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PUTNAM ESTATE CONTEST.

NIECE PROTESTS AGAINST ALLOWING ACCOUNT OF EXECUTOR.

Involves Sale of Redington Township for \$27,000 to Maxcy and Lewis—Claims Price Inadequate—Searles Has Long Been In Europe.

Preliminary steps have been taken in the probate court at Farmington in what promises to be an interesting legal controversy which involves the accounts of the executor of the estate of the late Calvin Putnam, of Boston, once owner of the township of Redington, and promoter of the Phillips & Rangeley railroad and of the large lumber operations in Redington.

A protest is on file at the probate office by Miss Alice Putnam, niece of the testator, against the allowance of the account of the executor of the estate, Charles P. Searles, of Boston, a near relative and also executor of the will of her late uncle. She has retained Elmer E. Richards, of Farmington, as counsel to represent her at the hearing at the probate court in this county where the Redington part of the estate is located.

It is understood that Miss Putnam also appealed from the allowance of the will in Boston.

Calvin Putnam died in 1904, leaving quite a large estate. In 1890 he bought Redington township which is said to have contained about 25,000 acres and was 6x6 1-2 miles square, containing valuable timberlands which have been lumbered over ever since, and Redington pond, a prominent fishing locality. He later sold out to the Redington Lumber company of which he was half owner. A mill, now removed to Madrid station, was erected, and the next year the railroad from Phillips to Redington was built and later was extended to Rangeley.

It is understood that after the death of Calvin Putnam the Redington property was sold to Maxcy and Lewis, present owners of the Sandy River & Rangeley Lakes railroad, and in the returns of the executor, Searles, the estate is credited with \$27,000. It is said that Miss Putnam is not satisfied with this sum, claiming that it is entirely out of proportion with the value of the property. Searles, it is said, has been in Europe for some time.

ACTS OF VANDALISM.

Damage Done to Monuments and Graves Desecrated by Boys.

Phillips people, who have dead buried in Evergreen cemetery, were wrathful when it was discovered, Monday, that some vicious persons had done much damage to the headstones and monuments in Evergreen cemetery, smashed vases and flower urns, and otherwise desecrated the graves of the dead. Evidences on the monuments showed that some persons had thrown rocks at them, nicking out places and chipping off edges beyond repair, breaking urns and demolishing flower receptacles.

Deputy Sheriff Bell has the matter in charge and will act in a few days. The arrests of two boys, whose home is in Phillips, will follow, and steps toward punishment will be taken. It is understood that evidence points to two boys, ten and eight years of age, whose parents are living but who are allowed the freedom of young savages to roam the streets without let or hindrance from their parents.

Similar damage had been done in local cemeteries before, and the mystery of who did it remained unsolved till the discovery of the culprits in the more recent case.

President In Collision.

The President's yacht, Mayflower, with the President on board, on her way from Oyster Bay to Newport during Tuesday night, in a dense fog, ran into and sank the lumber-laden schooner, Menawa, belonging to C. G. Pendleton of Isleboro, Me. All on board the schooner, consisting of the captain and five men, were taken on board the Mayflower. The President's yacht had her bowsprit and one anchor carried away, but the jar of the collision was so slight that none of the President's party knew of the accident until they arose Wednesday morning.

PHILLIPS' TALL GIANT.

W. H. KELLEY VISITS OLD FRIENDS AND SCENES OF YOUTH.

Stands Six Feet Ten In His Stockings, Weighs Over Two Hundred, and Doesn't Realize His Full Strength—Comes From a Tall Family.

Maine grows some tall human timber, as well as lofty pines, and one of the finest specimens of the former sort, a native of Phillips, by the way, looked the village over from a view point of six feet ten inches, Monday, in the person of W. H. Kelley, now of Rumford, who called on relatives here. With this Maine giant was his 15-years-old son, Linwood, who has grown about four feet in as many years and now looks up into the face of his pa from a height of six feet. If Linwood keeps on growing his father says he will be about seven feet tall when he reaches his majority, according to his recent ratio of growth.

The father plays the slide trombone and cornet and is the tallest musician in Maine or probably in the world for that matter. He is a giant in strength, too, and never has tested his supreme power save to lift with one hand objects which strong men had tugged at vainly with both hands. He is employed in the paper mills at Rumford and is by all odds the strongest man in Oxford county. His exact height is 6 feet, 9 and seven-eighths inches, and he is 40 years old.

Kelley used to play in the Phillips band and his father, the late M. S. Kelley, and his brother, Sewall Kelley, who lives here are also old time musicians, while one of his sisters, Mrs. Ada Hunter, also of Phillips, is an excellent musician. The father of the Maine giant was rather tall himself, measuring 6 feet, 3 inches.

Kelley used to do a few stunts while he lived here just to keep in practice. He weighed about 225 and hasn't an ounce of superfluous flesh on his big, bony frame. One fourth they had a big iron weight with a ring fastened in it, which the strong men of Franklin county vainly tried to lift. Kelley happened along, unbent his big frame, and taking the weight in his right hand swung it up in the air and carrying it several rods hurled it 20 feet like a discus thrower.

In charge of a crew of the building of the Franklin & Megalloway railroad, he became disgusted with the attempts of the Italians in unloading iron rails. Four men would get hold of a rail and in attempting to throw it off a car two or three would invariably follow the rail, falling from the car. Kelley grabbed a rail in the center, lifted and threw it off the car to show them how easy it was. Other great feats of strength were performed by him which have never been duplicated. Like all very strong men, Kelley is of a gentle disposition and never seeks a quarrel. Had he trained for the ring there is no doubt that with his great height, reach and strength, but that he would have won championship honors in the ring.

He was born on what is today called Kelley hill and there are numerous relatives hereabouts.

Mrs. Frank Lowell is one of his sisters and while here Kelley and his son made calls on several.

Hazel Kirke.

"Hazel Kirke" an old time popular drama was admirably acted before a large and friendly audience at Lambert Hall, Wednesday night, by a number of well known Farmington professional and amateur actors which included the Misses Isabel and Grace White, whose stage name is Gould, and Charles Lake, who is with the Thomas E. Shea company, and who is an excellent actor. Others in the cast were: Misses Rose Grounder, Sadie Robinson, Cora Lake and Tom Austin, Charles Keith, Joseph Linscott, Archie Roderick, Nelson Hart, Clarence Matthieu, Seward Marsh. No better presentation of a stirring drama was ever presented here, and when we say that those who took the leading parts were worthy of the name of professionals it covers the whole criticism. Phillips much enjoyed the presentation by Farmington talent. Fortunate the town which produces such.

A PYTHON HER PET.

MYRTLE LAMBERT OF STRONG HAS 10-FOOT SERPENT AS FAD.

Brought From Asia, It Coils Itself Lovingly About Her, and Has Run of the House—Cat Having Seen It Hasn't Come Back.

Miss Myrtle Lambert of Strong, Franklin county, has a strange pet in a ten-foot python snake brought from Asia and presented her by a friend. Miss Lambert has developed a passion for snakes and the python is her household pet. It belongs to the boa constrictor variety and eventually is expected to reach a length of 25 to 30 feet.

The python, which its owner has named Billy, is very fastidious as to its food, and it insists on having nice fat chickens for its meals.

Miss Lambert has another snake of the "coral" variety that she prizes highly. It was given her by the same man that gave her the big fellow. The little snake is about three feet in length and one of its favorite positions is coiled in its mistress' hair. Here it will remain perfectly quiet for hours at a time, observing all that is going on, however. The two snakes are great friends.

Billy receives as much care as a child from Miss Lambert. Every morning the snake gets a bath of new milk, the body afterwards being wiped quite dry. The box occupied by the snake, which was made for his especial occupancy, is constructed of polished woods and is lined with soft cloths. There are perches in the box and a long shelf that his snakeship may stretch upon.

"I have always had a great liking for snakes," said Miss Lambert. "Afraid of snakes? Well, I should say not. For my part I can't see what there is about a snake that a girl should be afraid of. Now, some might say that Billy is dangerous, but I am not a bit afraid of the big fellow. It's true that he has the power now to kill a human being by crushing, but I know that he won't hurt me, for I think that he loves me."

"He is so nice and affectionate, running his head up on my face and in a way almost kissing my cheek. Why, I'd hate to part with Billy, and don't intend to as long as I can keep him."

One day, not long ago, the snake escaped from his box and invaded the family pantry. Then there was a great commotion, for in his progress about the place he tipped over many pieces of china, and the resulting wreck was something that the family may remember for some time. It was on the same day when the big fellow was making his way through the parlor of the house in his course of investigation that the family cat espied the serpent. There was a frantic "m-iouw" and the cat made good her escape through a window. Since that day she has not returned, and it is thought that the shock which the feline experienced was so great that she has gone to live with others who have no snakes.

A UNIFORM RANK.

Sandy River Lodge, K. of P. Is Forming One.

Sandy River Lodge, Knights of Pythias, No 115, is growing rapidly and a petition has been placed in circulation by Major C. A. Mahoney of the staff of Brigadier General Walter E. Reid, for the organization of a Uniform Rank division here and a dozen signatures of the necessary 21 have been secured.

Major Mahoney has been active in this work, having formed the Farmington, Rumford, Livermore Falls and North Jay companies. He will accompany Pierpole company to Boston early in August when there will be 50,000 Knights of the Uniform Rank in session there from all over the country.

Sandy River Lodge has recently purchased a splendid set of robes for degree work, which will be used for the first time at the next initiation.

Eight Hours a Day.

Notices were posted in the Maine Central carshops reducing the time to eight hours a day, five days in the week this week.

NORTON REUNION.

THIRTY DESCENDANTS OF PETER E. AND ANNA NORTON.

Happy Gathering at Allen's Campground at Strong From Five States Presenting Several Educators of Noted Schools—Old Home Week.

Gathered at the Allen campground, Strong, is a merry party of young people and their parents. They are the children and grandchildren of Peter E. and Anna Norton, formerly of Farmington. There are eight children and seventeen grandchildren, making with the husbands and wives, 32.

Twenty-nine are present and they come from five different states. From Ohio came, Mary Norton Lindenberg, with her only son, Norton Lindenberg, just graduated from Ohio Wesleyan university and about to commence his work as assistant teacher in the Sidney, Ohio, High school; her husband, Dr. L. M. Lindenberg, of Troy, Ohio, is one of the absentees. From Greater New York came two of the original eight, Miss Dora M. Norton, an art teacher in Pratt institute, Brooklyn, and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Norton. George is a teacher of manual training in the Bryant High school. There are no grandchildren in this party. From Massachusetts came three of the eight. Howard P., of Brockton, brings his wife and two boys. Charles Winfred has just completed the High school course and Leslie is still in High school.

