Ella Mason's for a few days.

Charles Carter and Guy Lunt and their families spent Christmas at Benjamin Carter's at Pretty Marsh. It was a delightful family party, nearly thirty being

Christmas greetings from Mr. and Mrs. Roland Carter tell that they are well and pleasantly situated in their new home in North Lamoine.

Christmas eve passed pleasantly at 'he home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lunt, where a heavily-laden Christmas tree beld gifts for the families of Charles Carter, Guy Lunt and Delmont Richardson.

LEAF. Dec. 28.

## MT. DESERT FERRY.

School is again in session, taught by Rav Moon.

Ora Jordan and wife have gone to Porto dico for the winter. Miss Dora Jellison has gone to Rumford

Falls for a few weeks. Miss Elizabeth Jellison spent Christmas

with friends in Howland.

Mrs. Margaret Eldridge, of Rumford Falls, is with her sister, Carrie Colby. Miss Madge Moon, who has been in Boston the past three weeks, is home.

The schooner Warner Moor discharged coal for the Maine Central last week.

Mrs. Vesta Carter and little daughter Hester recently spent a week with Mrs. George Hopkins in Trenton.

Dec. 28.

## ASHVILLE.

At the Christmas sale of the Wednesday club on December 9, the gross receipts were \$35.

Fremont Hodgkins and wife spent Christmas with Mrs. Hodgkins' parents, Hiram Preble and wife.

A family dinner was given at E. A. Hanna's for Mrs. Hanna's family. The guests were Harris Pinkham and wife, Ed Pinkham and family.

A Christmas concert and tree was held at the schoolbouse on Christmas eve. A bountiful box of gifts for the Akhville children was sent by Mis. William J. Schieffein. Schieffelin. Dec. 28.

LAMOINE.

Joseph Hodgkins, of Boston, is at hom few days.

Dr. N. W. Hodgkins and Miss Clara Hodgkins spent Christmas at home. Mrs. George Bard, Grace, Roy and Gorham Stratton were at home for Christ-

Capt. Fred Hodgkins and wife expect to leave Tuesday for California to remain several months. Misses Louise Cousins and Mildred

Leland, Ralph Hoyt and Irving Rouilliard were guests Christmas week at the home of Capt. Charles Hodgkins.

Dec. 28. R. H.

WEST TREMONT.

Nathan Richardson is at work for L. W. lumill in place of Eugene Gordius, who resigned.

The two-masted schooners James Mal-oy and Susan Clifford are loading the umber from the wrecked schooner Rodney Parker.

Nelson Gordius, wife and their three children, of McKinley, spent Christmas with his parents, Augustus Gordius and wife.

Eugene Gordius and boys, Durward and Ronald, spent Christmas with Mrs. Gor-dius' parents, Benjamin Carter and wife, at Pretty Marsh.

Dec. 28. THELMA.

## BROOKLIN.

Miss Irene Wells is visiting in Rockland. Leonell Flye and Harry Bridges were in Bangor last week

W. R. Sawyer, of Boston, was a guest at . O. Dollard's last week.

Miss Adele McFarland leaves to-day for omerville, Mass., for the winter. Julian Moore and wife, of Deer Isle, were recent guests of J. B. Babson and vife.

Miss Bessie Allen is spending the week at Sargentville with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Rabers

Bion Cousins and wife and Mrs. Martha

ousins spent several days last ockland. week in

Rockland. The schooner Telamab is at the Faros-worth Packing Co.'s wharf with coal for the compady. Christmas was observed at Haven and Brocklin schools Thursday. Satta was very good to the children.

Miss Annie Smith went to Boston Mon-day, called there by the illness of her sunt, Miss Adelaide Smith.

Miss Cooper, of Machiasport, who has been visiting her brother, Moulton Cooper, returned home Thursday.

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Mrs. Thomas Lawton to witness the mar-riage of their daughter Jessie to C. Ed-ward Davies, Y. M. C. A. director. Rev. Mr. Waiker, of Mt. Desert, officiated. The important affair had been kept secret from the public, but a "fittle bird" whispered the news, and a gathering of young people serenaded the bridal pair. Mr. and Mrs. Davies left immediately after the ceremony for Ear Harbor, to be-gin a wedding trip. Dec. 28. SPRAY.

NORTH CASTINE.

Mrs. W. G. Conner, who been ill, is

better.

Mrs. L. W. Rice is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bernice Wallace, at Berwick.

Harry Wardwell and brite, of Castine, are receiving congratulations of friends

Mrs. Fred Conner is at home after an extended visit to her son Edwin at Cleve-land, O.

Fred Butler, of Bluebill, has purchased the Merritt Webster place, and has moved his family there.

The Christmas tree and entertainment at the Dunbar schoolhouse Christmas night brought enjoyment to all present.

Carl Dunbar and wife, of Bucksport, visited their parents here last week. They were accompanied on their return home by her sister, Miss Hazel Dunbar.

by her sister, Miss Hazel Dunbar. The marriage of Clarence B. Pinkham, of Seal Harbor, and Miss Emma C. Ward-well took place in Bangor Saturday, Dec. 19. After several days spent there, they came to the home of the bride's parents, Fred F. Wardwell and wife, to remain awhile before leaving for Seal Harbor. Mrs. Pinkham is a graduate of Castine high school and Eastern State normal school, and has taught with success. Al-though her friends here will miss her eheerful helpfulness in everything percheerful helpfulness in everything per-taining to the good of the community, they extend best wishes for a happy and prosperous wedded life. Dec. 28. L

WEST EDEN.

Percy Kief has moved his family into he bungalow of C. S. Thomas.

Miss Octavia Hamor spent Christmas at home, returning to Bar Harbor Saturday. Mrs. Abbie Suminsby, of Bar Harbor,

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Walter Sargent was in Ellsworth Mon-day and Tuesday of last week on busi-Mrs. Clara Murphy, who has been con-ned to the house with a bad cold, in

fined to the house better

Miss Alice Tracy is at home from Bar Harbor, where she has been attending high school.

Miss Nancy Brown returned Saturday from Rockland, where she has been the past two months. Dec. 26. KID.

## SULLIVAN CENTER.

The Sullivan Center school, taught by Effic Baker, had a Christmas tree Thura-day afternoon. The program: Song, school; recitations, Marjorie Doyle, Jesse school; recitations, Marjorie Doyle, Jessie Havey; song, Phyllis Havey and Elsie Joy; recitations, Dorothy Wilbur, Ruth Mar-tin, Effie Havey; song, Florice Havey and Sybil Bean; dialogue, Phyllis Havey, Dorothy Wilbur, Elsie Joy and Sibyl Bean; recitations, Joseph Urann, Elsie Joy; song, grades 1, 2 and 3; recitations, Sybil Bean, Phyllis Havey, Melvin Havey; song, Dorothy Wilbur and Sibyl Bean; récitations, Florice Havey, Maxime Doyle, Annie Martin; song, school; song, Annie Martin, Jessie Havey and Effie Havey.

NORTH LAMOINE.

