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THURSDAY, AUG. 9—"Lucille Lee Stewart, sister of Anita Stewart in "The Conflict." Vitaphone.
FRIDAY, AUG. 10—"Big Tremaine," featuring Harold Lockwood. Metro.
SATURDAY, AUG. 11—"Pauline Frederick in "Nanette of the Wilds." Paramount.
MONDAY, AUG. 13—Fifteenth episode of serial "Liberty;" other pictures.
TUESDAY, AUG. 14—"Martyrdom of Philip Strong," with an all star cast.
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FROM EAST—12.25, 4.11, 5.30, 10.37 p m. (10.37 mail not distributed until following morning.)

Sundays.

FROM WEST—6.55, 11.45 a m.
No mail from east Sunday.

MAILS CLOSED AT POSTOFFICE

Week Days.

GOING WEST—11.45 a m; 3.40, 4.50 and 9 p m.
GOING EAST—8.30 a m; 3.40 p m.

Sundays.

GOING WEST—6.40, 1.10.
No mail east Sunday.

Registered mail should be at postoffice half an hour before mail closes.

WEATHER IN ELLSWORTH.

For Week Ending at Midnight Tuesday, Aug. 7, 1917.

[From observations taken at the power station of the Bar Harbor & Union River Power Co. in Ellsworth. Precipitation is given in inches for the twenty-four hours ending at midnight.]

Temperature	Weather	Precip- itation	
4 a m	12 m	forenoon	afternoon
Wed 86—86—	clear	fair, sh'w's	.40
Thu 76—72—	sh'w's, cld'y	sh'w's	1.15
Fri 69—73—	cloudy, rain	fair	.03
Sat 63—81—	fair, cloudy	fair	
Sun 68—73—	cloudy	fair	
Mon 60—74—	fair	fair	
Tues 64—82—	fair	fair	

Mrs. G. P. Harriman of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. H. Osgood.

Mrs. B. S. Stanley will, on Sunday, open a new tea room at "The Meadows", East Surry.

Mrs. S. W. Greene is the guest of Mrs. Roy E. Fifield at her cottage at Bunker's Harbor.

Miss Florence Murphy of New York is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Fulton J. Redman.

Rev. Albert J. Lord and family of Meriden, Conn., are in Ellsworth for their annual visit.

Rev. R. E. Mathews and family are spending the month of August at Contention Cove.

Merle Googins, who has been in Ellsworth for some time, left Saturday for Whitesville, Mass.

At the Methodist church next Sunday evening Rev. Albert J. Lord of Meriden, Conn., will preach.

Miss Alice Adams, of Newtonville, Mass., is spending August with her parents, Capt. J. Q. Adams and wife.

Miss Agnes Smith of Howard, R. I., is spending a vacation of three weeks with her sister, Mrs. E. F. Robinson, jr.

G. Henry Gould, who has been ill the past week, suffering from a strain of the ligaments about the heart, is improving.

John Schacht of Norwood, Mass., announces the engagement of his daughter Emilie to Austin L. Maddox, formerly of Ellsworth.

Mrs. L. D. Foster, who has spent the winter and spring with her daughter, Mrs. G. R. Caldwell, in Somerville, Mass., is at home.

Misses Louise and Sarah Foster arrived home Monday from a visit of two weeks with their grandfather, Charles E. Stover, at Jonesport.

Misses Helen and Hilda Holman of Philadelphia came yesterday to spend the remainder of the summer with their sister, Mrs. E. H. Baker.

The automobiles of H. B. Estey and E. B. Wyman collided in Postoffice square Saturday. Both cars were running slowly, and the damage was slight.

Clarence H. Tapley, who is employed as a special agent by the Factory Insurance association, with headquarters in the South, is at home for a few weeks.

Miss Helen Eldridge of Bangor and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewster and two children, of Dexter, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Eldridge for the week-end.

The civil service commission will hold an examination at Ellsworth, on Aug. 25, to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of postmaster at Green Lake.

Kenneth M. Cameron of Ottawa, Can., has joined his wife and little daughters here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Knowlton, for his vacation.

The Methodist Sunday school had its picnic at Pleasant Beach yesterday. The trip was made by teams and automobiles. A delightful day was spent at the shore.

Former Chief-Justice L. A. Emery last week received a cablegram from his son, Harry C. Emery, of Petrograd, who is now in Finland with his bride, on a pleasure trip.

Maurice West, colored, of Baltimore, Md., a chauffeur employed in Ellsworth during the summer, was arraigned in the Ellsworth municipal court Monday, on complaint of Sheriff Wescott, charged with criminal assault on a fourteen-year-

old white girl of Ellsworth. He was bound over for the October grand jury, in default of \$1,000 bail.

A. F. Burnham, Dr. Daniel E. Brown, wife and grandson, of Brockton, Mass., and Lawrence Brown and wife of New York, are at the Burnham home in Ellsworth for a few weeks.

Miss Elizabeth T. Cushman arrived home from Washington Monday evening. Her mother, Mrs. Abbie Cushman, who has been in Great Works for some time, accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Hamblen of Springfield, Mass., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Wednesday last, at the home of Mrs. Hamblen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Morang, in this city.

Rev. Horace B. Haskell of Ellsworth, at present pastor of Trinity Methodist church at Montpelier, Vt., has been elected president of Beaver college, at Beaver, Pa. Dr. Haskell has accepted the position, and will enter upon his new duties on August 15.

The city government has given official notice that on and after Monday, Aug. 20, Brimmer's bridge on the Mariaville road will be closed for rebuilding. Detour may be made by way of Waltham. It is expected that the work will occupy three or four weeks.

Frank C. Nickels, wife and son, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Hon. Frank B. Nichols of Bath, a member of Governor Milliken's council, with his wife, daughter and son, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hale Saturday, going from here to Cherryfield. Incidentally, the gathering here partook the nature of a birthday party, it being the birthday anniversary of Frank C. Nickels.

One of the special attractions for this week at the Bijou theatre will be the Metro photo play, "Big Tremaine," Friday evening, with Harold Lockwood in the leading role. Other pictures for this week are—"To-night," "The Devil's Double;" Thursday, Lucille Lee Stewart, a sister of Anita, in "The Conflict;" Saturday matinee and evening, Pauline Frederick in "Nanette of the Wilds." Thursday, Aug. 16, the picture-goes of Ellsworth will see for the first time in a year the famous Charlie Chaplin in the burlesque on "Carmen," and on Aug. 23 will be shown the powerful photo drama, "Enlighten Thy Daughter," which has just completed a successful run of two months in Boston and New York.

CITY MEETING.

Protest Against Proposal to Move City Library.

All the aldermen were present at the regular meeting of the city government Monday evening, President Wescott presiding in the absence of Mayor Hagerthy.

Former Chief Justice L. A. Emery appeared before the board in behalf of the city library. At a recent meeting of the city government, the proposition to discontinue the use of the present library building and move the library to a room in Hancock hall was informally broached. Judge Emery made a strong plea for the library, bringing out clearly the benefits it was to the city. Justice A. W. King, of the library board, spoke along the same lines.

Aldermen Moore (ward 2), Brown and Small were appointed a special committee to confer with the library trustees as to repairs necessary on the building.

Complaint was received from Mrs. H. H. Hooper about water in the cellar of her house on Oak street, caused, it is alleged, by stoppage of a drain or water course across her property. Referred to committee on streets.

It was voted to pay John B. Dean \$25 for the care of cemetery lots for which no other provision was made. Rolls of accounts were passed as follows:

Roll of accounts No. 6.	\$1,531.30
STREET COMMISSIONER'S ROLLS.	
Highways.....	\$ 976.24
Sidewalks.....	33.80
Perm sidewalks.....	2.81
Sewers.....	2.10
Bridges.....	14.12
State road.....	182.70
State-aid road.....	112.36
	1,724.13
Grand total.....	\$3,265.43

Adjourned.

ELLSWORTH FALLS.

W. B. Joy and wife of Southwest Harbor were here Sunday.

Miss Helen Flood and Joseph Patterson of Brewer were here over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank O. Morang and two children, of Lynn, Mass., are visiting here.

Miss Ruth Jordan has returned to Old Town, after visiting her cousin, Miss Dorothy Hagan.

Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Thayer and daughter Ruth, of Boston, are visiting Mrs. Thayer's parents, Moses Cottle and wife.

Rev. Albert J. Lord occupied the pulpit here at the Sunday evening service. Mr. Lord's many friends always look forward to his annual home-coming, and were glad to hear him Sunday evening.

Mrs. L. D. Patten and Mrs. Frank A. Cottle have been the guests of Fred E. Grace and wife at the Green Lake hatchery since Sunday. Miss Gertrude Flood is also visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grace.

Moore Family Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Moore family will be held at the Casino at Ellsworth Falls Wednesday, Aug. 15. It was necessary to change the meeting place on account of the present condition of Brimmer's bridge. There will be music by the orchestra in the afternoon, and a dance, as usual, in the evening.

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Ellsworth, Maine

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Branch May Be Established in Hancock County.

There is a probability that a branch of the Federal Land bank of Springfield, Mass., will be established in Hancock county, with headquarters in Ellsworth. Some twenty inquiries from prospective farm borrowers in this county have been received by the bank.

Hon. B. G. McIntyre of East Waterford, vice-president of the Springfield bank, was in Ellsworth last Thursday, and with John A. Cunningham of Ellsworth, appraiser for the Federal Land bank, met as many as possible of the farmers who had made inquiries.

Letters calling a meeting of these men, probably to be held in Ellsworth, will soon be sent out. At that meeting the question of forming a branch here will be determined.

If such a branch is formed, the borrowers will elect a board of directors, who will be joined by three chosen by the federal bank. These directors will elect a local president, a local board of appraisers or loan committee, and a secretary-treasurer. The latter need not be a member of the association.

Any farmer in Hancock county interested may write to Mr. Cunningham at Ellsworth for further information. This bank is not soliciting business in competition with any local banking institution. Already four of these branches have been established in Maine, and another probably will soon be established in Penobscot county.

Suicide at McKinley.

McKINLEY, Aug. 5 (special)—Capt. Frank McMullen, a well-known citizen of this place, committed suicide this morning, by drowning. He rowed out into the harbor, weighted his body with a stone, tied himself to the mooring line of the boat and jumped overboard. No one witnessed the act, but soon afterward, when the empty boat was picked up, the body was found attached to it.

Capt. McMullen was sixty years old. He had spent his early life at sea, retiring some years ago and opening a store here. He went out of business a short time ago. Despondency because of financial reverses is believed to have caused the suicide. He leaves a widow. He was a member of McKinley lodge, F. and A. M.

COMING EVENTS.

Thursday, Aug. 9—"The Old Peabody Pew," presented by local cast under auspices of Thursday club at Congregational church. Admission, 35 cents.

FAIR DATES.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Sept. 4, 5, 6—Bluehill fair.

Wednesday, Sept. 19—Highway grange fair, North Penobscot.

Wednesday, Sept. 26—Narramissic grange fair, Orland.

Wednesday, Oct. 10—Grange fair at Eastbrook.

FAMILY REUNIONS.

August 15—Hodgkins family at Blunt's pond, Lamoine.

Aug. 15—Moore family at Casino, Ellsworth Falls.

Aug. 15—Hooper family at Camp Tperillic, Georges pond, Franklin.

Aug. 22—Rice family at Birch Harbor.

August 25—Frost family at George A. Frost's grove, Mariaville.

August 30—Wilbur family at grange hall, Eastbrook.

September 5—Salisbury family at Roland S. Salisbury's grove (the old Kingman place), Otis.

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Brimmer's Bridge Closed

on and after

Monday, August 20, '17

On and after Monday, August 20, 1917, Brimmer's Bridge on the Mariaville road, in the City of Ellsworth, will be closed for rebuilding, until further notice. Detour may be made by way of Waltham.

By order of the City Government,

G. F. Newman

Street Commissioner

Ellsworth, Me., Aug. 7, 1917.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson VII.—Third Quarter, For Aug. 12, 1917.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, II Chron. xxxiv, 1-13—Memory Verses, 2, 3—Golden Text, Eccles. xii, 1—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

We have come to the record of the last good king who reigned over Judah, and while Isaiah and Micah were the prophets during the reign of Hezekiah, Jeremiah began to prophesy in the thirteenth year of Josiah (Isa. i, 1; Mic. i, 1; Jer. i, 2). Every good prophet, priest and king points onward to the Lord Jesus who when on earth was the prophet like unto Moses, speaking just what the Father told him; who is now our great high priest within the veil, ever living to make intercession for us; and who when He comes again shall be the true king of Israel, reigning in righteousness, a priest upon his throne, and we shall be His associates and joint heirs, the twelve apostles ruling over the twelve tribes of Israel (Deut. xviii, 18, 19; John xli, 49, 50; Heb. vi, 24-27; Jer. xxxiii, 5, 6; Zech. vi, 12, 13; Rev. i, 5, 6; v, 9, 10; Luke xxii, 29-30).

What a glorious future to keep ever before us, to wean us from all present entanglements and enable us to run with patience the race set before us! (Heb. xii, 12.) As Josiah was powerless, even with the help of Jeremiah, to effectually stem the tide of ever increasing iniquity, we may not expect to do more than he did in the last years of his age, to which we have come. Jeremiah was a prophet of the Lord during the last forty years preceding the judgment upon Judah (the last eighteen of Josiah's reign and the twenty-two of the four bad kings who succeeded him), and we may be within a good deal less than forty years of the end of this evil age, which will end with a time like the days of Noah and Lot (Luke xvii, 26-30). We can only do as Josiah and Jeremiah did, and that is be faithful to God as He gives us time and opportunity. It is profitable to compare the reigns of Josiah and Josiah (I Chron. xxvi), the two boy kings, but Josiah did better than Josiah, though he did not reign as long. To do right in the sight of the Lord, turning neither to the right hand nor to the left (Isaiah verses 1, 2), is a good summary of a godly life and reminds of the Lord's message to Abram after the thirteen years blank in his history, "I am the Almighty God; walk before Me and be thou perfect" (Gen. xvi, 10; xvii, 1).

The message might be read literally: I am El Shaddai, the mighty God, all sufficient for you; walk before Me and be upright or sincere. It is a good word for every believer. As to being kept from turning to the right hand or to the left, there is a very gracious promise in Isa. xxx, 21. When Josiah was sixteen he began to seek after the God of David, his father (verse 9), and no doubt he did it with all his heart, according to Jer. xxxi, 13, and in no sense feignedly, as many do. When he was twenty he began to purge the land from idols (verses 3-8), and the saying in verse 5 about burning men's bones on the idol altars reminds us of the saying of the unnamed man of God to Jeroboam in I Kings xiii, 1, 2, when he mentioned Josiah by name as the king who would do this. In II Kings xxiii, 15-20, the fulfillment of this saying of the man of God is fully recorded. I often refer to this prediction and fulfillment as a token of the literal fulfillment which shall yet be of every prediction concerning things yet future. As truly as His riding upon an ass' colt foretold in Zech. ix, 9, was literally fulfilled, so truly shall the prediction of the next verse (Zech. ix, 10) be as literally fulfilled, and He shall speak peace unto the nations, and His dominion shall be from sea to sea and from the river to the ends of the earth. In Mic. v, 2, it was foretold that the Messiah would be born in Bethlehem and that He would be ruler in Israel. We know that he was born in Bethlehem, the whole world being moved by the decree of Caesar, and it was that decree which brought Mary from Nazareth to Bethlehem at that time. He has never yet ruled in Israel, but He surely will at His coming again in glory, and the whole world is now being moved to prepare the way for Israel's restoration and recognition as a nation. We seem to have come to the beginning of times foretold by our Lord in Luke xxi, 25-28, distress of nations, with perplexity, the sea and the waves roaring, men's hearts failing them for fear and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth. He said that even the beginning of such times would indicate the drawing near of redemption for Israel (Written May 28, 1916.) Josiah's reformation reached even to the putting away of some of the idolatry introduced by Solomon (II Kings xxiii, 13, 14) when he was twenty-eight he began to repair the house of the Lord (Isaiah verses 8-13), and it was then the Book of the Law was found, the result of which will be our next lesson. The house now being built is the church of the Living God, and it is the one only thing worthy of our attention.

Every true believer is a living stone bought by the precious blood of the Lamb and by that made fit for heaven. But we are still in the quarry and by daily training are being made fit for our special places in His temple. There is no such thing possible as winning the world to Christ in this age, but we are here to gather from all nations a people for His name, the church.