Lyon L. Norton and wife come from the celebrated Mount Hermon school of Moody fame, and they bring four small children, the oldest being ten. They are Stephen Adams, Hermon, Norman and Paul. S. Allen Norton is in business in Pittsfield, Mass., and brings Richard C., a boy of seven. Mrs. Allen Norton with William B., the youngest boy, are absent, being called away at the last moment by the serious illness of her father. From Newport, R. I., come Lewis T. and wife with three children. The oldest is ten. They are: Harold Lewis, Mary Snow, and Theodore Roosevelt. The eighth member of this group is John Franklin of Strong. He and his wife contribute five children, Anna T., a teacher in the New Vineyard schools, E. Spaulding, a graduate of Bliss college, Lewiston, and David L., George C., and Dorothy W., younger children at home.

While the campgrounds will be the home of this company for two weeks, they anticipate taking various trips, one of which will be to the old homestead in the Holley neighborhood, Farmington, where John Smith Norton made for himself a home out of the primeval forest. Here his son Peter E. was born and here also the eight children of Peter E., now gathered at Strong.

National Prohibition Ticket.

For President, Eugene W. Chafin of Chicago; for Vice President, Aaron S. Watkins of Ada, Ohio.

This ticket was nominated Thursday by the Prohibitionist National convention at Columbus, Ohio and both nominations were made unanimous. The full indorsement of the convention was not, however, given to Mr. Chafin until after three ballots had been taken.

Both the presidential and vice presidential nominees are candidates for governors in their respective states on the prohibition ticket.

Eugene W. Chafin, who leads the Prohibition party this year, is an attorney. He is a native of Waukesha county, Wisconsin, and for several years practiced law there. He was at one time candidate for governor of Wisconsin on the Prohibition ticket and was this year placed in the running for the same position in Illinois by the Prohibitionists of that state.

Standard Oil Wins.

The Standard Oil Co.'s decision, by which the company was fined \$29,240,000 by Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, of the United States District court, was Wednesday reversed by the United States Court of Appeals. The case was remanded for a new trial. The decision of the three appellate judges was unanimous.

MAINE POLITICS.

HON. BERT M. FERNALD IS CONFIDENT OF DECISIVE VICTORY.

Will Speak Throughout State on All State Issues—Taft May Come to Maine—Plummer Withdraws—Crockett In the Field for Governor, Too.

Hon. Bert M. Fernald, the Republican standard bearer in the Maine campaign which will open August 1, tells MAINE WOODSMAN that on that date he will begin a tour of speaking which will take him into every important town and village in Maine, where he will address the voters on every topic of state interest upon which the Republican party goes before the people, and will not confine himself to one issue, but will treat each one, especially that of taxation, which he believes the whole people regardless of party believes is of paramount importance to the present and future of Maine.

"I am in fine health and spirits," said Mr. Fernald, "and anxious for the opening of the campaign in which I will participate as speaker till the day before election in September. I believe that in this campaign we have the people with us to a much larger degree than in any previous contest. I think our great convention at Bangor proved this assertion. I look for victory pronounced and decisive."

E. C. Plummer, of Bath, who announced that he was aspiring to the short term as Congressional candidate in the Second district, has abandoned his ambition. Hon. John P. Swasey will, of course, be a candidate, saying he never understood that his nomination as successor to Congressman Littlefield did not mean that he was to serve the short as well as the long term, when elected, as he surely will be by an old time majority. He should go to Congress with a 5,000 majority behind him as a card of introduction.

Taft may come to Maine, and if both of the candidates visit this state it will help to make the campaign a notable one. There is little doubt that, beginning about the first of August, there will be lots of ginger in the campaign. The number of speakers on the stump will be larger than two years ago which was an "off" year in politics. The Democrats say that Candidate Gardner is to make a vigorous personal campaign.

The Maine Democrats hope to induce Bryan to come to Maine to make two or three speeches. It is reported that he is coming as far east as Vermont, and on this trip it is expected that he may also get to this state. The plan would be to have him speak in Portland, and probably in Bangor and in Lewiston.

Byron H. Mayo, of Bar Harbor, who was nominated by the Democrats of Hancock county as candidate for sheriff, withdrew, but reconsidered, and will run. He has been twice elected sheriff.

Dr. George L. Crockett of Thomaston, has taken out his nomination papers from the secretary of state and unless some unforeseen circumstance occurs will soon file them according to law. The doctor says that he can easily secure the necessary number of signatures and while he does not expect to be elected, he will secure a standing for the Independence party on the Australian ballot. This he is anxious to do as he is convinced that the dissolution of the Democratic party is near at hand.

Former Senator L. C. Morse of Liberty, announces that he will be a candidate for state assessor at the coming session of the legislature.

STRICKEN AT PRAYER.

Tragic Death of James H. Rand While at Service.

James H. Rand, an aged resident of Standish, and father of Mrs. Esther Morse of Kingfield, dropped dead in his pew at the Congregational church in that town Sunday evening, Rev. L. H. Stoughton, the pastor, hurrying from his pulpit to the side of the stricken man whom all thought was simply kneeling in prayer, but who had fallen, fatally stricken.

Mr. Rand was born in New Haven, Conn., in 1828, and enlisted in the Third Maine Reg't in 1861.

UNION CHURCH

Melvin S. Hutchins, Pastor.

Calendar for week ending Aug. 1, 1908.

Sunday, July 26: 10.30, Morning worship. Sermon, "Fundamental Faith." 11.45, Sabbath school. 7.30, Evening worship. Address, "Merry Medicine."

Thursday, July 30: Union Prayer meeting. Subject, "Let us Follow Him."

All are invited to these services.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

The subject of the sermon preached by Rev. M. S. Hutchins at the Union church Sunday morning was "Christian Citizenship." The text was a clause from Luke xviii, 16: "Of such is the kingdom of heaven."

It often happens that when a person directs all his energies toward the accomplishment of some special object, when his efforts are all in the line of attaining that special result, when he thinks of it, works for it, sacrifices for it, even to the extent, it may be, of endangering his own life, that object assumes to him an aspect of surpassing importance. The necessity of endeavor along other lines is scarcely seen, and any effort not primarily for the furtherance of the object of his supreme interest is unworthy. The business man may see only the necessities of business enterprise and look indifferently or contemptuously upon efforts not calculated to advance those interests. The reformer sees the great need of the world in the reform which he advocates. He who is greatly interested in foreign missions believes that in that work more good can be accomplished than in any other way, and the one who pleads the needs of home missions wishes that he who urges foreign missionary work would not have so much to say.

It is to be regretted, however, that the phrase which was continually upon the lips of Jesus is not more often repeated by his followers. His watchword was "The Kingdom of God or of Heaven." For it was his work. He taught his disciples to pray for its coming. Many of his teachings were about its character. Many of his parables were concerning it. His work was to establish and to perpetuate it.

The kingdom is not alone of the future. It is here today. We are not to think that in our quest for the kingdom

"I'm a pilgrim and a stranger
I can tarry, I can tarry but a night.
How are we to work in the kingdom
and show ourselves citizens? In the days of anti-slavery agitation William Lloyd Garrison was a brave and a good man and he worked for the good of the enslaved. But had all anti-slavery men been like William Lloyd Garrison the slaves would not have been freed. Failing to see the necessity of acting upon other matters, deeming that all one's powers should be directed to the removing of the evil against which he strove, he refused to act with a government whose work was divided, and failed to meet the requirements of citizenship, refusing to vote or to place himself on record as joining in any way with the work of the nation's officials.

There is a band of men in the nation today who are mistakenly acting in a similar way. They believe that before all other governmental questions should come that of the liquor traffic. They do not recognize the necessity of action upon other matters. Ignoring, or perhaps I should say failing to see the other responsibilities laid upon the citizens of the country, they fail to assist in many things in which the welfare of the people demands their aid. A gov-

Nursing Mothers and

Over-burdened Women

In all stations of life, whose vigor and vitality may have been undermined and broken down by over-work, exacting social duties, the too frequent bearing of children, or other causes, will find in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription the most potent, invigorating restorative strength-giver ever devised for their special benefit. Nursing mothers will find it especially valuable in sustaining their strength and promoting an abundant nourishment for the child. Expectant mothers too will find it a priceless aid to prepare the system for baby's coming and rendering the ordeal comparatively painless. It can do no harm in any state or condition of the female system.

Delicate, nervous, weak women, who suffer from frequent headaches, backache, dragging-down distress low down in the abdomen, or from painful or irregular monthly periods, gnawing or distressed sensation in stomach, dizzy or faint spells, see imaginary specks or spots floating before eyes, have disagreeable, pelvic catarrhal drain, prolepsis, anteversion or retroversion or other displacements of womanly organs from weakness of parts will, whether they experience many or only a few of the above symptoms, find relief and a permanent cure by using faithfully and fairly persistently Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

This world-famed specific for woman's weaknesses and peculiar ailments is a pure glyceric extract of the choicest native medicinal roots without a drop of alcohol in its make-up. All its ingredients printed in plain English on its bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. Dr. Pierce thus invites the fullest investigation of his formula knowing that it will be found to contain only the best agents known to the most advanced medical science of all the different schools of practice for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments.

If you want to know more about the composition and professional endorsement of the "Favorite Prescription," send postal card request to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for his free booklet treating of same.

You can't afford to accept as a substitute for this remedy of known composition a secret nostrum of unknown composition. Don't do it.

ernment which in any way makes possible the liquor traffic, or by it adds to its revenues, they will have nothing to do with. There are others who because the constitution of the United States does not in its preamble, or somewhere else, make definite mention of God and faith in him, will cast no vote in the land. These men are sincere in their purposes to be right, but they have failed to see all the responsibilities of citizenship, and to see that to vote is a sacred obligation laid upon them and upon all citizens.

The kingdom of heaven is not in the far-away alone. The kingdom is very near. "The kingdom of heaven is within you," Jesus said to his disciples. It is not a question of superiority of greatness. The disciples were talking about the kingdom, discussing who should be its great ones, and they would fain have turned away the mothers and the caretakers who were bringing the little ones to Jesus for his blessing. But Jesus calling one of the children to himself said, "Of such is the kingdom of heaven."

There are many virtues characteristic of the little child, the good child, which will be seen in the citizens of the kingdom. We will not try to enumerate all, but will speak of some which will seem to embrace all the others.