Reuben Carter visited relatives at Beech Hill last week

Eugene Walls, of Somesville, surprised his mother, Mrs. Roland Carter, by a Christmas visit.

Christmas visit. Henry Coggins and daughter Eunice will go to Cambridge, Mass., Tuesday. Later Miss Coggins and Capt. Fred Hodg-kins and wife will visit relatives in Cali-fornia and take in the Panama exposition. Dec. 28. Y.

## FRANKLIN ROAD.

G. L. Stewart shot ared fox last week. School commences to-day, after a three weeks' vacation.

Wallace Foss, wife and daughter were guests on Christmas of A. I. Foss and wife, at Hahcock.

Miss Tillie E. Martin, of Bar Harbor, Harvey D. Martin and wife, of Houlton, were guests Christmas of Charles M. Mar-tin. Dec. 28. J. M.

HALL QUARRY. J. C. Young is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ruth Grindle.

Harold Grindle left to-day for Kent's Hill, where he attends school.

Mrs. Katie Rawson and little son Tilson are spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. Anna Harkins. Dec. 28. BRIAR.

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bounded and described is one-half of the original lot No. 1 on the town plan of Sull-van made by James Peters in the year 1803 and containing sitty (60) acres, more or ieas. Belog premises described as conveyed to said Freuchman's Bay and Moust Desert Land and Water Compary by Charles H. L. wis by deed, dated May 8, 1886, and recorded in s.id Registry in Book 205, Page 378. 8. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in the town of Sorrento, Hancock County, Meine, bounded and described as follows, fo wit:

Maine, bounded and described as follows. to wit: On the north by the town read and by the lot two by seven (2 x 7) rods conveyed by Barney B. Havey to Elizabeth H. Arry by deed dated Now mber 1, 1883, recorded in the Registry of Deeds for said county of Han-cock in Volume 285, Page 142; on the east by the lot excepted and reserved in a cleed from said Arey to Barney B. Havey dated October 8, 1883, recorded in said Registry in Volume 190, Page 182, by said lot two by seven (2 x 7) rods, conveyed by Barney B. Havey to said Arey and by the E. H. or Handy Prebie lot: on the south by the tide waters of Point Har-bor, and on the west by the Renjamin Prebie lot, now owned by said grantor herein. Be-ing premises described as conveyed to said Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company by Barney B. Havey and

Forsyth, dated September 27, 488, in said registry in volume 210 page 1 (3) Lots 15 and 18, section C. divi-Francis W Goss, dated October 20 corded in said registry. in volume

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page 49 (11) Lot 1. section J. divisi. Forsyth. dated September 27, 188 said registry in volume 210, page

Forsyth, dated September 27, 1886, said registry in rolume 210, page 48 THIRD: Deeds purporting to e misses by reference to the so calle plane, as fo lows: (12) In Section A of Division 1. Lot 12, Frenchman's Bay and Mo Land and Water Company to Mar dated October 5, 1888, recorded in page 165.

dated October 5, 1838, recorded in volume in page 165. Lot 16, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Deset Land and Water Company to Payson Tecker, dated December 21, 1892, recorded in said rg istry, in volume 269, page 120. Lots 24, 25, 26, and 37, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Charles S Ingalis. dated October 3, 187, re-corded in volume 218, page 503. Lot 28, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company, to Daniel S.L. mont, dated May 10, 1882, recorded in volume 250, Page 460.

mont, dated May 10, 1888, recorded in volume 280, Page 480. Lot 23, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desci Land and Water Company to Louisa 4 Prime, dated September 27, 1887, recorded in volume 218, page 392. Lot 20. Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desci Land and Water Company to James W. Gen ard, dated September 22, 1887, recorded in volume 217, page 303. Lot 17, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desci Land and Water Company to Albert S. Bio, dated January 4, 1888, recorded in volume 21, page 11.

dated January 4: Frenchman's Bay and Mount page 11. Lots 19 and 21, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Laud and Water Compary to Henry 0. Mayo, dated August 17, 1888, recorded in volume 228, page 478. Lot 11, Trustees of Frank Jones to Eurepia A. Howell, dated March 22, 1864, recorded in A. Howell, dated March 22, 1864, recorded in

Dated Asgaman's Bay and Mount Deseri Lot 4. Frenchman's Bay and Mount Deseri Land and Water Company to Christopher 8. Hursh, dated November 1, 1889, recorded in volume 237, page 491, Lot 2. Frenchman's Bay and Mount Deseri Land and Water Company to Alexander B.

volume 237, page 491, Lot 2 Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Mexander B. Wilnor, dated December 29, 1991, recorded in volume 270, page 76. Lot 10, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to American Dai-tarian Association, dated May II, 1867, re-corded in volume 215, page 439. (14) In Section C of Division 11 Premises or title, if any, possibly passing to lot 18 and parts of lots 16, 11 and 18, Frak Jones to Clarn Spence deed dated November 23, 1859, recorded in volume 345, page 127 Lot 19 and parts of lots 17 and 18, Frak Jones to Clarn Spence deed dated November 23, 1859, recorded in volume 345, page 127 Lot 7, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to James W Ge-ard, deed dated September 3, 1857, recorded in volume 218, page 221.

Land and Water Company to James W der ard, deed dated September 3, 183, recorded in volume 318, page 221. Lots 13 and 14, Frenchman's Bay and Moant Desert Land and Water Company to Francis W Goss. dated December 8, 185, recorded in volume 222, page 47. Lots 5 and 6, Trustees of Frank Jones Er-tate to Waiter F. Bicknell, dated April 6, 198, recorded in solume 33, page 87. Lot 2, Frenchman's Bay and Moant Deser Land and Water Company to Kathering E. Thomas, dated June 22, 1858, recorded in vol-ume 230, page 88. Lot 3, Frenchman's Bay and Moant Deser Land and Water Company to Francis S. Wood-man, dated June 22, 1858, recorded in vol-ume 230, page 88. Lot 3, Frenchman's Bay and Moant Deser Land and Water Company to Francis S. Wood-man, dated November 25, 1850, recorded in volume 27, page 8. Part of lot 11, Trustees of Frank Jones 5, 186, recorded in volume 397, page 164. Also premises, or title, if any, possibly passing by deed, Frenchman's Bay and Mont Desert Land and Water Company to Hanna G. 8, Smith, dated February 1, 1857, recorded in volume 367, page 457.