Mutual Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MIDGE". Its Motto: "Helpful and Helpful."

The purpose of this column are concise yet stated in the title and motto—it is for the mutual benefit, and aims to be helpful and hopeful. Being for the common good, it is for the common use—a public servant, a purveyor of information and suggestion, a medium for the interchange of ideas. In this capacity it solicits communications, and its success depends largely on the support given it in this respect. Communications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permission. Communications will be subject to approval or rejection by the editor of the column, but none will be rejected without good reason. Address all communications to THE AMERICAN, Ellsworth, Me.

YOUR FLAG AND MY FLAG.

Your flag and my flag, And how it flies to-day In your land and my land And half a world away. Rose-red and blood-red The stripes forever gleam: Snow-white and soul-white. The good forefathers' dream: Sky-blue and true-blue. With stars to gleam aright, The glorified guidon of the day: A shelter through the night. Your flag and my flag! To every star and stripe, The drums beat as hearts beat And fliers shrilly pipe. Your flag and my flag! A blessing in the sky: Your hope and my hope, It never hid a lie. Home land and far land, And half the world around, Old Glory hears our glad salute And ripples to the sound. Your flag and my flag! And, oh, how much it holds—Your land and my land Secure within its folds! Your heart and my heart Beat quicker at the sight; Sun kissed and wind tossed Red and blue and white. The one flag, the great flag, The flag for me and you, Glorified all else beside The red and white and blue!

Dear M. B. Friends: It seems to me, at this time, we need to catch the spirit of the fine poem L. E. T. has furnished for this week. We are passing through one of the great trying experiences of life. Some of us remember the long days of the Civil war—the defeats, the waiting for results, the farewells to friends. We do not forget the sufferings of the prisoners in southern states.

But above and beyond the crucial four years, there rises the vision of the bravery of our men, the men who to-day are honored, because of their loyalty to our country and their faithfulness to duty. These are the men who stood fast in the times that tried their souls. What if they had not stood fast? What honor or glory would be theirs to-day? Looking on the remnant of that mighty host, cannot the young men of to-day gather something of courage and inspiration from this record of past achievement and personal sacrifice?

It is not alone the soldiers who are called to sacrifice. I copy here a poem written by Thomas Buchanan Reed.

THE BRAVE AT HOME. The maid who binds her warrior's saah, With smiles that well her pain dissembles, The while beneath her drooping lash One stray dew-drop hangs and trembles, Tho' Heaven alone records the tear, And fame shall never know her story, Her heart has shed a drop as dear As ever dewed the field of glory. The wife who girds her husband's sword, Mid little ones who weep or wonder, And bravely speaks the cheering word—What tho' her heart be rent asunder—Doomed nightly in her dreams to hear The bolts of war around him rattle, Has shed as sacred blood as e'er Was poured upon the plain of battle! The mother who conceals her grief, While to her breast her son she presses, Then breathes a few brave words and brief, Kisses the patriot brow she blesses, With no one but her secret God To know the pain that weighs upon her, Sheds holy blood as e'er the sod Received on Freedom's field of honor.

SUNSET, July 21, 1917. Did anyone of the readers, who live in the country, ever hear at about sunset, or just after, when all is still, a sound like the distant sea? I do not know as I can describe it. 'Tis like the sound of waves on a distant shore, when the waves roll up on it. When I was a child my mother told me about it, and told me to listen as it rose and fell. She said her mother told her about it long years ago. She said it was called the nameless sound, caused by growing vegetation, or "green things growing." As I live by the sea, I do not hear it very often. But anyone can hear it on a calm night. SADIE.

This is something nice to know and notice. Perhaps someone else has heard it or heard of it. RECIPES. PINEAPPLE, RHUBARB AND ORANGE PRESERVES—Cut pineapple, rhubarb and oranges in small pieces. To two quarts of rhubarb and two of pineapple and four oranges add three and one-half pounds of sugar; cover with cold water and stand over night; cook fifty minutes, then turn in glasses and seal.—L. E. T. CANNED RHUBARB—Select firm red

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We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, headache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If you have bad symptoms and do not understand the cause, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free.

stalks of rhubarb; cut in pieces about one inch in length, wash thoroughly, do not remove peeling. Put in jars, place under faucet and let water run over the rhubarb until no bubbles are formed. Screw on covers tightly and cover with paraffin. This makes delicious pie filling in winter.—L. E. T.

TO CAN STRING BEANS—I prepare string beans and get them ready as for table use: fill jars, pack in solid, run a knife around the edge so there will be no bubbles after filling jars to overflowing with cold water, then put rubbers on and cover, and snap wire over the cover, but do not snap the other wire down. Put a turkish towel in the bottom of boiler and set jars in and fill boiler with cold water up to where top of jars begins, and cover the boiler. After it starts to boil, count three hours, then remove from boiler and snap other wire down. Corn, after it is removed from cob, can be done the same as beans.—L. E. T.

THE HOUSE FLY.

Fight Against Dangerous Pest Should Not Be Relaxed.

The fly has no equal as germ "carrier," as many as five hundred million germs have been found in and on the body of a single fly.

It is definitely known that the fly is the "carrier" of the germs of typhoid fever; it is widely believed that it is also the "carrier" of other diseases, including possibly infantile paralysis.

The farming districts provide ideal breeding places, and the new-born flies do not remain at their birthplace, but migrate, using railroads and other means of transportation, to towns and cities. Kill flies and save lives.

The United States government makes the following suggestion for the destruction of houseflies: Formaldehyde and sodium salicylate are the two best fly poisons. Both are superior to arsenic. They have their advantages for household use. They are not a poison to children; they are convenient to handle, their dilutions are simple and they attract flies.

A formaldehyde solution of approximately the correct strength may be made by adding three teaspoonfuls of the concentrated formaldehyde solution, commercially known as formalin, to a pint of water. Similarly, the proper concentration of sodium salicylate may be obtained by dissolving three teaspoonfuls of the pure chemical (a powder) to a pint of water.

A container for keeping the solution always available for flies to drink may be made as follows: An ordinary, thin-walled drinking glass is filled or partially filled with the solution. A saucer, or small plate, in which is placed a piece of white blotting paper cut the size of the dish, is put bottom up over the glass. The whole is then quickly inverted, a match placed under the edge of the glass, and the container is ready for use. As the solution dries, out of the saucer, the liquid seal at the edge of the glass is broken and more liquid flows into the lower receptacle. Thus the paper is always kept moist.

A mixture of one tablespoonful of cream, one of ground black pepper, and one of brown sugar, is poisonous to flies. Put in a saucer, darken the room except one window and in that set the saucer. To clear the house of flies, burn pyrethrum powder. This stupefies the flies, but they must be swept up and burned.

WEST TREMONT.

A crowd of young people enjoyed an "eighty-three" party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lunt Saturday evening, Aug. 4.

Mrs. Benjamin Gott and child, of Arlington, Mass., arrived Thursday to spend a vacation with Mrs. Gott's mother, Mrs. Emma Reed.

THELMA.

Feel Worse After Vacation The change from outdoor activity of vacation time to the quiet of regular employment sometimes makes one feel heavy and "stuffed up," uncomfortable and bilious, with a mean headache, a nervous unrest and thickly coated tongue. Instead of complaining that "a vacation does no good," it is better to remove the trouble, which usually is the result of indigestion. Foley Cathartic Tablets give quick relief with no unpleasantness or constipation after effects.

Among the Strangers.

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

NEW CENTURY, 256, DEDHAM.

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS. Whereas, It has been the will of the Divine Master to remove from our grange our brother, John M. Houston, therefore,

Resolved, That in his death, New Century grange has lost an esteemed and worthy member, one who will be greatly missed in the order and is the community.

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TRENCH TORCHES.

Complete Directions for Making Them Out of Old Newspapers.

Since a French officer recently taught a New York woman how to make trench torches, or candles, from old newspapers, this work has proved a most popular form of evening assembly work for the Red Cross, and many summer residents in resort hotels are spending their spare time rolling these candles.

The candles are used for the most important surgical operations in the trenches, as they do not drip or melt, and, if the candle is properly made, will burn for two hours and emit a full, pleasant light, equal to that of a group of wax or tallow candles.

To make the torches, cut sheets of newspaper apart. One sheet of a metropolitan paper makes one candle. More than one sheet will be required of a smaller newspaper. The big papers have seven or eight columns on a page. Cut each column down the line between them, and cut evenly. Lay the first two column strips one on top the other and roll tightly. Over this roll proceed to wrap each separate column, one at a time. This makes a very smooth, tightly rolled torch. After all the columns have been wrapped around the original two, tie the candle around the middle with a bit of string and clip the ends close to the candle.

To make a good candle the rolling should be done on a hard surface, such as a table, a board, a book. Roll tightly, and keep the edges even, although a trifling irregularity does not matter if the roll is tight. Have a deep receptacle full of melted paraffine, and keep it hot over some small heater, such as an electric plate, a little gas stove, or any form of heat. Twenty pound lots cost eight to ten cents a pound.

In order to place the candles in the receptacle most easily, it has been found that a good plan is to stand fifty or more of them close together and tie a string around them. This bundle can be placed in the paraffine in an upright position. Around the outer edges more candles can be stuck, upright, until the receptacle is as full as it will hold. Let the hot paraffine come well over the tops of the candles, which are only as tall as the width of a newspaper column, and let them soak in the paraffine for three quarters of an hour. Some women let them soak an hour, but they will absorb all the paraffine they can in three-quarters of an hour.

Take candles from the hot liquid, let the candles fall loose, and dry.

The candles can be rolled in odd moments and accumulated until a quantity are ready for dipping. Usually three or four pounds of paraffine are melted in a receptacle and as many candles as possible placed in the liquid. When each lot is removed, an extra pound of paraffine may be added to take the place of that which has been absorbed. Very little paraffine is required for one hundred candles. It is cheaper to buy it in lots of ten or twenty pounds, or the ends of old paraffine candles may be used.

The candles may be delivered to any local Red Cross organization, or to any place designated by them.

WEST EDEN.

Frank P. Paquet, wife and little daughter Doris, of Athol, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Paquet's father, George W. Mayo.

Mrs. Agnes Mayo and Master John Lemming spent a few days recently in Ellsworth visiting Mrs. Mayo's father, John Reed.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall on the arrival of a fine boy on July 22. [Daniel George Hall, 2nd.]

Charles D. Kittredge has gone to Springfield, Mass., to spend the winter.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hamor Jr. on the arrival of a baby boy, born July 29. [Norman Lyle.]

BASS HARBOR.

Dr. and Mrs. Porter of Oldtown are in town for a few days.

Miss Nettie Wooster is visiting her sister, Mrs. Maurice Taunton.

Helen Watson, who has employment in Boston, is at home for a vacation.

Miss Margaret Sanford of Bangor and Miss Inez Sanford of Corinth are visiting here.

Mrs. Ida Dix and daughter Evelyn, who have been in Massachusetts several weeks, are at home.

The library fair held at Community hall last week was a success. The proceeds, about \$80, will go for library expenses.

X. Y. Z.

When baby suffers with eczema or some itching skin trouble, use Doan's Ointment. A little of it goes a long way and it is safe for children. 6c a box at all stores.—Advt.

KITKEY TO CARIBOU.

The annual convention of county commissioners will be held at Rockland, Sept. 4 and 5.

Fred Bellefleur, a private in Company H., second Maine Infantry of Waterville, was struck by lightning and instantly killed Wednesday night, while sleeping in his tent at Camp Keyes, where the regiment is mobilized. The only mark found on Bellefleur was a singed hair on the left leg. He was twenty-five years of age, was a resident of Skowhegan, where he enlisted, and leaves a mother who lives at Van Buren.

GREAT FOND.

A party of young ladies is at Camp Octagon for an outing.

Mrs. H. T. Silbey and daughter, Mrs. Bridges, were here recently.

Mr. Fuller has finished peeling bark, and his men are sawing the lumber.

Mr. Leach and family, with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coison, visited Amherst and vicinity Thursday.

Congratulations are extended Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barrill on the birth of a daughter. [Eleanor Silsby.]

W. H. Brown of Ellsworth is here to rebuild the dam. He has quite a crew at work. Mr. McCartney has charge of the drive. Aug. 5.

Advertisements.

SHE COULD ONLY DIGEST TOAST AND LIGHT FOOD

Holden Woman Tells How Stomach Trouble Had Finally Affected Her.

"About the only things that I could eat and digest without suffering were toast and light foods," said Grace Levenseller, of Holden, Me. "That, though, was before I took Tanlac," she explained.

"I suffered from stomach trouble so badly that gas would form, sour, undigested food. It got so that I could not eat a lot of things that I liked. I knew my stomach had become too weak for many ordinary foods. Of course, I was becoming run down from this condition. I heard so much of this Tanlac that I finally decided to try it to see if I could get the relief so many other people had told about. Well, I have taken two bottles and already I am able to eat lots and lots of things that I had not dared to touch for years and I am not at all distressed from the old stomach trouble and indigestion."

"Thousands of Maine men and women who were living on a diet are now eating good, wholesome food and gaining strength and weight since they have begun Tanlac, the new reconstructive and stomach tonic," said the Tanlac Man. "Tanlac is designed to tone up disordered stomach, bring about real digestion and so build strength naturally through blood and tissue."

Tanlac is being specially introduced in Ellsworth by E. G. Moore, Jr. in West Franklin, B. S. Seaman; North Sullivan, H. Robinson; Hancock, Pamela Grange Store, and there is a Tanlac agent in every Maine town.

WHY SUFFER SO?

Why suffer from bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing kidney and bladder ills? Ellsworth people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?

Mrs. Percy Lindsey, 14 Sterling St., Ellsworth, says: "I suffered from an annoying kidney weakness for nearly a year. I was up one day and down the next. I ached all over and often was so dizzy that I fell. My feet and ankles swelled so badly I couldn't put on my shoes. I was treated by doctors, but got no relief until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. After the first box, I noticed improvement and I used about five boxes in all. By that time the trouble had entirely disappeared and I have felt like a different woman since. I have gained much weight and feel stronger in every way."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mrs. Lindsey Foster—Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

THE QUALITY OF A CLARION is the quality of the highest grades of pig iron obtainable plus the quality of expert workmanship. We use every care to give Clarions the quality that means lasting service. Results are uniformly right in consequence. Made in Maine. Successful everywhere. WOOD & BISHOP CO. Established 1820 Bangor, Maine Sold by J. P. ELDRIDGE, ELLSWORTH, Me.

