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Good Prospects

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LOCAL AFFAIRS

The Burrill National bank
Notice of Foreclosure - Augusta A Smith
- Embert C Osgood
J A Haynes-Groceries special
Specimen ballot
In bankruptcy - Oscar M Bowden
Notice - Appointment of executors, adinistrators, guardians of adults and conervators

ervators E G Moore—Boy wanted

DETROIT, MICH: National Casualty Ins Co

> SCHEDULE OF MAILS AT ELLSWORTH POSTOFFICE In effect, Jan. 20, 1918.

FROM WEST-6.41 a m; 4.14 p m.

FROM EAST-11.10 a m; 6.22 p m. MAILS CLOSE AT POSTOPPICE GOING EAST-6.10 a m; 3.35 p m.

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

WEATHER IN ELLSWORTH.

Week Ending at Midnight Tuesday Feb. 26, 1918.

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 house ending at midnight.] Weather Precip-

	remperature		conditions its		tion
	4 a m	12 m	forenoon	afternoon	
Wed	44-	47-	rain,fair	clear	.10
Thur	s 0-	7-	clear	clear	
Fri	-10	13-	clear	cloudy,snow	.05
Sat	12 -	37-	fair	- fair	
Sun	0-	37-	fair	cloudy, snow	.04
Mon	34-	48-	fair	clear	
Tues	85-	40-	rain	cloudy	.77

Paul Tapley, U. of M., spent the week-

A daughter was born to Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickle Monday.

Richard S. Harvey left Monday for a few days' furlough in Somerville, Mass.

There will be another juvenile dancing party at Society hall Saturday afternoon

B. T. Sowle and William F. Goggins attended a meeting of the State assessors at Mrs. Agnes Royal left Monday night

for Pittsfield to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. A. R. McNabb. Congratulations are being extended to

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Knowlton on the birth of a son (John) born at Bangor yesterday. Miss Alice Adams returned to Newtonville, Mass., yesterday, after a few days with her parents, Capt. John Q. Adams

Willis L. Pratt, U. S. N. R., side to the section commander at Bar Harbor, and spare captain, was at home for the weekend and Sunday.

Roscoe Gould left last week for Portand, where he has taken a position with the large wholesale dry goods house of Parker & Thomas Co.

All persons who have yarn, or unfinished knitted articles taken out before Feb. 1, are requested to return them to the

Red Cross rooms as early as possible. Irene chapter, O. E. S., will hold a rollcall Friday evening. There will be work

on two candidates. Supper will be served at 6.30, to which all members are invited. The woman's club met yesterday after-

oon with Mrs. Susan Mason Cushman. Rev. J. W. Tickle talked on "War Literature." The club will meet March 12

Men from the General Electric Co., with others from the Bangor plant, and the local crew, are repairing the damage at the power house in Ellsworth, caused by

short circuiting a few weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Macomber, of Seal Harbor, announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis Corrinne, to

George Fiske McFarland, of Bangor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. McFarland of Trenton. The marriage of Lieut. Robert P. King, son of Justice and Mrs. A. W. King of

Ellsworth, and Elean or, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett K. Brewer of Bar Harbor, took place at St. Stephen's Episcopal church in Philadelphia last Saturday. The law court has handed down its de-

cision sustaining the verdict of guilty in the case of the State vs. Robert H. Bennett of Bar Harbor, which attracted considerable attention when tried at the April term of the supreme court here last year.

County Agent Worden's itinerary for the week includes a club meeting at Bucksport to-morrow evening, Friday at Bucksport and Ellsworth, Saturday evening a club meeting at Ellsworth Falls Monday in Ellsworth, Tuesday and Wednesday in Bucksport.

Former Chief-Justice Emery is at the Bangor house for the week, while lecturing in the University of Maine law school. He will come to Elisworth next Saturday for a few days' stay at the Hancock house before returning to Boston for the remainder of the winter.

A delightful party in observance of Washington's birthday was held at the Methodist parsonage last Thursday evening. The entertainment program in recitations by Florence Reed, Julius Young, Ralph Barron, Elizabeth

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BOY WANTED AT ONCE

17 or 18 years of age, to learn drug

Sargent, Persis Brown, Frances Jordan and Dorothy Wheelden; plane soles by Pauline Austin, Mattie Wiberg and Arthur Tower, a duet by Mollie Sargent and Mona Young, and singing of patriotic songs by all. Games followed, and refreshments were served.

The Thursday club will meet this week with Mrs. C. R. Burrill. A supper for members will be served Friday, Mar. 1, at 6.15, at the Congregational vestry. Each member has the privilege of inviting one person, by paying a fee of 25 cents. Members are also requested to bring #1 each, and tell how it was earned.

Fred Parker, who for the past two ears has been located at Dover and Foxcroft, in the employ of the telephone company, has enlisted in the signal ser-vice. He has been spending the past two weeks with his mother, Mrs. Alice Parker, in Ellsworth, but will leave here tomorrow for Fort Slocum, N. Y., for final examination and training.

Mabel, wife of William Royal, died early this morning at her home on Sterling street, after an illness of several months, during which she had been an intense sufferer and submitted to two surgical operations. Mrs. Royal was forty-one years of age. She was highly esteemed by her many friends in Ellsworth. Besides her husband, she leaves a step-son, Sewell Royal, and her father. John Frazier. The family has the sympathy of many friends.

The "community sing" at Hancock hall last Friday evening, in observance of national song week, brought out a good crowd, and all warmed to the patriotic spirit of the occasion, and entered into the singing with a vim. There was chorus of sixty voices on the stage, and

150 school children in the audience. O. W. Tapley conducted the singing. The accompaniment was by Higgins' orchestra which generously donated its service. The hall was decorated by Janitor Fred E. Cooke at his own expense, and was very attractive in the patriotic colors. At 8 o'clock, in accordance with the suggestion that at that hour all America join in singing "America," the audience joined in that great hymn. There were short addresses by Revs. R. B. Mathews and J. W. Tickle. Sunday evening, carrying out the idea of national song week to its close, here was a special song service at the Congregational church, and a short address by Mr. Mathews.

The speakers for the four-minute men campaign in the moving picture theatre in Ellsworth for the next two weeks are as follows: Wednesday, Feb 27, Rev. R. B. Mathews; Saturday, March 2, F. E. Stoddard; Monday, March 4, W. H. Patten; Wednesday, March 6, Rev. J. W Tickle; Friday, March 8, Rev. R. B. Mathews; Saturday, March 9, F. E. Stoddard.

The subject, "The Danger to Democ racy," will be continued to March 9, by order of the committee on public information. This is considered one of the most important subjects which have been suggested by the department at Washington, so much so that the continuation of this subject for another week will prove most interesting to the public. It is illustrated by a slide showing the map of Europe and the "Prussian blot," which is an interesting addition to the regular four-minute

These speeches by the four-minute men on the subjects assigned are becoming popular all over the country, and at the same time the information on the current topics regarding the conditions in the country, and particularly war are being fully explained.

ELLSWORTH FALLS.

The ladies' sewing circle will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Helen Fox. Mrs. Fred E. Grace returned to Green Lake last week, after several days at her home here.

Mrs. L. K. Thayer and daughter Ruth of Boston were called here Tuesday by the serious illness of Mrs. Thayer's mother, Mrs. Moses Cottle.

It is not often that a five-year-old girl nakes a birthday cake in celebration of her mother's birthday, but such was the case last week when Miss Beatrice Salisbury measured the ingredients, mixed the cake and baked it. The writer sampled the cake, and it was fine.

There will be an entertainment and sociable in the vestry Saturday evening, under the auspices of the boys' and girls' agricultural clubs. No admission is charged. The parents and all interested in club work are urged to attend and give encouragement to the boys and girls by their presence. The prime object of the affair is for the reorganization of the clubs for the coming season's work, and all boys and girls interested are urged to join. Membership in the club means much to themselves as well as to their country at this time. County Agent George N. Worden will be present, also Mrs. Galen Young, to assist in the work.

NORTH ELLSWORTH.

Emery Maddocks is again ill. Gilman Bickford is at home from Boson for a visit.

Mrs. Anna Perry is visiting her parents, H. F. Maddocks and wife. H. C. Schoppe is hauling gravel along

the new State highway, to be spread in the spring. Surest Independence.

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Ellsworth

MUNICIPAL CAUCUSES. Republicans and Democrats Name Annual Gathering in Boston Last Full Tickets for City Offices.

The republicans and democrats of Ellsworth held their municipal caucuses tast at Court hall, Boston, Feb. 20. Rev. Dantickets in the field.

accepted as a high compliment to Mayor 1919. Hagerthy, as no contest was expected and one developed. In the general caucus Mayor Hagerthy was renominated for a tenth term, and Street Commmissioner Newman was also renominated without opposition. A ballot taken showed 317 republicans present and voting.

The caucus was called to order by R. E. Mason, chairman of the city committee, and W. E. Whiting was chosen to preside, with E. J. Walsh as secretary.

The nomination of Mayor Hagerthy was made by M. Y. McGown, seconded by E. F. Robinson. Before the close of the appreciation of the honor accorded him.

The ward caucuses followed, except that of ward 4, which was held in the after-noon at Agricultural hall. All the present members of the board were renominated, as follows: Ward 1, H. F. Wescott; ward 2, Frank R. Moore; ward 3, Leon H. Brown; ward 4, Eugene H. Moore; ward 5, William Small.

The members of the city committee chosen are as follows: R. E. Mason, D. W. Carney, Owen H. Treworgy, Hiram L. Danico and J. H. Bresnahan.

The democratic caucus was held Thursday afternoon. H. Fremont Maddocks, chairman of the city committee, presided, and J. S. Donovan was chosen secretary. Perley J. Phillips was unanimously nominated as the candidate for mayor, and William E. Harrington for street commissioner.

The caucuses of wards 1, 2 and 5 followed, the caucuses of wards 3 and 4 being held in their respective wards. The full ticket for aldermen is as follows: Ward 1, Earle E. Smith; ward 2, Michael A. Shea; ward 3, Russell J. Smith; ward 4, H. Fremont Maddocks; ward 5, Schuyler

The full ward tickets of both parties are shown in the specimen ballots printed on pages 6 and 7 of this issue.

NICOLIN.

Earl DeWitt is home from Ellsworth high school, ill of German measles.

School closed Monday, the teacher, Alice Lake, being ill of German measles. Hazel McGown, who is teaching in Beverly, Mass., is home for two weeks vacation, her school being closed on ac-

count of lack of coal. Herbert Tripp and wife and Robert Sweeney and wife went to East Bucksport to attend the funeral of their cousin, Miss Grace Phillips.

Frank McGown has returned home from Lynn, Mass. Mr. McGown went to spend Christmas with his sisters there, and was taken with bronchial pneumonia

Walter Rapp, jr., and wite arrived home Monday night. Mrs. Rapp was called to Cherokee, N. C., by the sudden death of her step-father. Mr. Rapp went to Brockton, Ma s., last week, and accompanied her home.

BLUEHILL REUNION.

Week. The annual Bluehill reunion was held

week, and both parties have placed full iel I. Gross, the president, gave a few words of welcome. Music and a fine social The republican caucus Wednesday time made the evening very enjoyable evening was a rousing one, and may be Clifton Marks was chosen president for

Those present were: Rev Daniel I Gross, Mrs Elizabeth Darling, Miss Blanche Osgood, F G Havlin and wife, Miss Havlin, E D Knapp and wife, Mrs Davis, Mrs George A Clough, R B Campbell and wife, Mrs Maude E Perry, Mrs Emma F King, Mrs Annie M Howe, Miss Esther Boyden.

Miss Nellie M. Eveletb, Mrs. Charles Marks, Mrs. Frank A. Lincoin, Mrs. F. C. Giddings and daughter, Ezra Dodge and wife, Mrs. Ernest E. McIntyre, Miss Louise McIntyre, Charles H. Welch, Mrs. Fred W. Sawyer, Carl M. Hinckley and wife, H. S. Saunders and wife, Horace caucus Mayor Hagerthy expressed his Herrick and wife, Mrs. Effie McEmery, Howard Snelling, Miss Winonah G. Nay, Miss Alice Osgood.

Miss Florence B Coggan, Miss Nellie C Mr and Mrs Grieve, Alex W Grieve, Miss Nettie A Bettel, Miss Eva B Snowman, Mrs Robert Linnell, Miss Edith Chase, Miss Maida Phinney, Miss Gertrude Townsend, William P Clough and wife, Miss Flora Allen, H B Harding an i sons, Miss May P Ober, Mrs. W L Peters.

Fire at Orland.

Again this small village has had the misfortune of a fire which for several hours threatened the destruction of its centre. It was overcome by hard work only.

About 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 19, fire broke out in the dwelling of Mrs. Eliza J. Crosby. The fire was well advanced before it was discovered.

The ringing of the church bell called all immediate available help, but it was at once seen to be impossible to save the house, so all attention was given to protecting the grange hall, only a few feet distant, which, if destroyed, would take with it A. R. Soper's store, as only a driveway separates the hall and store.

Telephone calls were sent out for help. and reinforcements came from the Falls, East Orland, Castine and Point roads Torrent Fire Co. of Bucksport responded with engine No. 2, and many willing helpers. By this prompt and willing response, the neighboring buildings were

Mrs. Crosby lost nearly all her house hold goods on which there was a small insurance. The house was also insured.

COMING EVENTS.

Thursday, Feb. 28-County toad meeting at courthouse in Ellsworth.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson 9.-First Quarter, March 3, 1918.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES

Lesson Text, Mark 4:35-41; 5:15-20-Memory Verse, Mark 5:19-Golden Text. Ps. 126:3-Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The incident of the storm stilled and the healing of the demoniac are found also in Matthew and Luke, and in the same connection. Their taking Christ even as he was, and his falling asleep in the storm, may imply that he was weary in his body, and possibly in mind also. His labors would give him a weary body, and the unbelief and hatred all about him would tend to give him a weary mind. One of the accusations of the prophet against Israel was, "Ye have wearled the Lord with your words," (Mal, 2:17; see also John 4:6.) When he said, "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden" (Matt. 11:28) he knew what it meant to have such an experience, for "He was in all points tempted like as we are" and is touched with a feeling of our infirmities (Heb. 4:15). Sometimes the stormy wind is his own, as when he divided the sea by a strong east wind, and sent a great wind to arrest Jonah (Ex. 14:21; Jonah 1:4); and it is written "He commandeth and raiseth the stormy wind" (Ps. 107:25). Sometimes the strong wind is from the devil, as when he caused the death of Job's children by a strong wind (Job 1:19). But he can make the wrath of men or demons to praise him and cause even a stormy wind to fulfill his word (Ps. 148:8). In Rev. 7:1, see the angels controlling the winds. It seems to me that this great storm of wind of our lesson (v. 37) must have been from the devil because the Lord rebuked it (v. 39), and he would not rebuke his own wind. Now I would not give the devil too much credit on the line of knowing things beforehand, nor would I make light of his knowledge. but there is a possibility that he knew that if the Lord Jesus crossed over to Gadara he might lose that fine piece of his work in the form of that demonpossessed man whom no chains could bind, and so flerce that no one could pass by that way. In Matt. 8:28, it is recorded that there were two of them. If he had that knowledge we can understand why he sent the storm to sink if possible the boat with the Lord and his disciples. In some respects the devil is an awful fool, and certainly does not know the power of God, and in these days (1917-1918) when the nations are raging, and the people imagining vain things as never before the Lord has them in derision, and will yet set his king upon his holy hill of Zion (Ps. 2:1-6). Even if the Lord had allowed the devil to destroy that boat, he could easily have walked ashore on the water and enabled his disciples to do the same. I like to watch him sleeping so calmly in the midst of that great storm, and there is no storm in which we may not be if we have faith in him. (Ps. 27:1-3.) We are too often like the dis ciples, and afraid that some real evil will befall us, and he often has occasion to say to us, "Why are ye so fear ful? How is it that ye have no faith? are ye troubled, and why do thoughts arise in your hearts?" (v. 40 and Luke 24:38.) How grand to see him quietly awake from sleep and arise and say to wind and sea, "Peace, be still!" and then to see the great storm give place to a great calm (vs. 87, 39). As he slept he was truly human, as he stilled the storm he was truly God; so he was and ever is both God and man; and there never can be in our lives or circumstances a storm however great that he cannot with a word, change to a great calm, for he always was, and ever is, the one who maketh the storm a calm (Ps. 107:29). We may still hear him say, "My peace I give unto you," and we can let the

Does it not seem as if some of the nations were as demon-possessed today as this man, or these men, of Gadara? But our Lord Jesus has the same power as ever, and at the appointed time "Our God shall come, and shall not keep silence" (Ps. 50:3-6). After Israel have seen him coming in his glory and shall have received him according to Isa. 25:9; and have come to her right mind, then shall nations run to her because the Lord God, the holy one of Israel shall have glorified her (Isa. 55:5; compare Mark 5:7). According to Matt. 8:29, the demons said, "Art thou come hither to torment us before the time?" for they seemed to know that torment awaits them in due time (Rev. 20:10). This same Jesus is daily delivering those whom Satan has und with chains of sin, and there is no case too hard for him; and he is saying to all who have such afflicted ones, "Bring them to me," "Have faith and doubt not." The property of the Gadarenes had been touched, and they had sought Jesus to depart from them (5:17); and it is so still when the gospel conflicts with business; and we are moving on to the time when the devil control all buying and selling. (Rev. 13:16, 17).

peace of God rule in our hearts (John

14:27; Col. 3:15). He alone can still

the present strife of nations, and speak

peace to them all, and it shall yet be

compare lesson verse 41).

