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### RANGELEY LAKE HOUSE.

Will Close Oct. 4 After a Very Successful Season.

Oquossoc House to Be Opened For Accommodation of Hunters.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.]  
RANGELEY LAKE HOUSE,  
RANGELEY, ME.,  
Sept. 24, 1901.

Next Friday, Oct. 4, the Rangely Lake House will close after a very successful season. Already a large number of rooms have been engaged for the season of 1902. Mr. Marble informs MAINE WOODS that the Oquossoc House will be opened as soon as the Rangely Lake House is closed and he will guarantee that hunters and others will be taken care of nicely at the small house. The renovating and changes will be under his personal supervision.

During the first days of this week there was some fishing done with the following results: C. A. Taft, Whitinsville, one trout, 3½ pounds; O. R. Taylor, Coventon, Ky., two trout, 3½ and 3½ pounds; J. C. Beach, Bloomfield, N. J., one trout, 3½ pounds.

Recent arrivals are:  
Tuesday, Sept. 10. E. J. Noy, S. Brockton; Miss M. Johnson, Miss Marion Johnson, Miss S. L. Johnson, Lindley Johnson, Jr., Phila. Pa.; J. W. Halsehead, Mrs. J. W. Halsehead, Miss Edna J. Halsehead, A. P. Coburn, New York; Oscar Herr, Mrs. Oscar Herr, St. Louis; Benj. A. Swasey, wife and son, Rumford Falls; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGee, Boston; W. M. Stephenson, Portland.

Wednesday, Sept. 11. W. G. Harbor, Miss Ione Harbor, Miss Gertrude Harbor, Dixfield; Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Graham, Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. L. A. Reese, Philadelphia; E. Van Worden, Miss D. Van Worden, Flora Van Worden, D. W. Farquhar, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith, A. P. Massey, Boston; W. B. Adie, Portland; W. E. Lawless, Auburn.

Thursday, Sept. 12. Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Chambers, and son, Philadelphia; G. W. Sill, C. M. Decker, J. E. Reynolds, East Orange; C. C. Holden, White River Jet, Vt.; C. T. Crosby, Phila.; J. W. Hatt East Orange; E. M. Cox and wife, Portland; C. P. Stevens, Guilford; E. James, Fortia, Md.; P. S. Gallette, New York.

Friday, Sept. 13. C. C. Holden, White River Jet; A. H. P. May, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pilling, W. J. Pilling, Washington; H. L. Jilison, Worcester; J. W. Sharp, Jr., B. Coates, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Lincoln, New York; J. W. Brackett, H. E. Beedy, Phillips.

Saturday, Sept. 14. W. T. Moore and wife, F. A. Smith and wife, Lowell; C. R. Bangs, Brooklyn; Henry Whipple, Salem, Mass.; Lillie D. B. Righ, New York; S. C. Domell, Flagstaff; H. E. Rice, Margaria, Rice, Mountain View; Mrs. Lyman Shorey, New York; Mrs. E. T. Getchell, Grace I. Getchell, Gertrude B. Getchell, Brunswick; W. H. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hoop, Portland; H. M. Sargent and wife, Falmouth; L. A. True, Portland; Mrs. L. H. Bowdoin, Miss Sheaves, Salsum; J. P. Boer and wife, May Gilman; E. P. Pennell, W. W. Mitchell and wife, Brunswick; A. Sylvester Farmington; J. R. Veal and wife, Boston; C. P. Stevens, Guilford; H. B. Austin, Phila.; John Hennessey, Portland; W. M. G. Heyl, and wife, Boonton, N. J.; S. Farlee, New York; H. H. Field, J. W. Bracke, Phillips.

Sunday, Sept. 15. W. Pettengill, G. W. Pettengill, Rumford Falls; W. W. Lymour, New York; E. W. Dickerman, Westfield; C. T. Crosby, Phillips; J. L. Gilbert, New York; N. P. and Mrs. Noble, Phillips; Josephine B. Danson, Stonington; H. T. Hooper and wife, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dossett, Carolyn H. Dorset, Governors, New York.

### Campers at Rangely.

Among the cottagers on Rangely lake are Mr. Francis Shaw of Boston, at his cottage on the south shore, Mr. Abel Proctor and Mr. Breed of Boston at their cottage.

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### HUNTING SEASON ON.

Bird Shooting at Pleasant Island

Camps, Cupsuptic.

Bear Makes Cook Back Away but Is Killed.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.]

PLEASANT ISLAND CAMPS,  
HAINES LANDING, ME.,  
Sept. 25, 1901.

Interest here has already begun to change from the rod to the gun and several parties have brought in braces of partridges with which the camps have been supplied.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Meecker of New York, who are regular visitors here, have been occupying Camp Dorothy on the Cupsuptic river, built by Mr. A. J. Hobbs of Fredsfort, general manager of the Union Mutual Co. tridge company. They secured plenty of birds for their use while in camp up the river. Their guide is Nat Carr of Rangely. Mr. and Mrs. Meecker occupied Camp Sunrise this year at Pleasant Island. This is the same camp they have had for the past ten or twelve seasons.

The MAINE WOODS correspondent is informed by Pete Lufkin, the guide, that a deer has been hatched in the woods waiting for Mr. A. J. Fish of Boston and Mr. R. Higgins of New York, brokers, who are spending a vacation here and are occupying the camp at Birch Island. They have the steamboat, Mayse, under lease. This is run by Captain Pete Lufkin and Engineer Russ Spiney. These gentlemen are not doing much fishing but Pete says they are going to get a deer the first day of open season.

Bears are as plentiful this year as usual. The cook at Dean & Whitcomb's camp fired seven shots at one the other day before he secured his game. After the first shot was fired, the bear turned upon him and the man had to pump lead and back up as fast as he could. The bear fell at the seventh shot.

The following fish have been taken lately: E. S. Butler, New York, trout, 5 pounds and a number weighing from 2 to 3 pounds; Mrs. E. D. Jennison, trout weighing about 4½ pounds. Mr. A. P. Soule of Bingham went up river fishing one day, returning with nine fish, weighing from 1 to 2 pounds.

Following are late arrivals:  
Thursday, Sept. 12. W. G. Harlow, Mrs. S. S. Stowell, Miss Ione Harlow, Miss Gertrude Harlow, Dixfield; Miss Susie Stanley, Roxbury; Lyman F. Bigelow and wife, Norwood, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Chambers, Master Donald Chambers, Philadelphia; Wm. C. Kinney, New York; Cyrus Taft and wife, Providence, R. I.

Friday, Sept. 13. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Noyes, Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dorsett, New York City; D. T. Haines, guide, Rangely; Mrs. J. S. Rich, Stephen G. Rich, Gilbert J. Rich, New York.

Saturday, Sept. 14. J. D. Pennell, D. W. Heseltine, Portland; A. P. Soule and wife, Hingham, Mass.

Monday, Sept. 16. E. S. Butler, New York; N. R. Carr, Rangely.

Tuesday, Sept. 17. Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Creighton, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford, Boston.

Wednesday, Sept. 18. Jas. D. Arnold, Stua t H. Patterson, New York; James Mathieson, Rangely.

Thursday, Sept. 19. Horace Atwood, Hamden; J. M. Taylor, Cape Elizabeth.

Saturday, Sept. 21. R. H. Higgins, Jr., and wife, New York; A. G. Fish, Boston.

Sunday, Sept. 22. E. J. Bardwell, Worcester; C. R. S. Belcher, Mingo Spring Camp; Chas. F. Pierce, Lynn; Paul Stratton, guide, Bemis; Duncan McC. Fuller and wife, Albany.

### PARMACHENE CLUB RULES.

Sportsmen Not Wanted There Unless They Are Members.

PARMACHENE, ME., Sept. 23, 1901.

To the Editor of the Maine Woods:

The writer recently enjoyed the hospitality of the Parnachene club for two days. Our stay beyond the first night was compulsory on account of the illness of one of our own party, and consequently was not as pleasant as it otherwise might have been.

We found the club house nearly filled with guests. Had we been a few days earlier it would have been impossible to obtain lodging, as every room was occupied. Judging however from the register it appears that only for a short time in the spring a day in September are there any visitors whatever though the place is kept open at all times during the summer.

Much dissatisfaction is expressed among the guides of the club on the Magalloway river who have always depended upon the unsurpassed country for guiding, that the club people furnish so little employment. They have averaged less than thirty-five days each this summer.

Those who are acquainted with clubs only in a general way, have no idea of the extreme of this. Upon our arrival I was called into a private office and interviewed by one of the oldest members whom I knew very well.

"Who are those men you have with you?" he asked. "I gave him as much of their history as I thought necessary." "They are not members of this club are they?" "Certainly not!" I replied. "Don't they understand that this club is a strictly private one?" he asked. "I presume!" I replied. "They suppose it to be like most other clubs of a like nature that whenever it lays in their line of travel they are privileged to spend the night here."

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Deer, Partridges and Bears.

Many People Are Anxiously Waiting For the Open Season.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.]

DEAD RIVER, Sept. 24, 1901.