COUNTY NEWS

WEST FRANKLIN.
James Hastings of Bangor visited his father last week.
Mrs. William McFarland of Bar Harbor was a recent caller here.
Mrs. Gerald Pratt of Somerville, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. O. Clark.
Mr. Bowden, Maynard Hodgkins and family motored here from Brooklyn Sunday.
Mrs. Earland Hardison of Boston is with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardison for a few weeks.
Irvin Rollins, with his wife and daughter Winifred, is visiting E. J. Rollins and family.
Wesley Clark and family of Brewer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eastman Hutchings.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark of Bangor and Miss Vivian Clark of Massachusetts have been at S. S. Clark's.
Pearl Coombs, engineer at the Louisville hotel, Bar Harbor, spent the week-end with his family here.
Ralph Worcester and family of Penobscot are at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Worcester.
Mr. and Mrs. George Coombs, who have been at Mount Desert several years, are at their home here for a few weeks.
Mrs. Strout and daughter of Milbridge and Mrs. Everett Morse of Franklin visited Mrs. E. W. Hastings and Mrs. J. M. Clark Wednesday.
R. H. Williams is at home from Hancock for a few days, bringing with him Fred Stratton and Albert Gordon and his team to help in his haying.
Mrs. George Johnson and son of Holden were visitors at George Springer's Thursday. Mrs. Gayton Stanley and children, who have been here a few weeks, returned to Holden with Mrs. Johnson.
Mrs. Ida VanValkenburg, suffragist and temperance worker, recently organized a local branch of the W. C. T. U. in this town, with the following officers:

President, Mrs. C. W. Lowell; vice-presidents, Miss Margaret Koch and Mrs. Walter Lawrie; treasurer, Mrs. Edward Garbet; secretary, Miss Adah Savage; assistant secretary, Mrs. W. E. Bragdon. Pledge cards will soon be distributed for others to join.
Aug. 6. **ECHO.**
BIRCH HARBOR.
Mrs. E. S. Rice and son of Prospect Harbor visited relatives here over Sunday.
J. Fred Temple, who has been in Bar Harbor hospital several weeks, came home Saturday.
C. H. Preble of Sullivan, with his niece, Mrs. Oscar Aldrich, of Sorrento, called on friends here Sunday.
Miss Lillian Huckins of Milbridge spent a few days last week with her cousin, Mrs. Ernest Rice.
Aug. 6. **C.**
NORTH SEDGWICK.
G. M. Allen & Son lost a horse last week.
Mrs. Angie Bray of Bluehill Falls has employment with Mrs. Harvey Torrey.
Mrs. Maud Smallage, who has been in Haverhill, Mass., a few weeks, is home.
Mrs. Fred Cole of North Brookings spent a few days last week with Ella Thurston.
Abbie Elwell has gone to Bluehill to spend the week with her niece, Virginia Snow.
Aug. 6. **A. G.**
EAST ORLAND.
Pearl Gray is recovering from his recent illness.
Warren Stiphen of Bath is the guest of Mrs. Aurilla Higgins.
Mr. and Mrs. John Farnham of Buffalo, N. Y., were here Saturday.
W. L. Wentworth and daughter Virginia are visiting in Philadelphia.
Boyd Dunbar arrived Friday from a visit in Providence and New York.
Mrs. Carrie White has gone to Hingham, Mass., to visit her son Harry.
Dr. Thomas Story of New York arrived

Friday to spend August with his family here.
Sewell Marks of Newport, N. H., is visiting his nephew, E. L. Marks.
Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce of Boston are at their summer home here.
Mr. and Mrs. Orin of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., are at the Hamilton cottage.
Mrs. Ruth Burgess, with three children, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gibbs.
Mrs. Kate Pickering is at home from Bar Harbor, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Willard Barrett.
Miss Marion Gibbs has returned to Fort Fairfield, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gibbs.
Mr. and Mrs. Perry and two children, of Fort Fairfield, are guests of her grandmother, Mrs. Aurilla Higgins.
Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hamilton and daughter Emily of Hartford, Conn., arrived Tuesday to spend August.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Newport, N. H., left Sunday on their return home, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Marks.
Mrs. W. T. Hill and son Thomas returned to their home in Bucksport Sunday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Mason.
Aug. 6. **M.**
PENOBSCOT.
Irene B. Thomas of Roxbury, Mass., was in town last week.
John Bridges and wife of Watertown, Mass., are visiting in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hutchings of Everett, Mass., visited friends here last week.
Jasper Leach and Myron Bowden left last week for Brunswick, where they joined the heavy artillery.
Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Miller and daughter Marion have returned to Portland, after a few weeks at their home here.
Mrs. Etta Brown and little grandson, Richard Davies, of Bangor, have returned to their home after a visit here with Mrs. H. E. Perkins.
Leo M. Sellers has returned to Boston, after spending his vacation here. He was accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Wardwell, going by way of the White Mountains by automobile.
Aug. 6. **WOODLOCKE.**
NORTH HANCOCK.
Austin Conary is working for Charles M. Martin.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones were the guests of Emerson Stewart last week.
Doris and Jay Scribner, who have been visiting their grandparents, Henry Butler and wife, have returned to Green Lake.
Charles F. Graves, wife and children of Brewer were the week-end guests of Mrs. Graves' parents, John N. Marshall and wife.
Aug. 6. **M.**

BEEFLESS DAYS FOR N. Y. HOTELS

"War Bread" to Be Served; Less Butter and Fats Used.

PORK WILL BE CURTAILED

Most Breakfast Rolls Will Be Baked of Other Than Wheat Flour—Toast as a Garnish to Meat Dishes Is to Be Eliminated—No Cheese For Free Lunch Counters.

Suggestions for one beefless day each week, with the serving of "war bread" at every meal and a radical curtailment in the use of pork products and all butter and fats, have been made to Herbert C. Hoover, prospective national food administrator, by the New York City Hotel association. If the plan is approved, by Mr. Hoover—and it was devised along lines suggested by him in his food conservation announcements—patrons of New York hotels will probably have their first beefless day in the near future. At the same time menu cards will contain announcement of the inauguration of one day each week on which no beef will be served and of curtailment in the service of other products in which conservation of existing supplies is necessary.
The scheme was presented to Mr. Hoover by Thomas D. Green, president of the Hotel association, and John M. E. Bowman, in co-operation with Patrick V. Kyne, James Churchill and H. E. Taylor, representing the Society of Restaurateurs. The Hotel association represents 105 hotels, which serve about 200,000 meals each day, and the Society of Restaurateurs includes in its membership all of the big restaurants of Broadway and many of the smaller ones in other parts of the city.
Tentative regulations governing the plan have been arranged and probably will be made permanent. They are:
First.—Individual service of bread and butter of uniform weight, the rolls to weigh from one to one and one-fourth ounces.
Second.—At least 10 per cent of other flour to be used in making wheat bread and rolls.
Third.—Most breakfast rolls will be baked of other than wheat flour.
Fourth.—Stale bread and toast trimmings are to be made into "war bread" for guests and employees.
Fifth.—Elimination of rough bread, which requires more butter than smooth bread.
Sixth.—Elimination of toast as a garnish to meat dishes.
Seventh.—Discourage the use of fresh pork.
Eighth.—Broiling, roasting, braising and stewing is to be encouraged and frying discouraged to conserve butter and lard.
Ninth.—Service of veal, lamb and sucking pig to be discouraged.
Tenth.—Beef to be eliminated one day each week other than Friday.
Eleventh.—Cheese is to be removed from free lunch counters.
Twelfth.—The use of sea food, fresh vegetables and fruits is to be encouraged.
The "war bread" which is to be baked in the hotels is based on a simple recipe and can be made by any housewife. It is: On the basis of a butter tub of stale bread, crusts, etc., add ten quarts of water and ten ounces of salt; soak thoroughly and strain through a flour sieve. For this quantity use one-half pound of yeast and enough flour to make a very stiff dough.

COUNTY NEWS

BLUEHILL.
AN ODE TO BLUEHILL
By J. M. Anders, M. D.
Alone, immovable, sublime,
Thy face upturned to God,
The fountain of thy magic power
With strength and courage shod;
For dreary soul in utmost need,
Rich essence from thy breast
Fours forth, to strengthen and inspire,
The striving who find true rest.
Let naught disturb thee, sentinel,
Clad in thy armor grey,
Oz bluet! throw thy protecting arm
Around me all the day.
Over lesser hills and vales keep thou
Thy watchful eye of care,
And so in grateful hearts shall place,
Who would thy virtues share.
Soft streams from out thy sylvan shield,
Come flowing down to bliss,
And as I drink thy music sweet,
A new seal I possess.
Stand on and no dark shadows shall fall
Across the dreams of youth,
For thou dost teach men to live at their best
In the golden light of truth.

LETTER FROM BLUEHILL BOY.
Friends in Bluehill will be pleased to learn of the whereabouts and work of a former Bluehill boy, Fred B. Hardin, now employed as a civil engineer on a new railroad to Alaska gold fields. In a letter to his brother, William H. Hardin, now in the office of Cross Bros., granite, at Northfield, Vt., forwarded to THE AMERICAN, he writes:
KITSAULT RIVER, NORTHERN B. C. July 4, 1917.
Dear Brother:
I believe I last wrote you from Copper Mountain some time ago, along in the winter. I expected to be there at least all this summer, and maybe longer, but circumstances over which we have no control, make it necessary for me to close my mine down to a very small scale.
I was not idle very long, however. I was home only two days when a party called me up and wanted me to go out on some railroad work for them. I had to turn the job down, as they wanted me to go out the next morning. I was not in a position to do that.
A few days later the Taylor Engineering Co. of Vancouver called me up and wanted me to go out for them. They offered me a fairly good thing, so I took them up, and the result is that I am away up here in Northern British Columbia, only a dozen miles from the Alaska border, and am working my way toward the border every day. We are on an eighteen-mile piece of railroad construction which, when completed, will be a line from the tide water at Alice Arm to the Dolly Varden mine. Right now I am twelve miles up the line in a tent, my office chair is my bunk, and the machine is hosed upon a Black Strap molasses box.
Evening of July 5—I did not get a chance to finish your letter last evening. The chief called me up from town, so I had to quit and talk with him, and by the time I was through it was too dark for me to do any more writing. We have no lamps in this camp, so have to quit writing or reading when the darkness comes on.
It is now a day later, the 6th, and if nothing comes up I think I will be able to finish your letter to-night and will send it out tomorrow with one of the boys who is going to town. I just got started last evening when the chief came in from town, and of course I had to quit writing and talk to him of the work, so I did not get any more on your letter.
We are going to move camp again in the first of the week, and will be in better quarters in the next place; our next camp will be at Miners' Creek.
We are having considerable rain up here, and it makes the work in the woods and through the brush very bad. It is raining hard now and will mean wet cloth to-morrow night. Such is the life of the engineer, so we try to make ourselves believe that we don't mind it, and keep right on going all the time.
We expect to have this piece of work finished by the time winter sets in. If we don't, it's a cinch that it won't get finished until next summer. Winter comes to this part of the country quite early, and it comes to stay.
I wrote to Uncle Brooks a few days ago. I have not heard from him for some time. Guess he is waiting for me to answer his last letter. I suppose you are quite busy this season, and are at it every day. How is Atwood standing the wear and tear of life. He must be a big boy now, and into all kinds of mischief. Tell him that I saw a big bear and two baby bears a few days ago, but was unable to catch one for him. They scrambled off into the woods too quickly, and the old bear did not seem to be very friendly, so I did not attempt to follow. The bear are very plentiful around here, all blacks down this way, but we will soon be in the country of the grizzlies, when we get to a higher elevation.
I suppose the East is all worked up over the war now, and great excitement is prevailing all through the country. I was reading a magazine article a few days ago regarding the shipbuilding on the Maine coast. It certainly must be a change for some of those old towns to be awake again after such a long sleep. Bath must be a lively place now, as well as a few other places along the coast. I suppose all the farmers are busy with their haying now, and the clatter of the mowing machine can be heard from all directions.
With love and best wishes to all,
FRED.

DRAFT BUSIES PRINTERS.
Government Workers Kept Busy by Rush Jobs.
The draft has burdened the government printing office with the biggest task it has ever undertaken.
Here are some of the printing jobs it has been working on:
Thirty million blanks, affidavits and forms for use of the local exemption boards.
Five hundred thousand copies of the exemption regulations of about 100 pages each.
For the registration the printing of five turned out 27,000,000 registration cards and 18,025,000 certificates.
Nearly 175 different blank forms are needed for the draft.
Over twenty-one tons of mail matter concerning the draft has been mailed out of the offices.

AMERICANS ABROAD RESPOND

Marine Corps Gets Applications From 104 in Every Part of Globe.
A remarkable instance of the patriotism of Americans abroad was shown during the past month by the application for enlistment in the United States marine corps of 104 Americans living in all parts of the world. It was announced at marine corps headquarters.
Letters were received from twenty-six foreign countries offering service to the "soldiers of the sea." Every continent on the face of the globe was represented—New Zealand, China, Japan, Egypt, five each of South and Central American countries, four West Indian islands, several British colonies and others.

COUNTY NEWS

years he was keeper of the light at Tenants Harbor.
The community loses a good citizen by the death of Mr. Farnham. Although he was opposed to joining any order, he was always ready to help his neighbors, and all his life, until physically unable, was especially helpful in time of illness and death.
Two years ago his youngest daughter, Miss Olive Farnham, gave up her work in the hospital in Melrose, Mass., to care for her father. He is survived by his wife, who was Llerena Parker of St. George, three sons—Chester A. of New York, Ingils of Worcester, Mass., John P. of Buffalo, N. Y., and four daughters—Mrs. O. A. Deer of East Orland, Miss Lydia Farnham of Mount Vernon, N. Y., Mrs. H. W. Ryder of Brownville, and Miss Olive Farnham of Orland, and eight grandchildren.
Aug. 6. **SPEC.**

BROOKLIN.
Miss Copeland, who has been visiting Mrs. Naomi Allen, returned to her home in Warren Thursday.
Lee H. Powers has returned from Boston, where he has spent the past month.
Brooklin library circle held its annual sale at I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday afternoon and evening. It was well attended. Net proceeds, \$65, which will be used towards painting the library building.
Carl Brown and family, of Arlington, Mass., are visiting at A. W. Bridges'. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Myrtle Green.
Mr. Creamer, who has been the pure food inspector at the Farnsworth Packing Co.'s plants and A. H. Mayo's, has gone to Lubec. Mr. Mitchell takes his place here.
Miss Alice Herrick, who has spent her vacation with her parents, A. G. Herrick and wife, returned to Providence Saturday.
Mrs. Mary J. Young of Webster City, Iowa, is spending the summer with her sisters, Mrs. Emma Holden and Mrs. Phebe Bray.
In the electrical storm Wednesday night, several places in town were struck, but no serious damage was done.
Fred Herrick left Monday evening for Bangor. He is in the Milliken heavy artillery.

NORTH CASTLE.
Mrs. E. E. Farnsworth and Master George, who have been visiting A. E. Farnsworth and wife, returned to their home in Jonesport Wednesday.
Mrs. William F. Cousins and Master Kenneth, who have been visiting in West Brooksville, returned home Thursday.
Mrs. Abbie Heister of Beverly, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Mayo.
Aug. 6. **UNE FRANK.**

NORTH CASTLE.
Mrs. Vira Moulton of Bangor is visiting her father, A. K. Dodge.
Arthur P. Guilford returned to Vinal-haven Friday, after a visit with his family.
A party from Bangor has rented one of the Willard cottages for two weeks.
Mrs. Ross Connor and two children spent Sunday with her brother, W. V. Marks in West Penobscot.
Fred Perkins of Searsport is in town, called there by the serious illness of his father, James Perkins.
Miss Doris Champion of Lawrence, Mass., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Bowden.
Mrs. Neil Wardwell is spending a few weeks in Penobscot with her mother, Mrs. Elmer Leach.
Lynn Perkins and wife of Sandy Point, are visiting Mrs. Perkins' mother, Mrs. Mary Perkins.
J. B. Wallace has returned to Natick, Mass., after a visit with his brother, Rev. C. W. Wallace, who is somewhat improved in health.
Aug. 6. **G.**

COREA.
The C. E. rally will be held at South Gouldsboro Aug. 14.
A show and dance at the hall Saturday evening was well attended by out-of-town people.
Mrs. Spencer and daughter Mildred, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to Canada, N. H., Thursday.
Mrs. M. J. Lufkin, with her daughter, Mrs. Baldwin, is spending a few days with another daughter, Mrs. Edward Doyle, at East Sullivan.
Aug. 6. **S.**

TRENTON.
O. J. Hysom of West Sullivan was in town Sunday.
Miss Myrtle Shapleigh of Surry is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lottie Garland.
Ava Davis cut her left foot badly while playing Sunday night. Her father, Harry Davis, and Bennie Garland hurried her to Ellsworth by automobile, where Dr. Hodgkins administered ether and dressed the wound.
Aug. 6. **MAY**

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Barcock Blood Bitters, the family system tonic. Price, \$1.25.—Adv.

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You cannot attend to your work properly, or with any degree of satisfaction, if your head aches or if you feel dull and grouchy from a disordered stomach, or imperfect digestion. To do your work easily, quickly and well, and to keep at it, you must have

A Clear Head

If you have been confined in a close room, open the windows or get out for a moment and get your lungs filled with fresh air. If your stomach is deranged from hasty eating, or eating too heartily of rich or indigestible food, try a few doses of "L. F." Atwood's Medicine to start up your digestive functions. You will get speedy relief and you will find yourself doing your customary work easily and with satisfaction to yourself. 35 cents bottle at all dealers. Sample free from "L. F." MEDICINE CO., Portland, Maine.

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 - FOURTH—\$175.00 Credit to apply on purchase of any New Story & Clark Piano or Player-Piano.
 - FIFTH—Lady or Gentleman's Genuine Diamond Ring, 14 karat setting.
 - SIXTH—\$125.00 Credit to apply on purchase of any New Story & Clark Piano or Player-Piano.
 - SEVENTH—Gentleman's Gold Watch, 25-year case, jeweled movement.
 - EIGHTH—Lady's Gold Watch, 25-year case, jeweled movement.
 - NINTH—Chest of Rogers Silver, 32 pieces.
 - TENTH—New Mahogany Duet Piano Bench with compartment.