Mutual Benefit Column.

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

The purposes of this column are succine 3 stated in the title and motto—it is for the mut albenefit, and aims to be helpful and hopeful. deling for the common good, it is for the common use—a public servant, a purveyor of it formation and suggestion, a medium for the in terchange of ideas. In this capacity it solicit communications, and its success depends largely on the support given it in this respect. Com-munications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permissio 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, Ellaworth, Me.

Don't you think people ought to write each other such a long cold winter as this has been, just to let ourselves known that we are alive? I am very well, barring rheumatic lameness. The snow is banked half up my windows, and it is still snowing. It is 28 above zero, warmer than it has been for a long time, and I hear them prophesy "more snow."

Can people realize what it is to be the country where there is plenty of wood? We have three good old-fashioned fires going all the time, and are not any too warm, and my friends in the city write me what a hard time they have for coal. How I wish the poor had enough to be comfortable.

Mrs. McPhee writes that her son Norman has gone in training. She has only one more, and he has charge of a large business in Canada. One is in the navy. Norman says he is in a beautiful place in New Orleans. Oh, it is very hard to bave them go, but I think it is best for the home folks to be as brave as we can about it. Women need to be brave as well as men.

Some one is going out of our circle every year, but if they live as useful a life as Dell, they will not have lived in vain. "I know not the way I am going,

But well do I know my Guide.

With a child-like trust I give my hand
To the mighty Friend by my side.
The only thing that I say to Him,
As He takes it and holds it fast,
Is: Suffer me not to lose my way,
And bring me safe home at last.

I think such was the trust that Dell gave. It must be a comfort to Mr. Chatto. With kind wishes to every member of

You have given us many good things to think of.

Dear Aunt Madge:

the M. B. circle.

Do you want to know what the new food conservation cards make me think of? This immortal rhyme: -

"Mother, may I go out to swim? Yes, my dearest daughter; Hang your clothes on a hickory limb, But don't go near the water."

I think a similar one is needed to fully express the new food restrictions, and I suggest this:-

Dear Uncle Sam, what may we eat? Why, anything that's good; Eat freely, plenty, wisely, well, Of everything but food.

I won't write much this time, as conservation has, it seems, invaded even our column. I had some new recipes, but of what use are recipes, when sugar and molasses are unknown, and we must use no flour, butter or lard? What shall we cook, and what shall we have for supper, when the wheatless order means no bread, and of course no form of cake, cookies or gingerbread? Peanut and carrot soup with cornbread? How our mentalks will love such fare after a hard day's labor.

Do I hear the administration say, "Why, use substitutes," What of those who cannot afford the expensive substitutes and those who can, but can't get them because they are not to be had? There is no sugar to be had in Bangor, nor a gallon of good molasses, no corn syrups, and great shortage of cereal substitutes is reported.

Well, we all want to do our part as patriotic law-abiding citizens in the great struggle, so here's to carrot soup and whatever we can get to go with it, for not even "Polly" may have a cracker, I

I didn't intend to spell "mien" as it appeared in the quotation in my last letter, nor to disapprove of all moving pictures, but owing to conservation, I suppose, the adjective I used to describe those I do dislike was omitted.

You see before Esther completed her letter, she proved herself a loyal subject of the United States. The difficulty in getting supplies has made it much harder to abide by the rules of conservation. I have a little scheme of my own on the 50seen that he is the one promised to 50 question. To equalize the quantity David to sit on his throne, and, of whom David said, "Is this the manner used, how would it do to weigh out, say five pounds of wheat flour, and then, with of man, O Lord God?" (2 Sam. 7:19; corn meal, rolled oats, rice or other substitutes, weigh out a pound or two pounds, according to the amount you plan to use of each, until you have five pounds. Then see how you come out in using them. A large family would want this apportionment on a larger scale.

D. asks that we may have some recipes sent to the column for using rye flour Now please respond to this request right

AUNT MADGE.

WORST WINTER IN YEARS Snow, wind and extreme cold caused more colds this winter than in past years. Foley's Honey and Tar proved its worth in thousands of homes. Men, women and children checked colds and coughs and prevented serious consequences from exposure. It clears the passages, heals raw inflamed membranes, banishes irritation and tickling throat. Mrs. Edward Strevy, R. 37, Clinton. O., says; "I think Foley's Honey and Tar the only medicine for coughs and colds and recommend it highly."—Moore's Drug Store.

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MOTHERS

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much good."—Mrs. Pearl Monyhan,
Mitchell, Ind.
Good health during maternity is a
most important factor to both mother
and child, and many letters have been
received by the Lydia E. Pinkham
Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of
health restored during this trying period
by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

ETON JACKET TO BE POPULAR

Sleeves on Spring Suits Are Tight and Cuffs, More Often Than Not, Are Exaggeratedly Flaring.

In one Fifth avenue house, where strong stress is laid upon the creation of American-made suits and gowns, there is a decided movement toward the Eton jacket as a standard for spring suits, says the New York Times, The argument is that, if wool must be conserved, then this is the best manner in which to do it. An Eton jacket is a graceful thing and it has had a great feminine appeal through all the ages. In this, its latest adaptation, it has lost none of its former charms and gained new ones.

Three or four points are to be dis tinctly noted about the new spring things-Eton and otherwise. One is that the sleeves are tight and set into normal armholes. There is a little or no echo of the sleeves that fall into the waistline. Cuffs are, more often than not, exaggeratedly flaring and are cut as parts of the sleeves themselves. Often they are faced with a contrasting color of silk. Collars of white are taboo. Either the collar is made of the same material as the gown or of one shade darker or lighter or of a colored linen. There is a great deal of talk among those conservatives who become wedded forever to a certain style, about a white collar softening the line. There are white collars that are as hardening as can be and there are colored collars and plain finishes quite beautifully softening. It is all in the art of the thing, after all, and in the way that it is handled.

HINTS FOR THE BUSY WOMAN

New headdresses follow Russlar lines.

Little hats have big ears composed

Jersey in silk and wool is featured Slipover jackets are still exploited

by Lanvin. Dahlias knitted of wool decorate

chapeaux of crepe. Sailors of duvet de laine are faced

with punta straw or lisere. Bangkoks promise to be as good next

summer as last for wear at the coun-Patriotic Patricia will select a spring

suit of siik and conserve the wool. Semi-tailored blouses of satin or georgette are in the best of style.

Pockets no longer form ornamental designs, but are hidden away in seams A new domino check is attracting attention at the fabric counter.

Much jet is being used by the high priestesses of hatdom. Athletic "undles," made of cotton batiste, are patterned after garments

worn by men. Lingerie frocks are composed of fine handkerchief linen in pastel shades. Hercules braid comes again into the dress light and puts soutache in the shade.

Silk jerseys show, motifs in high re lief worked in flat and raised stitches, Knee-length coats of black satin will be worn with white frocks this coming

Festive frocks of net are trimme with silk filet. Nots in all the pastel shades are fashionable. Palm Beach is in a regular rainbow glow of these delicate tints and colorings.

Pump With No Valves For pumping heavy liquids a Welsh inventor has designed a combined piston and rotary pump with no valves that can be easily clogged.

CONSTANT SUFFER R FINDS RELIEF "I have been a constant sufferer from kidney trouble and three months ago was down sick in bed for my back ached so severely I couldn't get up," writes C. F. Reynolds, 412 Herrick St., Elmira, N. Y. "While in this condition we read of Foley Kidney Pills so I commenced taking them. In a few days I was up,out of bed." Foley Kidney Pills strengthen kidneys and bladder. Recommended for backache, rheumatic sore muscles, stiff joints—Moore's Drug Store.

is levoted to the Grange. epecialty to the granges of Hancock county the counts is open to all grangers for the discussion of topics of general interest, and for reports of grange meetings. Make letters -hort and concise. All communications must be signed, but usmes will not be printed except by permission of the writer. All com-munications will be subject to approval by the editor, but none will be rejected without

ALAMOOSOOK, 409, E. ST ORLAND. Officers were installed Jan. 26, by Past Master Fred Thompson. Supper was

NICOLIN, 389, NORTH ELLSWORTH.

Feb. 16 one candidate was accepted. The lecturer presented a short program. At the next regular meeting, Geo. E. Davis will read a paper, "Lumbering on the Union River," in which he will compare the business carried on some years ago with that of to-day.

HARBORSIDE 478, SOUTH BROOKSVILLE. Feb. 20, sixty were present. The brothers presented an interesting patriotic program. The hall was decorated with ceder and American flags. The brothers also furnished refreshments. At the next meeting the sisters will furnish the pro-

GREENWOOD, 363, EASTBROOK. Feb. 23, one new member was accepted. Muriel Wilbur was elected lady assistant steward in place of Bessie Wilbur, resigned.

BAYSIDE, 476, ELLSWORTH.

Feb. 20, Sister Susie M. Smith presented the grange with a service flag, in memory of her father, the late Owen Byrn, who served in the Civil war. Bayside grange is proud of its boys, who have offered themselves for their country. There are seven at present in service: Past Master, W. L. Pratt, Fred Smith, EarlHolt, George York, Thaddeus Pinkham, Albert Closson and Chanie Sadler. Two others Leon Murch and Herman Jordan, were called to Camp Devens, but were honorably discharged for physical disability Several others are waiting to be called There will be appropriate exercises in the hall, the date to be announced later. Next week the first and second degrees will be conferred on three candidates.

LIGHT DRESSING OF MANURE

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PROVIDE ABUNDANCE OF AIR

Where Vegetables Are Growing In Cold Frames, Slide Sash Down on Every Mild Day.

Cauliflower, cabbage, lettuce and parsley plants which are in the cold frames should be given an abundance Slide the sash down about half way in the middle of every mild day for one or two hours. When it is not safe to take off the sash entirely in the middle of the day, let them be at the back of the frames to let in fresh air to the plants.

Taking a Joke.

Learning to take a joke is much like learning to take medicine; it can be done, but it is not pleasant.

The Plattsburg Manual Advises the daily use of Foot-Ease in the shoes. There is nothing so good for the quick relief of corns, bunions, chilblains, blisters, sore spot or calouses as this old, standard remedy. Alleu's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to shake into the shoes. Sold everywhere. Don't accept any substitute.

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Grown-ups, too, feel better for tak-ing The True "L. F." ATWOOD'S Medicine as a tonic, relief for digestive troubles, biliousness, constipation, etc. Large bottle: Fifty Cents. All druggists and general storekeepers. Sa free. The "L. F." Medicine free. The "L. Portland, Maine,

Help Starting Device by Providing Rich Gas Mixture.

How Antifreezing Solution Should Be Fed Into Radiator - Proportions Will Depend Largely Upon Temperature.

Every year motorists find themselves overlooking the fact that Jack Frost is no respecter of persons and automo biles, and that he will go out of his way to pay his respects to the radiator and congealing the water therein and in the water jackets of the cylinders-cause a pretty repair bill and deny the owner the use of his car for a week or more.

The first fall of snow is no longer viewed with alarm by motor car owners-it is no longer the signal for them to put their cars away until spring More and more car owners are coming to realize that in keeping their cars in dead storage for three or four months every year, they are carrying an idle investment, besides doing the car more harm than good. Disuse breeds depreciation as surely as does misuse.

Provides Gas Mixture.

On cold days help your starting motor by providing a rich gas mixture. Prime the carburetor in the usual way, or, better still, choke the air in-Not all of the gasoline in the rich mixture will reach the cylinder-much of it will condense on the cold walls of the intake manifold. So you will understand why it is wise to provide as rich a mixture at the carburetor as is possible, and the careful owner will take this means of removing a good share of the burden from his battery. Insure Against Damage.

Provide yourself with a few gallons of denatured alcohol, and when the weather turns in a decided manner feed a little into the radiator, thus insuring yourself against damage that surely will come otherwise. The proportions depend upon the temperature. It will require a 5 per cent solution of alcohol to prevent freezing at 25 degrees, and a 23 per cent solution will take care of the water system down to zero. As low as 10 below the solu-tion should be 30 per cent, and if the mercury happens to drop to 15 degrees below the percentage will be 35 of alcohol, whereas 10 more degrees below will require a 40 per cent solution. At present prices glycerin is out of the question as an antifreezing agent-besides, alcohol is far better and cheaper, even if it does tend to evaporate

Cover your radiator when car is allowed to stand idle, and if it is to remain in the cold for any length of time let it face the wind and not back up to it. If left in the latter position the wind has a clear passage under the car and above the drip pan to the mo-

It requires no more effort to do things correctly than it does to do them wrongly, and lack of understanding is the only barrier. Watch the little details.

Changing Auto Tires.

In changing a tire take the precau-tion to run the hand carefully around the inside of the casing in search of sharp objects which may puncture the tubes. Very frequently slow leaks are caused by picking up loose nails or tacks; the head prevents the air from coming out of the casing at the punc tured spot; but not so of the tube.

New Electric Brake. The inventor of a new electric brake

for automobiles claims it will stop a car moving at a speed of 50 miles an hour within 45 feet without skidding.

Famous Family of Preachers. Rev. Lyman Beecher, sometimes referred to as "founder of the Beecher family," had seven sons who were preachers. Beginning with the oldest, they were: William Henry Beecher, born in 1802; Edward Beecher, born in 1803 : George Beecher, born in 1809 ; Henry Ward Beecher, born in 1813; Charles Beecher, born in 1815; Thomas K. Beecher, born in 1824, and James C. Beecher, born in 1828.

been used so successfully for fifty-two years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Sold by Alexander's Pharmacy.

CUT THIS OUT-IT IS WORTH MONEY DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co. 283 Sheffield Ave. Chicago. Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in returns a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back, rheumatism, and thoroughly cleansing cathartic for constituents, and thoroughly cleansing cathartic for constituents. Sold by Alexander's Pharmacy. CUT THIS OUT-IT IS WORTH MONEY

COUNTY NEWS

ASHVILLE.

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Orcutt at Minturn. Mr. Orcutt who is in training at Camp Devens is on his way home on a furlough. Justin Johnson who is in training at

Ayer, has been advanced to the rank of first-class private, and Harry Hammond of West Gouldsboro, to the rank of coporal.

News came to Alden Robertson recently. through friends of one of the boys in Sgt. Ralph Robertson's company in France, that he had broken his leg. This his friends believe to have been the cause of the blood poisoning which caused his death. Feb. 25.

NORTH FRANKLIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark are at home after an absence of some months. Mrs. Clark's mother, Mrs. Julia Butler, is visiting them.

Word has been received from Roy Caler, who is in France, that he has been in a hospital since the first of January from the effects of poison gas. While he has recovered sufficiently to write, he has not vet recovered his speech.

EAST ORLAND.

Helen Pickering is visiting in Bangor. Fannie Lunt, Louise Gray and Florence Johnson are ill of tonsilitis.

Alamoosook grange has invested its savings in war stamps, and the members are working for the Red Cross at their meetings.

HANCOCK POINT.