The child has relations with its parents. To recognize the child is to recognize its parents. The members of the kingdom of heaven have relations with God. It has been said that belief in God is a necessity. Without thought of God there can be no definite purpose. The soldier rushing onward in the march may take an uncertain step forward after being hit by the bullet that has killed him. But it will be a stumbling, tottering step and he must soon fall. Withdraw from the spirit the vivifying thought of God, and there is no firm decided progress. All peoples grasp in some way the thought of God. The savages, the heathen have deities many. The Jews had a high conception of God. But their God was more like a marble statue, spotless in its stainless purity, beautiful in its chiseled perfection. Jesus came and the statue was made living. He had ever before him the thought of God the Father. "One is your father, even God." Through all his life from the time when in the temple he said, "Wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business," to that hour when from the cross he cried, "Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit," he was conscious of and he taught the fatherhood of God. To his disciples he said "Our Father." In his public address he spoke of God as the father of all to whom he spoke, and, in the matchless parable of the Prodigal Son, God is shown as being still the loving father of the wandering and the wicked, hastening to welcome the returning, while they are yet a great way off. In the last hours of earthly agonies this was his comfort, that he was doing his Father's will.

The good child is humble, not with the false humility of excuses and rejected opportunity, but with the trust which exalts his father's way above his own. He is also obedient. God's commands come to us in various ways. From the Bible, from the messages of nature, and the experiences of life. God's purpose, his ambition for the race, is to lead it on to a likeness unto himself. Jesus said "I am the way." By following him, obeying as he obeyed, he does indeed become a highway by which we come near to God. The mother of Jesus at Cana, where his first miracle was wrought, said to the servants "Whatsoever He saith unto you do it." That would be a magnificent motto for us each, "Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it." Obedient to him in all things He would become to us the way of purity, of trust, of all righteousness. The child has relations to others, brothers and sisters, schoolmates, playmates. So do we have relations with others. Believing in the Fatherhood of God we must also believe in the Brotherhood of man. The young ruler told Jesus that he had kept all the commandments. He had loved God as well as it was possible for a Jew to do. He had failed in no duty toward mankind. Doubtless he had often prayed the Pharisee's prayer, giving thanks that he was not as other men. But Jesus said "One thing thou lackest, Sell that thou hast and give to the poor." May that not be interpreted as meaning in spirit, "Go down among mankind, meet all men as brothers, love them, help them."

There are many societies, many fraternities banded together for mutual help, and it is a beautiful thing for man to recognize the need and the possibility of helping one another. There is a larger fraternity, where all were created in the image of God, and where one's neighbor is not him alone of the same belief, the same business or purpose, the same race. The neighbor is anyone who can give help though it may be a Samaritan who has been lightly esteemed. It will be a beautiful thing when we can recognize in any person anywhere one of the great fraternity of likeness to God, one of the Brotherhood of mankind.

Robert Burns may not have been thinking of this, but one of his poems tells some of these truths.

"Is there, for honest poverty,
That hangs his head, and a' that?
The coward slave we pass him by
We dare be poor, for a' that!
For a' that and a' that;
Our toils obscure, and a' that,
The rank is but the guinea stamp,
The man's the gowd for a' that.

What though on homely fare we dine,
Wear hoddin gray and a' that;
Gie fools their silks, and knaves their wine
A man's a man for a' that!
For a' that and a' that,
Their tinsel show, and a' that;
The honest man, though e'er sae poor
Is king o' men for a' that!

Then let us pray that come it may—
As come it will for a' that—
That sense and worth, o'er all the earth
May bear the prize, and a' that
For a' that and a' that,
It's coming yet for a' that
That man to man, the world o'er,
Shall brothers be for a' that."

And I wish Burns had gone a step farther and said that not only the poor and lowly were brothers of those seemingly more fortunate, but no matter how deeply one was sunk in sin, he was still a brother, and the hand should be reached down to help him.

We hear much of the triangular life. There is the broad base of duties toward God. There are the two sides making the isosceles; duties to self, duties to others. This completed makes a symmetrical beautiful life. Citizens of the kingdom of God we shall be like little children having disrespect for none, obeying Jesus, loving our Heavenly Father.

Shattered Hopes.

He (anxiously)—I understand your father speaks very highly of me? She—Yes, but he doesn't mean a word of it. He—Are you sure of that? She—Certainly. He does it just to torment mother.—Chicago News.

An Eyewitness.

"Have you any witnesses of the accident?" asked the Brentford county court judge recently.

"Yes," was the reply, "my uncle. He is not here because he is blind."—London Telegraph.

Artificial Teeth.

It is certain that the ancients had a knowledge of dentistry, but it is difficult to determine when or by whom the use of artificial teeth was introduced. Herodotus says that the Egyptians had "dentists for the teeth." In the British museum there are various dental instruments which had been found in the ruins of Pompeii, and Galen in the second century describes the method of extracting teeth by means of forceps. Belzoni says that artificial teeth were in use in antiquity, since he found some specimens in the catacombs.

Modern dentistry admits that the first to teach how to make artificial teeth was the Arabian Albucasis, and in his work "Al Tarif" are drawings of instruments used for this purpose.

The earliest known allusion to artificial teeth is by Martialis in the first century:

You use without a blush false teeth and hair,
But, Laelia, your squint is past repair.
—Minneapolis Journal.

A Case For Horry.

Cleverton (who has hired a taximeter cab to propose in)—Say "yes," darling. Miss Calumet—Give me time to think. "Heavens! But not in here! Consider the expense!"—Life.

HOW TO TELL IF YOU HAVE WORMS THE REMEDY THAT QUICKLY EXPELS THEM

The common symptoms of worms in children and adults are:—Pulseness of the face with occasional flushing; indigestion accompanied by an unnatural appetite at times; foul tongue and offensive breath; itching nose; vomiting; grinding of the teeth during sleep; swelling of the upper lip; hard swollen bowels; griping or colic pains; also convulsions and many other unaccountable nervous symptoms, which, if not checked in time, lead on to something more serious.

TOOK DR. TRUE'S ELIXIR AND GOT WELL

SOMERVILLE, ME.

DR. TRUE, DEAR SIR:—
"For more than three months one of my children had been troubled with spells of vomiting and symptoms of fever nearly every week, together with canker-sores about the nose and mouth. I obtained, about two weeks ago, two bottles of your Elixir, and before the first bottle was exhausted the sores were entirely healed, and no appearance of his vomiting or fever-spells has ever returned. I really believe that the lives of thousands of children suffering from worms or canker might be saved by a timely and judicious use of your Elixir." Yours truly,

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AUBURN, ME.

DR. TRUE, DEAR SIR:—
"For the past seven years I have constantly kept a supply of your Elixir in my house, and it never failed to give prompt relief. It has been a great blessing to my children, and unsolicited I give you this tribute of gratitude, hoping the merits of your unrivaled family medicine may be widely known and appreciated." Very respectfully yours,

CHAS. E. WING.

Even though worms may not be found present Dr. True's Elixir tones up the stomach and liver. Read what Dr. J. Haley, of Brunswick, thinks of it:

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One on Ma.

"They talked during dinner of the anarchists."

"But, papa, what is an anarchist?" little Willie asked.

"Well, my son," replied the father, "he's a person who is always blowing somebody up."

The child turned to his mother. "Then are you an anarchist, ma?" he said.—Argonaut.

Thankful.

"I hope your constituents are grateful to you for what you have done for them."

"I hope so," answered Senator Sorghum, "but I must confess I am thankful for the arrangement which makes compensation for my services independent of the gratitude of my constituents."—Washington Star.

Didn't Want to Be Singular.

It was in the drawing room after dinner that they discussed an absent maiden friend's bad points with the usual grim and scathing glee. Having thoroughly dissected her personal appearance, they next paid attention to her mental shortcomings.

"She is a very singular girl," spoke the one.

"Yes, indeed," responded her companion. "But, then, that is not her fault, for I never saw a girl so anxious to be plural."—Argonaut.

Elementary Arithmetic.

Judge—What age are you? Pat—Eight and fourscore my lord. Judge—And why not fourscore and eight? Pat—Because, my lord, I was eight before I was fourscore.—London Answers.

PHOTOGRAPHS

I have purchased the A. S. McKeen, Studio at Phillips, Me.

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We have this cut of machines always on hand; some good trades in second hand machines I will take your old machine for more than it is really worth in exchange for a new machine.

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Charles E. Smith, land and buildings, \$1 val. con. (quit); Walder C. Hobbs to Walter J. Baker, land, val. con. (war.) Phillips—Warren T. Hinds to Chester C. Allen, land, \$1 val. con. (war.); Phillips Hardware company to Chester C. Allen, land, \$1 val. con. (war.); Herbert H. Berry to Warren T. Hinds, land, \$1 val. con. (war.)

Rangeley—Edward H. Whitney to Della K. Oakes, land, \$1 val. con. (war.); Edward H. Whitney to Della K. Gages, land, \$1 val. con. (quit); Susie T. Russell to Lucy S. Look, land, and buildings, \$1 val. con. (war.); Horace W. Loomis to Weltha Loomis, land, \$1 val. con. (war.); John A. Decker to Fred O. Walker, land, \$1 val. con. (war.); Harry A. Furbish to Nelson S. Hinds, land, \$1 val. con. (war.) Portland & Rumford Falls railroad et al. to Fred J. Rolfe, land, \$1 val. con. (quit); Rumford Falls & Rangeley Lakes railroad to Fred J. Rolfe, land, \$1 val. con. (quit).

Strong—Arzilla S. Walker to E. Gilbert Eustis, land, \$1 val. con. (war.); Hugh M. Warren to Ross I. Peterson, land, \$1 val. con. (war.)

Temple—John H. Ranger to Ira W. Grant, land, \$1 val. con. (war.) Township No. 2—Josephine W. Niles to George H. Snowman, land, \$65 (quit). Wilton—Wilton Woolen company to L. V. Prescott, land, \$1 val. con. (war.); Elmer G. Mosher to Julia A. Green, land and buildings, \$1 val. con. (war.)

Stallion for Service

This is to give notice that my Stallion, Geo. D Mac is kept for service at the Warren Bates stable Phillips. I will be there to meet owners of mares, three times a day. Price \$10.00 to warrant \$5.00 for the season. Telephone calls at N. E. Wells at 6.30 a. m. or 12.30 or 6.30 p. m. will reach me. Henry Goldsmith, Phillips

Kingfield.

Mrs. Frank Stanley has returned from a pleasant week's visit with friends in Portland and Auburn.

Mrs. Mary R. Morris has returned to West Leeds after a visit with relatives in town.

L. A. Norton spent several days in Farmington last week attending the superintendent's meeting which was held in connection with the summer school in session there.

Mrs. Chansonetta S. Emmons and Miss Dorothy Emmons of Newton, Mass., are spending the remainder of the summer in town and have lodgings at the J. W. Jordon cottage on the river bank.