Smith, dated February 1. in volume 216, page 467, purpor lot 4, but afterward, recited Frenchman's Bay and Moun

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In Section E. of Division Lot 7, Frenchman's Bay and Land and Water Company to 0 dated May 2, 1887, recorded

101 4. but afterward, recited in above ded. Freechmat's Bay and Mount Devert Last and Water Company to Francis S Woodman, recorded in volume 207, page 6, as an error in attempting to convey lot 3, there being in last no lot 4 in section C, division 1, seconding to Simpson pians. 15. In section D, of division 1. Lots 1 to 12, inclusive, being entire Section D, Trustees of Frank Jones Estate to Water F. Bickneill deed dated March 16, 1906, re-corded in volume 130, page 110.

page 274. Lot 6, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert

A. Howell, dated March 22, 1904, red volume 439, page 79 (13) In section B of Division 1: Lot 1, Frenchman's Bay and Moun Land and Water Company to John F et als, dated June

(9) Lots 6 and 12, sectio Francis W. Goss, dated Oc corded in said registry, in

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page 7.4.
Lot 6, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to William C. Sav-telle, dated May 2, 1887, recorded in volume 216, page 272.
Lots 2 and 4, Frer chman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Eva 5.
Cochran, dated September 20, 1837, recorded in volume 222, page 254.
Lots 15 and 16, Frenchman's Bay and Monst Desert Land and Water Company to Eva 5.
Cochran, dated September 25, 1837, recorded in volume 222, page 267.
Lots 1 - and 5, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Eva 5.
Cochran, dated September 25, 1837, recorded in volume 222, page 267.
Lots 1 - and 5, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Eva 8.
Cochran, dated September 26, 1857, recorded in volume 222, page 263.
Lot (2, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Ema A. Carpet-ter, dated March 24, 1887, recorded in volume ter, dated March 24, 1887, recorded in vol

Land and Water Company to Emma A. Carpenter, older March 24, 1887, recorded in volane
 222, page 297.
 Lot 13, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to A. M. B. Ellis, dated September 10, 1887 recorded in volume 222, page 541.
 Lot 11, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Frederick A. Hosmer, dated June 25, 1889, recorded in volume 258, page 308.
 Lot 9, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Wilfam Caldwell, dated August 11, 1885, recorded in volume 258, page 368.
 Lot 8, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Wilfam Caldwell, dated August 11, 1885, recorded in volume 258, page 368.
 Lot 8, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Parielk Donahne, dated June 6, 1880, recorded in volume 230, page 502.
 Lot 14, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to J. T. Cond, dated Auguat 28, 1883, recorded in volume 230, page 502.
 Lot 16, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to J. T. Cond, dated Auguat 28, 1883, recorded in volume 230, 1887, recorded in volume 230, page 502.
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 Lot 16, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to J. T. Cond, dated Auguat 28, 1883, recorded in volume 23, page 504.

17. In Section F of Division 1. Lot 6, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Deset Land and Water Company to Michael F. Worley, dated January 10, 185, recorded in volume 212, page 4: Lot 8, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Deset Land and Water Company to Charlotte H. Simpson, dated January 25, 1866, recorded in volume 298, page 215. Lot 5, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Deset Land and Water Company to Charles H. Lewis, dated April 21, 1867, recorded in volume 216, page 11.

216, page 11. Lot 1, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desri Land and Water Conpany to Charles H. Lewis. dated April 21, 1887, recorded in volume

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teri Land and Water Company to net, dated recorded; in page 1/5, data dated recorded; in to and Water Compony to Mary E. ed November 28, 1895, recorded in

<sup>802</sup>. till, Trustees of Frank Jones to Bwing, dated February 29, volume 406, page 556. d of Divison 1. an's Bay and Mount Desert Company to Ecward Pres-ruary 3. 1887, recorded in 503.

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an's Bay and Mount Desert Company to Lydia S. Pen-ber 22, 1887, recorded in vol-

renchman's Bay and Mount Water Company to Mary L. cember 22, 1887, recorded in

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nclusive of said section I, di he private summer home and ate Frank Jones. Jof Division 1 clusive, Frenchman's Bay and Land and Water Company to Trusice, dated April 8, 1889, me 236, page 84. K of Division 1. man's Bay and Mount Desert Company to Mary Goddard eptember 20, 1887, recorded in .82.

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chman's Bay and Mount Desert ater Company to Eva S. Cochran, it 7, 1890, recorded in volume 246, chman's Bay and Mount Desert fater Company to Patrick Dona-pril 21, 1887, recorded in volume ustees of Frank Jones Estate to dated January 12, 1906, recorded tage 317.

317. Frenchman's Bay and and and Water Company to dated December 29, 1892, re-287, page 396. M of Division 1. an's Bay and Mount Desert r Company to James Bennett November 20, 1886, recorded in 107.

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435. an's Bay and Mount Desert r Company to J. F. C. Hyde, April 5, 1889, recorded in

page 8. hochman's Bay and Mount Desert after Company to Fva S. Cochran, muer 9, 1829, recorded in volume

tion N of Division 1. nehman's Hay and Mount Desert ster Company to Julia A. Balley, er 22, 1887, recorded in volume 222,

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Lot 3, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Leonora E. Lewis, dated January 2, 1888, recorded in volume 246, page 459.
To 1, Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Deter W. Lawis, died January 2, 1898, recorded in volume 246, page 469.
I beschon XX of Division 2.
Temises described as conveyed In deed from Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Deter W. Lawis, died January 2, 1899, recorded in volume 246, page 469.
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Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Mathan P. Frenchman's Bay and Mount Desert Land and Water Company to Mathan P. Footer, dated October 30, 1908, recorded in volume 246, page 139.
Bernard C. Lewis, deed dated January 2, 1889, recorded in volume 248, page 139.
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THEREFORE, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage and a foreclosure upon all of the property described as conveyed in said mortgage, not released and thereafter con-veyed by the said Sorreato Realty Company, as hereinabove recited, paragraphs "a" to "o" inclusive. MEREIT T. OBER.

STATE OF MAINE. Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Land of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Trenton, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1914. The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of the first day of May, '1914, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, in-cuding interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public acciton at Evergreen hall in said town, on the first Mon-day in February, 1915, at 9 o'clock a.m.

Name of owner, description of property Sylvia Hanson, a lot of land contain-ing 4 acre, bounded as follows: North, west, south and east by Mrs. H D Trim, Heirs of C E Dolliver, farm and stable, containing 65 acres, bounded as follows: North by land of Evelyn Meader, south by land of Ralph Haynes, east by shore, west unknown.

keelyn Meader, south by land of Ralph Haynes, east by shore, west unknown,
Heirs of Russell Hopkins, farm, in-cluding buildings, containing 43 acres, bounded as follows: North by land of S Bodick & Son, south by land of T J Hopkins, east by State road, west by Mintie Hopkins,
Geo J Stafford, farm and buildings, containing 113 acres, bounded as follows: North by town r.ad, south by land of B O Garland, east by shore, west unknown Also a lot of land containing 6 acres, bounded as follows: North by land of N J Mosley, east by shore, west by land of J L Brown One lot containing 25 acres, bounds anknown A lot of land containing 46 acres, bounds unknown,
A lot of land containing 13 acres, bounds unknown,
state D H Eppes, wood lot situated in Ellsworth woods, containing 4 acres, 4

in Ellsworth woods, containing 4 acres, Geo Watson, farm including stable, containing 35 acres, bounded as follows: North by estate of Benj Kittredge, east by State road, south by C M Higgins. Heirs James Lord, wood lot situated in Ellsworth woods, containing 40 acres, Nathan Ash, farm including build-ings, containing 452 acres, bounded

worth woods containg 60 acres. 8 50 Alfaretta Smith, cottage at Bayside, 595 T. J. HOPKINS, Collector of taxes of the town of Trenton. Tre ton. Dec. 14, 1914. STATE OF MAINE. Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Surry, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1914. THE following list of taxes on real estate of onon-resident owners in the town of Surry aforesaid, for the year 1914, committed to me for collection for said town on the 30th day of April, 1914, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with inter-est and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including in-terest\_and charges, will be soid without further notice at public auction at town hall in said town, on the first Monday in February, 1915, at 9 o'clock a. m. Amt of

teo Knott et als, dated December i ed in volume 414, page 485. I chman's Bay and Mount Desert i ter Company to John Forsyth. ber 29, 1887, recorded in volume