Miss Alice Wooster has returned from Needham, Mass., and Miss Minnie Ball from Bangor.

W. O. Smith of Pasadena, Cal., formerly of this place, who has been seriously ill since Jan. 11, is slowly improving. M. R.

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CAPE ROSIER.

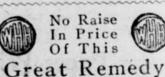
Van Black and James Peasley have each lost a horse recently.

Ella, daughter of A. W. Howard, fell Wednesday, dislocating her elbow.

The ice has badly damaged the wharf of Van Black, and all the weirs.

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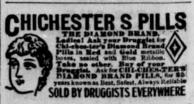
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will conquer rheumatism. For over five years throughout America Rheuma has been prescribed by broad-minded a physicians; and f has released thousands from agony, pain and despair.





COUNTY NEWS

PENOBSCOT.

Mrs. Laura Dunbar and son Don have returned from a visit in Bucksport. Miss Lillian Leach is home from Ban-

gor, where she has spent three months. The ladies' aid society of the Leach district gave a pleasing entertainment at the town hall Monday evening. Ice-cream

There will be a meeting of Penot chapter, O. E. S., at Masonic hall Friday evening, March 1. Each one attending is asked to bring his baby picture and take

N. L. Heath has been elected chairman of the four-minute men for this town. Mr. Heath gave the first talk at the Pastime theatre Saturday. Speakers will be announced each evening before the pic-

The senior class of Clark high school presented "The Deacon's Second Wife" Friday evening, Feb. 22. Much credit is due the students taking part, also to the teachers for their untiring efforts. Gray's orchestra furnished music for a dance after the play. Proceeds, about \$50.

The many friends of Mrs. Belle Leach Patten of Orland were grieved to learn of her death at a hospital in Bangor last Thursday. Besides her husband, Freeman Patten, she leaves two sons-Warren, who is attending a dental college in Baltimore, and Roscoe, who is in training at a military camp in Florida; also one sister, Maude Leach, of Augusta, and a brother, Everard, of this place.

WOODLOCKE.

BROOKLIN.

Mrs. Alma Bartlett, who has been ill of the grip, is better.

Will F. Gray and wife, of Naskeag, who have been visiting their son Virgil in Portland, are home.

Pearl Tainter, Lewis Closson, Omar Friend, Howard Closson and Lawrence Kane went to Ellsworth last week to be examined for service. The Red Cross will hold a sale at I. O. O.

F. hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 27. The farce "It was all a Mistake" will be presented. The sale will be in the hands of the ladies on Bay street.

Lookout chapter, O. E. S., observed

Washington's birthday at its regular meeting Friday evening. A social afternoon was enjoyed, and at 6 o'clock supper was served. After practice work, the committee on entertainment presented a Washington program, followed by a dress parade. The costumes were very amusing This was followed by an obstacle race. Mrs. Myrtle Powers and H. E. Freetney being the swiftest, and Mrs. Belle Bridges and O. L. Flye the slowest couple. The evening closed by all singing patriotic

Feb. 25. UNE FEMME.

GOULDSBORO.

Lewis Kidder and Ernest Whitaker, who have been employed in the woods on Cherryfield river, are nome

Irving MacDonald and C. L. Tracy went to Ellsworth Saturday. Mr. MacDonald went to take an examination for postmastership.

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A Grippe Epidemic

Every winter Health Boards warn against this weakening disease which often strikes those who are least prepared to resist it. You should strengthen yourself against grippe by taking



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"HUNS" IMPOSED **ABSURD FINES**

State Department Archives at Washington Record the Story of Sissonne.

COMMUNE UNABLE TO PAY

Von Buelow, on That Account, Threatened to Destroy Home of Prince of Monaco, Who Appealed to President Wilson.

The universally condemned German system of extorting money from captured communities is shown by the following documents published by the committee on public informa-

A striking illustration of the fierce brutality of German methods is contained in the archives of the state de partment, because the prince of Monaco appealed to President Wilson against the injustice of a fine imposed upon a small and impoverished village. The following documents from the state department archives tell the story. They need no comments.

"Paris, Oct. 27, 1914. "Secretary of State, Washington. "Prince of Monaco called this morn ing and asked that the following case be submitted to the president:

"Prince states that General von Buelow for weeks has been inhabiting prince's ancestral chateau near Reims, historical monument, containing works of art and family heirlooms; that Von Buelow has imposed fine of 500,000 francs on village of Sissonne some miles distant from chateau, because of broken glass found on road near village. Sissonne being unable alone to pay has raised with a number of other neighboring villages 125,000 francs, but Von Buelow has sent two messengers from Sissonne to prince that unless latter pays fine for Sissonne the chateau and adjoining village, as well as Sissonne, will be destroyed on November 1st. Prince has answered refusing to pay sum now but willing to give his word to Ger man emperor that amount would be paid after removal of danger of fresh war incidents. Prince now fearful lest returning messengers, as well as male employees on his estate, be shot because of refusal to pay.

"I have arranged meeting this afternoon between Spanish ambassador and prince, to whom I have suggested that matter be presented to German government through Spanish ambassador at Berlin inasmuch as prince's threatened property is in France.

"HERRICK." Von Buelow's Threat.

"To the Mayor of the Commune of

"It has been conclusively proven that the road between Sissonne and the railway station of Montaigu was, on September 18th, strewn with broken glass along a distance of one kilome ter and at intervals of 50 meters, for the purpose, no doubt, of impeding automobile traffic.

"I hold the commune of Sissonne responsible for this act of hostility on the part of its inhabitants, and I punish the said community by levying upon it a contribution of 500,000 (five hundred thousand

"This sum must be entirely paid into the treasury of the Etape by October 15th.

The inspection of the Etap at Montcornet has been directed to enforce execution of this order. "The General Commander in Chief of

the Army, "VON BUELOW."

Protest of Prince of Monaco. Monaco, Oct, 22nd, 1914.

"Sire: "I forward to your majesty several documents relating to a very grave and urgent matter.

"The General von Buelow has caused to be occupied since one month and a half my residence of Marchais, situated at five kilometers from the village of Sissonne. The general has levied upon the 1,500 inhabitants of this poor ruined village a war contribution of 500,000 francs, of which they are unable to pay more than one-quarter. Moreover, he has sent to me two emissaries bearing a document in which he threatens to destroy my property and the village of Marchais, over and above that of Sissonne, in the event of my not disbursing myself the sum in question before the end of the month of October.

"That is how a Prussian general treats a reigning prince who for 45 years has been a friend to Germany. and who in all the countries of the world is surrounded with respect and gratitude for his work.

"In reply to the summons of the General von Buelow I have given my word of honor to complete the above contribution in order to avert a horrible action accomplished in cold blood, but adding that as a sovereign prince I submit this matter to the judgment of the emperor by declar-ing that the said sum shall be paid when the Chateau de Marchais will be free from the danger of intentional

"I am, with great respect, your majesty's devoted servant and cousin, "ALBERT, Prince of Monaco," Letter Addresed to Von Buelow. "Monaco, Oct. 22, 1914.

Sissonne and that of Marchias the rigorous treatment with which you have threatened them, I give my word of honor to remit to his majesty the Emperor William, should the war come to an end without intentional damage being caused to my residence or to these two communes, the necescary sum to complete the amount of 500,000 francs imposed by you upon

"As a sovereign prince, I wish to deal in this matter with the sovereign who, during 15 years, called me his friend and has decorated me with the Order of the Knight of the Black

"My conscience and my dignity place me above fear, as also my personal will shall elevate me above regret; but should you destroy the Chateau de Marchais, which is one of the centers of universal science and charity, should you reserve to this archaeological and historical gem the treatment you have given to the Cathedral of Reims-when no reprehensible action has been committed there -the whole world will judge be tween you and myself. "I tender to your excellency the ex-

pression of my high regard. "ALBERT, Sovereign Prince of Mon-

Deportations and Forced Labor. Until the present war the whole civlized world has boasted of its advance in humanity. This advance has been marked in many fields, and in none had greater progress been made than in the protection to be given to the private citizen in an invaded country. As far back as 1863, in the "Instructions for the Government of Armies of the United States in the Field,'

the United States declared: "23. Private citizens are no longer murdered, enslaved, or carried off to distant parts, and the inoffensive individual is as little disturbed in his private relations as the commander of the hostile troops can afford to grant in the overruling demands of a vigorous war.

"24. The almost universal rule in remote times was, and continues to be with barbarous armies, that the private individual of the hostile country is destined to suffer every privation of liberty and protection, and every disruption of family ties. Protection was, and still is with uncivilized people, the exception.'

Reversion to Barbarism.

These declarations were made in the midst of our Civil war-one of the world's fiercest conflicts. A half-century later, after more than 50 years of progress, the German government has gone back to the methods used by "barbarous armies" and "uncivilized people." It has deliberately adopted the policy of deporting men and women, boys and girls, and of forcing them to work for their captors; it has even compelled them to make arms and munitions for use against their allies and their own flesh

No other act of the German governnent has aroused such horror and detestation throughout the civilized Thousands of helpless men world. and women, boys and girls, have been enslaved. Families have been broken up. Girls have been carried off to work-or worse-in a strange land, and their relatives have not known where they have been taken, or what This system of forced labor and de-

portation embraced the whole of Belgium. Poland and the occupied lands of France.

Whitlock's Story of Horrors.

In less moving phrases, but in deady corroboration, the continuation of the report of Minister Whitlock says:

"The rage, the terror, and despair excited by this measure all over Belum were beyond anything we had witnessed since the day the Germans poured into Brussels. The delegates of the commission for relief in Belgium, returning to Brussels, told the most distressing stories of the scenes of cruelty and sorrow attending the And daily, hourly almost, since that time appalling stories have been related by Belgians coming to the legation. It is impossible for us to verify them, first because it is necssary for us to exercise all possible tact in dealing with the subject at all, and secondly because there is no means of communication between the Occupations-Gebiet and the Etapnen-Gebiet. Transportation everywhere in Belgium is difficult, the vicinal

railways scarcely operating any more because of the lack of oil, while all the horses have been taken. The people who are forced to go from one village to another must do so on foot or in vans drawn by the few miserable horses that are left. The wagons of the breweries, the one institution that the Germans have scrupulously respected, are hauled by oxen.

One of Foulest Deeds in History. "The well-known tendency of sensa tional reports to exaggerate themselves, especially in time of war, and in a situation like that existing here, with no newspapers to serve as a daily clearing house for all the rumors that are as avidly believed as they are eagerly repeated, should of course be considered; but even if a modicum of all that is told is true there still remains enough to stamp his deeds as one of the foulest that history records.

"I am constantly in receipt of reports from all over Belgium that tend to bear out the stories one constantly hears of brutality and cruelty. A number of men sent back to Mons are said to be in a dying condition, many of them tubercular. At Malines and at Antwerp returned men have died, their friends asserting that they have been victims of neglect and cruelty, "To avert from the commune of of cold, of exposure, of hunger."

Abberisements.

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COUNTY NEWS

BLUEHILL.

Mrs. F. E. Fullerton is visiting in Gray. Mrs. I. K. McIntyre and son Lester left for Waltham, Mass., Saturday.

I. E. Stanley fell Thursday, breaking both the small bones of his right leg.

J. H. Osgood and wife went to Franklin last week to visit Mrs. Osgood's parents. George Osgood reports that his flock of

eggs during January. The Village Improvement society gave a pleasing entertainment at the town hall,

Saturday evening. Dr. A. C. Kinney has received a commission as lieutenant in the army, and has been instructed to hold himself in readi-

ness for call. The Knights of Pythias entertained their friends at an open session Feb. 19, the fifty-fourth anniversary of the order. An honor roll was dedicated to the following members of the lodge who are in the service: James R. Abram, Lieut. Edward E. Chase, Martin C. Clark, Leman Hatch, William C. Dodge, Cecil W. Osgood, Ralph Torrey. In addition to the above list, three other members of the lodge have been accepted for the army, and await

orders.

WEST EDEN.

Maurice King and Elmer Reed will leave Tuesday for Portsmouth, N. H., to work in the navy yard.

This community was saddened by the undden death Sunday morning of E.S. Hamor, an honored and respected citizen. He leaves a widow, and one daughter, Mrs. Linnie Trundy, of Southwest Harbor, and one brother, M. W. Hamor, of Portsmouth, N. H., who came home for the funeral.

Feb. 25.

PROSPECT HARBOR.

Mrs. John Perry was called to Birch Harbor last week by the death of her father, Albert Winslow.

The town meeting is to be held here this year, and the Village Improvement society will furnish a cafeteria lunch.

Many Children are Sick y.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children break up colds in 24 hours, relieve feverish-ness, headache, stomach troubles, teething disorders and destroy worms. At all drug-gists 25c. Sample mailed FREE, Address, MOTHER GRAY Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

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Some people who are troubled with worms, or whose children sometimes suffer that way, try to get rid of the trouble by using worm lozenges or worm candy. They fail to get the quick results that can he obtained with Dr. True's Elixir, the family laxative and worm

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Beilair for quickly expelling worms. whether they are stomach worms or pin worms. Beside that, your stomach is toned up and normal action of the bowels is restored when you take Dr. True's Elixir. It is a doctor's preparation, originated by Dr. True and on the market more than 60 years.

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On December 4, 1916, Mr. Hamilton said: "What I said in the statement I gave in 1911, regarding the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills holds good in every particular. This medicine relieved me of an annoying kidney weakness and lame back. I am pleased to endorse Doan's Kidney Pills again."

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1918

The republicans of Ellsworth, in a largely attended caucus last Wednesday evening, gave unanimous endorsement to Mayor Hagerthy, the present board of aldermen and the street commissioner, by renominating the full ticket. Especially was it a compliment to Mayor Hagerthy, who eleven times has thus been honored, and has served nine terms as mayor. More than 300 attended the caucus, a vote taken showing 317 ballots cast. The same endorsement given by the party will be given by the voters of Ellsworth.

Trotzky and Lenine, by demobil izing the Russian army, threw down the bars and let an invading borde of Huns into the most properous and most fertile states of European Russia. Now she has been compelled to accept the ignominious peace terms imposed by the Germans, losing about one-fifth of ber population and one-thirtieth of her territory. The part lost contains a muority of the idustrial sections, - most of the great factories are locace? and the most fertile foodproducing regions 'for over, by the barrier of new states erected under the domination of Germany, Russia is completely shut out of European markets, and even the Arctic seas are barred to her use by the terms of the treaty until the conclusion of a general peace with all the allies.

A New Ballot.

This year the voters of Ellsworth must again take a course of instruction in voting with a new form of ballot, as adopted by the last legislature. Specimens of this ballot for each of the five wards in the city are printed on pages 6 and 7 of this issue.

It will be noted that in addition to the square above the party name and ticket, there is provided on the new ballot a square at the right of the name of each candidate.

The law in regard to voting with this new form of ballot reads as fol-

On receipt of his ballot the voter shall forthwith, and without leaving the en-closed space, retire alone to one of the closed space, retire alone to one of the voting shelves or compartments so provided, and shall prepare his ballot by marking in the appropriate place, a cross (X) as follows: He may place such mark within the square above the name of the party group or ticket, in which case he shall be deemed to have voted for all the persons named in the group under such party or designation. And if the voter shall desire to vote for any person or persons, whose name or names are not printed as candidates in such party group or ticket. whose name or names are not printed as candidates in such party group or ticket, he may crase any name or names which are printed therein and place a cross (X) in the square at the right of the name of the candidate of his choice in any other party group or ticket. Or, as an optional method of voting, the voter may omit the cross (X) in the party square and place a cross (X) in the blank square at the right of the name of each candidate he wishes of the name of each candidate he wishes to vote for. If the voter wishes to vote for a candidate whose name is not on the ballot he may write the name under the name of the candidate erased. Or if the voter does not desire to vote for a person or persons whose name or names are persons whose name or names are inted upon the party group or ticket, may erase such name or names with effect that the ballot shall not be used for the candidate or candidates lose names are so erased. Stickers shall to be counted unless used to fill a valour or correct an error in the printed. cancy or correct an error in the printed ballot.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

Albert Gray motored in his Ford touring car from his home at Cape Rosier. oksville, across the ice to Belfast Friday, making the trip of twelve miles in twenty-five minutes. He made several later trips, trailing a sled and bringing tons of freight. It is certainly the first time such a trip was ever made.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Lincoln H. Sibley of Bluebill has announced his cardidacy for the republican nomination for representative in his

NORTH BROOKLIN.