Frank A. Thompson was confined to his home by illness last week.

Mrs. Kittie Hunter accompanied by her nephew and niece, Master Wilbur and Miss Helen Day of Yonkers, N. Y., are guests in the family of A. G. Winter.

Mrs. Herbert Yeomans and children of Lowell, Mass., are at West Kingfield at the home of her mother, Mrs. Abbie Durrell, for a several week's visit.

Mrs. Estelle W. Tufts has returned from a several week's visit in Dryden and vicinity with relatives.

Guy Sedgely of Stratton was a business caller in town recently.

Master Ivan Farrand is in Eustis for a few weeks with his grandfather, Elias Reed.

John Woodard of New Portland spent the day with his son, A. C. Woodard and family recently.

Mrs. Fred York spent last week with relatives in Farmington and while there was quite ill several days.

Dr. E. F. Pratt of North New Portland, is a frequent professional caller in Kingfield.

Sunday morning at the F. B. church Herbert C. Vose pleasingly rendered a solo.

Master Morris Bailey of Newton, Mass., is spending the remainder of the summer in the family of F. A. Crossman.

Mrs. Milton Young of New Portland, is at the home of Dr. E. L. Pennell for medical treatment.

W. Y. Robinson of Nunda, N. Y., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Leslie M. Wilkins.

Mrs. Oakman of Mass., is spending several weeks with her friend, Rev. L. R. Schafer.

Master Phillip C. Porter was quite ill last week suffering from ivy poison.

Hiram Knapp of Holyoke, Mass., called on former friends in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. Wm. F. Norton is resting comfortably at the home of Dr. Pennell where she recently underwent a surgical operation.

Henry S. Doe and family have moved to New Portland where they will make their home.

G. A. Page is acting as night watchman in the village for a few weeks.

Otto Butts of Lewiston, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philander Butts.

Miss Bessie Myers was confined to her home by illness last week.

Frank Lander will soon have a stable built on Riverside street.

Samuel Vose and Master Norton Vose of Madison were guests of relatives in this village last week.

Owing to repairs on the engine bed our town was without electric lights several days last week. The old adage was brought to mind, "We never miss the water 'till the well runs dry."

Fred S. Hunt and crew of men and horses have gone to Rutland, Mass.,

where they will, as usual, cut the hay on the home farm there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Riggs and family were the guests of relatives in New Portland Friday last.

Hershel P. Boynton called on friends at Livermore Falls a few days ago.

J. D. Barnjum was at his summer home in West Kingfield with his family over Sunday.

Warren Vose was able to ride to the village recently. Friends are glad to know he is improving in health.

Mrs. Jennie Ricker of New Portland, is working in the family of L. L. Mitchell.

In the yard of E. S. Larrabee were several clusters of apple blossoms fully developed found on an apple tree July 16 well laden with half grown fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bradbury were in Bigelow the first of the week where

Wool buyers were in town the past week. We understand the price paid was less than 20c per pound.

Members of the Ladies' Aid were pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Annie Tomlinson at her home last week. Plans were made for the fair which will take place in the near future. Refreshments of cake and strawberry ice cream were served.

Miss Louise Eseley was the guest of her sister, Miss Genie Eseley, last week.

There was a good attendance at church Sunday considering the weather. The subject of Rev. F. P. Freeman's remarks was, "A Radiant Life." He used as his text words found in Phil. iv, 4, "Rejoice in the Lord always" and Psalms xxxiv, 5, "They looked unto Him and were lightened."

Walter Bush was up from Middledam one day last week.

and his pupils are anticipating much pleasure in listening to an account of his travels on his return.

Leora Tomlinson had her hand quite badly hurt last Saturday by a window falling on it. She also had a severe attack of asthma Saturday night.

Don't forget to come to the Grange meeting Saturday night, July 25. It is important that a meeting should be held.

Haying will soon be a thing of the past, many of the farmers having already finished.

North Franklin Pomona.

The Regular meeting of North Franklin Pomona Grange was held with Aurora Grange, Strong, Thursday evening, July 16. Members of Lemon Stream Grange, New Vineyard and Aurora Grange were out in fair numbers.



JENKINS AND BOGERT MILL AT KINGFIELD

they were called by the illness of their niece, Miss Daisy A. Fetter.

Mrs. J. A. Blake and daughter of Farmington were guests last week on Freeman ridge.

The weather permitting there will be a lawn service in front of the F. B. church at 7 o'clock Sunday evening.

At her home in West Kingfield July 15, Mrs. Amanda Bradbury entertained her brothers, S. L. Vose and wife, C. P. Vose and children, and sisters Mdms. M. G. Porter and A. K. Gilbert, the occasion of her birthday. A pleasant day was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Riggs and children visited relatives in New Portland last week.

Saturday afternoon July 18 from 5 to 7 o'clock Master Stephen Spottswood entertained the following little friends in honor of his eleventh birthday: Masters Glenn, Charlie Dolbier, Claire Durrell, Misses Madeleine Winter, Hazel, Laura and Emma Dolbier. Master Stephen received gifts from his little friends who enjoyed a dainty lunch of ice cream, cake and confectionery.

Native raspberries are very plenty in the market despite the dry weather.

Rangeley.

H. F. Beedy and wife were in town Saturday from Long Pond.

Mrs. C. C. Murphy is visiting friends in Hampden.

The drought has broken, the welcome rain setting in Friday night and at this writing (Monday a. m.) it is still coming down in bucketsfull.

Miss Annie Wolfe is on the sick list. The C. E. meeting was led by Mrs. Harry Huntoon Wednesday evening, the subject being "Temperance."

Miss Kathryn Roeschen is boarding at Lorin Haley's.

Mrs. C. B. Harris has a large class of music pupils, among the number being: Marion Quimby, Susie Tibbetts, Harold Spiller, Margaret Love, Ione Gile, Bessie Harnden, Marion Oakes, Harland Quimby, Marjory Oakes, Ethel Pratt, Irene Kempton, Fay Ellis, Helen Raymond, Mrs. Bertha Wilber, Mrs. Leon Robbins and Mrs. Elmer Snowman.

Miss Ella Leach of Natick, Mass., is spending several weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Freeman Tibbetts.

Frank Haley and wife of Phillips were in town several days last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Haley.

Mrs. Henry Pratt was called to Middleton, Mass., last week by the death of her mother. Her daughter, Lillian, accompanied her.

Jasper Hamblin, who has been in Lewiston for some time, is now canvassing for a medical book.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dean of Troy, N. Y., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Kempton this week.

Miss Lulene Pillsbury assisted Mrs. A. M. Ross with her housework a few days last week.

N. P. Noble and family of Phillips are occupying their cottage "Anglewood" near Pickford's Camps.

Miss Ada Vining of Strong was the guest of her friend, Miss Delia Oliver, over Sunday.

Little Edith, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brooks, has been very ill but is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Ara Ross were in Phillips last week to attend the funeral of Dean Ross.

P. J. Nelligan of the firm of Nelligan & Co., Ware, Mass., is in town superintending the work on the new sidewalk, the paving of which is to be tar concrete. He will also use the concrete on the sidewalk which was built last year as it has not proved to be satisfactory.

Miss Marcia Mitchell was at Kennebago over Sunday the guest of her friend, Miss Minnie Haley.

Services were held at the Dallas schoolhouse Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. F. P. Freeman.

Misses Lucille French and Louise Atwood of Phillips were guests of Mellie and Emma Timberlake at Marsquamosy several days last week.

There are a great many summer visitors in town, more than usual at this time of the year.

W. A. Faunce returned to Atlantic City, N. J., last week.

Mrs. Cora Huntoon was ill the first of the week.

Miss Lucille Harris had her eyes treated recently by Dr. Haskell.

Two deer were seen by Vid Hinkley one day last week in his field near the Dallas line.

Phineas Richardson was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Wilson is the guest of her uncle, S. R. Morse, at his cottage for a few days.

Fred Morrell is working for Ara Ross in haying.

Linwood Carlton was in Phillips last week.

Frank Knowlton of Strong visited his sister, Mrs. A. M. Ross, last week. Olin Rowe is having his store wired for electric lights.

We understand that Lyman E. Moore has sold his farm in Rangeley Pkt., known as the Matthias Haines farm to Messrs. Nelson and Libby of Phillips, who have taken possession. Mrs. Moore and the children are stopping with Mrs. Dorcas Nile for the present.

Mr. Hatch of East Bowdoinham is visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. Ivous Hinkley.

The little son of Mrs. Mary Burke, an employee at Grant's Camps, Kennebago, has been very ill but is now much better. George Avery of Lewiston, who has been caring for him, returned home Monday.

H. L. Bradford, who is taking a trip abroad, kindly remembered several of his pupils last week by sending them postcards with views of different places he is visiting. The cards were sent from Scotland, many of the scenes being very beautiful. In a letter he stated that he was to visit Ireland July 7. He expects to be absent several weeks visiting many points of interest

The 5th degree was conferred in full form on a class of six.

Granges represented were reported prospering, Lemon Grange has its dining hall up and closed in and a goodly sum in hand to enlarge and improve the main hall which will be done after the haying season is over.

The matter of having a field day this fall was left in the hands of a committee.

Program consisted of:

Music,	Choir
Greeting,	Nellie E. Voter
Response,	Wm. Barker, Master of the Pomona
Music,	Choir
Remarks,	Rev. H. A. Clifford
Music,	Choir
Refreshments of lemonade, bananas and candy was served.	

New Sharon.

Miss Laura Campbell closed a successful term of school in the Bean's Corner district a few weeks ago, but is now working for Mrs. Harry Johnson.

Mrs. Wolsey Tibbetts has been quite ill, but is now much better.

Many of the people here spent the Fourth in Phillips; others went to North pond in Smithfield fishing, but still more stayed at home. It was fortunate that no bad accidents occurred, something very unusual here.

Miss Glenn Garland is working for Mrs. J. R. Jewell in the east part of the town.

Many fires have occurred in the adjoining towns on account of the dry weather. Allen Thompson got quite badly burned at one fire. Fortunately some rain has fallen this week in which the farmers rejoice as the crops were looking pretty bad. The hay crop is light this year and many of the farmers have finished.

Stevens Family Reunion.

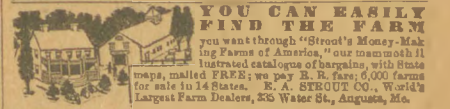
The descendants of Amos Stevens will hold their 15th. annual reunion on the Allen Campground in Strong on Wednesday Aug. 12, 1908. Picnic dinner.

J. A. NORTON, Sec.

National Society of the Brackett Family.