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renchman's Bay and Mount Desert d Water Company, to H.«W. Bu-dated June 9, 1883, recorded in vol-page 319

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eachman's Bay and Mount Desert Water Company to Eva S. Cochran, ober 24, 1899, recorded in volume

Section P. of Division 1. renchman's Bay and Monnt Desert Water Company to C. W. Conners of April 3, 1888, recorded in volume

c. Sorrento Realty Company to F. M. Atken, dated October 30, 1908, recorded in vol. 472, page 358.
d. Sorrento Realty Company to Edward deV. Morrell, dated November 18, 1911, recorded in vol. 486, page 175.
e. Sorrento Realty Company to Katherine L. Viall and Virxinia F. Ateshian, dated February 5, 1912, recorded in vol. 488, page 296.
g. Sorrento Realty Company to Edward deV. Morrell, dated November 11, 1912, recorded in vol. 488, page 296.
g. Sorrento Realty Company to Edward deV. Morrell, dated November 11, 1912, recorded in vol. 498, page 306.
h. Sorrento Realty Company to Edward deV. Morrell, dated November 11, 1912, recorded in vol. 494, page 348.
i. Sorrento Realty Company to Caroline F. Brayton, dated February 2, 1913, recorded in vol. 494, page 248.
j. Sorrento Realty Company to Margaret T. Jackson, dated August 20, 1918, recorded in vol. 600, page 231.
k. Sorrento Realty Company to Margaret M. Jackson, dated Sugust 20, 1918, recorded in vol. 498, page 248.

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Young, Leander, heirs, cottage lot at Contention Cove, Young, Emma S. 1-6 John Torrey place, hounded on north by land of Everard Young, on east by Union river bay, on south by land of E C Young, on west by Morgan's bay. E. D. Smirn, Collector of taxes of the town of Surry. Surry, Dec. 15, 1914. 3 90 Unp

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Name of owner, description of interproperty.
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Abbott, C J, or unknown, Jarvis pasture so called on North Bend road,
Hastings: Luther, or unknown, wood lot bought of W S Treworgy near Patten's pond. Hastings lot so called,
Haie, Mrs David, land with buildings thereon, at South Surry.
Or good, Fred, Mary J Gaspar place,
bounded on north by land of Augusta Stackpole.on east by Patten's pond stream, on south by land of Augusta Stackpole.on east by Patten's bay, on south by highway.
Stewart, Virginia, land bought of James C Young, bounded on south ab y atten's bay, on south by highway.
Stewart, Geo P, or unknown, part of Thomas Coggins lot.
Young, Leander, heirs, cottage lot at Contention Core.
Young, Emma S, 1-6 John Torrey

Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Brooksville, in the county of Hancock, for

Unpaid taxes on indus status of Hancock, for the year 1914. THE following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Brocksville aforesaid, for the year 1914, com-mitted to me for collection for said town on the 24th day of April, 1914, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, with interest and charges, are not previously paid so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at the town house in said town. on the first Mon-day in February, 1915, at nine o'clock a. m. Amt of tax due

Amt of tax due Name of owner, description of incld in & chgs.

property. Maine Coast Granite Co, ör un-known, store and quarry at South Maine Coast Granite Co, or un-known. store and quarry at South Brooksville. Tapley Mining Co, of Wiknown, min-ing property at West Brooksville. Wm G Tousey, or unknown, cottage and lot at South Brooksville, Curtis Durgain, house and lot at North Brooksville, Edward Von Mack, or unknown, L Davis place, and Sewell Henry farm, W. H. Scaume Coll

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84 W. H. STOVER, Collector of taxes of the town of Brooksville. Dec. 19, 1914.

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Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Residents Owners.

npaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Gouldsboro, in the county of Hancock, for

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Gouldsboro, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1914. THE following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Gouldsboro, for the year 1914, committed to me for collection for said town, on the 23d day of April, 1914, remains anpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the town house in said town, (the same being the place where the last preceding annual town meeting of said town was held) on the first Monday of February, 1915, at 9 o'clock a.m.

Name of owners, de- No. of Tax or scription of real estate. acres. Value. real est

scription of real estate. Mrs George Bickford. one iot of wild land in Gouldsboro, bound ed on west 'y liand of A B Whitehouse, on the north by land of Nathan Sargent, east by land of Stevens Bros, south by land of C E Grover and Stevens Bros,

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Asa T. STEVENS, collector of taxes for the town of Gouldsboro for the year 1914. Dec. 21, 1914.

npaid taxes on land situated in the town of Franklin, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1914. THE she has been duly appointed adminis-ratrix of the estate of SENECA H. REMICK, late of HANCOCK.

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Homer Bramen, wood lot, containing loa
Dr Frederick W Bridgham, land in No. 11, log undivided 10a lot, in com-mon with Levi B Wyman,
Freeman & Holmes, E D Reed estate,
Sarah Friend, heir and devisee of Lewis Friend, as per reg of deeds,
vol 214, page 520, 37a, as per reg of deeds,
vol 214, page 520, 37a, as per reg of deeds, vol 214, page 113, Joy lot so called,
Harriet Green, land No 7, David Ben-son lot. S by highway, E by T W Jackson, W by beach,
Frank S Hamilton, Hodgdon lot. so called, as per reg deeds, vol 483, p 205.
Andrew E Parker, land at Bernard,
W Rich, Well Mayo lot so-called,
Fred Robinson, wood lot in No 10,
Nelson T Thurston, as per reg deeds vol 490, P 160.
Frank Tibbetts, as per reg deeds 494, page 466.

West Premont, Dec. 14, 1914. STATE OF MAINE. TANCOOK SS. December 9, 1914. The Noron SS. December 4, 1914. The Noron SS. Decembe

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Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands

Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owrers. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Penobscot, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1914. The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners.' in the town of Penobscot, aforesaid, for the year 1914, com-mitted to me for collection for said town on the 15th day May, 1914, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is suf-ficient to pay the amount due therefor, includ-ing interest and charges, will be sold without further notice, at public auction at town hall in said town, on the first Monday in Feb-ruary, 1915, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Name of owner, description of incld in property. & cdgs. Warren Hooper, George Veazie farm and land bought of Cyrus M Leach; also Land bought of William P Connor, \$4392 Estate of Pearl J Grindle, 48 acres, 36 Mary (Cotton) Wilson, part of Pel-tiah Leach farm so called, 13 90 I. W. BowDEN, Collector of taxes for the town of Penobscot. Dec. 14, 1914.