Mr. C. C. Brooks of East Wilton, who has already been here nearly two months, has just returned from a week's business trip to Portland, and he says he has now just got settled down ready for his two or three months' fall shooting. This is Mr. Brooks' eighth annual season here, making two or three trips each year. He is always the first to arrive in the spring for the trout fishing and is always the last one to leave in the fall at the close of the hunting season. Days will be scarce now when every third word he is supplied with partridges, while Mr. Brooks is here. This year he brings another new rifle of his own make with him and it is by far the best he has ever made. It is a 30-30, double box magazine, holds eleven cartridges, and it is no use talking, another of our 300 pound boys will have to come down again. This fall the same as last fall when he tried his new 30-30, he will make the most of it. He has one good shot at him with his new 30-30.

Mr. Karl S. Barns of Cambridge, Mass., with Fred E. Davis, guide, are here for a week from Carry Pond Camps and are enjoying the fishing in the river, Spencer stream and several other places around here.

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### FISHING HAS BEEN GOOD.

Anglers Who Are at Upper Dam and Their Luck.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]

UPPER DAM, Sept. 25, 1901.

The trout and salmon continue to come into the pools and often one will make a jump and come out of the water, giving everyone a chance to see and admire his beauty, but to get the fish to admire the fly is quite another thing.

There have been many anglers here and great sport the past week, and many a good fish story reeled off which will be told and retold the coming days.

Mr. Thos. B. Stewart of New York took a 6-pound, 3-ounce salmon one day this past week, which gave him good sport.

Mr. J. F. Leech of Washington, D. C., took a salmon weighing 6 pounds, 5 ounces, and two good trout, one 3 pounds the other 4 pounds, 8 ounces. Mr. Leech, who has his guide, A. A. Tibbets, with him, will remain here until Oct. 1 then return to the Rangely Lake House to stay until it closes and during that time will complete arrangements for his guide to build him a cottage on the shore of Gull pond.

Mr. John T. Way of Westfield, Mass., who accompanied by his friend, Mr. E. W. Dickerman, will remain here until the fish have no need to fear they will be taken. Today Mr. Way had great sport with a pair of trout which he took at one cast and succeeded in landing both. One weighed 2 pounds, 13 ounces, the other two pounds, 8 ounces. Who could ask for better luck?

Hon. Seth W. Carter and wife of Lewiston and Leslie C. Cornish and wife of Augusta, who were guests over Sunday of Hon. F. E. Timberlake at his cottage on Rangely lake, spent over here today on their return home.

Dr. F. S. Howard and son, J. Watson Howard, Mrs. N. W. Tucker and W. H. Tucker are a delightful party of New Yorkers who are here for some time. This week they are greatly enjoying camping at Richardson ponds.

Mr. Arthur F. Gotthold and friend, Joseph Deane, who are here for the first visit, are greatly pleased with the place.

Mr. John P. Elton of Waterbury, Conn., who in the past has been one of the anglers here at Upper Dam, was welcomed last Saturday by old friends and we hope will succeed in landing one of the big fellows in the pool. Mr. Elton said as he came in tonight, "Well, anyone can see fish if they can't catch them down in those pools, and that ought to satisfy anyone."

Mr. Frelan Howe of Norway, who is one of the twice annual visitors here, returns home today now with six good trout. Two of them weighed enough to be on the list of 10 pounds, 4 ounces and 3 pounds, 4 ounces.

Mr. Parish of Montville, Conn., still keeps his record increasing



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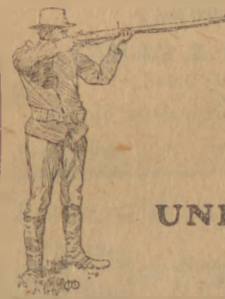


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(Special correspondence to the Maine Woods)  
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Mr. Amos Ellis, the proprietor of Bald Mountain Camps, is very much pleased with the results of his first season's business at this place. He has had a good patronage during the entire season and there is more business ahead for him yet even this year. Among other things Mr. Ellis will have two

new camps added to his Bald Mountain plant. He will also build a new camp for Mr. Clarence Hoopes of Philadelphia.

Mr. Jesse S. Keyes of Florham Park will build a new camp near Bald Mountain Camps.

During the last few days the fishing has been fairly good here. Mrs. Jesse S. Keyes of Florham Park took some nice fish from the wharf.

Deer are very plentiful this year and are seen frequently by the guests and campers here. Proprietor Ellis saw a doe a few days ago near his camp and he says it was the largest he ever saw.

Following are the arrivals for the week: Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith, C. L. Dale, Boston; R. B. Stratton, Rumford Falls; Jesse S. Keyes and wife, Florham Park, N. J.; Chas. H. Young, B. G. Templeton, Miss N. A. Porter, Miss Grace Porter, F. W. Shafer, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; Geo. B. Hilborn, Rangeley.

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### SPORTSMEN ARE ROUNDED UP.

Warden's Methods at Bangor Explained by Correspondent.

Bird Shooting Reported as Having Opened Up Very Well.

(Special Correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.)

BANGOR, Sept. 25, 1901.

Another week and the big game season in Maine will be open and guides, wardens and camp owners, as well as taxidermists, will be up to their ears in business. As is pretty generally known among sportsmen, Bangor is in a way the centre of the big hunting region tapped by the Bangor & Aroostook, Washington County and Maine Central, eastern division, railroads and practically every deer or moose killed in those sections passes through this city. It is here that the wardens who watch for illegal transportation and shipments of game are stationed and many a returning sportsman would save a deal of annoyance by bearing this fact in mind.

The present system of inspection in Bangor was inaugurated by Chairman Carleton of the fish and game commission in 1896, and has proved to be the wisest move that has ever been made by the commissioners. It has resulted in the suppression of the business of buying deer for shipment to the Boston markets, which flourished here previous to that time; further it has so frightened these sportsmen who are not satisfied with the amount of game legally allowed them that attempts to smuggle deer through in trunks and such ways have practically ceased.

The methods in which the wardens identify all game shipped through here is simple yet effective and saves valuable time to sportsmen. The express messenger on each train

furnishes the wardens with a duplicate of each way-bill of game. One of the wardens takes this and gathers all sportsmen about him checks their names off the list as fast as they answer to their name. At one minute before the hour for the out going train to leave arrives all game for which no owner has appeared is taken from the train and seized. Meantime the other warden has been engaged in inspecting the baggage and express packages that arrive on the trains from gameland.

As stated, sportsmen who bear in mind the fact that game must be identified in Bangor will save much time and trouble.

In point of numbers of deer and moose killed, the season of 1900 was not so good as that of 1899, but the game killed was much better. The deer averaged larger, as did the moose. But very few poor moose heads were taken out of the state in 1900, while in 1899 the majority were of inferior quality, antlers being small and heads of poor shape. The record for 1900 was 3183 deer and 138 moose against 3441 deer and 139 moose in the preceding season. The largest day's receipts for the season at Bangor were on Monday, October 22, when 173 deer and nine moose passed through the city. The only month last season that equalled or exceeded the corresponding month in 1899 was December, when 420 deer and four moose came to Bangor. In December, 1899, there were 279 deer and four moose received. The largest day's receipts in the month was on the last day of the season, Saturday, the 15th, when 71 deer came to town. This was also the largest number of deer ever brought here on the last day of a season.

Down Washington county way they are looking for some good shooting, as deer and moose are being seen frequently in that section. A few nights ago the engineer on the down train from Princeton to Cals saw eight deer, five in one lot. Guides in the vicinity of Grand lake say that the deer were never more plentiful in the past fifteen years in that country than they are this fall. Up at Spednic lake, Tonah and Forest the same condition holds good.

The partridge shooting has opened up very well in the lower part of the county and some good bags of the birds have been secured.

At Tunk pond, McGeorge's crossing on the Washington County railroad, and at Schodie pond the black duck shooting is excellent. Along the coast all kinds of duck shooting is fine and good records are being made by the shooters.

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## TALK OF NORTH FRANKLIN.

—A nice line of winter shirt waists will be found at Bana Beals.

—There will be a dance at the Grange hall next Thursday evening.

—G. L. Kempton and wife are visiting friends in Canton this week.

—Miss May Davenport has been quite ill the past week with a bad cold.

—W. B. Hoyt owns a lot of full blooded Lincolnshire pigs, ten in number.

—Mrs. G. A. Berry of West Farmington was in town a few days this week.

—Miss L. C. Phillips found a small handful of ripe strawberries September 23.

—Mr. R. M. Pike of Malden and G. J. McCrem of Boston are guests of Miss Bana Beal this week.

—Mr. Williams and family, who have been visiting relatives in town, have returned to their home in Vermont.

—Rev. Mr. Clancy will preach at West Phillips next Sunday at 2.30 on the subject, "Our Martyred President."

—A display of fall and winter trimmed hats and bonnets will be held at Bana M. Beal's Saturday Sept. 23. All are invited to call.

—All members of the degree team of Mt. Saddleback lodge No. 92, I. O. O. F. are requested to be present at the next regular meeting Tuesday evening Oct. 1.

—Mr. Chas. Allen, conductor on the Phillips & Rangeley freight train, strained the muscles of his leg quite badly last Monday while at Reed's mill.

—Hon. Joel Wilbur of Phillips entertained his friends, Dr. Dolliver and Mr. Daniel Whitehouse of Augusta at his camp, Crows Nest on Mooselookmeguntic lake this week.