The annual reunion of the National Society of the Brackett family will be held in Greenwood Park, Peaks Island, Portland Harbor, Maine, August 20, 1908 at ten o'clock. Those from a distance wishing entertainment will please write the secretary. Picnic dinner.

MRS. H. D. BRACKETT, Sec.
Yarmouthville, Me.



DENTIST

Dr. L. J. Holt of Phillips will be at the residence of A. M. Ross, Rangeley, from

Monday, July 6, to

Saturday, July 11, 1908.

The Phillips office will be open on and after Thursday, July 16, 1908. No office hours on Mondays.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For President,

WILLIAM H. TAFT
of Ohio.

For Vice President,

JAMES S. SHERMAN
of New York.

For Representative to Congress,

JOHN P. SWASEY
of Canton.

For Governor.

BERT M. FERNALD
of Poland.

For State Auditor,

CHARLES P. HATCH of Augusta.

For State Senator,

FRANK A. EMERY of North Jay.

For Sheriff,

DANA O. COOLIDGE of Farmington.

For Judge of Probate,

JOSIAH H. THOMPSON of Farmington.

For County Attorney

CYRUS N. BLANCHARD of Wilton.

For County Treasurer,

J. PRENTICE FLINT of Farmington.

For County Commissioner,

LINCOLN A. WORTHLEY of Strong.

For Representatives to the Legislature.

CHAS. T. HODGKINS of Temple.

FRANK N. BLANCHARD of Wilton.

NELSON P. HARRIS of Salem.

HERBERT S. WING of Kingfield.

Franklin County Officers.

Clerk of Courts—Byron M. Small, Farmington.

County Attorney—Cyrus N. Blanchard, Wilton.

Judge of Probate—Josiah H. Thompson, Farmington.

Register of Probate—Albion L. Fenderson, Farmington.

Register of Deeds—George D. Clark, New Vineyard.

Treasurer—Carleton P. Merrill, Farmington.

Sheriff—Dana O. Coolidge, Jay.

Deputies—F. S. Schofield of Weld; W. B. Small, Kingfield; James H. Howes, New Sharon;

A. J. Merriman, Jay; Herman Sanborn, Wilton;

George M. Esty, Rangeley; Harry E. Bell, Phillips;

David Richardson, Strong; Lester D. Eaton, Farmington;

Charles S. Robbins, Chesterville;

W. S. Morrow, New Vineyard.

County Commissioners—Charles R. Hall, East Dixfield; B. F. Beal, Phillips; Sherman I. Bean, Jay.

Terms of Supreme Judicial Court, the first Tuesday of February, third Tuesday of May and fourth Tuesday of September.

Terms of Probate Court, the third Tuesday of each month.

Regular session of County Commissioners court, last Tuesday of April and last Tuesday of December.

By the Sky Line.

Just think of going to Mt. Blue aero station and taking an air ship for Boston and New York, or checking your baggage or sending and receiving Franklin county freight by aero-freight line to and from these points. Yet, this is not beyond the possibilities of the future. Remember the wireless?

In Boston, recently, the American Aerial Navigation company was organized for the purpose of manufacturing and operating aerial devices and the establishment of aerial routes for the transportation of freight and passengers in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

According to the present plans, the first experiments will be made with small dirigibles with a carrying capacity of two passengers in addition to the operator. It is planned to establish the stations close to the street car lines, on the outskirts of the cities, with facilities to supply gas for the dirigibles. Pending the establishment of the air lines and to familiarize the people of New England with aerial travel, special trips will be made about North Adams and Pittsfield. Wealthy and prominent Bostonians are behind the project.

What Gov. Floyd Said.

The keynote of the interview with Governor Floyd of New Hampshire by a representative of the MAINE WOODSMAN, printed in this week's issue of the MAINE WOODS, is good roads for Maine and New Hampshire.

This movement he urges to a successful development by both states as their greatest asset in inducing the army of autoists to visit the commonwealths in summer.

Franklin county, which has unsurpassed scenic and other natural attractions for the tourists, should wake up and begin to expend money on permanent roads, abandon the archaic tomfoolery of covering the road's surface with the earth from gulleys, and use the same common sense in the roads as you would if you were to build a permanent sidewalk in front of your house. Good roads raise the values of farms.

A Curfew Law.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., has a curfew law for dogs which provides for the punishment of owners who allow their dogs to bark after 9 o'clock at night and before 7 o'clock in the morning.

The penalty for the first offense is \$5 fine and for the second \$10 fine and the destruction of the offending dogs. The ordinance also provides a fine of \$5 for the owner of a dog that bites a person on the public streets. A fine of \$10 is the penalty for the second offense. This would be a pretty good ordinance to be enacted in Phillips, where there are as many dogs, compared with its size, as in Constantinople. It is hoped that a curfew law will produce fewer curs on the streets.

Outside the Pale.

THE constitutionality of the Maine statute forbidding the publication of liquor advertisements was established in a rescript handed down by the Maine law court in the case of State versus the J. P. Bass Publishing company, publishers of the Bangor Commercial this week. It hardly required an interpretation of our plain statute on that matter by our distinguished court. But some say that Bangor isn't in the state of Maine anyway.

Acts of Vandalism.

THE recent acts of vandalism by Phillips youths, who are old enough to know better, in defacing and damaging monuments, headstones and flower vases in Evergreen cemetery wantonly, wickedly and maliciously, should not go unpunished. There is a duty devolving upon the parents of such, which they owe to society as well as to themselves, which, if not discharged by them in discipline, should be undertaken by the proper authorities.

The Business World Is For Taft.

BRYAN sat right up and broke silence when he read this from Taft: "The National Republican committee will accept no contributions from corporations." The colonel hadn't expected this sudden spiking of Democracy's big gun so early in the battle.

Maine's Best News.

MAINE's best news of the week is that the Edwards Cotton Mills at Augusta, employing 1200 and the Dunbarton Woolen Mills at Dexter have resumed on full instead of half pay.

The School Tax.

State Treasurer Gilmore has completed the apportionment of the school and mill tax for the year 1908, the amount available for that purpose this year being \$839,926, which is an increase of \$213,936.87. The amount apportioned to Franklin county is \$20,414.79, number of scholars 5,120. Oxford gets \$36,977 and has 6,274 scholars.

N. E. Food Fair.

The New England Food fair and House Furnishing exposition to be held in Mechanics' building, Boston, next October, will be the finest of its kind ever given in the East, and Maine people will find it an attractive place to visit in the month when they generally take a vacation trip to the Hub.

Salem.

E. B. Dolbier of Newton, Mass., has been in town.

C. J. Richards and son of Houlton called on friends here recently.

Fred H. Heath of Lowell, Mass., has been spending a couple weeks here.

H. C. Moody has been making quite extensive repairs on his buildings.

Mrs. Grace DeMott and nephew of Dorchester, Mass., are stopping with Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor.

Alonzo Adley and sister, Lena, of Montrose, North Dakota have been visiting their brother, Ira Adley.

Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Hutchins of New Portland visited friends here recently.

W. J. Baker has purchased a farm in Madison, where he is preparing to move very soon.

H. H. Rice and family, who have been spending the month at their cottage, returned home this week.

ROADS WERE MUDDY.

Glidden Tourists Experience Most Trying Day of Run.

(Special to MAINE WOODSMAN.)

RANGELEY, ME., July 22, 1908.

Wednesday's was the most trying day run of the Glidden tourists owing to the rough, hilly and muddy roads from Rangeley through to Bethlehem, 130 miles, for which distance running time of six and one half hours were allowed.

The cars were 30 minutes late in starting, the first one not getting away until 7.30. All started but a Stoddard which was found to be unable to complete the course and was run seven miles to Oquossoc station, there to be shipped home.

Another car progressed only as far as Rangeley village where it was found it could not make the first big hill owing to the chains not fitting the tires. A heavy shower changed the roads, which are all clay, into the worst kind of mud and the hill climbing proved to be the most trying of any on the trip. Mrs. John Cuneo, the only woman driving a car in the tour, did not put on tire chains for this hill and nearly failed to reach the top, the rear wheels skidding. She was successful finally.

Chairman F. B. Hower's car sank through a sandy embankment at the side of the road near Rumford Point, and Chairman Hower and Charles J. Glidden were both thrown out. Neither was injured, Mr. Hower sliding down the embankment and landing on his feet in a blueberry patch and Mr. Glidden falling in the soft sand. The car had turned out to pass a team. It was not overturned but the chairman continued the trip in the Pierce great Arrow car No. 1, which was immediately following, and Mr. Glidden entered another car.

At the beginning of today's journey the cars doubled back over the route followed yesterday as far as Madrid and then went off through Dixfield and Rumford, crossing the Maine-New Hampshire line between Newry and Shelburne and then skirting the north side of Mt. Washington through Gorham, Jefferson Highlands and Carroll to Bethlehem.

CUBE ROOT.

Do You Know the Method of Extracting It Without Pain?

Think of the inestimable value of knowing how to extract cube root! Ah, there is the priceless boon! Knowing that has saved us money many and many a time, to say nothing of the social blunders it has assisted us to avoid. Do I know yet how it was done? Certainly. I know it just as well as if it were yesterday that I studied it. You take the number whose cube root is paining it so that nothing but extraction can relieve it, put it down on a piece of paper or on your slate and divide it off into periods of three figures each. Write 4-11-44 to the left, multiply that by 300, divide it by something, then pour some red ink on your handkerchief, tell teacher you have the nosebleed and go home.

That's the way I usually did it. No doubt it is done much the same way by the ingenious youth of the present generation.

Is there a successful man living today and holding up his head among other successful men who cannot painlessly extract the cube root without giving the number an anaesthetic? If so, he should be ashamed of himself. He is a freak, and he attained distinction by a fluke. Some day the muck rakers will get to probing around, and when they discover that he can't extract the cube root of anything his career will be ended and his gray hairs will sink in sorrow to a dishonored, Jimson grown grave. The jails and asylums are filled with vacant faced and craven hearted wretches who never learned the way to remove a cube root, no matter if the number containing it was threatened with blood poison. They don't know whether to run a horsehair loop down its throat, as in the case of gapes, or whether to use tweezers.

Let us try to impress upon our children—by precept—the importance of cube root extraction, but let us have business elsewhere in case they ask us to show them how.—Strickland W. Gillilan in Chicago News.

They will cure me of DYSPEPSIA

Newburg Center, Me., 1906.

"I had been troubled with dyspepsia several years and could not seem to get any help for it. A friend of mine advised me to try your Bitters, which I did, and have found that they have helped me. I think in time they will cure me of dyspepsia." Yours truly, Mrs. Rebecca Tribou.