The above Ten Prizes will be awarded to the persons having the most artistic correct solutions to this war hero puzzle.



THERE ARE 12 FACES IN THIS PICTURE. FIND 8 OF THEM.
Directions: Trace the faces of the war heroes in the above picture on this or a separate sheet of paper, or any other material, and number them 1, 2, 3, etc. You must find at least 8 of them. To the 10 nearest correct artistic answers will be given absolutely free the ten prizes in the order named. Remember that neatness as well as correctness is taken into consideration by the Judges in making the awards. Winners will be notified by mail.
All answers must be in our hands before 6 p. m. Friday, August 17, 1917. Judges of this Contest will be representative business men of Bangor, and their decisions will be final. Only one answer from each family will be considered. Write your name and address plainly. Bring or mail all answers to

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1917.

OTHER DAYS, OTHER WAYS. "Who touches a hair of my gray head Dies like a dog, March on!" he said.

The resolution for submission to the states of a prohibition amendment to the federal constitution was adopted last Wednesday by the Senate.

Kerensky is marked as the man of destiny in Russia. To-day the eyes of the world are upon him. Can he succeed in the herculean task of bringing order out of the present Russian chaos?

At a recent meeting of the city government, the proposition was broached to discontinue the use of the present library building, and move the library to a room in Hancock hall.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

Our West Franklin correspondent reports receiving from the garden of Mrs. R. H. Williams recently a bouquet of crimson rambling roses, one cluster of which contained four roses each of a different color.

Frederick L. Smith, a summer resident of Castine, will succeed Richard M. Jones as headmaster of Penn Charter school at Philadelphia, the oldest preparatory school in America.

RAYSIDE.

Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Holt celebrated their golden wedding on July 22. It also was Capt. Holt's seventy-second birthday.

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A. Brownstein arrived home from New York Wednesday.

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Dr. Ball is at home for a visit.

DALTON.

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A CIVIL WAR DRAFT.

List of Ellsworth Men Drafted for Service in 1862.

- In these days of army draft, the following draft of Ellsworth men in the Civil War times will be of special interest. It is from a printed list preserved by H. Fremont Maddocks of North Ellsworth, and loaned by him to THE AMERICAN: Henry A M Joy Henry J McGown Sidney F Stockbridge Melvin McGowan Moses Cottle Chas J Ulmer Rufus W Clement Geo Boynton Daniel Donovan Winfield Macomber Francis A Macomber Joseph S Joy Willis C Stanley Ambrose Smith Sewall W Perkins Clifton Stover Benj F Davis Peter McGown, Jr Chas W Maddox Donald Weaver Mark W Furbush Edward A Flood Everard H Greely Ferdinand P Cousins Wm Dollard Wm B Peters Sewall T Royal Charles S Holt Benj H Aiken John Murch Lyman Stevens Alexis Treworky James V B Mitchell Albert Garland Nathaniel W Wood Horace H Emerson Arthur L Moor Arthur W Greely John O Kief Roscoe E Burleigh Edward Buckmore Sebastian Hanson Thomas Hunnewell Leroy Finson Aiden W Treworky James L Reynolds Chas H Pio Ransom Springer Jonathan D Robinson Sibley Moon Richard Kent Albion Pierce John B Mitchell Simon Fields Sterling Haynes Addison S Greely Frederick Frazier Geo S Smith Benj Giles, Jr Howe S Harden Nathaniel F Bowden Hiram F Hopkins Paris Webber James Conklin George Gilbert Henry A Coy Edward Macomber Geo A Orcutt Erastus Grant Eugene Hale Francis M Maddox Daniel G Meader Elisha F Baker Hoyt H Harden Benj F Simmons Nathan Sargent John Black, Jr Geo Fernald John F Alley Adams D Eastman Chas H Woodard Henry H Berry James L Barron Nahum Flood Justin S Thompson John B Floyd Horatio N Nevils John A Brown Ransome A Bonsey John D Whittaker Chas S Black Ephraim H Harden Geo F Denico Justin Thomas Edwin Franklin Eben N Stover Chas E Smith Chas Giles Joseph A Norris Calvin A Clark John W Tredek Calvin P Joy Frank Delatite Wm J Macomber James T Billings Wm P Hunnewell Sylvanus S Boynton Sewall G Harriman

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Maine Shipbuilders Interested in Two Bills in the House.

Maine shipbuilding and owning interests are much interested in a conference held here last week for the purpose of considering the water transportation situation.

One of the important matters considered was the two House bills which authorize the President to admit foreign vessels to the coastwise trade of America during the emergency period of the war.

Naturally there is opposition to the measure. Just how much this will develop is difficult to predict, but it is felt there will be certain modifications before either measure can possibly be reported out of committee or passed.

Shipping interests oppose the bill, first because they fear that once the restriction confining coastal traffic to ships of American registry is raised it will never be returned; second, that it will be putting a serious handicap upon them, for while they will be bound by the laws of this country as to size of crew required and manner of feeding and of wages, vessels of foreign neutrals would be subject to none of them, which would give an unfair advantage over the American-owned and operated ship.

The passage by the Senate of the national prohibitory amendment was not so much of a surprise as some seemed to regard it. There was a general idea it would go through the upper branch of Congress, and there is a decided sentiment that the House will place its O. K. upon the measure.

This will not come without a big fight. The liquor interests are strongly organized and are pulling every string and using every artifice possible to prevent a favorable vote in the House, if they cannot postpone action until the regular session in December.

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UNITARIAN FAIR.

Society Scores Another Success in Its Fourth Annual Fair.

The fourth annual fair of the Ellsworth Unitarian society at Hancock hall Wednesday and Thursday of last week, credit for another big success for this society, credit for which is due in no small part to Mrs. Myron King, chairman of the general committee, and the women of the society who so ably assisted her.

The fair partook of the patriotic this year, the hall decorations being of the national colors. The booths were effectively decorated, and offered an attractive variety of articles. Music throughout the fair, and for the dance which closed the last evening, was furnished by Higgins' orchestra.

Pleasant entertainments were presented each afternoon and evening. Wednesday afternoon's entertainment, under the management of Miss Erva Giles, consisted of the one-act comedy, "How the Story Grew," presented by eight characters.

Wednesday evening the original one-act fantasy, "Will o' the Wisp," written by an Ellsworth girl, Miss Doris Halman, was staged under her direction. This play, already well received in Boston and New York, was presented here by the following cast:

The White-faced Girl.....Cordelia Carlisle The Country Woman.....Sarah Fairbrother The Servant Maid.....Isabel Falvey The Post's Wife.....Doris Halman

The parts were all well taken, those who had seen previous presentations of it saying that the support given Miss Halman here was equal if not superior to that in Boston and New York. The play shows marked ability on the part of Miss Halman to arrange effective and original scenes and situations.

Thursday afternoon there were readings by Miss M. A. Greely and singing by Miss Erva Giles. Miss Giles has been studying vocal music in New York the past winter, and her many Ellsworth friends were pleased at this opportunity to hear her.

Thursday evening the operetta "Cinderella," staged under the direction of Rev. J. W. Tickle, proved one of the prettiest little pieces ever put on by Ellsworth young folks. Those in the cast were Louise Alexander, Doris Wardwell, Willis Moseley, Margaret Walker, Elizabeth Royal, Sylvia Grindie, Mattie Royal and Catherine Osgood. The acting of each was excellent, and all were heard in pleasing musical numbers.

DO YOU WANT TO FLY?

The United States Now Wants Men for the Aviation Corps.

The United States will require, to do its bit in the war, 25,000 men capable of flying the airplane, the hydroplane, and directing the movements of the "kite" or observation balloons.

The work of the aviator is well known, and the marvelous results of these air-speeders; the work accomplished by them as the eyes of the army is published from time to time in the dispatches from abroad. The fastest machines attain a speed of 140 miles per hour.

All aviators and balloon pilots become officers in the aviation section of the signal officers reserve corps of the army immediately upon graduating, being commissioned as first lieutenants with a base salary of \$2,000 annually, and additional compensation when in active service at home and abroad.

Men who have not been called for physical examination under the draft, and who have had a college education, may make application for a commission as first lieutenant in the aviation section of the signal officers reserve corps as aviators or balloon pilots, provided they are not under nineteen or over thirty years of age. While college men are preferred, applications from those who have graduated from high school and have exceptionally good qualifications will be considered. If the application is approved, the applicant will be notified to appear before a medical board for examination. If this is satisfactory, he is assigned to schools for training.

While at the schools soldiers' pay, rations, and sleeping accommodations are allowed, the officer's pay following graduation and assignment to duty as first lieutenant.

CENTER.

Mrs. Gladys Mayo, who has been employed at Northeast Harbor all summer, was called home last week by the sudden illness of her little daughter, Ina Aldene.

TED.

Miss Ola Campbell of Braintree, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice Butler.

T. E. D.

Mrs. Ralph Howland of Boston, is visiting her uncle, A. H. Clinkard.

SEAWALL.

Gilbert Cleveland was in town Sunday.

OLD ELLSWORTH SCHOOLS.

School Advantages (?) Enjoyed by the Early Settlers of this Vicinity.

The first schools, or, I might say, the first teaching in Ellsworth, was at the settlers' houses in the winter, keeping for two or three weeks at one house and then going to another. The lessons were primary, principally reading. As paper was very scarce, birch bark was used for writing and the first arithmetic lessons.

Some of the pupils came three miles to attend the schools, a few of them coming on snowshoes and carrying their lunch-boxes. The roads then were not much better than spotted lines, travelled in summer on horseback.

In after years we find some of these children of the first settlers, without the advantages of getting even a common school education, dependent on themselves at the age of fourteen or fifteen years, becoming men of note not only in business but in legislative and official life, holding positions of honor and trust.

At a school at Reed's brook, the outlet of Green lake, a bear came to the school one day. A young woman, or spinster, who was teaching in that place, and a number of the young pupils started one morning for school, which was kept in a small dwelling-house not occupied at that time.

As teacher and pupils came in sight of the school, a dog with them ran back and commenced barking excitedly. Looking back, they saw a large bear coming toward them. They ran screaming to the schoolhouse, the bear close behind them. They got into the house and shut the door just in time. The bear prowled about the house for a while, then went off and sat on his haunches on a stump nearby.

At noon teacher and pupils went up to the mill house, about half a mile, and stayed until afternoon. Then, concluding that the bear must have left the vicinity, they went back to the school. As they neared the house, out of the woods came the bear. The dog faced him, backing away as he approached, but keeping him occupied, while the teacher and pupils ran back to the mill house.

Mr. Moor, who was repairing the mill, was at the house when the frightened teacher and pupils arrived, and seizing his old revolutionary musket he went to the front. The bear had scented trouble, however, and had crossed the stream and struck for the highlands.

The old Bangor road ran northwest from Ellsworth, passing to the east of Branch pond. At that early period, about 1815, it was a mere logging road, running on spotted lines, travelled on horseback or on foot in summer. There was a number of settlers from the branch to the upper part of the pond. At that time a young spinster was teaching some of the children at one of the settlers' houses for a few weeks.

A girl, Rebecca Maddox, eleven years old, was sent to this house, not a long distance. It was the month of September. She loitered on the road, going into the bushes from time to time to pick berries. Turning from one of these little trips, to return to the road, she missed her direction, and went farther into the forest.

Hours passed. At noon, after resting, she started on, but could not find her way out. Night came, and barefooted, clad in a light dress, she sank to the ground, tired out, cold, helpless, alone in the almost boundless forest. In the morning, with torn dress and bleeding feet, she struggled desperately on, reaching the shore of Branch pond in the afternoon.

In the settlement the alarm was soon given, and the settlers turned out in search of the lost child. Two Indians were camping on the east shore of the pond, hunting. On the morning of the third day after the girl was lost, the Indians heard their dog, which had wandered off down the shore of the pond, barking excitedly. Going to him, they found him standing near a large rock, beside which lay the lost girl, terribly frightened at seeing the dog and more frightened when the Indians appeared. The Indians talked kindly to her, and took her to their camp, where she was fed and warmed. When she had recovered from her fright, and as her strength returned, they took her home. She had been in the woods two days and two nights, and there was rejoicing in the settlement when she returned.

Peter Nourse, the first settled minister in Ellsworth, built a house at a place on the Surry road, formerly owned by David Treworky, using it for a schoolhouse many years. He had pupils from Massachusetts and other places. He was a thorough and successful teacher of the higher branches, and frequent mention was made of him by his pupils in after years.

A military school was kept at a large farm about four miles from the center of the town, at a place called "The Craze," on the Bangor road. The principal was Charles Jarvis Whiting. Scholars came from all parts of the State. Among those who attended this school were Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain, afterwards governor of Maine, General Blunt of the Union army of the lower Mississippi, and several other noted men.

The old town-house on "Town-house hill," State street, was also used for a schoolhouse. Here some of the militia companies met for their May training, armed and equipped as the law required for inspection and drill.

This building was used for a schoolhouse until about 1834, when a schoolhouse was built on the corner where the Orrin Burnham store now stands. The first teacher for the winter term was Caleb Burbank, afterwards a noted lawyer, who held a number of public offices and was well known throughout the State. He was liked by his pupils.

The next teacher was Judge Parker Tuck, who also became a lawyer and judge of the probate court of Hancock county for several years. The next teacher was Elder Allen Barrows, a Baptist minister, very strict in teaching and in

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EAST LAMOINE.

Mrs. William Bennett, who has been visiting in Boston, is home.

Mrs. Riley and family of Bangor are at their summer cottage here.

Mrs. Etta Lancaster is at home for the remainder of the summer.

Ernest Gray and family of New York are at the Gilpatrick house for a few weeks.

Pearl Young and family and a party of friends from Stamford, Conn., are boarding with Mrs. Erastus Moore.

George Deslles and a friend of New York are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Deslles.

Mrs. Natalie Smith and two children, of Bangor, are visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary J. Deslles.

Miss Mary Deslles, who has spent her vacation with her parents, E. G. Deslles and wife, has returned to Providence, R. I.

Miss Alice Higgins, who is employed in Bangor, is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. J. Sherman Douglas.

Special Notices.

CAUTION NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given to all persons not a harbor or trust my wife, Anna L. Ferry, on my account, as I shall pay no bills contracted by her after this date.

CARD OF THANKS.

WE wish to express to our friends and neighbors our sincere thanks for kind messages, sympathy expressed and for the beautiful flowers sent us during our recent bereavement in the loss of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. SARAH L. GRINDAL AND FAMILY.

For Sale.

HOUSE and stable on Hancock street, (Simonsville), or stable will be sold separately to be removed. Inquire of JAMES MURPHY, 40 Pine St., Ellsworth.

1915 Indian two-speed twin motor.

HOUSE and furnishings of the late Capt. John A. Lord at 72 West Main street. Inquire on premises.

TWO HORSES, 650 and 1100 pounds respectively.

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Wanted.

100 MEN for U. S. Cartridge Co. Start job and advancement. No fees. Apply at L. P. CURRAN'S office, 50 Main St., Bangor, Me. Men employed here are exempt from war.

COMPANION—Widow lady with no family.

wishes middle-aged lady for companion and housekeeper. A good home for the right party. Apply at 40 Laurel St., Ellsworth.

Legal Notices.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. In the matter of ANDREW S. GRINDLE, Debtor. No. 217 N. D. Bankrupt.

THE ARMY DRAFT.

LOCAL EXEMPTION BOARD EXAMINES MANY REGISTRANTS.

ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF THOSE WHO PASS THE PHYSICAL EXAMINATION ASK FOR EXEMPTION.

These are busy days for the local exemption board at the Hancock county court house. Few districts in the country have a larger quota to fill than this. The board was given three days to examine 452 men.

George R. Fuller, Roland A. Flye and Dr. Lewis Hodgkins of the original board have been assisted in the work by Dr. Thomas S. Tapley of Tremont, Dr. R. G. Higgins of Bar Harbor and Dr. N. C. King of Ellsworth, with two clerks.

Monday, 150 men were summoned to appear for examination; Tuesday, 150, and today 152. In the first two days of the examinations 271 men were examined. Several who did not appear are already in the service, or have the necessary papers for examination elsewhere.

More than 50 per cent. of those examined, to be exact, 154, passed the physical examination, but of these about two-thirds, or 98, asked for exemption and 56 did not ask for exemption. Of those rejected on the physical examination, a great majority did not meet the requirements as to teeth.