—A special train was run from Farmington to Rangeley last Wednesday to bring Dr. Palmer to Rangeley to attend the little child of Mr. Francis Shaw who is at his cottage on Rangeley lake.

—Mrs. J. S. Milliken, nee Rose Toothaker who has been in New York during the past summer is at home for a couple of weeks. Her husband Dr. Milliken is visiting his relatives in Farmington.

—The next regular meeting of W. S. R. C. will be October 3 in the afternoon and a picnic supper at 6, for G. A. R. and corps. Every member is requested to be present.

MRS. NELLIE MCKEEN, Secretary.

—Following are the officers chosen at the Masonic meeting last Wednesday evening: Berton A. Davenport, W. M.; E. I. Herrick, S. W.; H. F. Beedy, J. W.; C. E. Parker, Treas.; Daniel L. Denison, Sec.; J. W. Brackett, S. D.; S. S. Whitney, J. D.; A. W. McLeary, J. H. Byron, Finance Committee.

—Next Saturday, Sept. 28, the Sandy River and Phillips & Rangeley railroads offer excursion rates from all points along the way to attend the horse trot at Rangely. All tickets are good for a trip on the lake and also afford the opportunity of remaining over Sunday.

—F. N. Beal of Phillips, and H. A. Furbish and J. D. Huntoon of Rangeley have purchased the Pierson farm, so called, on the shore of Long pond. The Pierson camp is included and it is understood that the farm has a good amount of spruce timber upon it.

—Mrs. Dora A. Fuller has sent out invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Gertrude Cleo, and Mr. Ernest Carlton Atkins, on Monday evening, October 7, at 8.30 at 25 Vaughan street. The at home cards bear the inscription: "After December 1, 129 Ontario street, Providence, R. I." Miss Fuller is a sister to Mrs. Lyman H. Nelson, at whose home the ceremony is to occur.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. A. D. Cragin advertises a large and selected line of toilet soaps.

If you are in need of a chiffonier read Bradford, Conant & Co.'s ad.

A. M. Greenwood can interest you in watches of all grades and prices.

M. C. Bangs & Co. invite you to attend their fall opening of millinery next Wednesday.

If you need any groceries or heavy rubbers and leggins call on D. S. Austin, Kingfield.

Read S. J. Wyman's ad. It will tell you something about shoes, jackets and capes and outing flannel.

Fremont Scamman would like to show you his line of rifles and shotguns. Read his ad.

Card of thanks.

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Resolutions.

## Rheumatism

Rheumatic pains are the cries of protest and distress from tortured muscles, aching joints and excited nerves. The blood has been poisoned by the accumulation of waste matter in the system, and can no longer supply the pure and health sustaining food they require. The whole system feels the effect of this acid poison; and not until the blood has been purified and brought back to a healthy condition will the aches and pains cease.

Mrs. James Kell, of 707 Ninth street, N. E. Washington, D. C., writes as follows: "A few months ago I had an attack of Sciatic Rheumatism in its worst form. The pain was so intense that I became completely prostrated. The attack was an unusually severe one, and my condition was regarded as being very dangerous. I was attended by one of the most able doctors in Washington, who is also a member of the faculty of a leading medical college here. He told me to continue his prescriptions and I would get well. After having filled twelve bottles without receiving the slightest benefit, I declined to continue his treatment any longer. Having heard of S. S. S. (Swift's Specific) recommended for Rheumatism, I decided, almost in despair however, to give the medicine a trial, and after I had taken a few bottles I was able to hobble around on crutches, and very soon thereafter had no use for them at all. S. S. S. having cured me sound and well. All the distressing pains have left me, my appetite has returned, and I am happy to be again restored to perfect health."

**SSS** the great vegetable purifier and tonic, is the ideal remedy in all rheumatic troubles. There are no opiates or minerals in it to disturb the digestion and lead to ruinous habits.

We have prepared a special book on Rheumatism which every sufferer from this painful disease should read. It is the most complete and interesting book of the kind in existence. It will be sent free to any one desiring it. Write our physicians fully and freely about your case. We make no charge for medical advice.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

## TALK OF NORTH FRANKLIN.

—Mr. and Mrs. Webb of Portland were in town one day this week.

—Mr. M. B. Skofield is taking Chas. Allens place on the freight train.

—Mr. J. S. Tarbox of East Wilton is visiting friends and relatives in town.

—The many friends of Hon. N. U. Hinkley are sorry to hear that he is very low.

—Capt. Chas. Pease and Mr. Frank Mannis who have been away on business have returned.

—Mrs. A. W. Robbins of Roxbury, Mass. has been visiting her aunt Mrs. Lavina Taylor.

—The wedding of G. W. Wood Ph. D., editor of the Lewiston Daily Sun and Miss Lura N. Brackett of Phillips will take place at the bride's residence next Saturday, September 28.

—Hon. F. E. Timberlake entertained friends at his cottage on Rangeley lake last Sunday. Among those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Cornish of Augusta, Miss Bassett of Augusta, Mr. and Mrs. Carter of Lewiston and Mr. and Mrs. Virgin of Portland.

## SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

Byron M. Small of Farmington, clerk. J. A. Hayden of Portland, stenographer. Herbert S. Wing of Kingfield, county attorney. James F. Worthley of Strong, sheriff. Deputies—Alonzo Sylvester and Nelson Gould of Farmington, James H. Howes of New Sharon, Geo. M. Esty of Rangeley, A. J. Merriman and Heber H. Allen of Jay, J. A. Witham of Weld, W. B. Small of Kingfield, J. B. Noble of Phillips.

Martin H. Fowler of Farmington, jailer. J. A. Witham of Weld, court crier. Geo. G. Witham of Farmington, messenger.

## GRAND JURY.

A. V. Hinds, Kingfield, foreman. Fred A. Allen, New Sharon. Chauncey Bangs, Farmington. James A. Bell, Strong. Charles Brown, Carthage. John A. Brown, Jay. J. P. Dudley, Eustis. H. E. Ellis, Weld. Edwin A. Furbush, Chesterville. Edward T. Hoar, Rangeley. S. L. Huff, Freeman. Selden E. Keene, Phillips. Frank Luce, New Vineyard. Wm. B. Merry, Industry. Chas. H. Smart, Wilton. G. B. Staples, Temple. John H. Welts, Madrid. N. V. Worthley, Avon.

## FIRST TRAVERSE JURY.

Levi F. Hoyt, Phillips, foreman. Charles N. Adams, Wilton. A. H. Black, Chesterville. Silas A. Blodgett, Phillips. E. W. Bryant, Jay. Wm. B. Butler, Phillips. Ward Burns, Industry. Geo. M. Currier, Farmington. F. D. Grover, Jay. Wm. T. Hoar, Rangeley. James R. Jewell, New Sharon.

## SECOND TRAVERSE JURY.

Joseph P. Thwing, Farmington, foreman. M. A. Macomber, Jay. Cleff Maxwell, Weld. Justin E. McLeary, Farmington. Fred C. Weld, Farmington. H. D. Parker, Jay. N. Willis Sewall, Wilton. R. Hanley Smith, Farmington. Frank A. Thomas, New Sharon. Sumner W. Thompson, Farmington. Walter A. Vaughan, Farmington. Edgar Wills, Salem.

## SUPERNUMERARY.

S. L. Wright, Jay. The September term of the Supreme Judicial court for Franklin county opened at the court house at 1 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

The forenoon session was devoted to organizing the court and calling the docket for disposition of cases.

Ninety new cases have been entered during the term.

Cases have been assigned for trial as follows:

Friday—E. E. Williamson vs. Levi Bergeon.

Saturday—Eli S. Upham vs. Marshall Stevens.

Monday—O. P. Whittier vs. Town of Farmington; L. B. Hodgkins vs. Moses McNally; L. B. Hodgkins vs. Abram Drost and Annie Drost; A. B. Church vs. A. L. Savage.

Tuesday—A. G. Winter vs. Edgar L. Vose and tr.; Stephen G. Stubbs vs. A. L. Savage; Jonas Edwards vs. C. K. Donnell; John Leclair vs. C. C. Donnell; Ira M. Donnell et al vs. John Leclair; John Metcalf and J. H. Bonney vs. Chester Greenwood.

Wednesday—Wm. Graham, libellant, vs. Mary R. Graham; Sarah J. Smith and George L. Smith vs. Ascher D. Horn; Annie J. Mills vs. George Mills.

Thursday—Geo. Elwell vs. Abial R. Dixon.

Five cases were discontinued. T. R. McLaughlin, F. S. Chandler, Elijah W. Blodgett, C. E. Barker, and H. L. Masterman vs. Ralph B. McDaniels and Charles E. Park; also case of H. H. Vining vs. John A. Emery and John F. Hillton.

Defaults were entered in H. L. Whitcomb vs. Samuel W. Bailey; J. C. Holman vs. Seth E. Beedy; E. O. Greenleaf vs. same; Bates College vs. same; Fred Voter vs. Nat. Luce; C. N. Blanchard vs. Irving A. Smith; Joseph King vs. Andrew J. Norton; N. P. Jones, Harry W. Cumner, Wm. B. Saul and Harry J. McGinnis vs. J. W. Bunker; Chas. R. Allen vs. Grayton H. Keyes; Redington Lumber Co. vs. Robert Phillips; Abram Ross vs. E. M. Gile.