The true "L. F." Atwood's Bitters have been used and recommended by the general public for nearly sixty years. 35c. at druggists.

Phillips and Vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cushman who have been visiting here returned to their Cambridge, Mass., home today, in their auto.

The Misses Isabel and Florence White, of Farmington, were guests of Mrs. Harold Kinney, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Sadie Robinson, of Farmington, was the guest of Mrs. Fred Masterman, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Twombly and daughter, Miss Faith, of Massachusetts, have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ethel Carter, for a few weeks.

New Sharon's Old Home Week.

The annual reunion of the Old Home Week association of Weeks' Mills, New Sharon, will occur Aug. 12. A fine committee of arrangements have matters in charge and a pleasant program is being prepared. Some new features will be introduced this year. There will be a display of fireworks in the evening with the usual picnic dinner.

Lake View House Burned.

Fire totally destroyed the Lake View house and stable at Oxford village, Monday. The damage is estimated at \$7,000. There is partial insurance. It was recently purchased by Mrs. Keith from James Pledge, of Norway.

A Former Phillips Boy.

We take the following from the Haverhill, Mass., Sunday Record of June 2. It will be read with interest by all Phillips people, for Mr. McKeen is a native of this town, having lived here all his life until a few years ago, when he went to Haverhill. He is the youngest son of Mrs. Nellie McKeen.

"For photographic work that is really artistic and that meets every demand of the art, it would be difficult to find a studio more thoroughly equipped than Mr. McKeen's, at 66 Merrimack street. Though established in Haverhill only five years, he has a training and experience of many years in photography and also generally in the production of high grade portraits, whether in oil, pastel, crayon, sepia or water colors, both small, and of lifesize, in all which especially the latter, he has been most successful.

"The fine work turned out by Mr. McKeen has made a decided mark in Haverhill. One of the popular features is the photographing of children, a branch of the business which has secured a reputation and to which much careful attention is given.

"Mr. McKeen has a most desirable patronage among school and college students, doing work for schools not only in Haverhill and vicinity, but also outside the state. Mr. McKeen is a constant student of the progress of photography and keeps always in touch with the various movements for its improvement."



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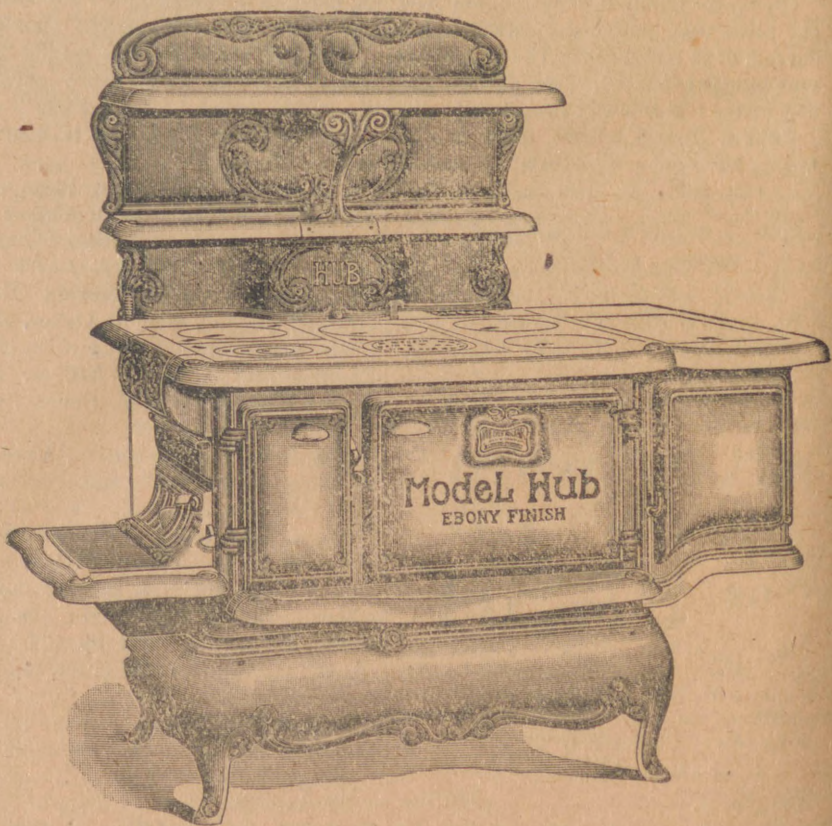
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Mrs. E. O. Abbott and daughters, Elsie and Alice, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jackson.

Miss Ethel Withee is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Moore, in Madrid.

Mrs. E. D. Jackson, one of the operators of the New England Telephone Co., is having a vacation and Miss Lura Matthieu is taking her place.

Company K are getting ready for their trip to Augusta, where they will be in camp about a week with the rest of the regiment. They will leave here the third of August and return the eighth.

Lyde Pratt has been spending a few days at Camp Crazy on Mount Abraham.

Mrs. Edward K. Sweet of Quincy, Ill., is visiting relatives at West Farmington.

William Crowninshield of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting friends in town.

Miss Susan Gould of Natick, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gould. Miss Gould, who has a fine soprano voice, sang a solo at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

The summer school closed Friday, after a successful three weeks' session. A closing reception was held Friday evening at Merrill hall, a literary program was carried out and refreshments were served. All favored holding a summer school here another year. Principal Purington will leave Monday for a three weeks' vacation at the King and Bartlett Camps, Spencer.

Eben H. Whitney died suddenly Saturday morning. Thursday night he suffered an attack of illness due to gall

It Can't Be Beat.

The best of all teachers is experience. C. M. Harden, of Silver City, North Carolina, says: "I find Electric Bitters does all that's claimed for it. For Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it a most excellent medicine." Mr. Harden is right; it's the best of all medicines also for weakness, lame back, and all run down conditions. Best too for chills and malaria. Sold under guarantee at W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield; Chas. E. Dyer, Strong; E. H. Whitney, Rangeley; drug stores 50c.

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stones, but he was up and dressed Friday morning. The case developed unfavorable symptoms, however, and he died Saturday morning. Funeral was held at his late residence Monday morning and interment was at Dixfield.

The E. A. Strout Co., through their local agent, has sold the Charles H. Davis farm in Jay to J. S. Rockwell of Mattapan, Mass. The sale includes farm, 13 cattle, pair horses, all tools and crops. The farm cuts some 40 tons of hay and the apple orchard yields some 400 barrels of fruit.

F. E. Titcomb, a well-known Farmington young man, died recently after an operation in a hospital at Somerville, Mass., and will be buried here today (Thursday). He was the oldest son and third child of the late Hiram and Jennie Gould Titcomb, born March 17, 1884. He graduated from the Farmington High school in 1902, and did post graduate work in the Farmington Normal before entering Dartmouth college as a member of the class of 1908. At Thanksgiving of his Junior year he was obliged to leave college owing to his father's death. He came home, took up his father's business and was successfully carrying it on. He was secretary of the Farmington Mutual Fire Insurance Co., and was rapidly coming to occupy a distinct place in the business and social life of his town.

Repairs at the Abbott school this summer will include the lengthening of the north wing or ell of the home by 20 feet, to make room for improved kitchen facilities, also better accommodations for the help. This will also increase by 25 per cent the capacity of the dormitory for boys.

West Freeman.

Gardens are forward despite the long continued dry weather. Peas, string beans, summer squash and cucumbers are among the good things found in abundance on our tables.

Mrs. Mary Small, of Litchfield, is keeping house for her daughter, Mrs. O. V. Will while she is at the Central Maine General hospital at Lewiston. Mrs. Will went to the hospital Tuesday accompanied by her physician, Dr. Pennell, and her husband. Her many friends hope for a successful operation and a speedy recovery of health and strength.

Little Esther Savage who has been spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Urban Savage, has returned to her home in West New Vineyard. Urban

Foley's Orino Laxative, the new laxative stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best laxative. Guaranteed or your money back. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

is helping Greenleaf and Fred Spaulding cut their hay.

Little Emma Weymouth, daughter of Eugene Weymouth, is on the sick list suffering from head and stomach trouble. Dr. Spear has been called to attend her.

We are very glad to learn that Mrs. Esther J. Savage, who has been ill at the home of her niece, Mrs. Nellie Webster is better.

J. J. Savage quite seriously injured his right leg Saturday, by a log rolling against it. No bones were broken, but the limb was very badly bruised and the swelling extends from the knee to the toes.

The hay crop coming in so light and grasshoppers threatening to destroy the other crops, cows and other stock are offered for sale at almost your own price.

We opine that butter, milk and beef will not be so plenty the coming winter as they are sometimes.

Rain came in season to save a part of the blackberry crop which looked unusually promising earlier in the season.

S. S.

East New Portland.

Mrs. A. M. Adams was called to Madison recently on account of the sickness and death of her mother, Mrs. L. C. Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bion Merry and little son of Wareham, Mass., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Merry.

Mrs. Harvey Eames is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Clark.

Miss Susie Emery, who suffered severely from mercury poison, is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gordon visited their daughter, Mrs. L. A. Davis, recently.

Mrs. G. F. Williams and Master Bond are stopping at C. H. Nye's for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Starbird of Solon, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Weymouth, recently.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

That Fourth of July Game.

FLAGSTAFF, July 14, 1908.

Through your columns we take pleasure in expressing our likes and dislikes, wit and sarcasm.

It is with pleasure I take the burdens of the Stratton correspondent on my shoulders and give the score of the ball game between the Flagstaff victors and the Stratton slouchburgs. We expected to see an account of the game and felt very sorry not to. I have been requested to write the MAINE WOODSMAN and give the score.

The game was called sharply at 1 o'clock. After the first inning it was plain to be seen by any one who had ever seen anything but a bow and arrow or an up and down churn, that the Flagstaffs had the game easy, but out of respect for John Durrell's feelings we would not say a word. Some one did shout once, that "all money goes to Flagstaff," but the man was quickly led from the diamond as the boys were ashamed to have a word said for they had to be hired to let the Strattons have a few scores.

The game was a very one-sided affair until the Spring Lake reserve force appeared, when there was great cheering and the Strattons made a new struggle, but the Flagstaffs were only playing easy, so when Mr. Longley waved his hand they let out their reserve power and the Spring Lakers retired in wild disorder and the game was won with a pleasant score of 12 to 6 in favor of us. Of course we expect a reply.

S. B. LONG.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies.

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington, W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

TO RESCUE NAPOLEON

A Bold Plan That Was Matured In This Country.

IT WAS A DARING SCHEME.

The Enterprise Was Known to the Exile of St. Helena, but Just as the Preparations Were About Complete the Fallen Emperor Died.