STATE OF MAINE. Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands

of Non-Resident Owners.

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Nathan Ash. farm including build-ings, containing 452 acres. bounded as follows: North by land of C C Young, west unknown, south by land of Ralph and F C Springer, east by shore. Wilbur Herrick, farm and buildings,

Wilbor Herrick, farm and buildings, containing 25 acres, bounded as follows: North by land of C S Con-don, south by land of Geo Mitchell, east by shore.
A W Joy, wood lot situated in Ells-worth woods containg 50 acres.
Alfaretta Smith, cottage at Bayside,

Legal Notices.

Winter Harbor, Maine, Dec. 11. 1914.
 To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:
 At a probate court held at Elisworth, in and for the county of Hancock, on the fitteenth day of December, a. d. 1914.
 The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon herein-interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Elisworth American, a newspaper published at Elisworth in said county, that they may appear at a probate court to be held at Elisworth in said county, on the fifth day of January, a. d. 1915, atten of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.
 Jeremish T. Giles, late of Elisworth, in said county decased, a certain instrument of said decased, together with petition for probate thereof, presented by Julia A. Giles, one of the executors named therein.
 Clarence S. Grindle, late of Bucksport, in said county decased. A certain instrument of said decased, together with petition for probate thereof, presented by Julia A. Giles, one of the executors named therein.
 Clarence S. Grindle, late of Bucksport, in said county deceased. A certain instrument of said decased, together with petition for probate thereof, presented by Valile L. Grindle, the executir named therein.
 Mary Lymburner, late of Bucksport, in said county deceased. A certain instrument propring to be the last will and testament of said deceased, that an order be issued to distribute among the legaters named in the will of said doceased. A certain instrument propring to be the last will and testament of said deceased. A certain instrument propring to be the last will and testament of said deceased. A certain instrument propring to be the last will and testament of said deceased. A certain instrument propring to be the last will and testament of said deceased. A certain instrument propring to be the last will and testament of said deceased, the anoun

CORNELLUS B. SMITH, late of the city, county and state of NEW YORK, whose will has been probated in the probate court of Hancock county, the deceased having left propetry in Northeest Har-bor, Maine, and they have given bonds in said court as the law directs. Said executors have designated Levi W, But-ler, of Northeast Harbor, Maine, as the per-son upon whom process can be served in any action against the estate. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settle-ment, and all indepted thereto are requested to make payment immediately LINCOLN CROMWELL. CLARENCE HIMPO SWITH. Address: 27 William Street, New York City. Dec. 14, 1914.

subscriber hereby gives notice

SENECA H. REMICK, late of HANCOCK, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the éstate of said de-ceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indepted thereto are re-quested to make payment immediately. ANNIE B. REMICK. Marlhoro. Me., Dec. 22, 1914.

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VILLE,

Bluehill, Dec. 15, 1914.

To all persons interested in either of the

year 1914. THE following list of taxes on real estate of non resident owners in the town of Franklin, for the year 1914, committed to me for collection for said town, on the 15th day of May, 1914, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the place where the last preceding annual town meeting of said town was held) on the first Monday of February, 1915, at 9 o'clock a.m. Tax on

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E. W. HASTINGS, Collector of taxes for the town of Franklin for the year 1914. December 14, 1914.

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JUDSON L. WELCH, late of SORRENTO.

in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are re-quested to make payment immediately. CHARLES H. PREBLE. Sullivan. Dec. 8, 1914.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed adminis-tratrix of the estate of CELIA LARKIN, late of ELLSWORTH,

CELIA LARKIN, late of ELLS WORTH, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All per-sons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. FRANCES L. CRAWPORD.

Sullivan, Dec. 8, 1914.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. W HEREAS, Everett Saunders, of Orland, Hancock county, State of Maine, by his mortgagedeed, dated the twenty sixth day of October, 1896, and recorded in the Hancock county registry of deeds, book 389, page 364, conveyed to me, the undersigned, a certain narcei of real estate situate in said Orland and bounded as follows, to wit. Beginning on the north side of the road leading from Simeon B. Higgins' house to Surry at a large flat rock; thence northeasterly to the Range line of lot No. 51; thence by said Range line until it strikes lot No. 22; thence by said road to the first mentioned bound. Lot No. 22; containing three acres more or less; and whereas the condition of said mortgage. Bucksport, September 5, 1914. EDWARD E. HARRIMAN, By O. P. Cunningham, his autorney. NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

## \* BURNS ON GOOD ROADS.

The Thinking

Power

By WILLIAM BLAKEMAN

Something over a hundred years ago,

when Europe was making one of those

advances in new lines of thought

which have marked different stages of

intellectual development, when a crop

of great French thinkers-Voltaire and

others-were attracting attention, a

wealthy Parisian lady conceived in

some degree those ideas intended for

the amelioration of women that are in

Mme. Drivaux did not follow the

lines of the present movement, where

in women contend for equality with

capable of higher intellectual develop-

ment than men from the fact that they

are made of finer texture. Her plan

was to utilize the brute force of men

by making it subservient to the supe-

Mme. Drivaux, who possessed an

enormous fortune, purchased an island

in the Mediterranean sea, upon which

she proposed to carry out her idea. She

had no difficulty in founding her col-

noble birth; others were commoners,

but all were intellectual. She called

for men volunteers who must join with

a full understanding that the women

were to do the thinking, the men to

Mme. Drivaux's idea in separating

her colonists from the rest of the world

was that she might make an absolutely

fresh start, untrammeled by existing

institutions, laws, customs. But a per-

fect shaking off of the present in order

to inaugurate a new future is very dif-

ficult. A weak spot in the founder's

purpose was that among the hundred

three each of whom was loved by a

with those they loved, enrolled them-

selves among the masculine force who

were to do the fighting and laborers.

Thus at the very outset did the canker-

worm get into the roots of the tree that

Mme. Drivaux had planted with so

Mme. Drivaux had enlisted every

man colonist herself, taking care that

he was not opposed to her scheme or

unwilling to accept the direction of the

women, looking to his muscles rather

than his brain for his share of the

work. But these three "misbegotten

knaves," who had joined for the pur-

pose of getting possession of the wom-en they loved, deceived her by being

the loudest in their advocacy of her

plan and their promises to be obedient

Marriage was not forbidden in the

colony, but every man who married

was obliged to promise that he would

obey his wife. Moreover, he was

obliged to agree to be a hewer of wood

and a drawer of water, looking to his

wife for guidance like an obedient hus-

Now. . the three marplots who had

joined the colony were much put out at

having to leave Paris for a consider-

able time in order to save for them-

selves the women they loved. Even

on the voyage they put their heads to-

gether to devise a plan for being re-

renged on the colonists for the sacri-

fice they were obliged to make. Nat-

urally it was easy for them to get con-

trol of the other men colonists, for the

and patient laborers and soldiers.

much thought, trouble and expense.

These men, unwilling to part

women she took with her there were

ony.

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band.

serve as protectors.

Some of her colonists were of

rior intellectual faculties of women.

vogue during the present day.