Clarence Roberts of Wesley is visiting

Arthur Cole had his right hand be cut on his sawing machine Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen have received news of the safe arrival of their son For-

rest in France. XENOPHON

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be thourable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to core with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore require constitutional conditions and therefore require constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Chency & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and actarbanched the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward a offered for any case that Hail's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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BELGIANS HERDED IN CATTLE PENS

Participant's Testimony of Degradation Accompanying Deportation From Mons.

SCENES OF FIENDISH CRUELTY

Women Forbidden to Give Food and Clothing to Men Facing Privation and Cold-United States' Appeal Unheeded.

Conspicuous among cold-blooded acts of cruelty committed by the Germans, to their everlasting disgrace, the deportation from Mons is prominent. Official documents published by the committee on public information tell part of the harrowing story.

A vivid sketch of the deportations from Mons, ordered by German authorities, drawn by a participant, may well be cited here:

"I will take the 18th of November of last year [1916]. A week or so before that a placard was placed on the walls telling my capital city of Mons that in seven days all the men of that city who were not clergymen, who were not priests, who did not belong to the city council, would be deported.

"At half past five, in the gray of the morning on the 18th of November, they walked out, 6,200 men at Mons, myself and another leading them down the cobblestones of the street and out where the rioting would be less than in the great city, with the soldiers on each side, with bayonets fixed, with the women held back.

"The degradation of it! The degradation of it as they walked into this great market square, where the pens were erected, exactly as if they were cattle-all the great men of that province-the lawyers, the statesmen, the heads of the trades, the men that had made the capital of Hainaut glorious during the last 20 years.

"There they were collected; no question of who they were, whether they were busy or what they were doing, or what their position in life. 'Go to the right! Go to the left! Go to the So they were turned to the one side or the other.

"Trains were standing there ready, steaming, to take them to Germany. You saw on the one side the one brother taken, the other brother left, A hasty embrace and they were separated and gone.

"You saw the women in hundreds, with bundles in their hands, beseeching to be permitted to approach the trains, to give their men the last that they had in life between themselves starvation-a small bundle of clothing to keep them warm on their way to Germany. You saw women approach with a bundle that had been purchased by the sale of the last of their household effects. Not one was allowed to approach to give her man the warm pair of stockings or the warm jacket, so there might be some chance of his reaching there. Off they wents"-John H. Gade, in the Na-Geographic Magazine, May, 1917.

The Belgian women sent a touching appeal to Minister Whitlock:

Appeal of Belgian Women. "Brussels, Nov. 18, 1916, 46 Rue de la Madeleine.

"His Excellency, Mr. Brand Whitlock, Plenipotentiary of the United States of America. "Mr. Minister:

"From the depths of our well of misery our supplication rises to you. "In addressing ourselves to you, we

denounce to your government, as well as to our sisters, the women of the nation which you represent in our midst, the criminal abuse of force of which our unhappy and defenseless people is a victim.

"Since the beginning of this atroclous war we have looked on impotently and with our hearts torn with every sorrow at terrible events which put civilization back into the ages of the barbarian hordes.

"Mr. Minister, the crime which is now being committed under your eyes, namely, the deportation of thousands of men compelled to work on enemy soil against the interests of their country, cannot find any shadow of excuse on the ground of military necessity, for it constitutes a violation by force of a sacred right of human conscience.

Called "Monstrous Extremity. "Whatever may be the motive, it cannot be admitted that citizens may be compelled to work directly or indirectly for the enemy against their brothers who are fighting.

"The convention of The Hague has consecrated this principle.

"Nevertheless, the occupying power is forcing thousands of men to this monstrous extremity, which is contrary to morals and international law, both these men who have already been taken to Germany and those who tomorrow will undergo the same fate, if from the outside, from neutral Eu-rope and the United States, no help is offered.

"Oh! The Belgian women have also known how to carry out their duty in the hour of danger; they have not weakened the courage of the soldiers of honor by their tears.

"They have bravely given to their country those whom they loved. . The blood of mothers is flowing on the

battlefields with that of their sons. "Those who are taken away today do not go to perform a glorious duty. They are slaves in chains who, in a

dark exile, threatened by hunger, prison, death, will be called upon to perform the most odious work-service to the enemy against the fatherland. Rights of Honor and Conscience.

"The mothers cannot stand by while such an abomination is taking place without making their voices heard in protest.

"They address you in the name of the unalterable rights of honor and conscience.

"It has been said that women are 'all powerful suppliants.'

"We have felt authorized by this saying, Mr. Minister, to extend our hands to you and to address to your country a last appeal.

"We trust that in reading these lines you will feel at each word the unhappy heartbeeats of the Belgian women and will find in your broad and humane sympathy imperative reasons for intervention.

"Only the united will of the neutral peoples energetically expressed can counterbalance that of the German authorities.

"This assistance which the neutral nations can and, therefore, ought to lend us, will it be refused to the oppressed Belgians?

"Be good enough to accept, Mr. Minister, the homage of our most distinguished consideration."

(Signed by a number of Belgian women and 24 societies.) The United States government did not fail to respond to this touching ap-

neal and to others of a similar nature The American embassy at Berlin promptly took up the burning question of the deportations with the chancellor and other representatives of the German government. In an interview with the under secretary of state for foreign affairs, Mr. Grew was handed an official statement of the German plans, which is, in translation, as fol-

German Camouflage.

"Against the unemployed in Belgium, who are a burden to public charity, in order to avoid friction arising therefrom, compulsory measures are to be adopted to make them work so far as they are not voluntarily inclined to work, in accordance with the regulation issued May 15, 1916, by the governor general. In order to ascertain such persons the assistance of the municipal authorities is required for the district of the governor general in Brussels, while in the districts outside of the general government, i. e., in the provinces of Flanders, lists were demanded from the presidents of the local relief committees containing the names of persons receiving relief. For the sake of establishing uniform procedure the competent authorities have. in the meantime, been instructed to make the necessary investigations regarding such persons also in Flanders through the municipal authorities; furthermore, presidents of local relief committees who may be detained for having refused to furnish such isits will be released."

Mr. Grew pointed out that the deportations were a breach of faith and would injure the German cause abroad. In his official summary of the negotations which he carried on he

"I then discussed in detail with the under secretary of state for foreign affairs the unfortunate impression which this decision would make abroad, reminding him that the measures were In principle contrary to the assurances given to the ambassador by the chancellor at general headquarters last spring and dwelling on the effect which the policy might have on England's attitude towards relief work in Belgium. I said I understood that the measures had been promulgated solely by the military government in Belgium and that I thought the matter ought at least to be brought to the chancellor's personal attention in the light of the consequences which the new policy would entail. Herr Zimmermann intimated in reply that the foreign office had very little influence with the military authorities and that it was uplikely that the new policy in Belgium could be revoked. He stated, however, in answer to my inquiry, that he would not disapprove of my seeing the chancellor about the matter.

Solemn Protest by United States. The formal protest of the United

States was as follows: "The government of the United States has learned with the greatest concern and regret of the policy of the German government to deport from Belgium a portion of the civilian population with the result of forcing them to labor in Germany, and is constrained to protest in a friendly spirit but most solemnly against this action which is in contravention of all precedent and those humane principles of international practice which have long been accepted and followed by civilized nations in their treatment of noncombatants in conquered territory. Furthermore, the government of the United States is convinced that the effect of this policy if pursued will in all probability be fatal to the Belgian relief work, so humanely planned so successfully carried out, a result which would be generally deplored and which, it is assumed, would seriously embarrass the German government.

This protest was followed by those of the pope, the king of Spain, the government of Switzerland and other neutrals. They were of no avail, except, perhaps, to lead the German aurities to draw a tighter veil over their detestable proceedings. But the evidence has in some measure come through, although the full facts will not be known until the liberation of heroic Belgium.

NEWS COUNTY

WEST FRANKLIN. Harold Worcester is visiting his brother at Old Town.

Mrs. C. T. Goodwin has returned from a visit in Mt. Desert.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Osgood of Bluehill visited here last week.

Mrs. Joe Buzzell and two children and ilden Ryder went to Seal Harbor Monday. Word was received last week by Mrs. Sellie Smith of the death of her brother, Alfred Bragdon, at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Hazel Mosley returned to Bar Har oor Saturday night, with her little daughter Gladys, who had been with her grandparents several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Clark of Brewer, Mrs. R. H. Moen of Bar Harbor and George M. Moon and daughter of Hancock were here to attend the funeral of Weston B. Clark.

The Red Cross met with Mrs. S. S. Scamnon Wednesday afternoon. It was an very enthusiastic gathering of seventeen ladies. There will be six quilts ready for shipment, two ladies from Egypt having given the outside for three quilts. The next meeting, Feb. 27, will be with Mrs. Galen Orcutt.

The senior class parts of Franklin high school have been assigned as follows: Valedictory, Leona L. DeBeck; salutatory, Leonard Bragdon; history, Jessie Rob bins; prophecy, Ervin Bragdon; address to undergraduates, Herbert Marshall; presentation of gifts, Rowena Wood worth: oration. Walter Coombs.

Egypt, in the western part of this town, with a little more than a dozen families, has five boys in the service, all enlisted. William Jordan is captain and Melvin Scammon is engineer on patrol boats stationed at Portland. Alian Butler, who left technical school in Boston to join the navy, is now in France. Shirley Sawyer enlisted in the ambulance corps and is supposed to be on his way to France, and Allan Grant, another Egypt boy, was one of the first to enlist.

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SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

Richmond Carpenter, one of the young men in the draft, wen't to Elisworth last week for examination and was accepted. Christopher Lawler was also examined but has not yet received his card.

Whitcomb, Haynes & Whitney of Ellsworth are employing a large crew at the lumber camp at Seal Cove, having purchased a tract of woodland on the Heath

George Delorin Atherton of this place has sold one-half of his farm on Beech bill, including the buildings, to a Mr. Abbot of Cleveland, O., a summer visitor at Somesville, who will make improvements on the homestead as a summer home.

The Congregational church, without a pastor for several months, is in correspondence with Rev. Mr. Ohlsen who supplied for a time at Cranberry Isles, and who has promised to occupy the pulpit here Easter Sunday.

On Washington's birthday, at the high school, there were exercises appropriate to the day. Among the interesting features was a speech by Rev. W. T. Forsythe, and a humorous report of the boys' conference at Portland, by Milton Norwood. Feb. 25.

SPRAY.

WEST BROOKSVILLE. Sidney Hawes lost a valuable full-blooded Holstein cow recently. The cow gave birth to twin calves, which are living and doing well.

Capt. George H. Tapley, on Feb. 5, oberved his 86th birthday very quietly. As the thermometer was 20 below zero, it was too cold for him to celebrate.

We are still icebound, and food products are running low in the stores.

Otis Farnbam has taken charge of Gaffert farm, owned by Edward Von Mack. Swazey, use anomaly, short illness of pneumonia. She was Miss Mary Mills is home from Caratunk. where she has been teaching.

Mrs. Harry Hill, with daughter Morjorie, of Gardiner, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stover. Feb. 25. TOMBON.

DEER ISLE.

The barn, hen house, tool house, wood shed and ell connected with the bouse owned by Arthur Haskell were burned Friday, with contents of hay, wood, tools and farming implements. When the fire was discovered the barn was burning fiercely. The alarm by telephone office in a very short time brought a crowd of willing keepers who worked hard to save Fortunately the cisterns in the house. the neighborhood were well-filled and the wind favored the workers. Mr. Haskell is employed in Camden this winter where his family is now living, and his home here was unoccupied.

FRANKLIN.

Mrs. W. E. Bragdon is visiting in New port and Mrs. L. F. Springer in Houlton. Mrs. Paul Guptill of Cherryfield recently visited her sister, Mrs. Edwin Garbett.

A basket-ball game Friday evening at

the town hall between Cherryfield academy girls and Franklin high girls, for the benefit of the Red Cross, was won by Franklin. Score 10-6. The Red Cross auxiliary is in need of

other sewing machines. Their musical entertainment for March 8 will be by local talent from all parts of the town, and should be patronized by all. Feb. 25.

SOUND.

Chauncey Joy of Northeast Harbor has large crew cutting wood on his lot here Irving Babbidge and family from Hall Quarry bave moved into the Perry Sar-Feb. 25.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles have yielded to Doan's Ointment. 65c at all drug storers—Advi.

RIRCH BARROR

In the death of Albert H. Winslow, or Feb. 21, the community loses another of its respected citizens. He was born in Albion July 22, 1832, the son of Levi and Ann Winslow, and came here when a young man. He married Esther Bickford of this village. Seven children blessed the union, four of whom are living-George of Fitchburg, Mass., Mrs. John Perry of Prospect Harbor, Mrs. Nellie Temple, who resides here, and Marcellus, who lived with him and has cared for his father during his illness. One sister, Mrs. Ellen Jepson, of Vassalboro and six grandchildren also survive him.

WEST GOULDSHORO.

Much work has been accom-

The Red Cross Helping Club meets every Monday afternoon at Mrs. Louise

Wood's.

Feb. 25.

Gordon Bunker celebrated his third birthday Feb. 22, entertaining a few of his little friends. The birthday cake was

presented by Mrs. Cecil Rosebrook. Frank Gerrish, Chester Williams and Alpheus Kingsley were in Ellsworth last week for physical examination before the draft board. Mr. Gerrish failed to pass. Mr. Williams passed. Mr. Kingsley has

schools have closed on account of a

not yet received his card.

scarcity of fuel. Mrs. Joseph Paul of Philadelphia is visiting her son William.

The funeral of George Hickman was held at the L. D. S. church Sunday, under auspices of the Knights of Pythias. His death resulted from a cut received while working in the woods a month ago. At first it was not considered serious, blood poisoning developed. He was fiftynine years of age. He leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter.

Feb. 25.

WINTER HARBOR.

The ladies of the sewing circle will serve dinner in Odd Fellows hall town-meeting day, March 4.

The masquerade ball Friday evening, for the benefit of the Red Cross, resulted in adding some \$20 to the fund.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pendleton Feb. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Frye of Lubec are here for the season. Feb. 25.

MARIAVILLE. Josie Black is working in Bangor.

Mrs. Thomas Hanscom is visiting in Bar Mrs. Joseph Frost, who was called to Ayer, Mass., by the illness of her son Alton, is expected home in a day or so.

Her son is still in a critical condition, with little hope of his recovery. The other son, Charles, is also ill at Ayer, and another son, Osborn, is ill at home.

OAK POINT. Mrs. Georgia Murch and sons Harland

Raymond Alley of Boston was in town recently. Mrs. Alley is in California this winter.

and Donald are at home for a short time.

The big stone wall on Alley's island has been hauled across the bay to the Narrows, to be used in the new bridge construction. Feb. 25.

Miss Virgie Mann and sister are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Leone Haskell.

Mrs. Phebe Torrey is visiting her grandson, Harry Torrey.

Arbutus grange will hold its meeting on Friday nights for a month.

BUCKSPORT.

Martha Elizabeth, widow of Joseph Swazey, died Monday, Feb. 25, after a short illness of pneumonia. She was seventy-nine years of age. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Walter H. Gardner, and one sister, Mrs. Edward Hall, both of Bucksport.

NORTH SULLIVAN.

Hal Blaisdell is at home from North Jay.

Elwood Wentworth, bugler in the 303d artillery, Camp Devens, called on friends and relatives here last week.

Feb. 22.

NORTH HANKSYME

NORTH HANCOCK.

Carleton Stewart, who has been visiting in Guilford, is home. C. E. Googins has been at home from Orono a few days.

Feb. 25. SPEC.

NORTH SEDGWICK. Miss Bertha Howard of Boston is visiting at John Thurston's.

Two of our young men, Daniel Allen and John Firth passed physical examinations in the recent draft. Feb. 25.

Many Uses for Palmyra Palm. There are said to be about 800 uses for the palmyra palm, which grows throughout tropical India.

Political Announrement,

For Representative. BLUEHILL, MAINE, Feb. 22, 1918.

Having had voluntary assurance of support from many citizens in this and adjoining towns, I wish to announce that I have decided to become a candidate for the republican nomination for representative to the legislature, from the class consisting of the towns of Bluehill, Surry, Penobscot, Brooklin and Brooksville, at the primary election, to be held June 17.