Even in "the last phase" our country sustained a certain association with the captive of St. Helena, says a writer in the Magazine of History.

The English felt that any danger of rescue would originate upon the western shore of the Atlantic.

Admiral Cockburn occupied the neighboring island of Ascension, avowedly to prevent it falling into the hands of Yankee raiders. The feeling in the United States against England was at that time quite bitter. Napoleon's landing at St. Helena followed the battle of New Orleans only about seven months, and the downfall of the revolutionary monarch aroused deep sympathy throughout the country.

But the actual grounds for believing in the existence of a rescue party and rescue plans in the United States rest upon the movements of General Lallemand and his associates. This officer's military record, from the revolutionary days to Waterloo, had been distinguished by notable feats of daring.

His devotion to the emperor was loyal and persistent; he had followed him until his embarkation from the shores of France and had tried in vain to accompany him to St. Helena. He was condemned to death by the reactionary tribunals of 1816, but had succeeded in escaping and joining his brother at Philadelphia.

At this time our country was literally swarming with French military refugees, many of whom, like Lallemand, were under capital sentence for their conduct toward the Bourbons during the hundred days.

The Lallemands proceeded ostensibly to unite a number of these veterans into a military colony which they called the Field of Asylum.

Our government granted them 100,000 acres on the banks of the Tombigbee, but as their own project required their establishment near the sea they sold the lands and with the proceeds settled on the Trinity river, in Texas, about fifteen miles from its mouth.

The second in command was Baron Rigaud, whose kindly feelings toward the ancient regime had been illustrated by publicly stamping the cross of St. Louis under his feet. Needless to say, he was also under sentence of death by Louis XVIII's court martial.

But the best known of all this devoted band was the famous pirate Lafitte, who had begun life as a Bordeaux blacksmith, had killed his love rival in a duel, had become a noted corsair, the terror of the Antillean seas, had been the effective ally of General Jackson in repulsing the British at New Orleans and at the time of the French settlement of old guardsmen in his vicinity was established at Galveston.

This narrative does not require a detailed statement of the affairs of the 400 grenadiers, of the attacks of the Mexicans on their camp, of their final removal to New Orleans.

All the circumstances indicate that it was not the intention of the Lallemands to found an agricultural colony, but to unite about 1,000 old soldiers for the deliverance of the great prisoner.

The location of their camp was most favorable for the scheme, being near the sea in an unsettled country where their movements would not be watched and, above all, being in proximity to Lafitte, who commanded the required ships. Besides these desirable vessels, one, a model of swiftness, was constructed at Charleston and equipped for its purpose in the most complete manner.

An intrepid captain named Boissiere, who navigated for pleasure, had accepted its command, and this was the ship destined to carry away Napoleon Bonaparte, while Lafitte would land the guardsmen and engage the attention of the English cruisers.

West New Vineyard.

The much needed rain has come, and none too soon. The farmers are willing to lay back with their haying a week or more if need be, everything is suffering so for rain.

Joe Turner has his hay all cut and nearly all in the barn.

Urban Savage is working for Fred Spaulding helping him get his hay.

Little Esther Savage is stopping with her aunt, Delia Savage, of Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foster and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Savage.

Owen and Frank Record are cutting the grass on the H. B. Johnson farm.

Miss Gertrude Lane has been visiting her many friends in this part of the town the past week.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,	\$233,577 98
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	4 61
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds,	1,500 00
Bonds, securities, etc.,	687 50
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures,	2,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents,	69,886 85
Checks and other cash items,	934 43
Notes of other National Banks,	165 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,	21
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie,	\$7,276 15
Legal tender notes,	4,015 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500 00
TOTAL,	\$372,547 53

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund,	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	10,072 08
National Bank notes outstanding,	49,980 00
Dividends unpaid,	200 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	209,202 45
Demand certificates of deposit,	3,093 00
TOTAL,	\$372,547 53

State of Maine, County of Franklin, ss: I, H. H. Field, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. H. FIELD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1908.

CORRECT—Attest: CORY M. HOYT, Justice of the Peace.

T. M. Parker, }
G. H. Hamlin, } Directors.
D. F. Field, }

Notice.

I hereby give notice that after this date I will claim no wages of my son, Horace W. Loomis, Jr., pay no debts contracted by him after this date, and hereby forbid all persons from trusting or harboring him on my account.

HORACE W. LOOMIS.
Rangeley, Me., July 23, 1908.

Notice.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

Andrew Wilbur, late of Avon, 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 hereto are requested to make payment immediately.

June 16, 1908. E. A. Perry

Notice.

This is to give notice that I have given my sons, Hallie and Henry Cushman, the remainder of the time during their minority. I shall claim none of their wages or pay any of their bills after this date.

Sherman, Me., June 29, 1908. John Cushman.

Phillips and Vicinity.

A Rain Song.
Tinkle, tinkle,
Lightly fall
On the peach buds, pink and small;
Tip the tiny grass, and twinkle
On the willows green and tall.

Tinkle, tinkle—
Faster now,
Little raindrops, smile and sprinkle
Cherry-bloom and apple-bough!

Pelt the elms and show them how
You can dash!
And splash! splash! splash!
While the thunder rolls and mutters, and the
lightnings flash and flash!
Then eddy into curls
Of a million misty swirls;
And thread the air with silver and embroider it
with pearls.

—Exchange.

Hon. N. P. Noble and family are at Anglewood, their cottage at Rangeley lake, for the balance of the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. P. O. Hopkins have been at S. G. Haley's camp at Sandy River pond for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chandler expect a party of friends Saturday and they will occupy H. F. Beedy's camp at Long pond for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brownlow and maid and Mr. and Mrs. George Bonney and little son and maid of Brookline are at the Bonney cottage in Phillips. Mrs. Lena Bonney and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Montgomery are expected back from their trip abroad about August 1.

Joe Fabier wishes MAINE WOODSMAN to say that the report that the officers found two bottles of whiskey at his place was a mistake. They only found a small part of one bottle.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Stuart of Needham Heights, Mass., have been stopping two weeks with Mr. Stuart's sister, Mrs. Benj. Dodge, of West Free-man. It was the first trip of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart to this vicinity.

Miss C. T. Crosby was at home for a day last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of Portland were her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Austin are visiting at his former home in Rockland for two weeks. They will also spend some time at the seashore.

"The Convict's Daughter" was presented at Lambert Hall, Monday evening before a good sized house. The performance was pleasing and is worthy of patronage. Good houses greeted the company at Rangeley and Kingfield this week also.

Clyde Chandler of Everett, Mass., has been the guest of his cousin, Harry Chandler, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hammond, Miss Bertha Beede and Floyd Parker went to Cliff Cottage at Long pond last Saturday for a week's stay.

Remembering the great drought, they date events this summer from "that day it rained in July," in this section of Maine.

Hon. and Mrs. Harold M. Sewall and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Sewall have started for the Quebec celebration, the two former making the tour by auto from their cottage at Mt. Blue pond and the latter going by rail.

"What I like about Franklin county, and Phillips especially," remarked a Glidden autoist who had swallowed, he said, about 11 pecks of dust of various towns and states on the tour, "is the absence of dust on the roads." He should have passed along the county roads any time for two months before the rain, and sampled the extra fine quality we provided in abundance.

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Phillips and Vicinity.

E. H. Gowing, of Boston, connected with the Phillips Water Co., is in town. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Austin, Miss Ruth, and Miss Mabel Austin went to their cottage at Weld Saturday returning home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. True and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cushman spent Sunday with them, going in Mr. Cushman's touring car in which they made the trip from Boston.

Ferd M. Penley, wife, daughter and son, of Auburn, passed through Phillips, Tuesday, in the rear of the Glidden tourists en route for the Rangeley Lake and Mountain View resorts. Mr. Penley said the tourists had four hours start of him from Auburn but that he wasn't but a little over an hour behind them on reaching here. The auto was called the Welch and Mr. Penley said it had Scotch in its make up, for it was surely a Sandy cuss, after its passage over the soil of two counties that day. Deputy sheriff Estey, of Rangeley, went to Farmington Saturday with several suspicious looking bags which he told inquirers contained short fresh water lobsters from the lakes. The bag contained Fourth of July ammunition in the shape of 32 gallons of whiskey in pint flasks which Sheriff Estey discovered on the shores of Mooselookmeguntic lake on the afternoon of July 3. The contraband goods were safely hidden in the woods. The owner, however, did not show up to claim the fire-water after it was duly libeled and it was sent to the custody of Sheriff Coolidge. The seizure of the barrel of bottled goods prevented a big noise in Rangeley the night before.

Col. Elliott C. Dill, editor of the Portland Sunday Times, and son of Hon. Harry P. Dill, of Phillips, will have charge of the newspaper publicity end of the campaign in Maine in this campaign, according to an exchange. Col. Dill is one of Maine's most capable newspaper men, has reported several legislative sessions and since the death of the lamented "Tom" Murphy, is dean of the fraternity at the State House. No better selection could be made by the state committee.

Prohibition County Convention.

On Friday 1 p. m., July 24, 1908, there will be held a Prohibition County convention at the Free Baptist church, West Farmington, to nominate county officers.

All who voted for Henry Woodward for governor in 1906 and intend to vote for James H. Ames as Prohibition candidate for governor in 1908 are invited under the call to attend as delegates at the convention.

James Lord Howe,
Member Prohibition State committee.
Chairman Kingfield Prohibition Com.
Rev. G. O. Bruce,
Secretary Prohibition Town Com.

SERPENT OF AESCULAPIUS.

Worship of Snakes Led to Adoption of the Mystical Symbol.

It has been pointed out by Dr. Boudin that the worship of the serpent was so universal in antiquity that all temples came to be known as "draconia" (serpent houses).

However that may be, serpents were kept in many of the temples of antiquity, notably in those of Apollo, whose son, Aesculapius, is represented in ancient statuary carrying a serpent entwined round a staff or round his arm. The serpent, indeed, came in time to be the special mystical emblem or symbol of the Aesculapian art.

The serpents of the ancient Greek temples were in all probability relics of that primitive serpent worship which was at one time universal among prehistoric peoples and has not died out among many savage races at the present day.

And "voodoo," or "obi," serpent worship is still said to linger in the West Indies among the descendants of slaves.

In Haiti especially, where negroes were dumped down from Africa by the old slave traders and were kept in reserve before being sold to masters in the surrounding islands, voodoo has defied Roman Catholic missionaries and priests for ages. A French naval officer who visited the court of the Haitian potentate Soulongue in 1849 described a voodoo ceremony where cannibalistic and other orgies were indulged in.