The following cases were continued: Caroline E. Belcher vs. F. C. Belcher; E. E. Richards vs. Silas D. Perham, deceased; Chas. W. Robbins vs. Frank E. Hall; E. Howard Lowell vs. V. T. Webster; town of Industry vs. Thomas M. Oliver; P. W. Stevens vs. Geo. H. Bean; Geo. Mortimer & Co. vs. Peter Soucie and Joseph Butler; C. D. Boss & Son vs. same; Frank Marshall vs. Thomas O. Kennedy; Louis Voter vs. Geo. Childs; Augusta J. Hood vs. town of Phillips; F. W. Butler vs. J. J. Linscott; Henry P. Churchill vs. J. Ardine Blake; J. Frank Knowlton vs. J. E. Mosher; Robert Keefe vs. Kate Higgins; Charles Forster vs. Wm. I. Smith; Ira L. Nevens vs. Town of Farmington; P. H. Stubbs vs. Cyrus L. Stevens; J. W. Carsley vs. Albert Leavitt; Town of Avon vs. Town of Rumford; Wm. B. Gilman vs. J. J. Linscott; J. H. Fletcher vs. Dick Hibbard; Chas. L. Green vs. Geo. M. Fletcher add Benj. F. Butterfield; C. H. Neal vs. Asa H. Lake.

## PROBATE COURT NEWS.

## Record From the September Term at Farmington.

[Special correspondence to MAINE WOODS.]

FARMINGTON, Sept. 17, 1901.

The following is the summary of business transacted at the September term of the Probate court held at Farmington, in and for the county of Franklin, before Josiah H. Thompson, judge, and Frank W. Butler, register:

Petition for administration: Estate of Samuel S. Fales, late of Freeman, and Amanda P. Coolidge, late of Wilton.

Wills proved, approved and allowed: Frederic Swan, late of New Sharon, executrix, Martha A. Swan; Lyman L. Jones, late of Weld, executrix, Martha S. Jones; Laura M. Pease, late of Salem, executor, Edgar Wills.

Accounts presented: Second account of John D. Furnal, administrator with the will annexed of Isaac Purington, late of Jay.

Accounts settled and allowed: First account of L. D. Lawrence, administrator of Eliza A. McLaughlin, late of Weld; second account of A. W. Dutton, executor of the will and testament of John A. Whitmore, late of New Sharon; Fourth account of Thomas Crowell, guardian of Louisa M. Morrill, minor child and heir of Eugene F. Morrill, late of Farmington; third account of D. W. Berry, administrator of J. L. Pratt, late of Carthage; first account of Hattie M. Carter of Wilton, guardian of Charles G. Carter, minor child of James G. Carter, late of Wilton.

Warrants and inventories returned: By C. M. Thompson, trustee of the estate of Harry A. Allen et als under the will of Abbie L. Thompson, late of Jay, John Merriman, B. Emery Pratt and H. C. Whittemore of Livermore, appraisers; by William E. Pease, administrator of estate of Albanus K. Pease, late of Salem, M. H. Wyman, M. H. Norton and William Lockyer, appraisers.

Appointments made: Harriett P. Keyes, administratrix of the estate of William C. Bursley, late of Farmington; Mary E. Waite, trustee under the will of Cyrus Washburn, late of Wellesley, Mass.; Minnie E. Thornton, administratrix of the estate of George W. Thorton, late of Chesterville; Joel Wilbur, administrator de bonis non of the estate of William Toothaker, late of Phillips.

Petitions to sell real estate: John S. Smith, late of Wilton, by Robert P. Smith, administrator; Cyrus Washburn, late of Wellesley, Mass., by Mary E. Waite, trustee under the will; Mandell C. Hobbs, late of Farmington, by Lizzie Hobbs, administratrix; Charles T. Locklin, late of Temple, by Carl A. Weston, administrator; Joseph F. Deane of Temple, insane, by Samuel R. Norton, guardian.

License granted to sell real estate: Minna L. Lake, trustee under the will of Stephen Lake, of certain estate for the benefit of Ethel May Lake and Dorris Francis Lake.

Other petitions—To sell personal estate: Elijah Manter, late of Industry, by A. W. Dutton, administrator.

For dismissal of John B. Allen, guardian of Arthur E. Thompson, dismissed.

To mortgage estate of Mary V. Rollins, by Leon W. Stockbridge, guardian.

Leave granted Herbert L. Staples and E. Estelle Staples to adopt Harold R. Staples, son of Fred N. Staples.

Estate of Mandell C. Hobbs, late of Farmington, represented insolvent, by Byron M. Small and Louis Voter appointed commissioners.

## The Best Indorsement.

Baxter's Mandrake Bitters is sold and guaranteed to cure the diseases for which it is designed, by every druggist in the United States or money refunded.

What better indorsement can be given a medicine. It cures constipation, sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, jaundice, expels all poison from the blood, and makes you well and strong. In liquid or tablets 25 cents. Try it.

## West Freeman.

Mrs. Lizzie Hartwell of Hartland is visiting her sister, Mrs. Adelaide Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eustis are visiting relatives and friends in Dixfield.

Mr. Clifton Wing was called home from Flagstaff Sunday on account of the sickness and death of his little girl. Mr. and Mrs. Wing have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

Mr. Earle Whitney purchased a Needham organ of Mr. A. D. Brackley recently.

Mr. Allen Eustis was in Chesterville last week, working for Mr. J. E. Hecock.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Haines of Avon visited her mother, Mrs. Wm. Welch, recently.

Mr. Hervey Welch was in Farmington Saturday.

## Letter to E. B. Whorff,

Phillips, Maine.

Dear Sir: It takes 3000 gallons of paint for the two big hotels at Coney Island—Manhattan and Oriental. They are painted once in three years with Devco lead and zinc.

Why so often? Three reasons: (1) sea air cuts paint; (2) sand in the wind cuts paint; (3) hotels, especially pleasure hotels, want freshness and color as much as protection. Once in three years is often enough and not too often to paint a hotel on a windy sand beach.

How long do you think lead and oil would last there? One year. Is there anything for you in this?

Yours truly,

F. W. DEVCO & CO.  
P. S. W. A. D. Cragin sells our paint in your section.

## IN KINGFIELD TOWN.

## The Public Library Fund Still Growing.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.]

KINGFIELD, Sept. 23, 1901.

While the canvass for the public library is not quite complete only a few names remain to be added to the list. The success of the canvass is very gratifying to the canvassers, the believers in Kingfield and especially to the Current Event club which has engineered the movement. It is due in part to the wise generosity of J. C. Webster of Hartford, Conn., whose subscription heads the list below and which is conditioned on securing a hundred memberships. In a previous issue we reported fifty-five dollar memberships, which with the eighty-eight reported today makes a total of \$143. The names reported below were secured by Mrs. Horace Winter and Miss Hunnewell, with the exception of the subscriptions of J. C. Webster and O. W. Simmons.

J. C. Webster, \$25  
O. W. Simmons, 5  
H. S. Wing, 5  
E. E. Jenkins, 5  
A. G. Winter, 5  
L. L. Durrell, 1  
Chas. Watson, 1  
F. O. Merchant, 1  
C. F. French, 1  
W. W. Moore, 1  
L. Pullen, 1  
Mrs. A. V. Tufts, 1  
Fred Hutchins, 1  
Roscoe Tufts, 1  
Ed Carville, 1  
Frank Collins, 1  
W. L. Lovejoy, 1  
J. L. Carville, 1  
C. R. Vose, 1  
R. C. Butts, 1  
S. W. Morse, 1  
Harold Wood, 1  
Abe Butts, 1  
Geo. Kennedy, 1  
E. B. Taylor, 1  
Flave Vose, 1  
A. R. Thurston, 1  
W. S. Jacobs, 1  
E. B. Williamson, 1  
B. P. Stevens, 1  
W. D. Page, 1  
H. Woodcock, 1  
Embert Hennigar, 1  
B. J. Gilmore, 1  
E. P. Locke, 1  
Freeman Berry, 1  
A. A. Jacobs, 1  
R. A. Huse, Jr., 1  
J. W. Jordan, 1  
Horace Gilbert, 1  
S. J. Wyman, 1  
A. J. Hunnewell, 1  
A. C. Woodard, 1  
Orren Tufts, 1  
B. F. Stanley, 1  
M. D. P. Thompson, 1  
C. L. Huse, 1  
C. L. Barker, 1

The Current Event club is called to meet at Rev. W. S. Ballou's on Wednesday evening to take action on the public library.

J. C. Webster, a loyal and honored son of Kingfield, spent Monday in town. It is reported that he has bought back the old Webster homestead.

Mr. Fred Stanley, one of Kingfield's successful boys, is visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stoye of Huntingdon, L. I., are spending a part of their honeymoon with Rev. W. S. Ballou and wife.

The Franklin County Association of Universalists will meet at North Jay Oct. 2 and 3.

A large crowd visited the baptismal waters at Freeman Centre, Sunday afternoon to witness the administration of this sacred ordinance. Five candidates went forward.

At the Free Baptist parsonage, Wednesday, Sept. 18, Mr. Geo. M. Richards and Miss Gertrude Jordan were quietly united by marriage.

G. C. Phillips, who has been putting in our electric light plant, spent a few days' vacation at Tim pond. He had very good success with the rod and gun.