I shall very much appreciate support, and, if nominated and elected, shall use

LINCOLN H. SIBLEY.

A T Surry village, house and six agres of land at a bargain.—G. H. Wasson, East

TWO sleighs, one wagon and a 150-tgg Prairie State incubator. Inquire of ARTHUR STUDER, Elleworth, Me.

Wood and Buy Thrift Stamps.

WE have engines, wood saws and saw frames in stock at reasonable prices. -THORNDIKE MACHINE COMPANY, Portland.

for Sale or to Let.

FARMS-Four or five farms for sale or to let. For particulars address H. B. PRILLIPS, Ellsworth, Me.

female Weip Effanteb.

WOMEN and girls wanted for best hotels in Maine. Waitresses, chambermaids, kitchen, dish, laundry, pastry and all-around cooks. Girls for housework. Apply at once and always to Maine Horal Agency, 20 Main street, Bangor, Me., for reliable hotel positions.

Belp Celanteb.

MEN wanted for Conductors and Motormen for Street R. R. in and outside of Boston. (Not for Boston Elevated.) Inexperienced men taken; steady jobs. Come at once and get in on this. Use Phone. Enclose postage if answer is wanted by mail. L. P. Church, 90 Main St., Bangor, Mc.

Chance for Advance

Chance for Advancement—Free.

1. U. S. Shipping Board free navigation school at Portland trains seamen for officers' berths in new Merchant Marine. Short cut to the bridge. Two years' sea experience required. Native or naturalized citizens only. Course six weeks. Military exemption. Apply to Faank A. Wilson at school, Municipal Bidg. Portland, between 1.50 and 5 p. m. Saturdays 8.30 a. m. to 12 noon. Celanteb. Wanted-Old false teeth, doesn't matter Wifboken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by re-tura mail. F. Tels, 403 N. Wolfe St., Balti-more, Md.

Spe al Monne

OLD LINE ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY has excellent proposition to offer whole or part time agents in Maine. Write NATIONAL CASUALTY COM-PANT, Detroit, Michigan.

Leval Hottes.

STATE OF MAINE. NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS OF EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS OF ADULTS AND CONSERVATORS.

CONSERVATORS.

[NOTE-Such notices] in estates on Mount Desert Islano will be published hereafter in the Bar Harbor Times; in estates in Deer Isle and Stonington, in the Deer Isle Messenger; in all other estates in The ELLSWORTH AMERICAN.]

PUBLIC notice is hereby given under the provisions of chapter 135 of the public laws of the state of Maine of 1917, that the following named persons have been appointed executors, administrators, guardians of adults and conservators, respectively, in the hereinafter named estates.

Harriet E. Morton, late of Bluehill, in said

Harriet E. Morton, late of Bluehill, in said county, deceased. Ernest M. Kimball, of Chicago, Illinois, appointed executor of the last will and testament and codicil of said deceased; date of qualification February 12, a. d. 1918. Not being a resident of the State of Maine. he has appointed Forrest B. Snow of Bluehill, in the county of Hancock and State of Maine, as his agent in said State of Maine, as the law directs. as the law directs.

Stephen R. Crosby, late of Bucksport, in said county, decased. Raiph L. Crosby of Boston, commonwealth of Massachusetts, appointed administrator of the extate of said deceased; date of qualification Feormary 8, a. d. 1918. Not being a resident of the State of Maine, he has appointed O. F. Fellows of Bargor, in the county of Penobscot and State of Maine, as the law directs.

John W. Kane, late of Bloobill, in said.

John W. Kane, late of Bluebill, in said county, deceased. Edith D. Kane of said Bluebill, appointed administratrix of the es-tate of said deceased; date of qualification February 8, 1918.

February 8, 1918.

Ira Shaw, late of Gouldsboro, in said county, deceased. Ella R. Nyman of said Gouldsboro, appointed administratrix of the estate of said deceased; date of qualification February 12, 1918.

Joseph W. Woodard, a person of unsound mind of Penobsect, in said county. Albert P. Leach of said Penobsect, appointed guar-dian of said Joseph W. Woodard; date of qualification February 12, 1918. Dated at Ellsworth, in said county, this twenty-seventh day of February, a. d. 1918.

CLARA E. MULLAN, Acting Register of Probate.

And whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, I, Augusta A. Smith, administratrix of the estate
of said Stephen Smallidge, late of said Mount
Desert, deceased, by reason of the breach of
the condition thereof, claim a foreelosure of
said mortgage and give this notice for that
nurpose.

Administratrix of the estat of Stephen Sma lidge, decea Dated at att. Desert, Me., February 16, 1918,

In the District Court of the United States for the Hancock District of Maine. NORTHERN DVISION.

In the matter of Oscar M. Bowden, Bankrupt, In Bankruptey. To the creditors of Oscar M. Bowden, of Penobscot, in the county of Hancock and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of February, a. d. 191s the said Oscar M. Bowden was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, Ellsworth, Maine, March 12, a. d. 1918, at 10 o'clock in the Iorenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

William E. Whiring,
Ellsworth, Me., Feb. 27, 1918.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

W HEREAS Frank Conary of Orland, Hancock county, State of Maine, conveyed to me, the undersigned, certain real estate situated in said Orland, Hancock county and State of Maine, December 7, 1999, and further described in Hancock County registry of deeds, book 464, page 413; and whereas the conditions of said mortgage are broken, I claim a foreclosure of the above-described property.

Ender C. Osgood.

Ellsworth, Me., Feb. 25, 1918.

The mail-order house is advertising my best efforts to safeguard the interests of the people of these towns, and to merit their confidence.

The mail-order house is advertising for your business. What are you going

to do about it?

RECALLS FAMOUS RECORDS OF SEA

Shipbuilding Program Renews Interest in the Performances of Old-Time Vessels.

PROUD OF OUR FAST SHIPS

clippers That Outsailed Steamers Showed Us How to Gain Mastery of the Sea-Some Remarkable Voyages.

Washington. - Much interest has been shown by the public in the United States shipping board's program of building many fast vessels for carrying supplies to France during the war, and to transport freights, mail and passengers as the vanguard of the great merchant marine that is to be maintained when peace returns.

National pride, say shipping experts here, has always found strong expression over the ability of the United States to produce fast ships. It is therefore nothing new for Americans to watch the products of their shipyards with swelling breasts.

Half a century and more ago the whole country took pride in the records of American clipper sailing ships, which led the merchant fleets of the

American shipyards then produced vessels which made long voyages at an average speed equal to that of the steamships of their time. The sailing records they established were never equaled by the ships of other nations.

These vessels were the direct prodnot of daring experiments by Yankee builders, who were never content to rest on their laurels, which were many. Each year they excelled their previous efforts, turning out flyers that challenged the attention of the maritime world. The Flying Cloud.

One of the most notable American vessels in the heyday of the clipper ships was the Flying Cloud of Boston.

which in 1851 made the run from New York to San Francisco, around Cape Horn, in 89 days, 21 hours, establishing a record that has stood since. On its voyage the ship sailed 374 miles in a single day, which exceeded by 42 miles the best day's run made by a steamship up to that time.

In 26 consecutive days, on this voyage, the Flying Cloud sailed 5,912 miles, an average of 227 miles a day, or 94 miles an hour. For four days, when she made her best speed, she averaged 314 miles a day, or 121/2 knots an hour.

The ship's exploit was celebrated in San Francisco with rejoicing, and the news of it gave pleasure to every American who heard of it.

The next year the ship Sovereign of the Seas-from the yard of the same builder, Donald McKay of East Boston-in the course of a voyage from Honolulu to New York excelled some of the dally runs of the Flying Cloud. In four days in the South Pacific she logged 1,478 miles, an average of 378 miles a day, or 151/4 miles an hour. In 11 days, between March 10 and 21, she logged 3,562 miles, a daily average of 330 miles, and an hourly average of 13% miles. At times she sailed at a speed of 19 miles an hour, which few freight-carrying steamers today can attain. Her best day's run was 424 miles, and showed an average speed of

17 2-3 miles an hour for 24 hours. The Sovereign of the Seas also had the distinction of having beaten a steamer on five continuous days of sailing, while on the passage from New York to Liverpool in 1853, and also of making the unique run of seven days from land to land, having sighted Cape Race, Newfoundland, at 6 a. m. June 24 and Cape Clear, Ireland, at 6 a. m. June 30.

Her best day's run was 344 miles on June 28. In five days, June 25-30, the ship outsailed the Cunard liner Canada, which was making the eastward passage from Boston to Liverpool, a total of 325 miles. The best day's run of the Canada was 306 miles. Greatest Cay's Run.

The greatest day's run ever made by a vessel under sail was accomplished by another ship of Donald McKay's

Abbertisements.

NUX IRON PEPSIN and

SARSAPARILLA - Effective Spring Medicine Combination

As comprised in Hood's Sarsapa-rilla and Peptiron, taken in conjunction, these valuable remedies possess unequalled value for the quick relief of a long trail of ailments common in the Spring season. You know well the great tonic properties of iron. They are much increased and in this combination-Hood's Sarsaparilla before meals

and Peptiron after. In these days of rushing and pushing, beyond the endurance of even the most robust, nearly every man and woman needs this blood-purifying, cleansing, up-building in the Spring. If it is not supplied, the depletion of the blood and the broken-down nerves may soon give way to permanent ill-health.

If a cathartic is needed, as where there is biliousness or constipation, Hood's Pills should be taken. They are purely vegetable, do not irritate, and work all right with Hood's Sar-saparilla and Peptiron.

build, the Lightning, on her maiden voyage, from Boston to Liverpool, in 1854.

On the first day of March, when approaching and rounding the north of Ireland, in a strong gale from the south, the ship logged 18½ miles an hour. Her lee rail was under water and her jib and fore-topsail, new, strong sails, were blown in shreds from their bolt ropes. Such an exhibition of sail-carrying rarely has been recorded as that on the Lightning that day; and it was done prayerfully, for her master, Captain Forbes, was a strong churchman.

At the end of the 24 hours the ship's log showed that she had made a day's run with parallel, of 436 sea miles, or more than 500 land miles.

This entitled the Lightning to the proud distinction of being the fastest ship that ever sailed the seas. There was no steamship of her day that could approach her record for a day's mileage by 100 miles, and 25 years passed before a steamer was produced, the Arizona, then rated as an ocean greyhound, that equaled her maximum speed per hour.

Best remembered today of the American clipper ships is the Dreadnought. She was a packet ship, running on a regular schedule with sengers between New York and Liverpool. There is a tradition that in 1859 she created a record of 9 days 17 hours from Sandy Hook to Queenstown, but the story has been decided to be myth-Ical.

The Dreadnought made many fast passages, however, in the total of seventy to eighty credited to her. On several occasions she maintained a uniform speed of 91/2 miles an hour from shore to shore. Her best eastward voyage was 13 days 8 hours from port to port, and her average speed for Atlantic voyages was higher, probably, than that of any other sailing ship.

The record of a Apper ship for crossing the Atlantic belongs, however, to the Red Jacket of New York, which crossed in 1854 from Sandy Hook to the entrance of the River Mersey in 13 days and 1 hour. The best passage in the opposite direction was made in 1860 by the ship Andrew Jackson, 15 days from the Mersey to

"VICTORY BUN" IS THE LATEST

Arizona Baker Spurns Sugar in Favor of Raisins-Here's His Recipe.

San Francisco,-"Victory bun" is a new contribution to the food conservation campaign. It is the discovery of William E. Doty, a baker of Miami, Ariz., who spurns sugar in favor of raisins. Here's the way it's done:

Two pounds of water, one ounce of salt, two pounds of wheat flour, twelve ounces of yeast, one and one-half pounds of seeded raisins, one ounce of vegetable oil, one-half teaspoonful of cinnamon. This recipe will make

WEIGHING FOOD SCOUTS



"Boys, you look bully!" said Col. Theodore Roosevelt to twenty-four boys of the diet squad of New York Public School No. 42, who are indulging in an extra meal each day in an effort to gain weight. The youngsters like their job, that of eating the specially prepared meals of the food ex-The kiddies are being weighed after their first week's diet; in another month they will change from the lightweight class to the heavyweight The colonel is showing the class. The colonel is showing the keenest interest in the weighing of each member of the diet squad.

ESTIMATE VALUE OF MANURE

Result Given of Test Conducted at North Dakota Experiment Station With Corn and Wheat.

Manure applied to land that was put into corp and followed by three crops of wheat (at North Dakota experiment station, 1906-1910) at the rate of six loads per acre increased the yield enough to bring \$1.40 per load. Wheat was then averaging about 80 cents and corn 50 cents per bushel. Now that wheat and corn are over \$2 per bushel and the return per load of manure will be about \$3.50 if the same rate of increase in the crop is seSOLDIER BOYS' CLUB.

ledges Receipt of Box.

The Ellsworth Soldier Boys' club which completed and sent to Ellsworth boys in the service fifty-six Christmas boxes, has received acknowledgment from nearly all of them. Corp. H. W. Dodge writes from France, under date of Jan. 3:

around here.
I would like to describe this part of

each other every hundred yards or so. The people around are very poor, and know but little of luxuries or amusements.

Everything is high, and not much of anything is obtainable.

We had a good dinner on Thanksgiving and one Christmas, with turkey and sweet potatoes, and on January 1 the captain of this battery gave a big turkey supper to us, and all the regimental and battery officers came and made speeches.

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I write this just to show how we are taking this life, and no one regrets our conditions any more than possible, as long as we are the first over. This camp is only artillery, but our next one will take in everything.

The Ellsworth Soldier Boys' club was

The club also acknowledges gifts of

'BLIND ENEMY.' SAYS FIGHTER

Airplanes Will Win the War, Declares Officer of French Army on Furlough Here.

of the enemy, that will win the war,' is the message brought back to Chicago from the battlefields of France by Lieut, Clifford H. De Roode, who came home on a furlough from the French to visit his parents here.

"If the United States turns its efforts toward building the greatest air fleet its services will reach the maximum," according to Lieutenant De Roode. "Germany has been building more planes than we have. Once we gain control of the air we can who.

"The French are satisfied with the activities of the United States. They understand the great problems of transportation of troops and supplies,'

************** FATHER IS WILLING TO SACRIFICE HIS FIVE SONS

Washington. - When George Walter Plants of draft age, presented himself before the exemption board with his father it was shown that he had two brothers already in the service.

"No, sir," replied Plants Senior when asked if he wanted exemption for the third son. "I have two boys in the army and I am willing not only to send George into the service, but have two more boys at home you can have if you need them."

**************** New Value of Crabs.

Milford, Del.-A local factory which converts king crabs into fertilizer and fish into oil has just announced a yearly profit of \$98,000. The increased cost of other fertilizer has made the lowly king crab very important.

Americanent.

NO MORE CATARRH

A Guaranteed Treatment That Has

Stood the Test of Time

Catarrh cures come and catarrh cures go, but Hyomei continues to heal catarrh and abolish its disgusting symptoms wherever civilization exists.

Every year the a-ready enormous sales of this really scientific treatment for catarrh grow greater, and the present year should show all records broken.

If you breath Hyomei daily as directed it will end your catarrh, or it won't cost you acent.

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If you have a hard rubber Hyomei inhaier somewhere around the house, get it out and start it at once to forever rid yourself of catarrh.

C. E. Alexander, or any other good druggist, will sell you a bottle of Hyomei (liquid), start to breathe it and notice how quickly it clears out the air passages and makes the entire head feel fine.

Hyomei used regularly will end catarrh, coughs, colds, bronchitis or asthma. A complete outfit, including a hard rubber pocket inhaier and bottle of Hyomei, costs but little. No stomach dosing; just breathe it. It kills the germs, soothes and heals the inflamed membrane.

Ellswerth Boy in France Acknow-

Jan. 3:

I have received your Christmas box, and this morning received your letter. Your box was a traity Christmas remembrance, and none could appreciate it more than myself at this time. Where we are now we have to keep warm through internal heat, therefore those woolen socks are a wonderful gift. We can't get many around here.

I would like to describe this part of the country enough so you would understand just what it is like. It reminds me some of the healthy parts of the north of our county. It is very damp, and rains a lot. We haven't had much rain the last month, but light falls of snow, just enough to cover the ground. It is all hills around here, with scattering bunches of pines.