Of those who did not ask for exemption, some will apply to the district board for exemption because of occupation, while of those who asked for exemption some will not obtain it. It is apparent, however, if the same ratio is maintained in the examination to-day, Hancock county will not secure its quota of 226 men from this first call of 452 men.

THE AMERICAN sees no reason for changing its first estimate that it will be necessary to call nearly all the first 1,000 men whose names were printed last week in order to secure Hancock county's quota. No authority for this further call has yet been received by the local exemption board, and the call probably will not be sent out until the exemption claims are passed upon.

The first number drawn, 258, showed up Monday in the person of Harry Earle Sawyer of West Brooksville. He proved worthy the honor place he held in the list, passing a good physical examination and showing the right spirit. He asked no exemption, and as he left the room after the examination he said: "Boys, if you hear of the Kaiser being shot, remember, that's me!" Mr. Sawyer is twenty-four years old, a native of Castine, now employed as a farmer in West Brooksville. He is unmarried. He is evidently made of the stuff that will make the American army unpopular with the Germans.

Following is a complete record of those examined Monday and Tuesday:

PASSED.

- 1323 Elwyn B Tracy, W Hancock
1572 Austin W Heath, W Penobscot
1296 Murch S Sullivan, South Gouldsboro
1237 Carroll T. Newman, Prospect Harbor
1294 Calvin LaF Stinson, Prospect Harbor
1178 Francis W Robbins, Franklin
1066 Arthur M O'Kief, Ellsworth
1763 Alexander M Ward, Southwest Harbor
892 Hollis F Coffron, Bar Harbor
2196 Vasco E Carter, Bucksport
2922 Lester D Kent, Swan's Island
1878 Rodney Stinson, Stonington
1779 Harry N. Buckmaster, Stonington
1955 Milton R Urann, E Sullivan
1484 Avery E Bowden, Orland
1751 Raymond P Somes, Southwest Harbor
602 Fred Robbins, Deer Isle
1099 Bernard A Small, Ellsworth, R F D No 3
1651 Roy H Grindle, Sargentville
1771 Harris C Austin, Stonington
1322 Arthur C Thorsen, W Hancock
1705 Clyde S Gott, Southwest Harbor
536 Alma Eaton, Little Deer Isle
1858 Raymond T T Pitts, Stonington
43 Oras P Carter, So Bluehill
783 Lewis D Hollis, Bar Harbor
868 William G Quinn, Bar Harbor
126 Ralph F Townsend, Bluehill
258 Harry E Sawyer, W Brooksville
486 Walter H Gray, E Holden, R 2
1748 Arthur L Robinson, Southwest Harbor
330 Andrew J Watson, Bucksport
1476 Ray E Young, Otter Creek
379 Roy E Smith, Bucksport
652 Howard H Wilbur, Eastbrook
2225 Ira G Stover, Winter Harbor
1611 Robert G Astbury, Sedgwick
350 Adelbert Leach, Bucksport
2100 Alden A Kelley, W Tremont
15 Ivory G Kemp, Aurora
1305 Orville S Martin, Hancock
1275 Philip M Workman, Prospect Harbor
1966 Victor I Anderson, Surry
882 John P Ryan, Bar Harbor
2289 Nelson S Mitchell, Bar Harbor
1432 Ralph A Moore, Northeast Harbor
981 Leonard H Danco, Ellsworth Falls
355 Willis D Moore, Bucksport
726 Arthur A Gabrielson, Bar Harbor
982 Parker C Davis, Ellsworth Falls
335 Harry W Harriman, Bucksport
360 Lester S Perkins, Bucksport
2102 Lawrence E Kelly, McKinley
2078 Edwin Farley, Bernard

EXEMPTION CLAIMED BECAUSE IN NAVAL OR MILITARY SERVICE.

- 927 Chester A Wescott, Bar Harbor
1045 Philip D Mason, Ellsworth
1142 Allan M Butler, Franklin
711 Lewis A Eaden, Bar Harbor
(Application for military service pending)
1067 Arthur H Parcher, Ellsworth

EXEMPTION ASKED BECAUSE EMPLOYED IN MAIL SERVICE.

- 18 Fay B Mills, Aurora

EXEMPT AS ALIENS.

- 2230 Herman L Anderson, Frenchboro
488 Joseph Hurns, Green Lake
487 John Ha vanamer, Green Lake

REJECTED.

- 2247 Frederick T Williams, Great Pond
1546 Walter Cuthbertson, Lakewood, R F D 1
600 James O Quinn, E gle 1 Me
1536 Edwin W Stover, Oland
2036 Rappia D Smith, Swan's Island
822 Frederick C Lyman, Bar Harbor
373 Harold E Saunders, Bucksport
616 Henry Smith, Deer Isle
1495 Franklin B Cunningham, Orland
945 Antonio L Bernardini, Ellsworth
754 Myrton E Hollis, Bar Harbor
837 Patrick McLaughlin, Bar Harbor
1267 Fay L Tracy, Gouldsboro
1539 Ivy A Varnum, Orland
492 Robert A Spurling, Castine
604 Horace E Robbins, Sunshine
1179 Herbert E. Robbins, Franklin
1329 Langdon L Hodgkins, Lamoine
2195 Walter D Lake, Waltham
337 Ora C Heath, Bucksport
1103 Russell J Smith, Ellsworth Falls
1818 Shirley B Gross, Stonington
1419 Alfred M Lampher, Mt Desert
1005 Fred A Shea, Ellsworth
1723 David W. Malanson, Southwest Harbor
140 Harold E Bracy, Brooklin
1686 Peter T Benson, Southwest Harbor
182 William Ray, Brooklin
2099 Ernest C Joyce, W Tremont
1913 Harold D Hanna, East Sullivan
1436 Guy D Fervear, Northeast Harbor
1782 Harry W Sprague, Southwest Harbor
514 Harry W Bray, Deer Isle

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686 Frank E Carpenter, Hull's Cove
591 John Wells, Bucksport

PASSED, EXEMPTION ASKED BECAUSE OF DEPENDENTS.

- 1286 Eugene C L Myrick, So Gouldsboro
1282 Willis W Young, Gouldsboro
1922 Knowlton L Hodgkins, N Sullivan
797 Henry O Keene, Bar Harbor
1848 Roland S Salisbury, Lakewood, R F D 1
1014 Sherley L Gray, Ellsworth
2181 Elwin E Trowory, Bucksport
309 Raymond F Cushing, Bucksport
507 Ralph K Barter, Sunshine
2283 Warren H Higgins, Frenchboro
2006 Freeman P Bridges, Swan's Island
2012 Fred W Demarest, Swan's Island
2047 Harry A Stockbridge, Swan's Island
2031 Daniel J Cole, Jr, S van's Island
2014 Alvah C Smith, Swan's Island
676 C B A Bryant, Bar Harbor
2055 Elmer C Withee, Swan's Island
1866 Reuben C Osgood, Surry
1891 Lawrence H Webber, Stonington
548 Parker L Eaton, Deer Isle
785 Linwood C Haraden, Bar Harbor
2148 Howard B Davis, Trenton
772 Asa H Hodgkins, Bar Harbor
810 Clarence L Leonard, Bar Harbor
1146 Jotham S Buzzell, Franklin
75 Parker L Gray, Bluehill
107 Russell L Parker, Bluehill
406 Merle H Connor, Castine
1331 Charles M Martin, Lamoine
513 Eddie L Bray, Deer Isle
1455 Ernest G Stanley, Northeast Harbor
458 William J Faulkner, Islesford
1732 Emery E. Norwood, Southwest Harbor
1389 Lester D Burr, Northeast Harbor
1682 Morris R Beal, Southwest Harbor
2066 Fred A Bickford, McKinley
1020 George H Harriman, Ellsworth
601 Edgar W Rice, Deer Isle
696 Allen R Robbins, Deer Isle
1636 Lester B Grant, Sedgwick
786 Pearly P Hooper, Bar Harbor
1456 George G. Stanley, Otter Creek, Mt Desert

- 332 Carl J Hanson, Bucksport
542 Eugene S Eaton, Deer Isle
509 Harry M Beck, Deer Isle
841 Allen A Mitchell, Bar Harbor
1338 John G Bagley, Seal Harbor
356 Frederick B Norris, Bucksport
11 Hollis E Salisbury, Amherst
1688 Lowell A Bickford, Southwest Harbor
1294 Edward J Gott, Hancock
1906 George I Freeman, E Sullivan
31 Walter R Bisset, Bluehill
1470 William H Walls, Northeast Harbor
1114 Arthur C Tilden, Ellsworth
1334 Forrest M Richardson, Lamoine
1531 Frank F Soper, Orland
343 Chester L Hutchins, Bucksport
1324 Eben H Wilbur, Marlboro
1366 Harris W Bunker, Northeast Harbor
1276 Alton E Young, Gouldsboro
900 George H Soper, Bar Harbor
620 Willis T Snowden, Sunset
2231 Milton Dalzell, Frenchboro
805 August M Leland, Salisbury Cove
2128 Schuyler M Rumill, W Tremont
1657 Lionel Howard, Sedgwick
1543 Lee G York, Orland
1705 Leslie F White, Southwest Harbor
1314 Bert M Reed, Hancock
1141 James M Bunker, Franklin
2116 Harry Newman, Tremont
1132 Owen Young, Ellsworth Falls
637 Ernest H Abbott, Eastbrook, R F D 1
741 Fred Gray, Bar Harbor
2024 Carl C Lawson, Swan's Island
970 Irving L Closson, Ellsworth, R F D 1
1873 Alfred A Stanley, Stonington
870 Archie Reynolds, Bar Harbor
1300 Clyde S Jordan, Hancock
525 Emery F Canary, Sunshine
320 Walter B Fogg, Bucksport
560 Sherman E Eaton, Little Deer Isle
677 Louis R Burton, Bar Harbor
288 Charles E Cole, Bucksport
933 Harold P Whitmore, Bar Harbor
2135 Rufus W Smith, Bernard
645 Walter A Gogins, Eastbrook
549 Percy H Eaton, Little Deer Isle
530 John A Douglass, Little Deer Isle
1288 Samuel A Dow, W Hancock
2132 Frank G Seavey, Bernard

DISTRICT EXEMPTION BOARD.

The following announcement is made by the district exemption board for this district of its position in regard to claims for exemption for individual and agricultural reasons: A man claiming a discharge on account of being engaged in an industrial or agricultural enterprise, must present such claim in writing, and must allege and prove to the satisfaction of the board that he is engaged in an industry found to be necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment, or the effective operation of the military forces, or the maintenance of the national interest during the emergency.

And also "that his continuance in the industry is necessary to the maintenance thereof, and that he cannot be replaced by another person without direct substantial material loss and detriment to the adequate and effective operation of the particular industrial enterprise or particular agricultural enterprise in which he is engaged."

To prove these facts, there should be at least two affidavits in each case by disinterested parties. Such affidavits should not merely state conclusions or opinions; but should set forth the facts in detail showing the reason why such continuance is necessary and why the claimant cannot be replaced, etc.

In determining these questions of discharge, the board can, under the law, consider only the interests of the country, and not that of the claimant, his family, his employer, or the community. The test which the board is required to apply is this: Can the claimant serve his country better by continuing in his employment, or by entering the military service?

This question can be answered by the board intelligently, only when it is in possession of all the facts. Affidavits should be sent in without delay.

L. R. DEAST, Chairman.

All Postal Employees Not Exempt.

A ruling issued Friday by the postoffice department shows that department officials will make few requests for exemption of postal employes from military service. Postmasters are instructed not to ask for exemption for carriers or laborers, or for clerks in second-class offices below the \$1,000 grade, clerks in first-class offices below the \$1,100 grade, or any above the grades unless they are qualified distributors of mail.

Special Exemption Agent.

Governor Milliken on Saturday announced the appointment of special exemption agents who shall act in cases of appeal from the decision of the local boards of exemption. Charles H. Wood of Bar Harbor was named for Hancock county.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

A public meeting will be held at the lower hall in the Odd Fellows building Sunday evening, Aug. 12, at 7.45 o'clock, to consider the most important question now before the American people, "How best to bring the war to a righteous end."

Frank W. Garrison will preside and introduce the subject, and Rev. C. F. Dole will speak.

430 Horace M Leach, Castine
433 Mial L Perkins, Castine
432 Fred C Parkins, Castine
739 Thomas W Graves, Bar Harbor
1549 Charles L Babson, South Penobscot
1813 Forrest W Gross, Stonington
194 William E. Young, Brooklin
584 George Hardy, Little Deer Isle
854 Nell A Nelson, Bar Harbor
1117 Warren A Trask, Ellsworth
1185 James B Swan, Franklin
280 Lorenzo H Blaisdell, Bucksport
1392 Archie G Gatoomb, Hancock
968 Elmer L DeWitt, Ellsworth
787 Maurice G Harden, Bar Harbor
986 Charles E Chapman, Ellsworth
1560 Mervin W Clement, W Penobscot
2090 Glendon L Harper, Seal Cove
2187 William Conary, Bucksport
924 Walter A Weaver, Bar Harbor
1287 Harold L Dow, Hancock
1077 Dallas J Hodgkins, Eden
1005 Albert G Garland, Ellsworth
1217 Kenneth J Foss, Gouldsboro
1354 Rodney L Salisbury, Mariaville
1784 John P Ward, Southwest Harbor
1016 Cecil N Grindle, Ellsworth Falls
704 Patrick Duffy, Bar Harbor
923 Ralph A Walls, Bar Harbor
1032 Earle H Jordan, Ellsworth
54 Harold G Conary, E Bluehill
5 Ralph S Goodwin, Amherst
153 Claud L Reed, Brooklin
1211 Raymond E Dunbar, Corea
1574 Rankin I Howland, S Penobscot
1417 Ralph L Kief, Seal Harbor
2017 Clarence M Hennigar, Swan's Island
1789 George L Arey, Stonington
809 Ralph M Leighton, Bar Harbor
574 William T Haskell, Sunshine
905 Seldon Strout, Hull's Cove
1613 Albert F Billings, Sargentville
2124 Nathan H Richardson, Tremont
972 John Colson, Ellsworth Falls
2234 Benjamin S Lunt, Frenchboro
638 Harold Butler, Eastbrook
1791 Ralph L Cook, Stonington
72 Levi B T Gillis, Bluehill
493 George D Maynard, E Holden
789 Donald A Cameron, Bar Harbor
1148 Carroll B Clarke, W Franklin
1617 Henry C Carter, N Sedgwick
56 Leon O Cooper, Bluehill
792 Harry C Johnston, Bar Harbor
1714 Walter F Joy, Southwest Harbor
1051 John A McGown, Ellsworth
2119 Elmer D Reed, W Tremont
1509 Frank P Gross, Orland
780 Mark S Harris, Bar Harbor
749 Daniel M Hamilton, Bar Harbor
1888 Elwood A Sawyer, Stonington
1570 Winfield D Grindle, Penobscot
770 Rodney D Hight, Bar Harbor
1894 Mortimer R Wood, Stonington
1727 John L Mayo, Southwest Harbor
1843 Stephen A McDonald, Stonington
215 Harold L Farnham, W Brooksville
2209 Frank L Gerrish, Winter Harbor
452 Ralph P Bulger, Cranberry Isles
675 Ernest N Brewer, Bar Harbor
2008 Patrick Burk, Conception Bay, Newfoundland
1845 Timothy F Merithew, Stonington
1709 Osmond E Harper, Southwest Harbor
571 James A Haskell, Deer Isle
2107 George M. Loring, McKinley
353 Perry H Lowell, Bucksport
1485 Charlie A Bowden, Orland
341 Howard R Houston, Bucksport
1981 Herbert C Lord, Surry
1191 Fred N Williams, Franklin
1580 Earl R Leach, Penobscot

THUNDER AND LIGHTNING.

Much Damage Done by Storms in Hancock County.

Hancock county was visited Monday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week by a series of the most severe electrical storms ever remembered here. From all parts of the county come reports of damage. While some sections escaped the full fury of one storm or another, no section seems to have escaped entirely. The storm Wednesday was the most severe in Ellsworth, while that of Thursday was the most severe in the western and southern sections of the county.

The power station of the Bar Harbor & Union River Power Co. at Ellsworth was a lively place during all the storms, lightning entering on the wires many times, but the powerful lightning arresters prevented serious damage. The Vezie, Bar Harbor and Bluehill lines were put out of commission entirely, and the local power and light service was also badly disrupted. The company did splendid work in restoring service. The telephone and telegraph lines also had much trouble.