Dr. Simons made a business trip to Portland the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Potter and children visited in town last week.

Mrs. M. B. Pottle of Portland has been visiting Mrs. S. K. Pullen.

F. O. Stanley and wife are visiting in town.

## Births.

Phillips, Sept. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross, a daughter.

Farmington, Sept. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pomeroy, a daughter.

Farmington, Sept. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Gay, a son. (Tolman Whitney Gay; 8 lbs.)

Farmington, Sept. 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Grounder, a son.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilman Bryant, a son. (9 lbs.)

## Marriages.

Salem, Sept. 10, by Geo. W. Harris, Esq., Mr. Geo. L. Preston and Mrs. Jessie H. Tapley, both of Freeman.

Kingfield, Sept. 18, Mr. Geo. M. Richards and Miss Gertrude E. Jordan.

Farmington, Sept. 25, by Rev. W. P. Lord, F. N. Staples, M. D., and Miss Edna M. Savage, both of Farmington.

Wilton, Sept. 13, by Rev. Herbert Tilden, Hon. Cyrus N. Blanchard and Miss Florence Noyes, both of Wilton.

Kingfield, Sept. 21, by O. C. Dolbeer, Esq., Mr. Charles R. Ross and Miss Clara B. Collins, both of Kingfield.

Coplin, Sept. 25, by Rev. J. B. Ranger, Mr. Ray Viles of Flagstaff and Miss Edythe Taylor of Coplin.

## Deaths.

Weld, Sept. 11, Hon. Wm. S. Robertson, aged 84 years, 1 mo., 19 days.

Madrid, Sept. 17, Joseph D. Hinkley, aged 88 years, 25 days.

Stark, Sept. 19, Belinda True, wife of the late James Bryant, aged 87 years, 9 mos.

Mt. Hermon, Mass., Sept. 21, Mary, only daughter of Prof. Lyon L. and Mrs. Lulu Adams, aged about 6 years.

Freeman, Sept. 16, Editha Louisa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wing, aged 10 mos., 5 days.

Rangeley Plantation, Sept. 23, Mrs. James Haines, aged about 62 years.

## Reed's Mill.

Mrs. Ada Gross of Livermore Falls and Mr. Charlie Sargent of Fitchburg, Mass., were called here by the serious illness of their father.

Miss Flora Corson has gone to her home in Athens for a two weeks' vacation, after which she will return for the winter term of school.

Mr. Fred Ladd is boarding at Mr. Isaiah Dunham's.

Miss Mae Dunham has returned home from Phillips, where she has been stopping.

Mrs. Bertha Dunham is somewhat improved in health and is able to be out.

Wm. Sargent is somewhat better at this writing.

Mrs. Bert Kinney visited relatives in this part of the town last week.

The improvements on the cemetery are nearly completed.

Miss Ella Conant is in Farmington.

## Students Stop

and get your Stationery Tablets, Pencils, Pens, Ink and all School supplies of

E. C. STANLEY, Kingfield.

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used in medicine contains the same ingredients as those used in food.

I use the purest material for making these flavors and am sure about their purity.

You are after quality are you not.

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Kingfield, Maine.

Staple and  
Fancy Groceries.

Also the best line of Fancy Crackers in town. A large line of

Heavy Rubbers

and Leggins

For men and boys, just in. Don't forget the place.

D. S. AUSTIN,

LARRABEE BLOCK,

KINGFIELD, - - MAINE.

Hand  
Lamps.

Just look at them. You can get them from 10c up.

Some for 10 cents,

Some for 15 cents,

Some for 25 cents,

and so on. Just come, there is some for everybody.

A. R. THURSTON,

KINGFIELD, MAINE.

Have You Seen

S. J. WYMAN'S

NEW LINE OF

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## Literary Notes.

The Cosmopolitan for September is largely devoted to the Pan-American exposition. Mr. Julian Hawthorne describes "Some Novelties at Buffalo Fair." Mr. Dooley discourses of the Midway in true Dooley style and Dr. Albert Shaw writes of "The Real Value of the Exposition." Mr. John Brisbane Walker comments on "Great Inventions Since the World's Fair," and records nine inventions which he considers great. The first two are the sub-marine boat and wireless telegraphy. There is an exhaustive article on acetylene gas, giving a valuable set of tests for a portable, safe and effective generator for house lighting.

McClure's for September has for its opening article "Stories From the Archives of the Royal Humane Society." Some estimate of the wealth of heroism shown in the records may be formed from the fact that during a single year the society rewarded seven hundred and fifty-six persons for rescuing life from drowning or suffocation. In "How I Hope to Reach the North Pole" Mr. Baldwin announces the plans of the Baldwin Tiegler expedition. Clara Morris furnishes some fascinating "Recollections of Lawrence Barrett," and Walter Wellman in "The Rise of the American City" gives the story of the census of nineteen hundred. "The Opaki," the newly discovered animal of Central Africa, is described in an illustrated article. "The Stepmother" is a short story of merit. "While the Jury Was Out" is an amusing sketch of Colorado life, and the struggles of "The Man Who Gave No Tip" will be appreciated by many travelers.

The September Criterion has a "Stringtown-on-the-Pike" story by John Uri Lloyd. It is called "The Mother of Sam Hill's Wife's Sister." The last part of "James Brentwood Preble, Second" gives a realistic picture of the "Rough Riders" in Cuba. The last paper on "One Century of Drama" is devoted to American plays and the author concludes that with three exceptions none of our American playwrights can be classed with the great writers for the stage abroad.

The American Kitchen Magazine in "Family Cooperation In Housework" proposes a plan which, if carried out, would rejoice the heart of the American housewife. "The Effects of Defective Plumbing on School Children" is a sensible article reminding parents of the vital necessity for cleanliness in all school appointments. A simple course of "Lessons In Cooking In Public Schools" is given. The course is adapted for work in the seventh grade or for home use.

The Ladies' Home Journal has a real-able paper on Mr. Ernest Seton Thompson's new home in Connecticut. Mr. and Mrs. Seton, as they wish to be called, have recently bought an estate of a hundred acres of woodland not far from New York City. Miss Alcott's letters to the original of "Laurie," edited by "Laurie" himself, will bring pleasure to a host of readers. Interest in the pranks of college boys is perennial and the account of "College Scrapes We Got Into" will be welcome. On the editorial page Mr. Bok again utters a wise and timely warning to parents whose indifference or ambition permits the cramming system in public schools. Two pages are filled with pictures of the most beautiful lakes in America and a large amount of space is devoted to the new fashions.

In "Good Housekeeping" Josiah Flynt discourses of "How the Housewife Treats the Hobo." Under "Good and Economical Living" are several sample menus of appetizing meals at 50 cents a day for three people. "The Home Pickle Factory" gives new rules for a variety of pickles. There are seasonable receipts for serving and canning September fruits and also twelve ways of serving tomatoes.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm applied to a cut, bruise, burn, scald or like injury will instantly allay the pain and will heal the parts in less time than any other treatment. Unless the injury is very severe it will not leave a scar. Pain Balm also cures rheumatism, sprains, swellings and lameness. For sale by W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; E. H. Whitney, Rangeley; Dyer's Drug Store, Strong and Lester L. Mitchell, Kingfield.

## Freeman.

While visiting at Mr. Walter Sedgley's, he showed me a field of yellow corn which beats anything I ever saw. I believe the yield will be eighty bushels of marketable corn to the acre.

G. P. Blackwell, Lorenzo Thompson, C. N. Blackwell and family and Fred Weymouth and family took an outing recently at Gammon pond, where they enjoyed the fishing and boating.

## What Constitutes a Family?

PHILLIPS, Sept. 22, 1901.

To the Editor of the Maine Woods: The interrogative headline above constitutes what has been a burning question at the entrance to the fair grounds last week. In case old parents for a "valuable consideration" give a deed of their homestead to a son and receive a mortgage for life maintenance, care in sickness, burial, etc., I think the courts would say that such parents constituted a part of such a son's family, but the young man at the gate has decided differently!

Now permit me to say to that young man as regards the above and what follows that while it may be the acme of wisdom to say of Christopher Wren that "He builded wiser than he knew," this is not a safe precedent for young men in other cases. Hence in these cases, if the son mentioned above has a "family ticket," it may include his parents.

Again, the letters D. H. may indicate "dead head," or they may stand for the name of the writer of this item, but when they stand for a representative of a newspaper which does so much, at its own cost, for local interests as MAINE WOODS does, then the young man at the gate does not build wisely to think otherwise.

Again, this young man at the gate builds more foolishly than he knows when he thinks that over one per cent of the merchants and farmers of Phillips will stultify themselves for 25 cents!

Again, the present writer happens to know what he is talking about when he asserts that MAINE WOODS invests dollars in some local interests for which it never expects, nor realizes ten cents for each dollar thus invested. And again, all of us who have become stock holders in these sins are liable to pay our part of the penalties. Like the poor we shall have a few scallawags with us always, but the young man at the gate does not do well to mix them with the average, elderly Phillips citizen. H.

## A Shocking Calamity

"Lately befell a railroad laborer," writes Dr. A. Kellott, of Williford, Ark. "His foot was badly crushed, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly cured him. It's simply wonderful for Burns, Boils, Piles and all skin eruptions. It's the world's champion healer. Cure guaranteed. 25c. Sold by W. A. D. Cragin.