The country roads and lanes intersect each other every hundred yards or so.

organized September 25 last, and since then, in addition to the work done, has earned \$325. The club thanks everyone who has made it possible for it to send so many knitted articles, and acknowledges the following cash gifts: Mrs Geo Smith, \$2; Mrs Roscoe Taylor, .50; Mrs Lydis Royal, \$1.75; Mrs Abbie Robinson, \$1; Mrs Austin Joy, .50; Mabel Maddox, .50; Mrs Geo Parcher, \$1; Mrs F H Leach, .50; Mrs Ralph Cunningham, .50; Miss Helen Adams, \$1; Harry Haynes, \$5; Mrs Moseley, .75; Mrs Nettie Fullerton, .75; Belle Potter, \$1; Mrs Wm Maioney, .25; Florence Pettingill, .25; Mrs H B Moore, \$1; Miss Annie Emery, 50 cents; Miss Eleanor Higgins, \$1; Alice Higgins, \$1; Mr. Green, 50 cents; Mrs. George Dodge, \$2.

many other articles-candy, tobacco, soap, books, etc., from Alice H Scott, Mrs Rubie McGown, Alice Adams, Newton, Mass, Mrs Susie Smith, E F Robinson. Mrs Luchini, Mrs C R Burrill, Mrs Edward Small, Mrs Elmer E Rowe, Mrs W A Alexander, Mrs Mattie Ingalis, Fred Fields, C W Grindal, Harry W Haynes, Mrs George Dodge, Mrs George Parcher, also to the young men of the town for generous donations of cigar-

ISLESFORD. Chicago.-"Put out the fighting eyes Galen Moore and wife expect to move into a part of Belle Moore's house, formerly occupied by Grover Morse and family. Mr. Whitney expects to leave the coast

Feb. 25.

guard station this week and enter a school of navigation. His wife and children will go to the home of Mrs. Whitney's parents. Last week ice again made in the harbor, blocking it completely. The men are

having difficulty to keep their boats afloat and from being carried away by the Mrs. Nellie Spofford was taken ill last

Monday night with acute appendicitis, and again the S. C. 262, Capt. G. R. Hadlock, came on an errand of mercy, bringing the naval surgeon to her. Her sister, Mrs. George L. Moore, of Malden, Mass. is with her. Mrs. Spofford expects to go to a hospital for an operation.

CRANBERRY ISLES.

Seth Rice, of the S. C. 262 patrol boat, has been home the past week ill.

The ice has crippled the mail service and transportation and work on the water here.

Mrs. Nettie Stanley entertained the Mothers' club, Friday evening. The lesson for the evening was on trees

A social dance was given at the hall Wednesday evening, with music by home talent. There will be a masquerade ball town meeting night.

Oscar Wedge and son Linwood, who have been living in Bangor this winter, have returned home. Mrs. Wedge went to Boston to visit her mother, Mrs. Ida Stanley.

ROONEY.

DEDHAM.

Miss Alice Hart of Bangor is the guest ot Mrs. Ella Burrill. James Horton of Burnham Junction is

visiting his sister, Mrs. Edgar Dauphinee. G. A. Gray has returned from a visit to his son Walter at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass. He was accompanied by his brother Charles of Saco.

"Advantages of plain food for the Family" and "Should we send more Farmers to the Legislature," will be the topics at the meeting March 9. The grange will serve dinner at the annual town meeting

PRETTY MARSH.

Post-cards have been received by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leonard from their son George, of the navy, announcing his safe

Feb. 25.

arrival at Gibraltar. Miss Susan M. Vigue, who has spent the winter at Rome, N. Y., is home. She was accompanied by her nephew, C. W. Moffett, who will remain a few weeks.

Feb. 25. Impure blood runs you down—makes you an easy victim for disease. For pure blood and sound digestion—Burdock Blood Bitters. At all drug stores. Price, \$1.25—Advi.

J. A. HAYNES, "Most-for-your-money" Groceries Ellsworth

SAVE ON GROCERIES!

As a big factor in "Hooverizing," the U. S. Government urges that all unnecessary expense in store-

keeping be eliminated. It has been proved in thousands of instances all over the country that book keeping

and its accompanying "bugbear" of slow (and often uncollectible) accounts is not a necessity in the retail

grocery business. We want to stand by the Government in every way possible; we also want to make low-

est possible prices to our patrons-and we find we can serve everybody best by discontinuing all charge ac-

bookkeeping expense. We shall also reduce our delivery system to one delivery a day, this delivery to be

turn this saving over to our customers in the form of lower prices on our goods. Surely, "Saving on gro-

ceries" ought to "look good" to YOU in these days when prices generally are soaring upward, and we trust

Accordingly we shall, on or about March 18, discontinue all credit accounts, thereby eliminating our

Under this new plan, we will be able to make an appreciable saving in store expense, and we propose to

counts, and maintaining a strictly cash payment plan of merchandising.

made early in the forenoon, to take care of orders received the gay before.

Make our savings YOURS!

ORLAND.

Mrs. Lena Gilpatric recently fell and

Mrs. Eva E. Patten fell down cellar re-

Capt. Seth R. Hutchins, who for the

past week has been at the Paine hospital

at Bangor, and also Mrs. Ivyl Hutchins,

came home Saturday, and are fast getting

Patten, which occurred in Bangor Thurs-

day morning, Feb. 21, was received with

sadness by her many friends. Besides her

husband, she has left two sons-Roscoe

Patten of the U.S. army at Camp John-

ston, Jacksonville, Fls., and Warren Pat-

ten, who is attending a dental college in

Baltimore. She leaves also two sisters,

Mrs. Flora Bowden of Bucksport, and

Miss Maude Leach, and one brother,

Everard Leach of Penobscot. Mrs.

Patten was a member of Riverside chapter, O. E. S. The funeral was held at

the home Monday afternoon. Her two

sons arrived Saturday, to be present at the

last sad rites for this ever-thoughtful,

loving mother, home-maker, devoted wife

cently, receiving serious injuries.

NEWS

COUNTY

broke her wrist.

our new Eco: omy Plan will make you all the more eager to "trade at Haynes"."

The Bar Harbor section of the United States Naval Reserve has been authorized to enroll seventy men to rate as seamen, second-class. Men between the ages of eighteen and thirty in good physical condition,and who can show certificates from their local exemption board that they are not within the present quota, are eligible. Men between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one must have the written consent of their parents, and all men must volunteer for general service.

Any men who think of joining and wish News of the death of Mrs. Fremont B. information should address Section Commander, Bar Harbor, Me.

> SEAL HARBOR. The Jordan Pond school has not opened

this week, as there is no fuel. Mrs. John Clement entertained at whist

Friday evening. Percy Billings, who joined the aviation corps and has been stationed at Camp Hancock, Ga., has been ordered to New York. Mrs. Billings left Friday to join

her husband for a few days. The pupils of the Jordan Pond school gave a patriotic program at the schoolhouse Washington's birthday to raise money to join the Junior Red Cross.

Triad lodge, Knights of Pythias, held a dedication at the Neighborhood house, Saturday evening. The Pythian sisters sold ice-cream, cake and coffee.

Harry Grant passed the physical examination for the army last week.

SEAL COVE.

Capt. Raiph Frye came from Rockland to spend a few days with his family here. He and his wife left Friday, to visit in Harrington before returning to Rockland,

BLAISDELL-At Newport, Feb 19, to Judge and Mrs C C Blaisdell, a son. [Tedford Madison.] CONNER-At Castine, Feb 4, to Mr and Mrs Arthur Conner, a daughter.

CUNNINGHAM—At Bucksport, Feb 12, to Mr and Mrs Herbert L Cunningham, a daughter. [Marjorie Beatrice.]

GRAY-At Castine, Feb 7, to Mr and Mrs William Gray, a daughter. HAMILTON - At Ellsworth, Feb 24, to HOWARD-At Castine, Feb 7, to Mr and Mrs Ray E Howard, a daughter.

RNOWLTON-At Bangor, Feb 26, to Dr and Mrs Charles C Knowiton of Ellsworth, a son. PENDLETON-At Winter Harbor, Feb. 19, to Mr and Mrs Fred Pendleton, a

PETTINGILL-At Ellsworth, Feb 14, to Mr and Mrs Charles H Pettingill, a SAWYER-At Castine, Feb 17, to Mr and

Mrs Charles L Sawyer, a so TICKLE-At Elisworth, Feb 25, to Rev and Mrs J W Tickle, a daughter.

MARRIED.

BREWER-KING-At Philadelphia, Pa, Feb 23, Miss Eleanor Brewer of Bar Harbor to Lieut Robert P King of Ells-CONNER-DOW- At North Brooksville,

Brooksville. HOWARD-ASTBURY-At Bluehill, Feb 22, by Rev R M Trafton, Miss Olive G Howard of Brooksville Arthur O Astbury, of Bluebill.

HOWARD - At Castine, Feb 11, Ruth Bernice, infant daughter of Mr and Mrs Ray E Howard, aged 5 days. PATTEN At Bangor, Feb 19, Mrs Fre-mout B Patten of Orland, aged 56 years.

ROYAL-At Elisworth, Feb 27, Mabel F, wife of William Royal, aged 41 years, 1 month. ROYAL—At Elisworth, Feb 21, Macel F, wife of William Royal, aged 41 years, 1 month.

SWAZEY—At Bucksport, Feb 25, Martha Elizabeth, widow of Capt Joseph Swazey, aged 79 years.

At Ricch Harbor, Feb 21, General Manager.

M. L. HARRIS, General Passenger Agent.

WINSLOW-At Birch Harbor, Feb 21, Albert H Winslow, aged 85 years, 7 months.

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H. W. DUNN

Manufacturer and dealer in High Grade Granite and Marble Monuments, Tablets and Markers

ELLSWORTH MARKETS

Following are retail prices in Ellsworth to-day: COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Dairy butter, 16..... Fresh eggs, doz..... Fowl, B..... Chickens, & Hay, loose, ton \$10 9\$12 VEGETABLES.

Carrots, Ib Pumpkins, each FRUIT. Lemons, doz

Bananas A FEW STAPLES. Sugar, granulated, tb..... powdered.....yellow..... Cane sugar syrup, qt.....

MEATS AND PROVISIONS. Beef, roasts b steak 15..... Veal, b..... Hams

Salt pork, FLOUR, FEED AND GRAIN. Flour, bbl Corn, bag (whole, cracked or meal,)

Oats, bag, 2½ bu... Advertisemence

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"It is with great pleasure that I write to tell you of the wonderful benefits I have received from taking "Fruit-atives". For years, I was a dreadful sufferer from Constipation and Headaches, and I was miserable in every way. Nothing in the way of medicines seemed to help me. Then I finally tried "Fruit-a-tives" and the effect was splendid. After taking one box, I feel

those sickening Headaches". MRS. MARTHA DEWOLFE. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruita-tives Limited, Ogdensburg, N.Y.

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COUNTY NEWS

NORTH PENOBSCOT.

The death of Fannie (Snow) Hutchins, wife of Hon. Joseph M. Hutchins, on Saturday, Feb. 16, removed one of our most beloved citizens, and cast a pall of sadness over the little village of North Penobscot, where she had lived so long and been so aid society Feb. 21 was well attended.

More than forty years ago, she was married and came immediately to live here, and her pure life and high ideals, together with her scrivity in church and society affairs, have been an inspiration to all sled recently striking his head a glancing with whom she came in contact. Her blow and cutting a gash that required death comes as a personal loss to a host of several stitches to close.

will be missed the most, by her husband home of his uncle George in Dorchester, in his declining years, who has found in her a "helpmeet for him," a wise counsel-home of his uncie George in Dorchester, Mass, Feb. 22. The body will be brought her a "helpmeet for him," a wise counsel-home of his uncie George in Dorchester, Mass, Feb. 22. The body will be brought here for burial. His perents have the Prop. Ellsworth.

or and devoted mother for his children. sympathy of all. He and his brother On Saturday morning, she suffered a shock. Archie were among the first to enlist when of paralysis, and died at 3:30 p. m.

Wilson) Snow, in 1857 and was the oldest of a family of five children. She was edu-cated in the public schools of Penobscot bad been employed in Boston. and the Eastern State normal school at Castine, and was one of our most successful teachers until her marriage to Mr. Hutchins, in 1877. To the writer her death comes as a personal loss, as she was one of his most interesting pupils, and by him, she was married to Mr. Hutchins, and their home has always been a delightful place to visit.

Besides her husband, she is survived by five children: Raymond, Chandler and Chrystal of North Penobscot; Mrs. A. M. McKusick of Guilford, and Mrs. Reuben Devereux of West Penobscot; an aged father, James W. Snow, of Sedgwick; one brother, E. J. Snow, of South Penobscot, and two sisters, Mrs. O. W Dunbar and Miss Helen Snow, of Boston.
Funeral services were held in the Meth-

odist Episcopal church at North Penobscot, Tuesday forenoon, at which the pastor, Rev. A. G. Davis, officiated and reviewed the beautiful life and character of the deceased. The large attendance and the beautiful floral offerings attested the esteem and love in which she was held. Interment was in Hillside cemetery. Feb. 25.

SOUTH BLUEHILL.

Riy ond Emerton, who has been

working in Waterville, is honre. L.H. Sibley, who was called to Boston by the death of his brother, returned

home Thursday.

Net proceeds, about \$16. Feb. 25.

WEST TREMONT.

L. W. Rumili slipped and fell from his

But it is in her own family where she tie Thurston, died of pneumonia at the

the war broke out, and Archie is now in Mrs, Hutchins was born in Sedgwick, France. Elwin, while in training, was the daughter of James W. and Mary injured and was given an honorable discharge. He submitted to an operation Feb. 25.

THELMA.

NORTH BROOKSVILLE.

Arvard Nichol is very ill. Loring Young is at home from Brewer for a few days. Feb. 25.

SOUTH PENOBSCOT.

Mrs. Owen Dunbar of Boston is visiting ber brother, E. J. Snow.

The many friends of Mrs. Joseph Hutch ins were grieved to learn of her death. Feb. 23.

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VINOL MAKES WEAK WOMEN

Positive—Convincing Proof

We publish the formula of Vinol to prove convincingly that it has the power to create strength.

P Cod Liver and Beef Peptones, Iron and Manganese Peptonates, Iron and Ammonium Citrate, Lime and Soda Giycerophosphates, Cascarin.

Any woman who buys a bottle of Vinol for a weak, run-down, nervous condition and finds after giving it a fair trial it did not help her, will

have her money returned.
You see, there is no guess work about Vinol. Its formula proves there is nothing like it for all weak, run-down, overworked, nervous men and women and for feeble old people and delicate children. Try it once and be convinced. and be convinced.

Prop., Ellsworth.

STATE OF MAINE.

List of candidates nominated, to be voted for, in the several wards in the City of Elisworth, March 5, 1917

Pensity for wilfully defacing, tearing down, removing or destroying a fist of candidates or specimen ballot-five to one hundred dollars fine.

THOMAS E. HALE, City Clerk.

To vote a Straight Ticket, make a X within the Square above the Party name. If the voter desires to vote for any person or persons whose name or names are not-printed as Candidates, he may erase any name or names which are printed therein and place a X in the square at the right of the name of the Candidate of his choice.

SPECIMEN BALLOTS.

WARD ONE.

DEMOCRAT. For Mayor,	
For Street Commissioner,	
WILLIAM E. HARRINGTON, Ward 5	
For Alderman,	
EARLE C. SMITH, Ward 1	
For Warden,	
WALTER JORDAN, Ward 1	
For Ward Clerk,	
GEORGE P. SMITH, Ward 1	
For Constable,	
C. S. JOHNSTON, Ward 1	

WARD TWO.