During Wednesday evening's storm in Ellsworth, lightning struck the house of Miss Arvilla Thomas on Bridge hill. The lightning entered under the eaves, passed down between the clapboards and inner walls to the sill, where it followed the sink spout out of the house and plowed a trench in the ground. The house was considerably damaged, but did not catch fire.

Miss Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Joy, and Miss Elizabeth Jellison, who were in the house, were not injured. The same bolt struck an electric light pole near the house.

A tree on Laurel street was struck during the same shower, and a cow owned by Josiah Tinker of Tinker's hill was struck and killed. The cow was standing close to the barn, but the building was not struck.

At West Ellsworth one of the barns on the James Carter place, owned by H. P. Carter, was struck and set on fire. The fire spread to an adjoining barn, and both buildings were burned, with contents. The loss is about \$500.

At North Ellsworth lightning struck the house of Mrs. Charlotte Tripp, damaging it considerably.

At Bucksport Wednesday night the residence of Mrs. Mark Gray on Main street, occupied by Mrs. Gray and Robert Delano and family, was struck. Mrs. Delano received a severe shock. The damage to the house was slight.

At Seal Cove in Monday evening's storm the house of Capt. L. W. Stewart was struck and set on fire, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done. At the same place, during Thursday evening's storm, lightning struck the stable of Herbert L. Sawyer, which was burned to the ground. Seth Harper, a neighbor, succeeded in getting out Mr. Sawyer's two horses, but two valuable cows and a calf were burned, with a road wagon, harness, farming tools and fifteen tons of hay. Mr. Sawyer, in trying to save his cows, was nearly overcome by smoke. The loss is estimated at \$1,500, with no insurance.

At West Eden Thursday evening the house of A. L. Richardson was struck. The oldest inhabitants of Town Hill say they never remember such a severe storm, and that this is the first house ever struck by lightning there. During the same shower a telephone pole on the Indian Point road was struck. Lightning entered the house of C. M. Rich on the light wires, burning out several bulbs.

At Stonington the houses of Capt. George Welch and Levi Webb and the cottage of Homer Long at West Stonington, were struck. The latter was badly damaged, but the damage to the other two houses was slight.

At Sunset the house of Maurice Gray was struck, and Mr. Gray received a severe shock. A tree in front of the house of William Powers was struck. The storm here was accompanied by large hail stones that broke several windows.

At North Bluehill Thursday night lightning struck the barn of Charles Dalquest, killing a valuable young bull.

At North Lamoine one of James Christie's chicken coops was struck and twenty-five chickens were killed.

At Gouldsboro the barn of John Perry was struck by lightning Wednesday evening, and burned. Thursday a large pine a few rods from John Tracy's house was splintered by lightning.

At the Falls district, Hancock, lightning Thursday struck the house of George E. Moon, going down the chimney, and breaking the stove in the living-room. Aside from a slight shock to members of the family who were in the room, no other damage was done.

At Winter Harbor the house of William Mack was struck and quite badly damaged by fire. The bolt struck the chimney, followed the roof and side of the house to the ground ripping off shingles and boards. Part of the furniture was taken from the house. The building was pretty thoroughly drenched in extinguishing the fire.

"The Old Peabody Pew." "The Old Peabody Pew," written by Kate Douglas Wiggin, will be given Thursday evening, in the Congregational church, at 8 o'clock. The cast of characters is as follows:

The Carpet Committee of the Edgewood Dorcas Society, Mrs. Baxter, the minister's wife, Miss Elizabeth Sibley Mrs. Burbank, president of the Dorcas society, Miss Alma Sibley Mrs. Miller, wife of Deacon Miller, the sexton, Miss Agnes Lord Mrs. Sargent, a village historian, Miss Martha Milliken The Widow Buzzell, willing to take another risk, Miss Constance Purdy Miss Lobelia Brewster, who is no lover of men, Miss Hazel Giles Miss Maria Sharp, quick of speech, round of heart, Mrs. Nellie Cornellie Miss Mary Wentworth, who has waited ten years for her romance Mrs. Harry L Crabtree Justin Peabody, only living claimant to the Old Peabody Pew, Harry L Crabtree

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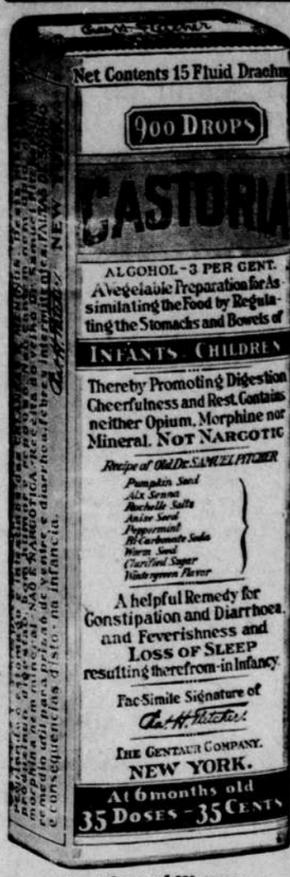
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One Man Wrapped Himself With Layers of Bacon—Women Had Their Hats Filled With Sausages—Children Got Much Food For Themselves, but Also Gave Away Information.

There was a jubilee feast at a little town on the border between Holland and Germany the other day. A woman gave it. She invited large numbers of her friends and neighbors and all toasted and applauded her. What was the reason for the jubilee? you ask. She had just smuggled her fortieth package across the border into Germany.

Strange events such as this occur daily in Holland. Smuggling is rife. So general has it become that fear neither of the law nor of the church can stop many persons living on the border from taking advantage of the need for supplies in Germany. Even men who have been selected to put an end to it take a hand in it themselves, and sometimes even the military men who are sent to re-enforce the civilian customs officers cannot resist the temptation of making extra gains that often amount to \$35 and \$40 a week.

In the frontier districts no stigma attaches to fines or imprisonment imposed for smuggling. Public opinion in the districts farther inland expresses itself as concerned for the morality of the frontier dwellers.

Appeal Made to Churches.

The churches have been appealed to to assist in suppressing smuggling. The Netherlands Reformed church in one town answered the appeal by taking a severe attitude toward the smugglers. It threatened to keep every confirmed smuggler from the holy communion so long as he or she continued in this trade.

Some of the smugglers—those of the lowest order—are so little used to having money that they don't know how to spend it, and therefore generally do so in a way detrimental to themselves and to the community. Drinking and fighting are the order of the day with them. Often they cannot even get rid of their money quickly enough.

Instances are known in which they literally consumed paper money as sandwiches, spreading it between two slices of bread and butter. Also they have lighted their pipes with 40 or 60 florin bills (\$16 to \$24). Such men's children often suffer want and fall to the care of the community when the father is down on his luck.

Others provide well for their homes, and pianos, talking machines and other luxuries are now to be found in the most unlikely looking tumble-down cottages, and the women and children are clad like Solomon in all his glory.

The Germans also do a lot of smuggling. Large numbers of them come into Holland to eat, and upon returning home they generally take a little something for their families. The other day a party of German women, all well dressed and wearing large hats, was interviewed in the waiting room of a railway station on the border by Dutch customs officials. The women declared they had nothing with them. They were politely invited to take off their hats, and when assisted in this act by some Dutch women detectives it soon appeared that each lady had used a certain number of sausages as pads over which to do her hair. One even had concealed a whole pound of tea amid the sausage and hair coils.

Bringing Home the Bacon.

Another case was that of a polite traveler whose politeness caused him to be suspected. Every stitch of clothing was removed from his person before the contraband was exposed. It was bacon, artistically cut in the very shape of his body and laid on and securely fastened all over it by leather thongs. Much diminished in bulk, he was allowed to proceed on his journey, and there was mourning in one German home at least for the loss of this appetizing food.

It has become customary in frontier places for bands of forty or fifty German school boys and girls to come into Holland to get what food they may. It is extremely difficult to get rid of them, for when the Dutch frontier guard takes them back to Germany at one place they slip back at another. The only way to get rid of them is to question them about conditions on their side, and when this has been done for some time the German guard sees to it that they don't return for fear they will give too much information to neutrals or enemies.

Near Maastricht a secret subterranean passage has just again been discovered in St. Peter's mount, which led straight into Belgium. This must have been used for months, and immense quantities must have been smuggled through it. Now it has been blown up by the Dutch military, but as there are some 10,000 passages in St. Peter's it is quite likely some of these may still lead to Belgium and be known to smugglers. The secret passages in former times offered a shelter to Dutch refugees in the Spanish and French wars and to Belgians in this war, so that such a drastic way of closing up the mountains would be deplored by every one.

KAISER BILL

Tune—"Baby Mine."
I've a word for you alone,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
Quite unpleasant, you must own,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
But this truth will never dawn—
Hear it ring from town to town—
You must lose your royal crown,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
You must lose your royal crown,
Kaiser Bill.

You've insulted all mankind,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
With your autocratic mind,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
By the use of submarine
You've displayed a state more mean
Than the devil's darkest scene,
Kaiser Bill.

You will surely have to go,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
Uncle Sam decrees it so,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
Every treaty you have made
Has been broken by your blade,
Thus your house will low be laid,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
Thus your house will low be laid,
Kaiser Bill.

Then Great Germany will rise,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
In her honor to the skies,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
For democracy must be
Decked with laurels fair to see
And the whole world will agree,
Kaiser Bill, Kaiser Bill;
And the whole world will agree,
Kaiser Bill.

—Abram Dale Gash in Chicago Tribune.

U BOAT CAPTAIN AN OLD FRIEND OF VICTIM

"I'm Sorry I Must Sink Your Ship," He Said—Personal Belongings Saved.

Because of the high mortality among German submarine commanders the German admiralty has been compelled to impress former captains of German merchantmen into the U boat service. British skippers along the Brooklyn water front who have been "torpedoed out" of vessels within the last few weeks report that they are meeting former acquaintances with increasing frequency in command of submarines.

One such meeting led to the first recorded case during the "ruthless" blockade of genuine solicitude on the part of the U boat commander for the welfare of his victim. For obvious reasons the name of the ship and the British skipper concerned cannot be mentioned, but it can be said that both the ship and its master were well known in the Atlantic trade and along the Brooklyn water front.

The U boat had, as usual, signaled the British crew to abandon ship and row to the side of the submarine. The captain obeyed instructions under cover of the German gun. When he clambered on the submarine's deck and handed his papers up to the commanding officer their eyes met.

There was a flash of recognition, and both men stood in open mouthed astonishment. They were old acquaintances and had had many a friendly glass together in Brooklyn, Liverpool and Hamburg before the war. The German was the first to recover himself.

"Why, hello, —," he said in English and reached out his hand. "I'm sorry to see you here." The British skipper said he was sorry to be there and inquired after the health of the German officer's family. Both for a moment forgot that they were enemies.

"I'm sorry, —, but I've got to sink your ship," the German said finally. "But I'll tell you what I'll do. It's against all regulations, but you go back and get your personal belongings and those of your men and stand by while I sink the ship, and I'll give you a tow part way to shore."

The German was as good as his word. He gave the Britishers time to get back on board their vessel and sling their luggage into the boats. Then they rowed to one side and waited. A few shots from the U boat's deck gun sent the vessel down.

BURBANK MAKES NEW FIND.

Yield of Wheat Will Be Increased by "Plant Wizard's" Discovery.

The development of a variety of wheat which will yield five times as much to the acre as the average of wheat production throughout the United States is announced by Luther Burbank, the "plant wizard" of Santa Rosa, according to a dispatch to the Sacramento Bee.

Burbank's announcement of the success of his experiment comes ten years after he began work on wheat and at a time when wheat may be the biggest factor in winning or losing the world war.

CANNED FUN FOR FOOD CAMPAIGN

Good Advice in Humorous Ditties From Washington.

PRODUCTION'S BIG INCREASE

In All Sections of the United States the Response to Appeals For More Food This Year Has Been Gratifying. Verses Issued by National Emergency Food Garden Commission.

Much has been written about gardening, canning and drying of fruits and vegetables in recent weeks. This has had a most beneficial effect, as shown by recent government reports, which indicate a tremendous gain in the production of foodstuffs in every section of the country. The National Emergency Food Garden Commission recently issued the following verses, which, in a lighter vein, urge the planting and canning of vegetables:

There was a great can in Berlin
Whose subjects were all growing thin.
In good English he said,
"Daily winter I dread
Because we have nothing to tin."

The young folks of Lakewood, N. J.,
Said: "We will make gardening pay.
We'll stick to the work,
We won't dodge it or shirk,
For this isn't work—this is play."

A maiden who lived in St. Joe
Wrote east to her Washington beau,
"I can't be there in June,
It is really too soon,
For I'm busy with dad's westward hue."

A charming young bud named Marie
Wrote to Mrs. von Stuyvesant Lee,
"I'm begging your pardon,
But I'm working my garden,
And can't get away for your tea."

Said Miss Gladys Clarissa McTanner:
"I've abandoned my player planner.
Art is all very good,
But it won't supply food,
So I'm playing my tunes on my canner."

Mrs. Sadleigh has given up sighing
At the cost of the food she's been buying.
For she's got 'em all beat
On the good things to eat
Since she's taken to canning and drying.

High diddle diddle, this life is a riddle,
For prices have jumped o'er the moon,
But plant a food garden on some vacant lot
And prices will tumble down soon.

Rock-a-baby by in the tree top,
Father is hoeing his home garden crop.
Soon he will harvest enough for us all
And high cost of living will have a bad fall.

If old Mother Hubbard should go to the cupboard
She'd find all the food she'd desire,
For stored away there is foodstuff to spare,
The product of canner and drier.

Old King Food in his merriest mood,
Set a-watching his garden plot.
He counted his beans, and he reckoned his beans
And he said: "Will we starve? We will not."

Mary, Mary, no longer contrary,
Has made a home garden grow
With turnips and beans to feed the marines
And the soldiers and sailors, you know.

President Pack, come blow our horn,
Our allies are calling for wheat and corn.
Set the nation to work to grow turnips and squash
And we'll feed the whole world with our food, by gosh!

Pat-a-cake, pat-a-cake, baker's man,
Look at the things we're going to can,
Can 'em and dry 'em and store 'em away
To give us our food for the cold winter's day.

Dickery, dickery, dock,
The back yards in our block
Are full enough of garden stuff,
Our pantry shelves to stock.

"A dollar, a dollar, a ten o'clock scholar,
Why do you come so late?"
"I've stayed at home to dig the weeds.
This gardening stunt is great."

Taffy was a Welshman, Taffy was a thief,
Taffy will not work, so he must come to grief.
The neighbors planted seeds in their yards
And raised 'em up and raised 'em up.

And spent the summer raising things on thrifty garden plots,
They're canning 'em and drying 'em and storing 'em away.
If Taffy cannot steal 'em he'll have grocer's bills to pay.

There was an old man and he had a wooden leg
And he couldn't steal a ride, not a ride could he beg,
So he bought a back yard and he planted some beans
And raised enough cash to buy a dozen machines.

NOW IT IS "LIBERTY BREAD."

Loaf of Flour Substitute to Have New Name Given It.

"Liberty bread" is the term to be encouraged by the food administration, as applied to loaves made of substitutes for wheat flour, rather than the phrase "war bread," used in other war-ringing countries.

"The name 'war bread' gives the impression that there is something inferior about the breads made of substitutes for wheat," says an announcement. "The fact is that breads made from wheat substitutes are healthful and just as tasty as those made from wheat." Use of substitutes will be encouraged at the food training camps to be held in connection with the fairs and expositions in the near future.

COUNTY NEWS

PROSPECT HARBOR.

Yes! Summer's here in old New York, it speaks in shrub and tree, and the roses in our Prospect Park are glorious to see; The Vase of Cashmere just beyond is framed in laurel gay.

While in the near-by lily pond, the gleaming gold fish play, The meadow in the sunlight rolls out an emerald plain; Yet—how I miss the daisy fields like we have up in Maine.

I can hear the robin singing in the friendly maple tree While the west wind stirs the birches with a brooding mystery; The air is fragrant with the sweet of clover red and white, And in the blue dome overhead, the clouds float soft and light.

The sun-kissed waves are—gliding to the shore the glad refrain That there's rest for all the weary in a summer up in Maine.