Robert Burns was evidently an advocate of good roads. Long before road improvement became a popular movement and before the days of steam rollers and automobiles the poet wrote:

I'm now arrived-thanks to the

gods! Through pathways rough and muddy. A certain sign that makin' roads Is not this people's study. Although I'm no' wi' Scripture cramm'd.

cramm'a, I'm sure the Bible says That heedless sinners shall damn'd Unless they mend their ways. shall be

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## GOOD ROADS ARE MEANS FOR LARGER CROPS.

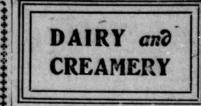
men. Her idea was that women were Investigations Show How Agricultural Output Depends Upon Highways.

> That an improved road will increase vastly the productiveness of the area through which it runs has now been satisfactorily demonstrated by studies conducted by the United States department of agriculture in Virginia. Conditions in Spottsylvania county were investigated with particular care, and the results have proved surprising. In 1909 the county voted \$100,000 to improve forty miles of roads. Two years after the completion of this work the railroad took away in twelve months from Fredericksburg, the county seat, 71,000 tons of agricultural and forest products hauled over the highways to that town. Before the improvement of the roads this total was only 49,000 tons annually. In other words, the quantity of the county's produce had risen more than 45 per cent. Still more interesting, however, is the increase shown in the quantity of the dairy products. In 1909 these amounted to 114.815 pounds, in 1911 to 273,028 pounds, an increase of practically 140 per cent in two years. In the same time shipments of wheat had increased 59 per cent, tobacco 31, per cent and lumber and other forest products 48 per cent.

> In addition to this increase in quantity the cost of hauling each ton of produce was materially reduced. In other words, the farmers not only produce more, but produce more cheaply, for the cost of transportation to market is. of course, an important factor in the cost of production. From this point of view it is estimated that the \$100,000 spent in improving the roads in Spotsylvanta county saved the farmers of that county \$41,000 a year.

In the past two years the traffic studles of the federal experts show that approximately an average of 65.000 tons of outgoing products were hauled over the improved roads in the county an average distance of eight miles, or a total of 520,000 "ton miles." Before the roads were improved it was estimated that the average cost of hauling was 20 cents a "ton mile;" after the improvement this fell to 12 cents a "ton mile," or a saving of 8 cents. A saving of 8 cents per mile on 520,000 "ton miles" is \$41,000 a year. The county's investment of \$100,000, in other words, re-turns a dividend of 40 per cent annually.

Because this saving, in cases of this character, does not take the form of cash put directly into the farmer's pocket there is a widespread tendency to believe that it is fictitious profit, while as a matter of fact it is just as al a source of profit as an

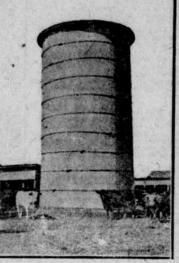


## ECONOMY OF THE SILO.

Silage a Necessity For Breeding Stock and Young Animals.

The most available and most suitable crops for silage are Indian corp. red clover, sorghum and alfalfa. Indian corn makes the best silage, although all varieties of corn are suitable, writes a Nebraska farmer in the lowa Homestead. The important point is to secure the most tons of feed per acre. Large dent varieties are favorites. Experiments have shown that silage corn contains the most nutriment when kernels begin to glaze and before lower leaves become dry.

There is no question but that all green crops can be successfully ensiled. However, taking all things into



year following it is impossible to secure stock to consume the feed which is grown. The silo will even up this condition. The man with a good reserve of silage on hand is always in a position to take advan-tage of whatever may turn up in connection with the handling of live stock. The farm with the silo is es-sentially a better live stock farm.

consideration, corn is by far the best When corn is used the entire plant, including the ear, should be placed in the silo. The silo may be filled as fast as the crop is hauled from the field, though rapidity of filling is unimportant so long as fresh fodder is placed on top before mold forms. Corn should always be cut, as it packs better, is more readily hauled and the stock eat it easier. The shorter the fodder the better. One-half an inch is common length.

been filled straw can be placed on top to a depth of six inches or a foot. A better method, however, is to place tarred paper over the top and then cover with straw. Silage is pre-emi-

It takes eight to ten men five days fifteen acres of corn. There should be three or four boys in the silo tramping

# THE TWO NEIGHBORS.

One of Them Gives His Version of the Condition of Affairs.

My neighbor owns a dog that begins barking at 10:30 o'clock at night, my retiring hour, and continues uptil relieved by the rooster at 4:30 in the merning. And every morning my neighbor greets me with the words, 'Ain't these line nights for sleeping?" My neighbor harbors the aforesaid bird of dawning. This fowl is one of a flock of twenty-seven feathered bipeds of both sexes. There were twenty-nine in the flock originally, but I privately murdered and ate two of them. These chickens scratch in my garden from March 1 to Nov. 30, make a board walk of my veranda every day it doesn't snow, roost on my grape arbor and make themselves at home generally. Neighbor says, "There's nothin' I like better 'n workin' with chickens, don't you?"

My neighbor had five offspringfour boys and one in dresses vet. These amuse themselves by climbing my fruit trees, breaking my fence. stoning my aunt's white cat. playing Olympic games on my lawn, etc. Neighbor says: "Don't you jest can't keep from lovin' toddlers like them there? What'd the world be without children?"

My neighbor owns a phonograph. 1896 model. It has six records-"Wash-Ington Post," "Shail We Gather at the River?" "Annie Rooney," "Listen to the Mocking Bird"-that's four, and you wouldn't believe the other two. He plays the machine only on hot nights, when the windows are open. My neighbor says: "Ain't it a wonder-ful invention? It's sure the marvel of the age. I never get tired listening to it, do you?"

My neighbor has borrowed in the last six months my jackplane, my bootjack, my box of liver pills, my razor. my Bible, my ice creans freezer, six bars of soap and other articles. He has never returned any of them. Neighbor says, "I believe in being neighborly, don't you?"

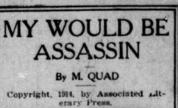
Now I'm in a quandary, and this is what I'm quandering about: I don't want to be a grouch, but I'm at the limit of endurance. I am about to have revenge on my neighbor-I'm going to sell out and move away. Do you think I would be acting unchristianly in so doing? Give me a word of advice.-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## When Flour Was Scarce.

The scarcity of flour drove the privy council to some remarkable sumptuary recommendations in 1795. All familles were begged to give up puddings and ples and the privy councilors announced that they promised to set an example by confining themselves to fish, meat, vegetables and household bread, partly made of rye. One-quartern loaf a week was recommended as the maxi. mum allowance per head, and the loaf should be put on the table for each to help himself so that there might be no waste. Rich people were urged to do without soups and gravies, to take only the prime cuts and leave the rest for the poor. The poor should be taught how to make soup and rice pudding. rice being a new food which until then had been little used.-London Chronicie.