DEMOCRAT.	
For Mayor,	
PERLEY J. PHILLIPS, Ward 2	
For Street Commissioner,	
WILLIAM E. HARRINGTON, Ward 5	
For Alderman,	
MICHAEL A. SHEA, Ward 2	
For Warden,	
GEORGE C. PIERSON, Ward 2	
For Ward Clerk,	
MORRIS BOWDEN Jn, Ward 2	
For Constable,	
J. S. DONOVAN, Ward 2	

WARD THREE.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRAT. For Mayor,	
For Mayor,		
LEXANDER C. HAGERTHY, Ward 1	PERLEY J. PHILLIPS, Ward 2	
For Street Commissioner,	For Street Commissioner,	
GEORGE F. NEWMAN, Ward 2	WILLIAM E. HARRINGTON, Ward 5	
For Alderman,	For Alderman,	
LEON H. BROWN, Ward 3	RUSSELL J. SMITH, Ward 3	
For Warden,	For Warden,	
ALBION H. CARLISLE, Ward 3	J. W. McCARTHY, 2d, Ward 3	
For Ward Clerk,	For Ward Clerk,	
CHARLES M. WHITCOMB, Ward 3	HERBERT A. ASH, Ward 3	
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For Constable,	For Constable,	

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WARD FOUR.

REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRAT. For Mayor,		
For Mayor,			
ALEXANDER C. HAGERTHY, Ward 1	PERLEY J. PHILLIPS, Ward 2		
For Street Commissioner,	For Street Commissioner,		
GEORGE F. NEWMAN, Ward 2	WILLIAM E. HARRINGTON, Ward 5		
For Alderman,	For Alderman,		
EUGENE H. MOORE, Ward 4	H. FREMONT MADDOCKS, Ward 4		
For Warden,	For Warden,		
SYLVESTER L BURNS, Wards 4	HARRIS M. TURNER, Ward 4		
For Ward Clerk,	For Ward Clerk,		
WILLARD H. PHILLIPS, Ward 4	LELAND W. COWING, Ward 4		
For Constable,	For Constable,		

WARD FIVE.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRAT.	
For Mayor,	For Mayor,	
ALEXANDER C. HAGERTHY, Ward 1	PERLEY J. PHILLIPS, Ward 2	
For Street Commissioner,	For Street Commissioner,	
GEORGE F. NEWMAN, Ward 2	WILLIAM E. HARRINGTON, Ward S	
For Alderman,	For Alderman,	
WILLIAM SMALL, Ward 5	SCHUYLER HIGGINS, Ward 5	
For Warden,	For Warden,	
LINWOOD H. CUSHMAN, Ward 5	WILBER H. SMITH, Ward 5	
For Ward Clerk,	For Ward Clerk,	
REUEL E. BARTLETT, Ward 5	ERNEST HAYNES, Ward 5	
For Constable,	For Constable,	
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Bifurcated Boudoir Garment Found to Be Very Comfortable.

Two-in-One Negligee Has This Advantage But Can Be Worn Outside of One's Own Room.

Negligee or boudoir garments built on Turkish lines are general favorites with designers of this class of apparel, and a woman who has once possessed and worn a bifurcated boudoir garment of this type cannot but admit that it is extraordinarily comfortable. However, if it is to be the really beautiful garment that it should and may be, lovely rich fabrics must be used in its development. Every woman is not willing or able to spend a large sum on a garment in which she feels entirely comfortable only in her own room.

The sketch illustrates a two-in-one negligee that is well worth considering and developing. The underneath part



Unusual Two-in-One Negligee.

of the outfit consists of comfortable, ose Turkish trousers with an equally loose and equally comfortable blouse The two garments are attached so they do not slip apart at the waistline.

A wide soft sash should be made to match or harmonize with the trouser and blouse garment.

A loose, flowing overslip of chiffon, georgette or other sheer fabric trans-

derneath section, with smoke gray or black for the overdrapery. If desired the latter may be embroidered in silk

durability is destroyed. Also stuff wet shoes with paper or shoe trees to prevent cracking and to keep the shape of the shoes.

If your shoes are polished with proper dressing they will wear twice as long as shoes that are not properly cared for. To keep them soft and pliable there is nothing better than an oil which can be bought cheaply.

Frequent application of this oilwhich is used in the army-say once a week, will keep the leather soft; it will also add long life to the shoes. It should be applied to uppers and soles.

Heavy Satin.

Perhaps you have been a bit worried when you have read that before long we may be asked to refrain from buy ing woolen coats and frocks for winter use. Don't worry. One of the things promised for spring is a very heavy double-faced satin. It is to be used largely for coats and is made up in such combinations as dark-green and drab, claret and black and blue and black. It makes one quite resigned to the fact that wool is scarce and that it is a patriotic thing as soon as the weather moderates to forego its use as much as possible.

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headache, biliousness and indigestion is a dose or two of

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Legal Notices. .

STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK 88.

To the Honorable Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, next to be held at klisworth, within and for she county of Hancock on the fourth Tu-saday of April, a. d. 1518.

NETTIE C. Cunningham of Bluebill in Said county, respectfully represents, that her maiden name was Nettle C. Astbury; that she was lawfully married to Fred E. Cunningham of said Bluebill, and the fourteenth day of September, a. d. 1918, by the Rev. Mr. Harwood; that they lived to gether as husband and wife at said Bluebill from the time of their said marriage until on or about the first day of April, a. d. 1914; that your libellant has siways conducted herself towards her said husband as a faithful, true and affectionate wife; that on or about the first day of April, 1914, the libelee unterly deserted your libellant without cause, and went to parts unknown to her, that said utter desertion has continued for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of said libel, since which time she has never seen or heard from him or received from him any support; that she has made diligent inquiry but has not been able to ascertain and does not know the residence of the said libellee, and that said residence can not be ascertained by resonable diligence: that there is no collusion between the libellant and ibeliee to obtain a divorce. Wherefore she prays that a divorce may be decreed between her and her said husband and thas she may be allowed to resume her maiden name, Nettle C. Astbury.

February 19, 1918.

NETTIE C. CUNNINGHAM.

February 19, 1918.

Subscriben and sworn to before me this nineteenth day of February, a. d. 1918.

D. S. HUBLEY, Notary Public.

STATE OF MAINE.

Bupreme Judicial Court.

In Vacation.

Elisworth, Feb. 29, a. d. 1918.

Upon the foregoing libel, ordered: That the libeliant give notice to the said libeliee to appear before the justice of our supreme judicial court, to be holden at Ellsworth, within and for the county of Hancock, on the fourth Tuesday of April a. d. 1918, by publishing an attested copy of said libel and this order thereon, three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed in Ellsworth in our county of Hancock, the last publication to be thirty days at least prior to the fourth Tuesday of April next, that he may there and then in our said court appear and answer to said libel.

Justice of the Sup. Jud. Court.

A true copy of the libel and order of court thereon.

Attest:—T. F. Mahoney, Clerk.

Attest:-T. F. MAHONEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE.

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To the Honorable, the Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Hancock.

A ESPECTFULLY represents T. M. Blaisdell of Franklin, in said county, that he and Warren E. Bjaisdell of Wilton, Franklin county, Maine. Georgia Bragdon of Seattle, King county, Washington, Mabel E. Erskine of Guilford, New Hawen county, Connecticut, and Christine Urann of Sullivan, Hancock county, Maine, are the heirs-at-law, living in different states of Samuel P. Blaisdell late of Franklin, in said county of Hancock, deceased, who left real estate in said county of Hancock, in the town of Mt. Desert, described more fully in said petition. That the owners of said real estate cannot dispose of their separate interests without loss. Wherefore your petitioner prays that C. Carroll Blaisdell, of Newport, Penobscot county, Maine, or some other suitable person be authorized to sell said real estate at private sale and distribute the proceeds, after paying expenses, among said heirs at-law according to their respective rights therein.

Dated this fifth cay of February, a. d. 1918.

T. M. BLAISDELL.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

forms this simple negligee into a graceful hostess gown, quite elaborate and
handsome enough to be worn at an afternoon tea in one's own home or for a
strictly family dinner.

As will be noted, the overdrapery of
this garment is cut quite long, so that
only fleeting glimpses of the trousers
are seen.

A good effect could be produced by
using peacock green satin for the underneath section, with smoke gray of A true copy.

Attest:—Clara E. Mullan, Acting Register

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

the latter may be embroidered in silk floss in a color matching the satin of the trousers and blouse.

Many women lead such active, strenuous lives now that thought must be given to comfortable and becoming garments for wear at home, in order that they may properly rest.

TIPS ON SHOE CONSERVATION

Drying Wet Footwear Too Quickly Takes the Life Out of Leather and Destroys its Durability.

When the shoes get wet be careful, in drying them, not to place them too near the fire, as they will burn almost instantly; and if dried too quickly the life is taken out of the leather and its durability is destroyed. Also stuff wet

February 19, 1918.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. Ellsworth, Me., Feb. 20, a. d. 1918.

HANCOCK 88.

WE, the undersigned, having been duly appointed by the Honorable Bertrand E. Clark, judge of probate within and for said county, commissioners to receive and decide upon the claims of the creditors of Wesley H. Cousins, late of Lamoine, in said county, deceased, whose estate has been represented insolvent, hereby give public notice agreeably to the order of the said judge of probate, that six months from and after February 12, 1918, have been allowed to said creditors to present and prove their claims, and that we will attend to the duty assigned us at the office of Peters & Crabtree in Ellsworth, Me, on Saturday, March 18, 1918, and on Thursday, Angust 8, 4918, at ten of the clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

HARRY L. CRABTREE,
EDMOND J. WALSE,
Commissioners.

When the mail-order house finds a town whose local merchants do not advertise, it fattens its catalogue mailing

The merchant who does not advertisein a dull season makes it more profitable for Legal Notices

To all persons interested in either of the es-tates hereinsiter named: At a probate court held at Ellsworth, in and for the county of Hancock, on the eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

for the county of Hancock, on the eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ordered: That notice thereof be given to a 1 persons interested, by causing a cupy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Elisworth American, a newspap r published at Elisworth in said county, that they may appear at a probate court to be held at Elisworth, on the fifth day of March, a. d. 1818, at ten of the clock in the forencon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Henry H. Sargent, late of Elisworth, in said county, deceased. Petition that Minta I. Sargent or some other suitable person be appointed administra or of the estate of said deceased, presented by Ernest L. Sargent, son and heir at-law of said deceased.

George F. Haskell, late of Elisworth, in said county, deceased, Presented by Ernest L. Sargent, son and heir at-law of said deceased.

Jeson R. Grant, late of Otis, in said county, deceased, presented by Frank S. Call, an heir at law of said deceased.

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Miles H. Long, late of Binehill, in said county, deceased. Petition that Harry L. Crabtree or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased.

Eibridge B. Greely, late of Edn, in said county, deceased, presented by Gora E. Long, the widow of said deceased.

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Frank P. Coombs, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased. First account of Emily L. Coombs, administratrix, filed for settlement. Minnie B. Ball, a minor of Hancock, in said county. Account of Lucy Crimmin Ball, guardian, filed for settlement.

guardian, filed for settlement.

William B. Davis, late of Bar Harbor, Eden, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Lucre B. Deasy and Bert H. Young, oraying that the appointment of said petitioners named as trustees in the last will and testiment of said deceased may be confirmed by said court and that letters of trust issue to them, without ther giving bond, according to direction in said will.

William D. Sargers, late of Winter Harbor.

to direction in said will.

William D. Sargent, late of Winter Harbor, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Maria D. Sargent, widow of William D. Sargent, for partition of certain real estate of said deceased, situated in Winter Harbor aforesaid, more fully described in said petition.

william W. Sowle, late of Gouldsboro, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Iry-ing T. McDonald. administrator, for license to sell certain real estate of said deceased, situated in said Gouldsboro, and more fully described in said petition.

situated in said Gouldsboro, and more fully described in said petition.

Zelma L. Smith, a minor of Ellsworth, in said county. Petition filed by Carrie A. Smith, guardian, for license to sell certain real estate of said minor, situated in said Ellsworth, and more fully described in said petition.

Harriet E. Morton, late of Bluehill, in said county, deceased Petition filed by Ernest M. Kimbail, praying that the appointment of said petitioner named as one of the trustees in he last will and testament and codicil of said deceased may be confirmed by said court. Charles H. Gross tte, the other trustree named, having declined to act as trustee. Fred A. Fisher, late of Bluehill, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Stephen N. Fisher, administrator with the will annexed, that the amount of the inheritance tax on said estate, be determined by the judge of probate.

judge of probate.

Albert Treworgy, late of Surry, in said county, deceased. Petition that Laura E. Treworgy or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of the est-te of said deceased, without giving bond, presented by Laura E. Treworgy, widow of said deceased.

George W. Abbott, late of Bucksport, in said county, deceased. Second and final account of Herbert L. Abbott, executor, filed for settlement.

Joseph S. Bonsey, of Ellawath.

Joseph S. Bonsey, of Ellsworth, in said county. First account of Walter A. Bonsey, guardian, filed for settlement.

Hannah E. Leach, late of Penobscot, in said county, deceased. First and final account of Albert P. Leach, administrator, filed for settlement.

Stillman N. Grindle, late of Penobscot, in said county, deceased. First and final ac-count of Albert P. Leach, administrator with the will annexed, filed for settlement. Eugene F. Hinckley, late of Bluebill, in said county, deceased. First and final account of Flora A. Hinckley, administratrix, filed for settlement.

Flora A. Hinckley, administratrix, filed for settlement.

Herbert L. Marks, late of Bucksport, in said county, decrased. Petition filed by Raiph C. Marks, anninistrator of the estate of said deceased, that an order be issued to distribute among the heirs of said decease, the amount remaining in the hands of said administrator, on the settlement of his first account.

account.

Witness BERTRAND E. CLARK, Judge of said Court at Ellsworth, this eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

CLARA E. MULLAN, Acting Register.

A true copy.

Attest:—CLARA E. MULLAN, Acting Register.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS Myra Williams, late of Amberst, Hanoock county, State of Maine, be her mortgage deed, dated the fourth day of December, a. d. 1908, and recorded in Hanocck county registry of deeds, book 455, page 367, conveyed to Albert E. Mace, late of Aurora, in said county and State, a certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Amherst, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake and stone where the road turns near the barn now or formerly owned by R. H. Silsby; from thence westerly on the road forty-three rods to a stake and stones; thence south twenty-five degrees west, forty rods to a stake and stones made for a corner; thence west eighty-two rods to the center of the river; thence northerly following the center of the river; thence northerly following the center of the river sixty-six rods; thence east forty degrees south twelve rods from the bank of the river to a stake and stones; thence north forty degrees east thirty-four rods to a stake and stones made for a corner on the north line of the lot; thence east ninety-one rods to a stake and stakes made for a corner on the road idealing to Harry Silsby's; thence southerly on the road fifty-eight rods to the first-mentioned bound; containing fifty acres more or less; being the premises described in deed from William E. Herrick to Myra Williams, dated January 8, 1908, and recogded in said registry of deeds, book 428, page 78; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

A. Russell Mace, Administrator

ortgage.
A. RUSSELL MACE, Administrator
Estate Albert E. Mace. February 12, 1918.

PAUPER NOTICE.

HAVING contracted with the City of Blis-worth to support and care for those who may need assistance during five years begin-ning Jan. 1, 1915, and are legal residents of Blisworth, 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. ARTHUR B. MITCHELL.

Ensurance Statements.

NATIONAL SURETY COMPANY. NEW YORK, N. Y. ASSETS DEC. 31, 1917.

Gross assets, Deduct items not admitted, Admitted assets,

\$14,099,5-4 54 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1917.

Net unpaid losses, Unearned premiums, All other liabilities, Cash capital, Surplus over all liabilities

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Total liabilities and surplus,

22 Million Families in the United States

4 CUPS OF WHEAT FLOUR TO THE POUND

If each family used 4 cups of flour less per week, the saving would be 22 million pounds or 112,244 barrels every week.

The greatest help housekeepers can give to win the war is to make this saving and it can be done by using this recipe in place of white flour bread.

Corn Meal Biscuits

Save % cup of the measured flour for board. Pour milk over corn meal, add shortening and salt. When cold, add sifted flour and baking powder. Roll out lightly on floured board. Cut with biscuit cutter and bake in greased pan fifteen to twenty minutes.

Our new Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods, mailed free-address

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

THEATER IS ONE TEUTON WEAPON

Elaborate System of Using Performers to Circulate German Propaganda.

PAY SALARIES OF SINGERS

Paris Sees Benefit of Gayety, Refusing to Close Amusements to Save Fuel-Germans Flood Neutral Countries.