## Lang Plantation.

Our schools began Monday, Sept. 9, and are taught by Miss Gussie Allen of Freeman and Mr. Elmer Webber of Mt. Vernon, Me.

Adelmon Morrison and C. T. Wyman start out threshing Tuesday, Sept. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Harris are spending a week at Lewiston among friends and relatives.

R. O. Dyer will start with a crew of men soon to repair the Buston dam on the south branch.

Work will begin soon on our new school building, with N. H. Harnden of Phillips as carpenter.

L. B. Taylor has returned home from Rangeley, where he has been at work the past season.

## Fairbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gay were made happy Sept. 21 by the appearance of a little son in their home.

W. A. Hoyt is visiting his sisters in Malden, Mass.

Partridge time is here and the woods once more resound with reports of guns, if not of captured game.

W. V. Larrabee, with his crew of men, are still cutting soft lumber on the Cliff Jones place.

## Resolutions.

Hall of Mystic Tie Lodge, No. 154, F. & A. M., Weld, Me., Aug. 8, 1901.

Once more have the bonds of Mystic Tie been broken and the Supreme Grand Master has called from its midst our brother R. W. Lyman S. Jones, P. D. D. G. M., to that Celestial Lodge, eternal in the heavens, and

WHEREAS, It is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be had, be it therefore

RESOLVED, That although we deplore his loss, yet we know that the most high God "doeth all things well."

RESOLVED, That in the death of Brother Lyman S. Jones, Mystic Tie Lodge has lost a brother whose utmost endeavors were always exerted for its welfare and prosperity; a friend and companion who was dear to us all; a citizen whose upright and noble life was a standard of emulation to his fellows.

RESOLVED, That the heartfelt sympathy of this lodge be extended to his family, and that the furniture of Mystic Tie lodge be draped in mourning for a period of ninety days in his memory.

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be spread upon our records and a page be inscribed to his memory and that a copy thereof be presented to his family.

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be sent to the MAINE WOODS, Farmington Chronicle and the Farmington Falls Times for publication.

ABEL D. RUSSELL, } Committee

HENRY W. COBURN, } of

CLEFF MAXWELL, } Resolutions.



THINK IT OVER. There's a reason for those pains in your back and sides, for those dull, dragging aches, that listless, "keep-away-from-me" feeling. The kidneys are to blame. They get sick, can't do their work and the whole system feels the effect, just as a whole town feels the effect of a blockaded sewerage system.

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## WHITE BIRCH NOTES.

## Transaction That Didn't Go and May Cause Trouble.

Considerable interest has been created among those who have known of the matter, by a deal which was to have been made by Mr. Royal Blanchard of Stratton in the purchase of some white birch timber land for Mr. Carl Lewis of Kingfield.

It seems that there was some misunderstanding between the parties which resulted, as we get it, in Mr. Lewis tendering Mr. Green the owner of the land, \$7,520.75 all in gold. Mr. Green refused the tender and still has his land.

It seems that after the transaction had been started, the people of Stratton decided that they would build a birch mill and that they wanted this land. It will be noticed by the figures above that there is considerable "money in it."

Mr. Carl Lewis of Kingfield and Mr. F. N. Beal of Phillips have purchased some valuable white birch land in Slem Plantation of the Mt. Abram township heirs.

## A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from Pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of Consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her. This marvellous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at W. A. D. Cragin's drug store.

## West Phillips.

The bears are getting in their work. Wm. Calden reports five sheep missing, G. L. Kempton, two missing.

Curtis Lawrence shot at a bear one night last week in G. L. Kempton's orchard. He was near the bear when he fired and the bear dropped. Curtis got in two more shots but bruin made good his escape. Lawrence and Oscar Beedy followed him a mile the next day and left him near the Packard road, where he was seen the next day by two fishermen.

Fred Pierson saw a bear near Pearl pond one day last week.

Rufus S. Beedy is attending court at Portland this week as jurymen.

Corn crop this fall is good. Apples are more plentiful than was expected earlier in the season.

Potatoes are generally light, although G. L. Kempton raised on less than one-half acre of ground 145 bushels.

Deer are more plentiful than last year.

Fremont Scamman has sold three new rifles the past week to West Phillips boys, \$2.40, and the question is who will score the first deer in October, on the

## Stony Brook, Stratton.

Joseph Potter, wife and children, visited Mrs. Potter's mother, Mrs. Bradbury of Kingfield, last week and attended the fair at Farmington.

A crew began work on the novelty mill at Stratton last week.

The annual Sabbath school festival was held at the Union church Saturday. Stratton's Sabbath school holds the banner another year.

There was a heavy frost the 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Randall of Madison are visiting relatives and friends in and around Stratton this week.

Among those who visited the fair at Farmington were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wright, Mrs. S. J. Hinds, Mrs. J. C. Danico, Sumner Savage, Orrin Taylor and Charles Phillips.

Miss Carrie Gilbert of Kingfield visited her cousin, Mrs. Nell Potter, recently.

Blake, the little son of A. M. Jones, who broke his leg five weeks ago, can walk around the house without the aid of crutches.

The ten day's Holiness meeting closed Sunday evening.

## IN AND ABOUT STRONG.

## Corn Shop Closes After a Successful Season.

## General News Items and Happenings of the Week.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]

STRONG, Sept. 25, 1901.

The corn shop, after a very busy season, closed last Tuesday. Mr. Tucker, the manager, says that the shop has broken its record, for never before have such quantities of corn been received at the shop for the quality been as good before.

C. S. Porter and wife of Thomaston are in town for a few days' visit. Mr. Porter is employed in the prison there.

Partridges are reported plenty in this vicinity, but have not got out into the openings much yet.

Ena Thompson is out again after a few days' illness.

O. J. Porter was a caller in town one day last week.

Capt. Dean started for Boston Monday for a short visit.

The toothpick mill is running with a small crew.

Lon Kennedy of New Vineyard is back at his old place in the packing room at the toothpick mill.

L. T. Hunter, who has been at work in the corn shop at Farmington, returned home Saturday.

A. S. Pratt returned to Phillips Monday after a week's visit at Alden Gilman's.

Walter Howland, who has been running the sealer at the corn shop, has returned to his work in the railroad shops at Rumford Falls.

Earl Richardson is at work at E. H. Porter's for a short time.

A very funny story is told about a young man who got a friend to drive him to a brook not far from town. After a day's fishing he returned proudly showing a big string of large trout. The sad part of the story is that he did not know the trout were suckers until a friend took him one side and told him. Evidently "all fish looked alike to him."

A memorial service was held in the M. E. church last Sunday evening in commemoration of President McKinley. The church was beautifully decorated. Addresses and papers were given by Nelson Walker, a sketch of McKinley's life; W. L. Daggett, McKinley as a man and a congressman; M. A. Will, McKinley as a President; Rev. T. N. Kewley, McKinley's religious life.

## Stood Death off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at W. A. D. Cragin's drug store.

## Rumford Point.

We are having beautiful September days and the rain which has promised for so many days has not appeared.

Captain H. S. Hayes has gone to Upper Dam fishing. He expects to get some fine fly fishing.

Memorial services for the late president were held in the Congregational church here on September 18. The address was given by Rev. Mr. Smith of Yale seminary, who has been preaching here the past summer. The church was prettily decorated with flags and flowers and black trimmings. Rev. Mr. Smith sang "Lead Kindly Light" as a solo.

J. N. Elliott of Chicago is here on a visit with his relatives. Mr. Elliott was for years one of the leading musicians in Minneapolis, singing in one of the prominent churches there for years.

The Franklin league will give an entertainment on Friday evening. The proceeds are to be expended on books for the library which now has about 90 volumes.

Mr. Chas. Simpson has sold out the stage line to Locke's Mills to Mr. Mitchell of Hanover.

Many people from this place attended Paris and Bethel fairs.

The mica mine is doing a flourishing business. They are shipping loads of mica daily. The superintendent tells us that it yields 30,000 sheets to the square inch. Many people visit the place daily. From the top there is a fine view.

Several new guests arrived at J. H. and F. B. Martin's last Saturday which completely fills the house.

The High and Primary schools are in operation. The former is taught by Miss Jose of Otisfield and the latter by Miss Mitchell of Poland. They board with Mrs. Chas. Simpson.

Mr. Ezra Smith, who has been visiting his old home in Hanover, left for his home in Tazoo City, Mississippi, Sept. 23. He will visit the Pan-American exposition.

Mr. Amos Elliott and wife will visit the Pan-American exposition soon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Durrell are in Temple visiting Mrs. Durrell's brother, Aaron Marden.

Ray Ricker shot eight partridges in a few moments the other day.

## New Vineyard.

F. O. Smith took a trip to Boston the past week.

Rev. E. R. Stearns of Warren was a caller in town Wednesday.

Ira Holbrook of Malden, Mass., visited his father and other friends the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Guild of South Framingham, Mass., visited at Chas. E. Stewart's the past week, also at Mrs. Guild's uncle's, Gordon Cleveland.

Mr. A. S. Pratt, wife and daughter of Phillips visited at Alex. Sweet's the past week.

Forrie Everett is visiting in town.