## Yes, Same Size.

He felt it would be extravagant to call in a man for a little job like replacing a broken windowpane, so he took the measurements very accurately and went to the hardware store to



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When it was finally settled that ! was to go into the mountains of Wy oming on a hunting trip with old Bill Potts a dozen men called to bid me a last goodby. They looked their pity and sorrow, and their hands lingered lovingly in mine. I was rather skeptical. I didn't see why I should be pulled down by a mountain lion, clawed into mincemeat by a grizzly bear buried under a landslide, but they smiled feebly and shook their heads in a solemn way. Only one telegram received out of eight or ten threw any light on the matter, and the light came too late. It read:

"If you are going hunting with old Bill Potts you'd better make your will and leave things easy for the widowed and fatherless."

I liked old Bill. He was hale and hearty and good natured, and he could pack a mule, cook a good meal and shoot fairly straight. He was a smoker and a chewer, playing a good game of euchre, and I had every confidence that the pair of us would get along like brothers. We got away in good style, and it was two full days before anything happened to shake my confidence in him. Then as I sat cleaning my rifle he picked up the ax to cut some wood. He hadn't made six strokes before the ax flew off the handle and almost shaved my hair as it passed

"Excuse me, colonel." said old Bill as he held up the handle. "The ax has been loose for the last six months and orter have bin fixed. I'll tend to

it the first rainy day we have.' "But, man, that was a close call for me," I said as I felt my anger rising. "Yes, colonel, but as long as no damage was done it's all right. I kinder

thought it was going to cut yer head off, but it riz a leetle and missed ve." I figured that it was pure accident and overlooked it. Next morning bld Bill found the trail of a lion near our camp, and after breakfast we took it up and started out. I had a Winchester, and he had a double barreled shotgun loaded with buckshot. He took the lead, and we had trailed for half a mile when I stumbled over a stone and pitched forward. Potts was about twenty feet ahead of me, gun on his shoulder and passing over perfectly open ground. As I went down both barrels of his gun were discharged. and my hair curled as the handful of shot shrieked over me and cut away half the branches of a young pine.

"What is it? What were you shooting at?" I shouted as I scrambled up, half expecting the lion had got in our rear and was stalking us.

"Ye see, colonel," replied old Potts, with a sheepish look on his face, "I allus carry my gun on the full cock so's to save time, and I guess I must have bin fingerin' them hammers.'

"You dolt! You idiot! You jackass!" I yelled at him as I looked for a club. "If I hadn't stumbled over that stone you'd have blown a hole through me as big as a barrel!"

"Yes, but ye stumbled, and, bein' as no harm was done, I hope ye won't get mad about it.'

I told Potts that if I ever caught him carrying his gun in that shape again I'd pump lead into his legs and leave him to the wolves, and for the rest of e day the i strained. Under the influence of a good supper and a pipe we got closer together, however, and by and by he went into the tent for the cards. He was fussing around for several minutes and I had just opened my mouth to ask him the cause of his delay when a bullet lifted the hat off my head and sent it ten feet behind me. I made two jumps for a bowlder and yelled to Ports, thinking I had been fired on by a renegade Indian, but when the man came out with my self cocking revolver in his hand I knew what had hap-

# COUNTY NEWS.

SARGENTVILLE. Mrs. George Jordan is visiting her son

at Cape Rosier. Mrs. Sarab Billings has returned home

from Elisworth. living L. Nevells is visiting friends' in

Dorchester, Mass. Mrs. Phebe Hinckley has returned from.

visit in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Charles L. Baker has returned home from Dr. Webster's hospital. Walter M. Nevells and wife will occupy

the Howard cottage for the winter. Capt. J. B. Chatto, who is employed at

Caps Hozier, spent last week at hom Miss Bertha Turner, of Bangor, is

spending a few weeks with her parents. Miss Mybel Allen has returned to

Waterville, where she is attending school. Miss Jennie A. Grindal, of Binehill, spent Sunday with Miss Jennie E. Grin-

Mrs. Augusta B. Tainter, of Clinton, Conn., is the guest of Scott R. Lymburner and wife.

Miss Agnes Kane, who is attending school in East Northfield, Mass., is at home on her vacatton.

Arthur H. Harding and wife, of Cambridge, Mass., spent Christmas with Mrs. Harding's parents.

Charles C. Billings, of the U. S. S. Hydographer, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Betsey Billings.

Miss Inez Nichels, teacher at district No. 8, spent the Christmas vacation with her mother at Cherryfield.

Mrs. Clara Bowden has gone to Medfield, Mass., for the winter. She was sccompanied by her son Chandler.

Miss Fidelia Dow, of North Brooksville, visited her grandpacents, Capt. and Mrs. Babson, låst week. Dec 28. SIM.

## NORTH SULLIVAN.

Hollis Bowden has gone to Kingman to teach.

Mrs. Nicholas Scott, of Bar Harbor, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Beatrice Gordon, who teaches in Surry, spent Christmas with her father.

Ernest Haskell, who is attending U. of M., spent the Christmas recess with his parents.

The smelt fishermen are meeting with success. Their little tents on the ice form a small village.

Miss Bernice Johnson, who teaches in the Gordon district, spent Christmas with her sister in Cherryfield.

Arthur Hall and family, who have spent several days here with Mr. Hall's parents, have gone to Harrington.

Mrs. Mina Bunker, who has been with her mother several weeks, ' returned to her home in Gouldsboro Saturday.

The Christmas tree and concert was much enjoyed by the little folks. Santa made his appearance and distributed presents.

Miss Winifred Gray, of Orland, and Miss Ruby Liscomb, of Bar Harbor, were guests, last week of Misses Florence and Rosa Havey.

Dallas Butler, of this place, and Miss Florence Dyer, of Bangor, were quietly married Christmas night. Congratulations are extended. H. Dec. 28.

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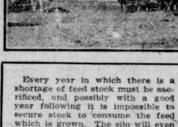
Miss Bernice Clarke has gone to Great Pond to teach.

James Ritchie has moved into the woods for the winter.

Miss Beulab Kenniston has returned to Greenville, where she has been teaching. lies Hortense Kennis ton, who has

To prevent waste after the sllo has

nently a feed for dairy cattle. to fill a 12 by 27 foot sild, which takes



atter b tent to let th do their thinking were not disposed to think for themselves; consequently. associating with men who were disposed to lead them, they naturally fol-

Now, it so happened that soon after the colony was established a ship stop-ped at the island loaded with a fierce band of Arabs from the African coast, bent on plunder. Mme. Drivaux called upon the men to attack the invaders and drive them away. Jules Champinois, one of the three men who had been plotting against the success of the colonial scheme, said:

"We are ready to drive these men away, but we would be pleased if you would give us a plan of attack. It is our part to do the fighting, but your part to tell us how. Shall we take the offensive or act upon the defensive? Shall we use guns or shall we rely on our bayonets?"

Mine. Drivaux looked scornfully on M. Champinois. stamped her foot and told him to drive the rascals away without asking any further questions. The women who were about their chief were much frightened.

"This colony is organized," continued the men's spokesman, "on the plan that you women do the thinking and we men the work and the fighting. Our portion of the good things we have is for doing these alone. It is not just that we should be called upon to think and fight. If we must do both we can't see wherein you are superior to us, and we call upon you to surrender the leadership in our favor."