The friends I've known since childhood—dear souls so staunch and true, Their cordial, hearty greetings remains the whole year through, For their faces light with welcome when they clasp my hand and say: "We're glad to see you back again, how long you going to stay?"

Not given much to flattery—just every-day and plain But genuine, gold unalloyed—they're that way up in Maine.

There's "Ma" Cole and there's "Pa" Cole, "Uncle Sammy," Len and Bess, Mr. Cleaves and Captain Deasy—can't begin to name the rest— As well as all the blessed kinkof who after "How'd'ye-do"

Say, "When'll you come to our house—we expect a visit too." And if you're fagged and under weight, you'll soon begin to gain From the chowder, pies and cookies which they give you up in Maine.

Such memories sweep o'er me—the sweet-brier on the hill, Near the little country churchyard where my loved ones lie so still, Is waiting me a message mingled with the fern and pine, Which breathes,—"Although you've wandered at heart you're always mine."

And oh! the longing in my soul, that's close akin to pain, For that spot called Prospect Harbor on the coast of dear old Maine. —Grace Thompson Moore, Brooklyn, N. Y., June 23, 1917.

James Gillanders was in Bar Harbor on Sunday. Mrs. Allison Colwell and children of Hancock were recent guests of relatives here. Mrs. Edward Preble of Boston has returned home, after a visit here with relative.

Harry Hill and wife, with their daughter, Miss Leonice, spent Sunday at the lighthouse. Oliver Crosby and wife of St. Paul, Minn., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ernest T. Paine.

Mrs. Bronson and children spent Saturday in Bar Harbor, and made the trip up Green Mountain. Rev. C. E. Bronson of Philadelphia who is summering here, went to Portsmouth, N. H., Sunday to preach.

Mrs. E. C. Cole and son and Mrs. Emma Stanley and daughter were guests of relatives in the Pond district on Sunday. The ladies met with Mrs. George W. Allen Friday for war relief work. Owing to the rainstorm, not so many attended as usual.

E. H. Kingston and wife have concluded their vacation with the Bruces, and left Monday for their home in Melrose, Mass. Aug. 6.

FRANKLIN. Mrs. Harry Havey is visiting in Swan's Island. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Blaisdell of Newport are in town. Miss Fannie Crook of Bangor is spending a few days with Mrs. George U. Dyer.

Mrs. Charles Harden of Boston is visiting at the home of Benjamin Crossley and wife. Mrs. Dallas Tracey and Miss Genetta Bradton were visitors at Knoll Top last week. Miss Elizabeth Worcester of Boston was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. William Havey.

Mrs. Hilda Blaisdell, training at the Massachusetts general hospital, is home for two weeks. Rev. C. W. Lowell and wife were in Bucksport and East Corinth last week, on business and pleasure. Miss Hattie Burnell of Glen, N. H., and Miss Beatrice Applin of Bangor are guests of Miss Gertrude Bradton. Vernon Billings, who recently fell from his bicycle while coasting down hill and fractured a rib, is out and doing well. Mr. and Mrs. John Mackintosh and family, of Bangor, were week-end guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Bradton. Henry W. Sargent of Springfield, Mass., has joined his wife and baby here. They are occupying the house of Elbridge Perkins on Mill road. Mrs. L. C. Bradton, with Mr. Hillgrove, motored to Rockport where they met Mrs. Hillgrove and young son, who returned with them Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Macomber of Seal Harbor, who were week-end guests at Knoll Top, took home some good specimens of Georges Pond fish. Miss Charlotte Havey's birthday party during one of the recent thunder showers proceeded according to schedule, and was a very pleasant event, despite the intimidating elements. It is gratifying to friends of Miss Cassie Springer, who has just returned from a stay of six years in California, to learn that she will occupy the homestead, and that her sister, Mrs. Perry, will move there from Bar Harbor. Aug. 6.

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COUNTY NEWS

EASTBROOK.

The date for the annual Greenwood grange fair has been set for October 10, in the grange hall at Eastbrook. The committee composed of Leonard Butler, chairman, Lyman Wilbur, Bessie Wilbur and Bertha Butler, is fast completing arrangements. There will be a general agricultural exhibit, including stock and produce, a boys' and girls' club exhibit and contest, and a fancy work exhibit. There will be a base-ball game in the afternoon and dancing all day and evening. Dinner, supper and midnight supper will be served. From the interest already aroused, the success of the fair is assured. Aug. 6.

WALTHAM.

Mrs. O. L. Martin of Waltham, Mass., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Cora Kingman of Eastbrook is with Mrs. Sarah E. Haslam.

Mrs. Sarah Gurdy of Bristol, N. H., is the guest of Mrs. W. S. Hastings.

Sigfred Hanson, who has had employment in Boston, has returned home.

Mandel Kemp, who was operated upon for appendicitis at Bar Harbor, is improving rapidly. Aug. 6.

Legal Notices.

STATE OF MAINE. COURT OF HANCOCK CO. To the Honorable Justice of the Supreme Court, next to be held at Ellsworth, within and for said county, on the second Tuesday of October...

STATE OF MAINE. SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT. In Vacation.

Ellsworth, July 26, A. D. 1917. Upon the foregoing libel, ordered: That the libellant give notice to the said libellee to appear before the justice of the supreme judicial court to be held at Ellsworth, within and for the county of Hancock, on the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 1917...

STATE OF MAINE. To the Honorable Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, next to be held at Ellsworth, within and for the county of Hancock, on the second Tuesday of October.

ELLA J. DOWNS, of Stonington, in said county, wife of Melvin J. Downs, respectfully represents that her maiden name was Ella J. Dickie and she was lawfully married to the said Melvin J. Downs, at Seabrook, Maine, on the 1st day of December, a. d. 1914...

STATE OF MAINE. HANCOCK CO. July 18, 1917.

Personally appeared the above named Ella J. Downs, and made oath to the truth of the above libel by her signed.

STATE OF MAINE. HANCOCK CO. SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT. In Vacation.

Ellsworth, July 21, A. D. 1917. Upon the foregoing libel, ordered: That the libellant give notice to the said libellee, to appear before the justice of the supreme judicial court to be held at Ellsworth, within and for the county of Hancock, on the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 1917...

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS, Clara E. Sprague of Swan's Island, in the county of Hancock and State of Maine, by her mortgage deed dated the 31st day of July, a. d. 1917, and recorded in the Hancock county registry of deeds, book 489, page 869, conveyed to Belfast Fuel & Hay Company, a corporation duly organized and existing by law and having its principal place of business at Belfast, in the county of Waldo and State of Maine, a certain lot or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon situated in Swan's Island, in the county of Hancock and State of Maine, bounded as follows...

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS, Fred S. O'Keefe and Cecilia O'Keefe, both of Ellsworth, Hancock county, Maine, by their mortgage deed dated April 19th, and recorded in the Hancock county registry of deeds, in book 538, page 51, conveyed to Alexander C. Hagerthy certain real estate situated in said Ellsworth and fully described in said mortgage, and whereas the said Alexander C. Hagerthy on the twentieth day of July, a. d. 1917, assigned the said mortgage and the debt thereby secured to me, the undersigned; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage and give this notice for that purpose.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of...

LIVA L. HINCKLEY, late of BLUEHILL, in the county of Hancock, deceased, without giving bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all creditors are requested to make payment immediately.

PAUPER NOTICE.

HAVING contracted with the City of Ellsworth to support and care for those who may need assistance during five years beginning Jan. 1, 1918, and legal residents of Ellsworth, I forbid all persons trusting them on my account, as there is plenty of room and accommodations to care for them at the City Farm house.

Legal Notices.

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"Fruit-a-tives" is sold by dealers at 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 50c. or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ogdensburg, New York.

Advertisements.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS, Fred S. O'Keefe of Gloucester, Essex county, commonwealth of Massachusetts, by his mortgage deed dated May 8, a. d. 1917, and recorded in Hancock county registry of deeds, in book 490, page 108, conveyed to Alexander C. Hagerthy, a certain parcel of real estate situated in Ellsworth, Hancock county, Maine, and fully and particularly described in said mortgage; and whereas the said Alexander C. Hagerthy, on the twentieth day of July, a. d. 1917, assigned said mortgage and the debt thereby secured to me, the undersigned; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage and give this notice for that purpose.

PHONIA L. HAGERTHY, By R. E. Mason, her attorney.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS, Cecelia O'Keefe of Ellsworth, Hancock county, Maine, by her mortgage deed dated August 25, 1915, and recorded in the Hancock county registry of deeds, conveyed to me, the undersigned, two certain lots or parcels of land situated in Ellsworth and fully and particularly described in said mortgage; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken; now, therefore, by reason of the breach of condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage and give this notice for that purpose.

PHONIA L. HAGERTHY, By R. E. Mason, her attorney.

THE subscriber, Nellie Whitmore, hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of...

JOSEPH H. WHITMORE, late of MOUNT DESERT, in the county of Hancock, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all creditors are requested to make payment immediately.

COUNTY NEWS.

WEST HANCOCK.

Lester Sabans has employment with F. E. Milliken.

Alvah Abbott of Bar Harbor spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Carrie Bridges of Weehawken, N. J., is at her old home here for a few weeks.

The many friends of Mrs. Frank Miles are sorry to learn of her serious illness. Her mother, Mrs. Claude Willard, is with her.

Mrs. Mary R. Butler, who spent the winter with her son George in Sebring, Fla., is at home for the summer. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. George P. Butler, is with her for a month.

M. M. M.

BROOKSVILLE.

Llewellyn Roberts is quite ill.

A picnic dinner at Stillman Kench's was enjoyable Sunday.

Capt. James Roper is home from Boston, where he has been employed.

Willie Sturtevant, who met with an accident recently while out in his motor boat, is recovering rapidly.

Judge William E. Morris and wife spent last week with Mrs. L. T. Morris, and are now at their cottage in Haven for the remainder of their vacation.

Aug. 4. SPEC.

LAMOINE.

Mrs. Ralph Hoyt of Ontario, Canada, is at home for a visit.

A. L. Tripp and family are here from Waterville, visiting relatives.

Bernard Rose of Cambridge, Mass., has joined his family here for his vacation.

Miss Mildred Leland of Bucksport is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Charles Hodgkins.

NORTH LAMOINE.

James Tweedie of Cambridge, Mass., joined his family here on Saturday for a month's vacation.

Mrs. Sarah Hamor of Hyde Park, Mass., and her two sisters, Mrs. E. E. McFarland of Auburn and Mrs. Lottie Smith of Bar Harbor, are visiting their sister, Mrs. B. B. McFarland.

Aug. 6. Y.

HEALTH TALK.

Man Must Keep Himself Fit in the Race of Life.

What profiteth a man that he gain the whole world yet lose his health? Naturalists say that long ago the prehistoric waters were infested with a species of enormous shark which finally became extinct by reason of the workings of its voracious appetite. Thus nature eliminates the over-fed.

The desire for ease of life and plentiful diet is universal and is the great stimulus of man and animals alike. When man becomes greedy and takes more ease and food and drink than is his share, nature discards him.

In the race for power and place, for ease of circumstance and relief from hunger, the modern man is apt to forget that unless he is careful of his body he will soon be made to suffer for the infraction of nature's inexorable physical law. With the loss in body tone comes an equal loss in mental acuity and the brain which for a time was able to operate despite the complaints of an over-fed, under-exercised, self-poisoned body, stops working.

Statisticians have discovered that the mortality rate of persons in the United States over forty-five years of age is increasing. The strenuous life of to-day is not alone responsible for this. Lack of health-giving exercise, superfluity of diet, lack of restoring sleep, over-stimulation, the high pressure of the race for power, wealth and position, plus physical neglect—these bring early decay. The goal is reached,—wealth is amassed,—honor, position and power are just being grasped when the apple of accomplishment turns to the ashes of dissolution. The brilliant mind becomes clouded, the steady hand is no longer accurate, the eye which once gazed fearlessly on the whole world is dimmed, and it is not long before the final break up occurs. All of this was entirely preventable.

Other things being equal, it is the man who leads the well-balanced life who lasts the longest, whose work to the end is uniformly the best, he who neither over-works nor over-plays, neither over-eats, over-drinks nor over-sleeps, he who maintains a standard of simple healthy diet in moderation, who offsets mental work with physical recreation, who is as honest with his own body as he is with his own business. When success comes to such a one his physical and mental condition is such that he can enjoy in peace of mind and contentment of body the fruits of his labors.

The regulations of U. S. Public Health Service state: "It is the duty of officers to maintain their physical as well as their professional fitness. To this end they shall be allowed time for recreation and study whenever their official duties will permit." If the government regards it as essential that its sanitary experts shall be safeguarded in this way, is it not equally important to every citizen that he similarly maintain a high standard of physical integrity?

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COUNTY NEWS

SEDGWICK.

A. G. Sargent of Newton, Mass., was here Saturday.

Mrs. Harriette Clough is keeping house for Jacob Clough.

Harry Ford spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in this village.

Miss Clara Shumacher of Portland is the guest of Mrs. E. C. Cole.

George Fletcher of Fletcher & Butterfield Co., Bangor, was in town last week.

Miss Helen Wiley of Waban, Mass., who spent July with relatives here, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Nettie Seavey, with little son Darrell, of Sherman Mills, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. E. Friend.

Corporal Stanley Dority of Albany spent a few days recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dority.

Miss Bertha Allen, superintendent of Lowell general hospital, who has spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Allen, returned to Lowell Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Dow, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milhand and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cousins of Fort Kent, W. C. Conary and wife of Bucksport, and Miss Alice Eaton of South Bluehill, were guests at the Cavendish house Thursday.

Aug. 6. ELOC.

NORTH BROOKLIN.

Christina Butler, who has been visiting her brother in Winterport, is home.

Mrs. Helen Snow of North Bluehill visited her sister, Abbie Giles, Sunday.

Fred I. Hall, who has employment in Duxbury, Mass., is spending two weeks at his home here.

Two women physicians, Drs. Mann and

Has Recovered Her Health

So many women are suffering from similar afflictions that this testimonial letter from Mrs. Laura Beall, Pittsburg, Miss., will be read with interest: "I got in bad health. My left side hurt all the time. I took doctor's medicine, but it did me no good. I took two bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and I feel all right now." Backache, rheumatic twinges, pains in side, swollen and sore muscles, stiff joints, puffiness under eyes, bladder troubles and kindred symptoms are quickly relieved by Foley Kidney Pills.

Verdine are occupying one of W. H. Giles' cottages.

Sterling Freethy and family of Hopedale, Mass., are spending a few weeks at their summer cottage here.

An animal much resembling a small bear has been seen by several in this vicinity. Raiston Means fired at it Friday, and Sunday Leslie Flye chased and almost caught it.

Rev. Elisha Sanderson, a former pastor here, now located in Bridgewater, is here on two weeks' vacation. He led the prayer and praise service in the chapel Sunday evening.

A wedding of more than usual interest took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Candage Tuesday evening, when their youngest daughter, Ethel, became the bride of Clifton Stanley. Mr. Stanley is well known as an engineer on ocean-going steamships, while Mrs. Stanley is a graduate nurse and has been winning success in her profession. Their many friends here extend congratulations.

Aug. 6. ZENOPHON.

BURRY.

Hope Joy of Bar Harbor spent Sunday here.

James Gibbons of Orland is visiting here.

Francis Smith and wife are spending a few days here.

Mrs. Emily Joy of Bangor spent the week-end with friends.

George Clark of Northeast Harbor is spending his vacation at home.

Elmer Milliken, wife and daughter of Aroostook were in town recently.

Mrs. Harold Warren and son, of Hallowell, have been in town for a week.

Henry Brown and family and Mrs. Emeline Jarvis called on friends here Sunday.

Ernest E. Gaspar of Somerville, Mass.,

is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. C. F. Gaspar.

NORTH BROOKSVILLE.

Christie Perkins is at the home of Alfred Clark at Castine.

Chesteris Lymburner is in Brocton visiting her grandfather, Erasmus Gray.

Mrs. Ole Bowden and son, of Camden, are visiting her parents, W. N. Perkins and wife.

A dancing class has been started here, with Mrs. Mary Lymburner, instructor, and Paavo Wessel, musician.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Savage and Miss Anna spent last week with Mrs. Savage's parents, K. S. Grindie and wife.

Mrs. A. M. Goodell has gone to Haxton River for the remainder of the summer.

Aug. 6. C.

PRETTY MARSH.

Judge Loring and his wife are at their cottage at Barlett's Island for August.