Mrs. Carrie Robash of Farmington is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Fuller.

Ralph Stewart has gone to Brunswick to enter Bowdoin college.

Mrs. E. B. Lambert of Eustis, with two sons, visited Mrs. Deborah Lambert the last of the week.

Fred Look of Strong was in town Sunday.

Eugene Kennison of Temple visited at Deacon John McLain's over Sunday.

W. A. Lee, Frank Roberts, J. Atwood and Lon Dudley have gone to Stratton to work. Mr. Lee has charge of building the mill there.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who aided us in the sickness, death and burial of our little daughter, and for the many floral tributes. Also to Dr. Pennell and lady who so kindly rendered their assistance and did all in their power to alleviate the sufferings of our darling. May Heaven's richest blessing rest on all. MR. AND MRS. CLIFFORD WING, Freeman, Maine.

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## Legal Notices.

FRANKLIN, SS: At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of September, A. D. 1901.

Mary E. Waite, trustee under the will of Cyrus Washburn, deceased, having presented her petition for license to sell and convey real estate of said deceased, as described in said petition.

ORDERED, That said trustee give notice to all persons interested by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODS, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of October next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

J. H. THOMPSON, Judge.

Attest, FRANK W. BUTLER, Register.

Notice. The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of

Laura M. Pease, late of Salem,

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

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September 17, 1901

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## TALK OF NORTH FRANKLIN.

—Han Vining is on the sick list.

—Miss Marion Noble was in Farmington last Tuesday.

—Mr. T. R. Wing has begun work on his new house on Main street.

—Mr. Lubert Pratt of Rumford Falls has been ill for a week or two past.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Dill have returned to their home in Everett, Mass.

—Mr. Will Ross bought a very valuable horse of John R. Toothaker recently.

—Miss Minnie Saunders of Auburn is in town, the guest of Mrs. Lucinda Adams.

—Mr. A. Ruffner, clerk at Bald Mountain Camps, was in town one day last week.

—T. R. Houghton and wife of Arkansas City, Kas., visited Dr. C. L. Toothaker last week.

—Mr. Geo. Bangs of Portland, who has been in town for ten days, returned home the first of the week.

—The regular meeting of the Social Union will be held with Mrs. C. E. Parker Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 1.

—Miss L. N. Brackett and her sister, Mrs. S. W. Lightner of Harper's Ferry, W. Va., were in Lewiston and Portland this week.

—The illness of Mrs. D. F. Field has been pronounced typhoid fever by her physicians. She is as comfortable as can be expected.

—Mrs. W. A. D. Cragin started Monday to attend the wedding of her nephew in Braintree, Mass. She will visit friends in Lewiston, Waterville and Boston.

—Mrs. A. W. Bean was in Farmington a few days this week to visit her mother, Mrs. Mosher, who goes to Brockton, Mass., this week for a several week's visit.

—Mrs. Ebon Harnden and little son have returned from New Hampshire, where they have spent the summer. They are occupying their house on Sawyer street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Smith, who moved to Norridgewock a few weeks ago, are very pleasantly situated. Mr. Smith is principal of the High school and has over seventy pupils.

—While Mr. M. W. Bean was harnessing his horse at the blacksmith shop this week, the horse became frightened by the passing of a runaway horse and threw Mr. Bean down, laming him quite badly.

—Mr. Elgin Sweetser will move from Mrs. Carrie Toothaker's house on Main street to Mr. T. M. Parker's house near the spool mill. Mr. Eli Brackley of Lewiston will occupy Mrs. Toothaker's house.

—We have just received from the New England Electric Publishing Co., of New Sharon, Me., a copy of the History of Medicine by Dr. Alexander Wilder. This volume has received hearty endorsement from literary and scientific men and is a book of interesting reading for all.

—Phillips friends of Mrs. Helen Willard Howard of Roxbury, Mass., were recipients this week of "Southern Melody" for the piano forte. Mrs. Howard is a very successful composer. Mr. and Mrs. Howard have been at the Mountain View for three weeks past and were in Phillips Tuesday on their return home.

—Great improvements were made in M. C. Bangs's millinery store while she was in Boston, buying her fall millinery. The furnishings of the room have been painted white. The walls are papered with a deep border of pink and green. New curtains and a screen add to the attractiveness of the room. Miss Bangs has engaged the services of Miss Carolyn Shorey as trimmer for the coming season. Miss Shorey comes highly recommended. She has worked three seasons with Hill Bros. of New York.

## COUGHS KILL



We know of nothing better than coughing to tear the lining of your throat and lungs. It is better than wet feet to cause bronchitis and pneumonia. Only keep it up and you will succeed in reducing your weight, losing your appetite, bringing on a slow fever, and making everything exactly right for the germs of consumption.

Better kill your cough before it kills you.

## AYER'S Cherry Pectoral

kills coughs of every kind. A 25 cent bottle is just right for an ordinary cough; for the harder coughs of bronchitis you will need a 50 cent bottle; and for the coughs of consumption the one dollar size is most economical.

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SARAH F. MORGAN, Brownstown, Va. Oct. 7, 1895.

## Among the Churches.

Rev. J. B. Ranger occupied the pulpit at the Union church. The subject of his discourse was "The Spirit Filled Life," and the Scripture taken as a text was Matt. x, 27, "What I tell you in darkness, that speak ye in light: and what ye hear in the ear, that preach ye upon the house tops."

If the bullet which entered the body of our late beloved president causing the wound which resulted in his death, had been received in a limb or some portion of the body remote from the vital organs, the result would doubtless have been less disastrous than that which has overwhelmed our land with sorrow. We know that severe wounds are often unattended with fatal consequences. We meet persons who bear the marks of terrible accidents, who have lost an arm or a leg, or with scarred and mutilated bodies but with health unimpaired. There are, then, wounds which the body may withstand and retain much of physical vigor, as well as those which result in its death. But whatever the condition life cannot be sustained unless provision is made to supply the demands for nutrition. We provide food, and those things necessary to renew strength and support life.

Much that has been here said regarding physical life is equally applicable to the spiritual. It may receive wounds from which it cannot rally, or those which only mar its beauty and cripple its usefulness. But if the spiritual life is to continue it must have something upon which to feed, and this is the Spirit of God directly supplied to the soul of the individual.

I do not mean that God does not speak to men and instruct them in various ways, by his works and through the words of others. Yet none of these are sufficient by themselves. There must be direct communication between God and the soul if there is to be spiritual life. Men may give mistaken guidance. Sometimes I read what some scientist or wise man has written upon some subject or theory. I say to myself I can now use this illustration; perhaps it may be something concerning the creation, or the history of the nations. I read from another book, and am told something which is the opposite of the first statement. In science nor history neither in biography nor philosophy is there perfect agreement between scholars and writers. But God's teachings need no revision. From him we learn truth.

The spirit filled and nurtured life can not be hidden. It is possible for a person for a time to uphold principles entirely at variance with his real self. In other words it is possible for a man to be a hypocrite. A man might avow himself to be a firm believer in the teachings of the anarchists, yet by his conduct oppose violence and revolution. A man may extol the virtues of sobriety and honesty and in his life be dissolute, profligate and treacherous. Sooner or later his life will stand for what it is.

It would seem at first thought that if the evil deed of one whose accustomed habits of life were upright were spoken of to his condemnation, then to the good deed of even the hypocritical should be ascribed praise. But remember, friends, we must be judged by our motives. If we do good to deceive as to our real self and character, is that well? The evil deed follows only the evil thought. Peter would never have said "I am none of his," had he not first entertained the evil thought.

I think we often pay too much attention to the minor details, the outward finish as one might say, without regard to the real spirit. For example, we sometimes hear criticism of the language in which some christian expresses, in the public service, his faith in Christ. A violation of the correct form of speech is made a matter of mirth. I am not speaking against the use of correct and beautiful language if one has command of such, but it seems so very pitiable to make loyal, noble thought of less importance than the grammatical correctness of the words in which it is clothed.

In the chapter from which the text is taken we have an account of the sending forth of the first missionary band. We may learn from them something to aid in our work. How were they to go? Where were they to go? They were to be earnest, persistent, courageous, trustful. As they went, wherever they went, they were to preach the gospel of the kingdom. They were to go first to the lost sheep of the house of Israel, to those who counted themselves God's chosen ones, yet failed to do his will. That was not to be the end of their work, but it was the beginning. Today we want first to get the church right, to bring its members into a place of faithful service.

The passage of scripture that speaks of sin against the Holy Ghost as being unforgivable has caused much perplexity and questioning. I have thought much upon it, and to me it means a constant disregard of the voice of the Spirit will render one insensible to its communications. By his own act he has put himself beyond the influence of the Spirit.

The Spirit filled life is an obedient life, and it is a happy life. As the child rejoices in the knowledge that he is trying to do that which the parent wishes, even so will the Christian find peace and joy in the consciousness that he is fulfilling the will of the Father.

## Salem.

Mrs. Emily Wills has gone to Farmington.

Several from this place attended the Farmington fair.

Mrs. Ena Perry has been on the sick list the past week.

F. E. Harris sold a nice horse this week to Massachusetts parties.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Booker of Richmond called on friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Adams and Arthur Ellsworth have gone to Crockett town to work.

Winfield Corbett is building a new chimney to his house, also newly clapboarding it.