Paris.-Attention has been attracted to the use the Germans make of the theater as a vehicle of propaganda by a recent suggestion that the Paris theaters be closed to save fuel. Fortunately this short-sighted policy has not been adopted. It would have added to the war-worn atmosphere of the capital without accomplishing any good results. But the agitation has served the purpose of revealing that the allies have made no organized attempt to keep alive in neutral countries interest in their language, their ideals, their literature, through their theaters and music, while the Germans have overlooked no opportunity.

It is not saying too much to insist that never has the theaters been so necessary as now to public life. For today, more than ever, men-soldiers or civilians-need the relief from the strain of war afforded by a relapse into the realm of fantasy, a visit to the unreal world.

Used in German Propaganda.

That it is a mistake to look upon the theater only as a place of amusement is amply demonstrated by the Germans, who have made of it a weapon. Their actors, their singers, their musicians have never been busier at home and abroad as since the beginning of the war. In neutral countries, Switzerland, for instance, from the day of mobilization, the German actors appearing in Swiss theaters were relieved from the call to arms.

Since then, in the German-Swiss cantons there has been a positive avalanche of theatrical troupes and of choral and instrumental associations sent from Berlin, Vienna, Munich, Leipzig, Mannheim, Meiningen, having as conductors men like Max Reinhardt, the two Strausses, Weingartner, Nikish, etc. This in addition to nu-German picture shows and dress exhibits with free refreshments, concerts and the procession of pretty For all these entertainments free tickets are distributed by the hundreds. The expense of renting halls, advertising in the papers and by posters is borne by subsidies. The Germans don't expect to make any money. On the contrary, they spend more than the receipts. The word goes out to "paper the house." In Berlin Max Reinhardt was told:

"Spend without counting the cost; when you get back we'll settle the

When the theaters are empty it makes no difference, the tour continues. All official Germans and their compatriots in neutral cities are obliged by military order to go to these performances each night. When the troupe plays its farewell performance the ranking German diplomat or consular representative in each city gives a large banquet, where, so as to make the neutral better understand the meaning of "kultur," champagne is given to him.

Teutons Pay Singers' Salaries.

A German consul sent for the directors of the music halls of the town where he is stationed and told them that whenever they engaged German singers or "turns" they would have to pay them only \$1 a day, and the rest of their salary, he said, no matter how large, would be assumed by the German authorities.

That is the reason why, in the mu-

sic halls of the big neutral city in question, you hear nothing spoken but German.

This striking illustration of the thoroughness of the German propaganda which expends millions for musical and theatrical performances is in striking contrast to the do-nothing policy of the allies in this respect. That is why Switzerland asks: "Does France scorn us, or is she broken spir-

In Russia the Germans have established theaters at Petrograd, Moscow, Riga, Mitau, Libau, Zoppot, Revel and

Emperor William and his satellites thoroughly understand the political influence of the theater.

From another point of view, any attempt to close the Paris theaters for economy in fuel or lighting would seem shortsighted. For the theater in the cities takes the place of country gatherings, where several families benefit by the same light and are. Similarly the thousands of persons-audience artists and employers-gathered each evening in places of amusement are warmed and lighted in a mass by an amount of coal much less than all these people would have consumed in the same time had they remained at To have closed the theaters would have meant increasing the sadness of Paris, the throwing out of work of 100,000 persons, who would have to be fed and supported in some other way, besides antagonizing 43 labor unions. As a high military authority said:

"It would have given to France the aspect of a vanquished nation."

GIVES HAIR FOR COUNTRY



Samson listened to a woman, cut off his hair, and lost, literally, the sinews Now cometh a modern womof war. an, harking to the call of Uncle Sam's sons, and cutteth off her hair to pro vide said sinews. History simply sets new music to old words or vice versa. The photograph shows Florence Mans field, Boston's patriotic daughter, ready to snip off her lovely hair to provide material for rope to be used in the making of a submarine tiller. Her patriotic impulse was original, springing from the need of rope in the navy as outlined to her by friends in the United States Marine corps. She has very long tresses, and she can amply spare some. She believes every girl in the country ought to sacrifice a lock of hair. She believes there is an-other use for hair more important than wearing it herself—that is for one of our fighting men to wear it, in a wristband or ring. Then, when our boys get real lonesome "over there" all they have to do is to take one long, linger ing look at that strand of hair, and, as they gaze, the winsome face of the girl back home will rise before them, all will be right again! Now, how about it girls? Who will volunteer for such a worthy cause?

Revolutions. Revolutions are not made; they come.-Wendell Phillips.

PUTS UP JOB ON PORTER

Barber Dopes Alcohol With Camphor to Stop George From Drinking It All.

Kansas City, Mo.-A regular customer in a downtown barber shop asked for his usual lotion following the hot The barber applied the mixture, which was mostly alcohol. "Help! Get me a cold towel, quick;

I'm burning up!" exclaimed the customer as the barber applied the lotion. "That's not alcohol. I always use alcohol. Where is your boss? The barber explained that he was

using alcohol, but it had a little camphor in it. "Why the camphor?" demanded the

"The boss," explained the barber, "is beginning to put camphor in the alcohol to keep George, the porter, from drinking it all."

CASH FIND HELPS A WOMAN

Almshouse Matron in Wisconsin Finds Hoard in Skirt of an In-

La Crosse, Wis .- Temporary distress and suffering, resulting because Mrs. Hicks Bishop of Sand Point, Idaho, forgot \$220 in paper money sewed in her skirt, brought unusual joy to her when she found her aged husband, an inmate of the county poor farm, where she was taken by officials to whom she appealed for assistance. Each believed the other dead.

When Mrs. Bishop left home she had \$55 in her purse and the rest in her skirt. Being eighty years of age her memory is not good, and when she came to La Crosse she thought she had exhausted all her funds.

Mrs. A. J. Raymond, matron at the farm discovered the money in Mrs. Bishop's skirt.

SMALL BOY KNITS SWEATER

Ten-Year-Old Youth Gets Yarn From ished Garment.

Chicago.-A "Sammle," "somewhere in the United States" or "somewhere in France," is today wearing a nice warm knitted sweater and in all probability dreaming of a beautiful girl "somewhere in the United States," who knitted the sweater.

Clifford Hammerberg, ten-year-old schoolboy, was anxious to help the boys fighting for Uncle Sam, went to the Red Cross headquarters, obtained some yarn and went home and knitted the sweater. It was returned to the Red Cross and sent out with other sweaters for boys in the service.

NEW USE FOR PERISCOPE

Pennsylvania Man Installs One in His Chimney to Spot Approaching Street Car.

Knoxville, Pa.-Albert R. Ballard has invented and installed a periscope in the chimney of his home. When ready to travel Ballard sits in his din ing room with his eye at the periscope When the periscope shows a car speeding over a nearby hill Ballard dons coat and hat, strolls to the corne and meets the car just as it arrives.

For Fever Patient.

Here is a cooling drink for fever patients: Put a little sage, two sprigs of balm and a little sorrel into a stone jug, having first washed and dried it. Peel thin a small lemon, slice it and put a small piece of the peel in; then pour in three pints of boiling water. Sweeten and cover it

The Real Thing.

It makes a fellow step higher when some big man says of him: "He is the smartest man in this town!" But that is nothing by the side of having a little chap snuggie up to your side and whisper softly, "I like you! You're so good to me !"-Farm Life.

WORLD'S BIGGEST REGIMENT NEEDS **6.000 MORE MEN**

Second "Lumberjacks" Will Have 10,500 Men When Recruited to Full Strength.

WILL CUT TIMBER IN FRANCE

Loggers, Sawmill Workers, Road Builders and Laborers Familiar With Road Work Are Wanted-Officers of Regiment Are Expert Lumbermen and Foresters.

JOHN L. COBB, JR.

Washington .- A nation-wide effort is being made by the forest service to assist the war department in securing six thousand men needed to complete the second "lumberjack regiment," or the Twentieth engineers (forest) as it is officially known. When recruited to full strength the unit will comprise 10,500 men and will be the largest regiment in the world. Of the men needed now, three thousand should be loggers, sawmill workers and men experienced in building and operating logging railroads, and the remaining three thousand should be trained road builders and laborers familiar with road work.

The regiment will cut from the

by growth. They were consequently unwilling to turn a lot of "woods butchers" into their highly prized for-

Col. James A. Woodruff of the engineer corps was chosen by the war de-partment to lead the Tenth engineers; Col. W. A. Mitchell to lead the Twentieth, while most of the officers under them are expert lumbermen and foresters. Calls for skilled lumberjacks and sawmill men to enlist were sent out broadcast through the land and they came out of the far places of the land to join the new units. As those who could prove themselves adept in some form of lumbering were accepted each man was listed for the particular job with which he was most familiar.

Most of Them Lumberjacks.

By far the larger part of the recruits were lumberjacks, men who had been raised in the woods and knew every trick of the trade. Others were gradu ates of forest schools who had had enough actual woods experience in addition to their technical training to qualify for a place. In the ranks of the Tenth are men from Yale, Harvard, and Cornell, the Universities of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. In fact, practically every prominent college in the country is represented and the men are working as axmen, teamsters, sawyers, woodchoppers, and the like, as though they had been bred to it and had never done anything else. Many well-known college athletes are included. Jack Hansen, of the University of Minnesota football team; "Eddie" Frey, the Cornell Intercollegiate champion two-miler, and George Kephart, coxswain of the Cornell crew, are among the best known.

Sons of rich men are "high privates in the rear ranks," shoulder to shoulder with those who have grown up in the logging camps. Most of these men are members of families long engaged French forests the immense amounts in the lumber business and gave up JANET'S IMPULSE By MILDRED WHITE.

Janet sat in her dismal orderly roo upon the upper floor or Mrs. Hopking rented apartments. She sighed, looking out on the heavy snowstorm which turned the early afternoon to dust How different, how woefully differen her life had become in one short yest, Then, there had been the cozy home with father, now, she was alone.

It was always at this time of the New Year that the chosen few had New Year that the chosen few had made a jolly house party in Lucretia Newell's stately home among the country hills. Lucretia had been a college sister and her intimates thereafter were remembered with the annual invitation. What anticipated times of delightful excitement those visits had been a located to the contraction of the contr been! Lucretia's elder bachelor brether was a tireless entertaining host, and his friend—quick rebellious tears filled Janet's eyes, at the memory of John Newell's friend. Like the rest he had forgotten! How carelessly they had allowed her to drift away from them, those gay carefree people; and upon her own sea of misfortune Janet had been too busy to recall herself to their selfish minds,

John's friend's name was often in the papers. Only last week there had been notice of his departure for the South; well, why should he remember a few days in a hillside countrya stolen kiss at parting? Janet was glad that the miles stretched between, glad that in the separating gulf their different stations made, he might not know that she still remembered. The others would be there no doubt this wintry afternoon, making merry together in the great house upon the hill. Janet jumped up suddenly, her eyes shining with impulsive purpose. Why not go to them?

With cheeks aglow the girl drew from the clothes-press her fur clock, relic of more prosperous times. Beneath it she could wear her little white summer frock, the black woolen must be discarded. Like the old-time Janet she felt, as she hurried down the steep stairs; the five-thirty for Hillcrest would be almost due. She reflected, gazing from the blurred car window, that it might have been wiser to have telephoned her coming, but taking them by surprise, would after all suit better her present mood.

It was rather discouraging not to find Old Ben, the driver, watching. His had been the task of meeting all trains, No other vehicle, it was evident, had ventured out into the storm. Vaguely apprehensive of disappointment the girl turned up the warm collar of her cloak, and pushed her way through roadside drifts. Here and there a light twinkled; the great house was still some distance away. Almost she was tempted to turn back and seek shelter in the station, but the thought of the great log fireplace in the tower room with its circle of dear familiar faces, gave her fresh courage to press on The house was not illuminated as though for guests. The light showing through the glass door was softly subdued. Janet heard her summoning ring echo into silence, but there wis no response. Hopefully she made her way to the rear entrance. Here all was

Disheartened she came back, past the side iron spiral stairway. there high from the tower room came a welcoming gleam. With fast beating heart she slowly ascended the icy stair. She would open the door and slip in among them, a weary little ghost from their past. The door was expected. When had Hillcrest people thought of locked doors? Then Janet entered the room. As of old, the log fire burned cheerily-nearby stood the same fireside chair, but the comfortable big room was vacant. Perplexed she passed down the halls. Silence met her everywhere. Then because the storm still swept without, because there seemed nothing else to do, Janet threw aside her fur coat.

Porter Holden was that same night disgusted with life. This new year seemed to have begun with less promise than the other. Last year, at least he had known dreams of happiness, though their fulfillment was never to be. With each baffling step of his return to the old Newell mansion, his thoughts reverted to the bright-faced girl, who had made his last stay there so pleasant. And she had vanished from them all-forever. John Newell had coaxed him back to the vacant old place tonight-he had just left John at the agent's. Old Ben would have lights and fires going, John had said, so Holden made his way up the spiral stair. The door yielded more easily this time, and the man stood for a moment blinking his bewildered eyes.

In the light of the fire sat a whiteclad girlish figure, her red lips parted wonderingly.

"You?" she breathed. "I am not going to speak," Holden said slowly, "for if you are a vision, you will vanish."

"Not a vision," Janet answered, "s spirit perhaps returned for a night to

the scenes of her joyous past.' The man came forward abruptly. "I read of your marriage in the paper shortly after you left here," he said. May I give a tardy wish for your hap-

piness? "That was-my cousin, of the same

name," Janet explained. "Can it be?" he said, his eyes shining. Suddenly she put forth her hands. "So that—is what you thought, Porter Holden," she asked, "and that is why you stayed away?"



Kit Inspection, Preparatory to Going Across

of trench and bridge timbers, crossties, | important positions, at no little sacrilumber for cantonments and bunkhouses, and fuel, which our armies and those of the allies will need. A similar unit, known as the "First Lumber jack regiment," or the Tenth engineers (forest), was organized in the summer and has been hard at work in the woods for some time.

Canadians Started It.

The idea of the "Lumberjack regiments" is not original with this country. Early in the war Canadian forestry battalions were sent across to help manufacture the needed lumber and timber products, while last spring soon after the United States entered the struggle ten sawmill units were equipped by lumbermen of New England for service in Great Britain.

Not many people think of France as having much timber. Indeed the extent of the French forests cannot compare with our own. But there is more timber than is generally known. The French have found that it pays to grow a crop of trees on poor, rocky steep land, just as it pays to grow a crop of wheat on the better soils. They have practiced forestry for generations and instead of slashing their timber indiscriminately they handle their holdings with great care and are very loath to cut more than is produced each year



of the Second "Lumberjack" Washing Dishes After Meal.

fice, to do their bit to help down the Hun. Given Course of Training. The recruits were assembled at the

American university, D. C., training camp and put through a course of

sprouts to acquaint them with military drill and harden them for the work on the other, side. As Major DuBois, formerly head of the forest service in California, said, it was "duck soup for most of them." Hardened to out-ofdoor life under all kinds of weather conditions, familiar with rifle and revolver, and accustomed to carrying heavy packs for long distances, the men were quick to take hold. After drill like veterans, and were ready for the big adventure. As soon as the Tenth vacated the

training camp, organization of the Twentieth began. Six of the ten battalions have already been formed and several have already been sent forward to take up their work on the other side. In order to disturb labor conditions in the lumber industry as little as possible, it was decided that qualified registrants under the selective draft law who have not been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for duty may be "inducted" into the regiment. Applicants for induction should write the Forester at Washington, D. C., give their age, a full statement of experience and the names of former employers.

The type of men in the Twentieth is the same as that of the Tenth. Husky. hard-handed, big-boned fellows, who can hold their own anywhere, their officers say they can lick their weight in wild cats any old day and can "log" as many sawmills as there are to cut the lumber.

Go Fully Equipped.

Like the Tenth, they will take with them everything needed to produce lumber, from the "stump to the car," as the trade phrase goes. Axes, crosscut saws, harness, canthooks, horses, rubbers, cookstoves, complete sawmills, two-ton trucks, grindstones, and all the other thousand and one articles found in a well equipped lumber camp are included in their equipment.

Their work will be behind the firing line. They will probably not fight unless the Hun springs a surprise so complete that it becomes necessary to call on all hands. But every stroke of an axe and every cut of a saw is oing to count just as much as a shell, and if lumber will help win the war, those 10,000 huskies will more than do

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