Miss Adelle Carter, who has been at Castine attending the summer school, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzie Freeman and Mrs. N. L. Wall of East Boston, who have been visiting Mrs. Mary Lymburner, returned home Friday.

Miss Adelaide Smallidge went to Seal Harbor Saturday to keep house for her grandfather, Madison Snow, while Mrs. Snow is in a hospital in Boston for treatment.

Aug. 6. G.

He Felt Like Ninety

Nothing will make a person feel old quicker than disordered kidneys. For when they are not working properly the whole system is infected with poisons that cause aches and pains in all parts of the body. A. W. Morgan, Angolia, La., writes: "Oh, I suffered with pain in my back. I am 48 years old, but I felt like a man 80 years old. Since I took Foley Kidney Pills I feel like I did when I was 21." They tone up and strengthen the kidneys, and promptly relieve annoying bladder troubles. Moore's Drug Store.

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SHOT, FELL TWO MILES, YET LIVES

Corporal Hall of Lafayette Escadrille Describes Battle.

SAID "GOODBY TO LIFE"

Regained Control of Machine 600 Feet From the Earth and Then "Everything Went Blank"—Fortunately He Landed Inside the French Lines and Was Only Slightly Wounded.

A letter received from James Norman Hall, corporal in the Lafayette escadrille, who was wounded and brought down in a fight with half a dozen Germans in June, has been received in this country.

Mr. Hall is an Iowa man who enlisted in the British army in London in August of 1914. "About two weeks ago I met a whole nest of Germans, got shot through the shoulder and am now in hospital, out of action for at least six weeks to come.

"It all happened on June 26—or was it the 25th? Twelve of us went out at 7:30 p. m. and were to patrol the lines until 9:15. We were to have a rendezvous over Solsons at 10,000 feet and then to divide into two groups of six machines each, one patrol going to one section of our front and one to another. I lost my patrol and so kept on by myself, knowing that I would find them again sooner or later, as we had a particular, well defined sector to cover.

"Archies" Kept Him Busy. The 'archies' were keeping me awfully busy. I had never had them burst so close to me before nor so many of them at once. They bark when they are near, a sort of a 'woof, woof, woof,' which you hear quite plainly above the roar of your motor, and the concussion tips your machine up and down in a very uncomfortable manner. I was between 11,000 and 12,000 feet up, and yet those German gunners were planting them awfully close. They've got their work down to a science. By Jove, but they shot well! However, in a machine that travels at 125 miles an hour you simply laugh at archies—until one hits you.

"The trenches are a wonderful sight from the air, particularly during an attack. You see more of the detailed action, of course, and hear nothing. But you can see for miles and miles the long brown strip of ground that makes the firing line and the flashes of the guns and the shell bursts. There is a tremendous fascination in seeing all this from an altitude of two miles, and to me—knowing, as I do, what it is like to hug the parapet under heavy shell fire—a horror in the sight as well. I went far down the line, so far that I could see Rheims and the tower of the Cathedral. Then I came back, keeping a sharp lookout all of the time, tilting my machine first on one side, then on the other, and whirling around like a cat trying to catch its own tail. One's greatest danger in the air is that of being pounced on by surprise. You hear nothing but the roar of your own motor and so keep twisting and turning on your own track constantly.

Saw German Machines. "Finally I saw six or seven machines about five kilometers back of the German lines. I couldn't distinguish whether they were French or German and decided to go over closer to have a look, only to find out they were German machines.

"They all started for me. The nearest German and I opened fire about at the same instant. We passed each other like the wind and not more than seventy-five meters distant. Then my machine began to get peppered, and I felt a smack in the shoulder as though some one had hit me with a club. It numbed my left side and arm and made me feel lousy, so that I lost control of my machine, and it dived straight down with motor full on. You can imagine the speed. I fell a deuce of a way before I could get the motor shut off. I straightened out then, but had fallen so fast that I was barely conscious.

"I started to fall again and said 'goodby to life,' for I thought I was a goner. But I made a great effort and straightened out again when only about 600 feet above ground. I thought to myself, 'Now if I can only hold on to my wits until I land!' Then everything went black, and I didn't remember another thing until I was on a stretcher being carried over some trenches by a couple of poilus. Believe me, it was a relief to see those blue uniforms, to know that I was in the hands of friends. As it was, I fell right in a first line trench, not 300 meters away from the German line. Wasn't that luck? My machine was badly smashed, for, as I have said, it landed itself without any except subconscious help from me, but I have nothing except bruises, nothing broken except skin! It is really a miracle that I wasn't killed in the fall.

"I've been decorated, exteriorly—a croix de guerre with palm and the medaille militaire. I don't deserve them; honestly I don't. There are fellows at the American escadrille who have done far better service and who have received no medals. I do a foolish thing, get brought down, and they reward me for accomplishing nothing at all. That's justice for you. It's rather odd that recently I should have written a short article deprecating the practice of giving honors."

COUNTY NEWS

SARGENTVILLE.

Fred B. Stafford of Faneuil, Mass., is here. Addison G. Sargent of Newton, Mass., is visiting here. Mr. and Mrs. X. Grasmyer left last week for Dayton, O. Mrs. Woods of Tampa, Fla., is visiting Mrs. Leah C. Woodsome.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bulger are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dodge. Arthur Harding has returned to his home in Cambridgeport, Mass. Pitt W. Danforth of Melrose, Mass., spent Sunday with his family here.

Walter H. Sargent left last week for Detroit, Mich., where he has employment. Mrs. J. W. Grindell and daughter Gladys have been visiting in Rockland.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin E. Billings have returned to their home in Mattapan, Mass.

Miss Evelyn L. Robinson of Malden, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Lydia B. Gower.

Mrs. Henry W. Sargent and Mrs. Herbert R. Roberts have returned home from Portland. Mrs. Arthur H. Sargent and Miss Edith H. Snow have been visiting their father in Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Bennett of Brooklyn, N. Y., have been guests of Mrs. John H. Bennett. Mr. and Mrs. Welland F. Sargent of Oak Park, Ill., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Dority.

William H. Simmons and Roy Grindle of the steamer Ransom B. Fuller are at home for a few days. Dr. Edward E. Philbrook and son Harold, of Castine, are guests of Hon. H. W. Sargent and wife.

Lawrence K. Eaton of Hudson, Mass., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. G. Eaton. Mrs. E. F. Conroy and son Lloyd, and Mrs. Celis Downing of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. Sarah E. Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Beachmont, Mass., are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Scott R. Lyburner. Capt. Llewellyn J. Sargent and wife, of Portsmouth, N. H., have been spending a few days with Capt. J. N. Sargent and wife.

Miss A. M. Grindal of Portland, Albert H. Dority and George Dority of Essex, Mass., Albert H. Grindal of Bristol, Conn., and Dr. Harvard L. Grindal of Lynn, Mass., were in town last week to attend the funeral of Deacon George W. Grindal. Aug. 7. SIM.

GOULDSBORO.

Chester Ash of Winterport is in town. Mr. and Mrs. George Stanley are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Sunday, Aug. 5.

A party consisting of Frank Young and family, Leroy Spurling and family, with Capt. and Mrs. George Nutter of Steuben, motored to Mt. Desert Saturday evening, where they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Tracy of Somes Sound and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Butler of Seal Harbor. They were joined Sunday by Capt. Edwin Higgins and wife, Clarence Higgins and family and others of the Sound, Everett Tracy and wife, Dallas Tracy and wife of Franklin. All went to Capt. Higgins' point, where forty-two ate lunch on the shore. The party returned to Gouldsboro in the evening accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Heuben Brown, Ruby Tracy and Mrs. Morris Butler. Aug. 7. EITTAH.

OAK POINT.

Raymond Alley, who has been under the doctor's care for two weeks, is much improved. Mrs. Agnes Tourtelotte, and son Herbert are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ladd.

Capt. Ralph Leland is home for a few days while his vessel is loading in Somes' Sound. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce and daughter Elizabeth, who have been with Mr. and Mrs. Richert for a few weeks, have returned to their home at Arlington Heights, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and Miss Irene Richardson arrived in their car from Boston, and will stay at their cottage for an indefinite period. Aug. 6. SUB.

SOUTH PENOBSCOT.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Osgood of Bluehill spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Norman Mayo and son Donald, of Boston, visited here Saturday.

Rev. Gideon Mayo of Bangor supplied at the Baptist church Sunday, Aug. 5.

Mrs. Herbert Gray and daughter, who have been visiting here, have returned to Bangor.

Mrs. Preston Sellers of Waterville is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staples.

Mr. and Mrs. George Babson and son Horace, of Leesburg, Va., are in town for several weeks, occupying Mrs. S. W. Clement's cottage. Aug. 7. L.

Much Wood Flour Used.

More than 20,000 tons of wood flour, valued at \$300,000, are used annually in the United States in two widely different industries, the manufacture of dynamite and the manufacture of inland linoleum. Wood flour is also used in making composition flooring, oatmeal paper and in several other industries. It forms one of the means by which the huge waste product of our lumber mills is beginning to find some better means of disposal than the burner.—Tree Talk.

COUNTY NEWS

CASTINE.

Mrs. Arthur Patterson and son Arthur left Monday for Hallowell, where they will spend August with Mrs. Patterson's sister, Mrs. Hooper. Bernard Bowden spent the past few days in Castine.

John Webster is home, after spending two months in Cambridge, Mass. Mrs. Mattie Perkins and two sons, who have been living in southern California the past three years, arrived in Castine Saturday for the remainder of the summer.

The summer term of the normal school closed Friday after a very successful term of three weeks. Thursday evening at Normal hall an interesting concert was given under the direction of Jerry Marsh. Louis Webster returned to Boston Tuesday after a few days here.

Miss Nellie Harvey, who has been in Castine the past three weeks playing for Mr. Marsh's music class, left Saturday for Sandy Point normal encampment. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nickerson of Boothbay Harbor are spending a few days with Misses Grace and Ethel Noyes. Aug. 6. G.

WEST BROOKLIN.

Leroy Carter is employed at the sardine factory at Naskaog.

P. A. Allen of Brooklin is doing some carpentering for E. P. Bridges.

Mrs. Alma Spear of North Brooklin is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spear. Mrs. David Beddy, who has been spending a few days here, returned to Brooklin Saturday.

C. J. Lawson has moved his family to Auburn, Mass., where Mr. Lawson is employed. Mrs. Mae Spear, who spent a few days with relatives here, returned to her home at North Brooklin Monday. Aug. 6. B.

THE FALLS, HANCOCK.

Miss Johnson, who has been working for Mrs. Myra Moon, has returned to Machias.

Mrs. Alfred Searway and children of Old Town are visiting her parents, Henry Kief and wife.

Charles Dow, who works in Cuning-

ham's crew, M. C. R. R., spent Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. Sadie Dalsell and two children, of Portland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Brinkworth.

Mrs. Edith Babcock, who has been visiting her father, Edgar Kief, and other relatives in town, has returned to Oakfield. Aug. 6. G.

ASHVILLE.

Reta Pettee is ill of measles. Dean Johnson of South Gouldsboro is visiting here.

Agnes Sinclair of Sorrento is visiting her cousin, Louise Small. Lieut. William Schieffelin, Jr., U. S. A., was called to duty Tuesday.

Miss Emma Sleeper of Sherman Mills is the guest of Miss Villa Orcutt.

High Pettee, who has been home ill of measles, has returned to his work in Bar Harbor.

Misses Inez and Sadie Martin are at home from Connecticut, where they have been employed. Mrs. Maud Martin is home from Augusta.

The annual sale of the Wednesday club will be held at the chapel August 22. There will be the usual attractive booths, a ball game and supper. Aug. 6. PROSE.

WEST SURRY.

Mrs. Emma Moore of Bucksport visited her daughter, Mrs. Grace Willina, last week.

Miss Della Blaisdell spent last week in Bucksport with her sister, Mrs. Flora Saunders, and her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Dorr. Mrs. Guy Carlisle and two children of East Orland and Miss Dora Gray of Bucksport, were week-end guests of Mrs. Carlisle's mother, Mrs. Frank Herrick. Aug. 6. L.

SUNSET.

Cecil Annis is in town for a few days. Lewis Ogier and family, of Camden, are in town.

Mrs. Scott has opened her summer cottage. Roswell Cole and sister are visiting at P. J. Eaton's.

Mrs. Snowden of Braintree, Mass., is here for a few days with her son, Ernest Snowden. Aug. 6. SADIE.

COUNTY NEWS

ABOONLIN.

Harold Babson of Boston is visiting his father, H. E. Babson, at Haven.

E. E. Babson and family, of Arlington, Mass., are at their cottage at Haven for a few weeks.

Mrs. M. E. Taylor, and John Blake and family of Bedford, Mass., are visiting H. M. Pease and wife.

Henry Forham and wife, John Forham and wife and Llewellyn Sargent and wife were in town Sunday to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Rubie McFarland.

Rubie, widow of Rodney McFarland, died at Five Point Friday afternoon, at the age of sixty-four years. Mrs. McFarland came from her home in Portland about two months ago to the Point, where she had passed many years of her married life, and there closed a life of usefulness and patience. Mrs. McFarland was the older daughter of Michael and Margaret Allen Forham of this place, and had lived for several years in Portland. Mr. McFarland died several years ago, and their son Lawrence died a little over two years ago. This loss no doubt shortened the life of Mrs. McFarland. She was a woman of many fine qualities, devoted to her home and daughter, who tenderly cared for her the past weeks, and on whom the loss comes very heavily, being the last one of the family. Mrs. McFarland leaves, besides her daughter, Mrs. Blanche Harmon, one sister, Mrs. Llewellyn Sargent of Portsmouth, N. H., and two brothers, Henry of Portland and John of Raymond. Services were held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Fred Leathers officiating. The floral tributes were a testimony of the love and respect of her many friends. Aug. 6. UNE FRIZEE.

WEST SULLIVAN.

M. H. Hovey and family are at Tunk Pond for a few weeks.

Mrs. Jennie Foss and Mrs. Duncan McDonald of Massachusetts are visiting their father, Alex Dalsell.

Mrs. Charles Hooper and children of Hallowell are visiting her sisters, Mrs. Arthur Abel and Miss Lena Hooper. Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Garland and daughter, of Pawtucket, R. I., are guests of Mrs. Helen Garland and Mrs. Mary Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Michaud, Mrs. Dorr and

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cousins and daughter Patricia were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Milne.

Seldom has a death occurred that caused such surprise and sorrow, as that of Mrs. Jesse K. Mitchell. In her death every one who had the privilege of her acquaintance loses a friend. She was a woman of marked ability and integrity, respected and loved by all who knew her, and her death is lamented by a large circle of friends who knew her brave spirit and great worth. She leaves a husband, mother and sister, and a large number of other relatives. Funeral services were held Wednesday, Rev. H. H. Sanderson of Cambridge, Mass., officiating. Interment was at York Hill cemetery, Sullivan. Aug. 7. UNE AMIE.

BULLIVAN HARBOR.

Dr. Fred Steven of Millinocket is in town for a few days.

Miss Ruth Allen arrived home from Boston Sunday.

Miss Charlene Wilson of Boston arrived home Sunday night to spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Charles Allen.

Charles H. Allen recently made a trip to Rockland.

Dr. and Mrs. Francis X. Corr of Boston are in town for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. George Walker of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. Theodore Jewell of Newton, Mass., are at "Abendruh." Mr. Jewell was in town for a short stay.

Rev. A. D. Pell of Tuxedo, N. Y., preached a helpful and interesting sermon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. N. H. Conway of Portland was in town over Sunday. Aug. 6. H.

SEAL COVE.

George Parker of Danvers, Mass., was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. McLean and two children, of Augusta, are here for a few weeks.

Fred Ashley, of the second Maine regiment, spent Sunday with his parents, returning to Augusta Monday. Aug. 4. N.

BURRY.

Dr. W. E. Emery and mother of Bangor called on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Eleanor Thomas of Portland is visiting her father, E. N. Osgood. Aug. 6. L.

The HOOSIER Thermometer Says— "Cooler Kitchens for 26 More Hancock Women"

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Yes, you can save \$5 cash by paying \$1 to-morrow, if you come before the last cabinet is taken. The terms of the sale are these:

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Remember at 8 a. m.
It costs you nothing to investigate. If you decide that you want this beautiful cabinet, you save five dollars in just about five minutes. But please be sure to be here early. Selling will resume promptly at 8 a. m.

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