The Arabs were stealing up on these oor women while the men were standing idle

We shall be murdered!" "Cowards! Do your duty!"

These expressions on the further aproach of the enemy gave place to "For eaven's sake save us and you may have everything

Resign the thinking power or persh!" cried Champinois.

"We resign!" replied a hundred voice and, turning, he led "Follow me!" the men against the enemy, who ran to their ships and sailed away.

The next day after a triple wedding he colony broke up and returned to France.

the price of wheat

# GOOD ROADS AT LOW COST.

California Counties, Cities, Railroads and Other Organizations Give Aid. A bulletin recently issued by the California highway commission presents some interesting facts and useful information.

In it the commissioners tell how they are providing 2,700 miles of trunk line bighway with a bond issue of \$18,000, 000.

The new highways are being built for an average of \$6,000 % mile, although various engineers declared the system could not be built for less than \$30,000,000, or nearly double that cost. The commissioners induced the counties to donate all lands needed for rights of way for the state highways and to build the necessary bridges, go cities and incorporated towns along the route to agree to pave and maintain the sections within their corporate limits at their own expense and secured reductions of nearly 50 per cent in freight rates on materials by assuring the railroads that hundreds of thousands of tons would have to be transported.

Extremely low prices on portland cement were obtained by offering the cement companies cash contracts that would increase their output 25 to 40 per cent when the plants were working only 50 to 60 per cent of capacity and stimulated the lowest competitive bidding among contractors by buying materials in large quantities for cash. thus obviating heavy credit.

The commission adopted as standard construction a cement concrete base covered with a carpet of asphaltic oil and screenings, the pavement being usually fifteen feet wide and four inches thick. About 315 miles of these roads were under contract last March. To insure safety to travelers grade crossings are eliminated as much as possible; long, sweeping curves are substituted for abrupt turns and the roadway widened. Nearly all grade are within a 6 per cent maximum, and bridges, culverts and guard rails are all made as nearly permanent as possible.

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cattle, growing stock and young animals. They eat it with relish and benefit from it, as it keeps the bowels normal, the body tissues snappy, skin pliant and coat glossy. These all mark the stock in condition to make the most from their feed. Three tons of silage are equal to one ton of hay for feeding, and as silage costs on the average \$1.50 a ton it is much cheaper than hay. In fact, it is one of the most economical feeds.

## \* STREAKS IN BUTTER.

Condition Caused by Improper Working and Salting.

streaked butter is caused by insufficient or improper working, the salt not being thoroughly incorporated and the buttermilk removed, says the Rural New Yorker. Butter heed not be worked through three waters. Churn the eream at a sufficiently low temperature to bring the butter in large granules rath er than at a soft mass. Stop the churning before these granules become united in a solid mass. Drain off the buttermilk. Add cold water to the butter In the churn and rinse by using the in dle in a dash churn or by giving a barrel churn a few turns. Drain off the rinse water, remove the butter to a bowl and tilt the latter, allowing the butter to drain for twenty minutes OF 50

After the free water has drained off cover the butter in the bowl with the proper amount of salt, work it in lightly with the ladle and set the butter aside in a cool place for a few hours to allow the salt to dissolve and enter the butter. Then work the butter again, cutting and pressing it until the streaks caused by the buttermilk disappear. Tilt the bowl frequently to drain off the buttermilk as it works out. This should take but a few minutes. Overworking the butter causes it to become salvy. Work the butter by cutting and pressure, never draw the ladle over the butter with 's sliding motion. This breaks the grain. When packing the pressure of the ladle will also remove buttermilk and brine. Drain this off. Avoid working butter more than neces wary to incorporate the salt and remove the buttermilk and excess of brine.

buy the glass.

'Quite a simple job." he explained to the storekeeper. "In fact, a child could do the thing in a few minutes."

An hour later he presented himself once more at the store, the proprietor of which greeted him cheerfully with the query:

"Same size, I suppose, sir."-Exchange.

## Sudden End.

"Whar's Red Face?" asked Four Finger Hogan in the hotel bar at Tin Can. "I haven't seen Red Face around for some time."

A general laugh went up. Then Shotgun Simpson shook his head and said.

"Poor Red Face! He got loaded the other night, rode into Cemetery Gulch. stuck his head in the window of the Crimson Arms hotel and yelled. 'Fire!' "Everybody did."-Exchange.

That mumps is a disease far too serious to be laughed at or joked about is proved by the fact that it causes an average of 100 deaths a year in England. It is more serious in adults the saliva .- New York World.

## Practical Advice.

Mr. Meekly-Our neighbor's son is always thrashing my boy. What shall I do about it? Lawyer-Teach him low to fight. Ten dollars, please .-Boston Transcript.

Reciprocity. Loving Bride-Will you promise me that I shall reign in our home? Doting Bridegroom-Yes, if you wil promise me that you will not storm .- Baltimore American.

## Ancient Eyeglasses.

"Indeed, the ancients did have eyeglasses." said the schoolgiri. "My history says. 'The Romans were extreme-ly fond of spectacles.' "-New York Post.

Kind words are the music of the world.-Faber.

"You blunder head! You fool of a jackass!" I shouted as I made up to him. But he backed off and protest-ingly explained:

"Don't get nervous, colonel. I had never seen one of these self cockers and was just tryin' it. I might have p'inted it the other way, but I didn't think."

"No. you didn't, and the ball went through my hat! Potts, you are a fool! You don't know enough to chew beans!"

"What a fuss to raise over a lectle accident, and -nobody hurt at that!" said Potts. "Waal, the fact of it is I'm goin' to quit. The boys said ye was a crank and a kicker and that I'd soon cut my job, but ye talked smooth and give orders fur plenty of grub, and I was willin' to take chances. Howsumever"-

"Howsumever what? Howsumeversquint eyed, dunderheaded pothunter!" Next day we started the outfit for home. Potts might have reconsidered his resignation, but I wouldn't give him a chance. I couldn't stay up there alone, but it was death to stay with him. We made the journey of fifty miles without a word. When we reached home I paid him off and said: "Potts, you-you-you are an unhung Idiot!"

"What fur, colonel?" he innocently sked.

## "Because you can't help ft!"

"Waal, mebbe I am, but if ye could only have held on to that crankiness of yers we'd have got at least four b'ars and five or six lions, to say nuthin' of wolves and wildcats. Day to ye, colonel. Awful sorry ye can't help yes meanness!"

spent the holidays with her parents, E. H. Kenniston and wife, has returned to Castine to resume her studies.

There was an entertainment and Christmas tree at the grange hall Thursday evening. On account of the cold weather, there was a small attendance.

Winfield Nickerson and wife are here to spend the winter with his mother, Mrs. I. W. Nickerson, who is very ill. She has been confined to her bed over two years. Dec. 28.

## BLUEHILL FALLS.

Mr. Scribner is sinking a well for Mr. George Cochran at the Point.

George Velvick has moved from the Sweet cottage to the coachman's cottage at Parker Point. CRUMBS.

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