It is reported that Mr. Carl Lewis has purchased fifteen hundred acres of land of Fred Ellsworth. ROSCOE.

## RANGELEY SHOOTING ACCIDENT

## Deaths of Three Residents of The Town Lately.

## Improvements Being Made by Some of Our Business Men.

Special correspondence to MAINE WOODS.] RANGELEY, ME., Sept. 25, 1901.

Miss Evie Heway will attend to the duties of the post office without an assistant during the absence of Miss Grant.

Mrs. G. A. Berry of West Farmington who has been working at Mrs. Geo. Oakes returned home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Ira Whittemore spent Sunday with her parents in Avon.

Mrs. Will Quimby and two children and Mrs. Ottington of Andover drove to Haines Landing last Tuesday spending the day at Bald Mountain camps.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Rual Wilcox of Dallas is very ill.

Messrs D'oeach and Holloway have returned to their home in New York.

Mr. Geo. Oakes who has been guiding at Indian Rock for several weeks has returned to his home in Rangeley.

Mrs. M. H. Kenniston of Phillips was in town last week, called here by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Peabody.

Last Monday night Mrs. Sarah Haines passed away after a brief illness of but a few days. Mrs. Haines leaves four children, Mrs. Will Wilbur, Mrs. Dick Lamb, Mrs. Geo. Kempton and Mr. Geo. Haines, besides one brother, Mr. D. Hinkley of this town and two sisters Mrs. Melissa Morrell and Mrs. Lewis Witham of Madrid. Mrs. Haines was apparently as well as usual until a few days of her death going to Madrid very recently to see her father, Mr. Joseph Hinkley who was then ill. Upon her return she was taken ill, the blood vessels on her body swelling up in places and soon bursting. The bereaved family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Last Sunday afternoon at two o'clock occurred the funeral of Mrs. Mertie Height Spinney at her home in Greenville. Rev. R. Roberts officiated and Mr. David Hoar conducted the services. Music was furnished by Mrs. Collins, Mrs. M. B. Skolfield and Messrs R. Roberts and W. S. Skolfield. The floral decorations were very beautiful, there being wreaths from Mrs. Kempton, Miss Helen Haines and Mrs. Betsy Tibbets beside many bouquets. Mrs. Spinney was but eighteen years of age. She leaves a husband, a father and mother and one sister beside many friends to mourn her loss.

Mr. David Peary died at his home last Thursday, Sept. 19. Mr. Peary has been ill for some time with cancer of the lip and quietly passed away after a long and painful illness. He was 87 years of age. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, Rev. R. Roberts officiating, and Mr. Sam Ross conducted the services. Music was furnished by Mrs. Frank Harris, Mrs. M. B. Skolfield and Mr. R. Roberts.

Miss Della Wilber is working at Mrs. Austin Hinkley's and attending the village school.

Miss Elvie Beal of Phillips and Mrs. Althea Williams of Worcester visited at their sister's, Mrs. Ira Whittemore, a few days last week.

The Cirone Bros. gave one of their social dances in Furbish hall last Friday evening. On account of the rain not a very large number attended.

Miss Florence Judkins of Mountain View was in town one day last week, the guest of Mrs. Frank Cole.

Mrs. Will Grant has returned from Seven Ponds for the season.

Mr. Colby Whittemore took Mr. M. B. Skolfield's place on the train a few days last week.

Mr. Bert Furbish has resumed his work in the barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sears have returned to their home in Gardiner.

Mr. Fred Ellis has taken rent in Mr. Austin Hinkley's house.

Mrs. Bert Hubbard of Massachusetts has been in town, the guest of Miss Minnie Grant.

Mr. W. J. Ross of Phillips was in town recently.

Mr. Wm. Tibbets of Dallas has started a meat cart in town.

Mrs. Eunice Haley of Sandy River visited her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Oakes, recently.

Mr. J. B. Harlow attended the fair at Farmington last week, having a very ready sale for his candy. He goes to Canton to attend the fair there this week.

## Bird-Shot For Tiger.

No use to hunt tigers with bird-shot. It doesn't hurt the tiger any and it's awfully risky for you.

Consumption is a tiger among diseases. It is stealthy—but once started it rapidly eats up the flesh and destroys the life. No use to go hunting it with ordinary food and medicine. That's only bird-shot. It still advances. Good heavy charges of Scott's Emulsion will stop the advance. The disease feels that.

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MUNYON'S INHALER CURES CATARRH.

Mr. S. G. Haley of Phillips and Mr. H. B. Merry of North Anson were in town a few days this week.

At the parish meeting held recently a committee was chosen to make arrangements for the purchase or for building a parsonage. The house next to the church, owned by R. S. York, offers many advantages. Nothing definite has been done as yet, but it is hoped that Rangeley will have a parsonage before very long. Another meeting will be held in the near future.

Mrs. Emma McCard and her milliner, Miss Lamb, will return from Boston Saturday night.

Mrs. Frank Wymann of Strong is in town nursing Mrs. F. B. Peabody.

Mrs. Dyer of Stratton visited friends in town recently.

The many new houses in Rangeley are being rushed ahead as fast as carpenters are able to do the work and contracts for more new ones are being taken.

The Rogers house, the property of Prof. J. M. Muuvon, has been made into two very desirable tenements, one of which has been already taken by Mr. A. B. Grover.

Mr. Walter Brackett, who has been working on his new house for but two weeks, now has it ready for the masons.

A new schoolhouse is being built in Lang Plantation. Mr. N. H. Harnden is in charge of the work.

Mr. C. W. Barrett has purchased a house lot of Furbish & Butler and begins this week on a new house. A. J. Haley will have charge of the work.

Messrs. Fred Soule and F. W. Miller are repairing their house and will finish it up in four tenements.

The carpenters have begun work on the Quimby house.

Mr. Geo. Snowman has added a piazza to his residence on Main street.

The plastering is being done on the new house of Mr. Silas Adams, also on the new part which Mr. Erman Toothaker has added to his house.

Mr. C. W. Barrett goes to the Kennebago stream next Saturday to take spawn.

Mrs. Lee Mitchell is quite ill.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davenport is ill.

Miss Jenkins, who has been in charge of the telephone at Mr. Whitney's store, has returned to her home in Temple. Mr. Gooch takes her place.

Mrs. Henry Collins is visiting her parents in Boston.

Mr. E. H. Whitney was in the city a few days last week.

Mrs. Laura Taylor has purchased one of the new houses of Furbish & Butler.

Mr. Geo. Hoar has taken rent in Lyman Huntton's house.

Mr. A. L. Robertson has purchased the Dennis Davenport house and Mr. Win Miller has taken rent in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sweetser of Boston are in town, the guests of Miss Prudence Richardson.

Last Thursday evening Memorial exercises in honor of our dead President were held in the parlors of the Rangeley Lake House. Mr. F. M. Bradley of Washington, D. C., addressed the people with stirring and eloquent words. Opening prayer was offered by Rev. R. Roberts.

John Russell of Avon is carpentering for the Dinsmore Bros.

Miss Luette Timberlake of Phillips and her sister, Mrs. Shurtleff of Livermore, were at Marsquasie lodge a few days this week.

Mr. John Green of Coplin is very ill. Dr. Currier of Phillips was called to see him last Tuesday.

Mrs. C. W. Barrett is on the sick list.

A sad accident happened last Saturday forenoon when Mr. Arey Ross shot himself. Mr. Ross was hunting alone some distance from the town. He rested the stock of his gun over a log and sat down to tie his shoe lacing when the gun slipped and the hammer struck against the log in such a manner as to discharge it. The bullet entered his right side just below the short ribs cutting a gash about five inches long and nearly two inches wide. Mr. Ross was obliged to walk to his home in the village. Dr. Peabody dressed the wound.

Miss Blanchard of the Intermediate school is an enthusiastic worker for the interest of her pupils and for the advancement of the school. Last week she furnished her pupils with tickets which were to be sold at 10 cents apiece, each ticket bearing the words, "You have an interest in our clock." The money obtained from the sale of the tickets was to be used in purchasing a clock for the school room. Over \$8.00 was realized. The clock has been purchased and enough money was left over to furnish the Intermediate room with new curtains. This is a move in the right direction and though it could not be done by the sale of tickets, a new High school building would be a great addition to our town.

L. M. Lunt & Co. were at the Oquossoc house Tuesday and Wednesday of this week with an excellent line of ready made clothing including ladies' suits, coats, walking skirts, ready-to-wear hats, veils, gloves, silk waists, shirt waists and wrappers. A better line of goods has never been shown in town and the prices are right.

## Obituary.

Mrs. Laura Ella Toothaker who died at her home in Rangeley, Maine, Monday at 4 o'clock Sept. 18, 1901, was born at Madrid October 24, 1862.

She was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel W. Hinkley. On April 28,

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## Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us during our great sorrow. Especially do we thank those who contributed the beautiful flowers.

MR. E. L. TOOTHAKER,  
MISS INZA TOOTHAKER.

## Card of Thanks.

We would thank the friends and neighbors who helped in any way during the sickness and death of our loved one who has just passed away. May the blessing of God rest upon them.

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MRS. PHEBE HIGHT,  
FRANK HIGHT,  
WILL HIGHT,  
HOWARD HIGHT.

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