It is noticeable that the cock and black goat which were solemnly eaten on this occasion were both of them sacred to Aesculapius. Hence we may infer that the Aesculapian cultus was originally an innocent form of voodoo and at the same a primordial religion.

The extreme antiquity of serpent worship seems, indeed, to be hinted at in Genesis, where the devil appears in the guise of the snake god intent on the ruin of man. In the story of the brazen serpent healing qualities are attributed to the image.—Lancet.

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Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Will and daughter Sarah and Miss Helen Richardson attended the wedding of Miss Margaret Will at Brunswick last week.

Mrs. W. A. Bradford has been visiting in West Farmington the past week.

Almon Phillips of Livermore Falls is visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morey of Phillips were in town Friday.

Miss Cora Small visited in Farmington last week.

Mrs. E. P. Stinchfield returned to Lewiston Thursday, having been the guest of her sister the past week.

Miss Freda Mitchell returned home from Wilton the first of the week.

Harold Welch and Lester Lewis attended Buffalo Bill's Wild West show at Lewiston, Thursday.

Eben Haskells of Newburyport, Mass., is spending his vacation in town.

Russell Lynn, George Burns and Add Williams have returned from Boston.

Miss Marguerite Clifford is in Rumford for a few weeks.

Miss Ethel Withee of Farmington was the guest of Miss Ella Beal over Sunday.

John Soule of Farmington was in town the first of the week.

Miss Helen Pottle of Farmington, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Albert Daggett.

Mrs. Emma Haines of Kingfield was the guest of Mrs. Allen Eustis last week, a few days.

Diah Sweet was in Portland the first of the week.

Benj. Jones and wife of Lewiston were home the first of the week.

Ralph Worthley was home from Lewiston over Sunday.

Taylor Hill, Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tolman have gone to Farmington.

Mrs. Guy Kershner is at Dr. Bell's hospital for a surgical operation.

Miss Altie Wilbur has returned to her home in Avon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Huff is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. A. Goldsmith.

Aurora Grange.

A regular meeting of Aurora Grange, Strong, was held Tuesday evening, July 14. Men and horses are so busy haying that few got out to the meeting. An interesting program of music, quotations, selections and discussion of current events was given.

The next regular meeting will occur in the afternoon, July 28. Impromptu program. Every one be prepared to help.

New Vineyard.

Harold Pratt of Farmington is visiting Arthur Smith a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark of Farmington was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Conant visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pratt a few days recently.

Mr. Howard Wright of Wilton is in town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tolman of New Sharon are in town visiting his sister Mrs. Bert Jordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bliss and her mother Mrs. Morse of Somerville Mass. are in town for the summer.

Miss Florence Jordon of Farmington is staying with her sister Mrs. Gertrude Richards while Mr. Richards is away haying.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barker and Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Wilcox and Mrs. Ella Williams attended the North Franklin Pomona Grange at Strong last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pratt of Farmington visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pratt Sunday.

Mr. Frank McLain of Stratton came down in his auto Saturday and visited his mother over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. E. P. Turner will move into their new house this week.

East New Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sampson and two children of Skowhegan and Mrs. Lottie Sampson Lovejoy, of Washington, D. C., were callers at Mrs. T. M. Webb's one day last week.

Mrs. Olive Perkins of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edwin Clark.

Miss Gladys Starbird of Solon is spending a few days in town with relatives and friends.

M. B. Jackson and daughter Ida of California, are guests of his brother Almon and family for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bion Merry and little son of Wareham, Mass., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Merry.

Reed's Mill.

Mrs. Jemine Kinney walked, to visit her granddaughter, Mrs. Bonney Webster, one afternoon recently, the first time she has been able to walk out for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunham visited their father, Mr. I. Y. Dunham, who is very ill.

Mrs. Nancy Berry and father, Mr. J. Ellis, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Y. Dunham, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pillsbury and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunham this week.

Eustis.

There was a heavy frost July 16, which killed a number of gardens.

Our long wished for rain has come and every one is rejoicing.

Hon. L. T. Carleton has been up to Chain of Ponds the past week and also at Round Mountain lake.

Mrs. Grace Luce and daughters, Reta and Ruby, of Brockton are visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Lisherness.

A. B. Sargent lost a nice horse recently.

C. E. Leavitt is working for F. L. Porter putting the finish on his new house inside.

Mrs. Rowlette of New York is stopping at her cottage on the hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sedgely and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sylvester have been at Chase pond for an outing.

L. V. Gorgon and wife of Kingfield were in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence and child from New York were at King and Bartlett for a few days. John Day was their guide.

Angie Brown of Flagstaff is visiting Georgia Smart.



EUSTIS VILLAGE, DEAD RIVER REGION

George Fassett and wife of Wilton were in town July 4.

Mrs. Bertha Douglass and Miss Hazel have gone to Kingfield to visit relatives.

Freeman Valley.

The much needed rain came last Friday to cheer the hearts of the farmers. Crops are looking greener after their fine wash. Owners of lumber land also must be thankful for this good rain storm.

Most of the farmers in this vicinity are done haying. The hay crop is very light, some claim not more than half a crop.

Mrs. Alice Thompson is in Massachusetts on a visit to friends and relatives.

Fred Russell, wife and little daughter visited at Albert Huff's last Sunday.

Percy and Clarence Huff visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huff, last week.

Weld

Levitt Masterman of Dixfield has sold his farm in East Weld to Nathaniel Noyes.

A. S. Carleton of Wilton has bought Mr. Osbourne's farm. Mr. Osbourne will live on the place till winter.

Miss Hester Sanborn of Portland and her two nieces, Misses Bertha and Geneva Sanborn are visiting at Chas. Sanborn's.

Mrs. Will Sanborn and her two little boys visited at I. H. Buker's last week.

Mrs. Chella Purington of Webb visited at I. H. Buker's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kehew of Montwait, Mass., are visiting at Mrs. Kehew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Buker.

Raymond Witham has had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly while cutting pulp wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Whitney had a birthday party for their twins, Lilla Fay and Leila May, last Friday. They were five years old.

Bert Houghton of Wilton was in town last Friday.

Chas. Sanborn has recently bought a work horse.

PLENTY OF RAIN.

Sam Farmer Writes of Floods and Other Things in Kansas.

ARKANSAS CITY, KAN., July 20, 1908.

To the Editor of MAINE WOODSMAN:

We enjoy reading in MAINE WOODSMAN the fine prospects of a greater business and of better times in our old home in Maine than ever before. Would enjoy much spending a few weeks there at this season of the year. We enjoy much looking back and can see as yesterday the many fine strings of trout taken from so many places at Varum pond when a kid, and later at Phillips and the Rangeley lakes. They were truly my happiest days.

I am wondering if the heavens have broken loose there as here, and are pouring down storm after storm of rain and thunder showers with lightning galore. This is the sixth or seventh week that heavy rains and thunder showers have prevailed, and great damage has been done in many ways over a very large part of the country. It is said Oklahoma has scarcely a bridge left standing which probably means thousands, and nearly all the railroads have had washouts and many are still out of commission. Many tornadoes have been reported, the most extensive in the southern states, though quite a few in Kansas and other western states.

Generally there were no very destructive ones and the killed and wounded have been comparatively few.

Kansas is a large state, containing 105 counties about the size of the counties in New England. No severe storms have come near here, though we had a little whirl here one night last week which resulted in blowing down quite a number of small buildings, also

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the contractors failed, and forfeited their bond. Now a similar effort is being made on about the same lines, and the two cities are to vote each \$20,000. Arkansas City has already voted for the bonds and carried it by a good majority, and is now waiting for Winfield to follow suit.

We have been watching their movements and believe I have a better plan which is to organize a co-operative corporation of the several townships and cities on the line who are interested for the road, and each to vote bonds to their restricted proportion for an amount sufficient to build and equip the road, as the bonds will be the best kind of security and the money can be had at a rate not to exceed three or four per cent. interest and quite as good as government bonds; then proceed to build and equip the road and extend it to Oklahoma north line where the Oklahoma people will extend it in the same way beyond a doubt to Oklahoma City, zigzagging through the best part of the country which will make a distance of over 100 miles and will sure be a money making system; and all the people who build it will own it and it will pay interest not less than from 15 to 25 per cent. Branches will be extended in different directions all through a country of solid farms worth from \$3,000 to \$15,000 each of 160 acres.

Very many people believe in my theory and others do not believe the people can be made to see it. It is just the same as it was with the Sandy River railroad. Everything we predicted about that road has proved true, and if the people had done my way they would now have many thousands dollars more, and now be able to make their own freight rates, not wishing to cast any reflections on the present owners. Maine people all well and prospering.

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A Strenuous Task.

"Your honor," said the witness, "can't you order a recess?"

"A recess?"

"Yes, sir. I've stood on this stand and told the whole truth two hours on a stretch, and I'm teetotally wore out! I never told the truth that long before—not in all my life!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Grief should be like joy—majestic, equable, sedate.—Aubrey de Vere.

The Source Told All.

"What'd Jimmy give yer fer yer birthday?"

"This here brass ring."

"How'd yer know it ain't nothin' but brass?"

"He give it ter me."—Cleveland Leader.

There are nettles everywhere, but the smooth, green grasses are more common still.—Mrs. Browning.

A Revelation.

It is a revelation to people, the severe cases of lung trouble that have been cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. It not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs. L. M. Ruggles, Reasnor, Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet." W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

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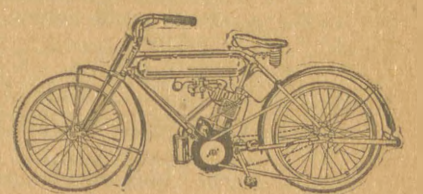
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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ross,
Mr. J. B. Ross.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals for building a section of state road about 1500 feet in length in the town of Farmington, will be received by the selectmen at their office until 2 p. m. July 31st, 1908, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Plans may be seen, specifications, forms of contract and proposal blanks may be obtained at the office of the selectmen, and no proposal will be considered unless made on said proposal blank.

Each bidder must accompany his bid with a certified check payable to the Town Treasurer of Farmington for 10 per cent of the amount of his bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond in the penal sum of at least the amount of the contract.

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Phillips and Vicinity.

Tae Pace.

The Glidden auto tourists flashed through Phillips at a 30 mile an hour clip. It frightened the devil in the MAINE WOODSMAN office, whereupon he dropped into rhyme and evolved tae following, which he says he hopes Mr. Hower, manager of the tour, will get his eyes upon:

"There were forty odd cars back of Hower,
"With engines of varying power,
"Says Hower to Glidden,
"Through Phillips were skiddin',
"Nd I think it's forbidden
"To go more'n 'steen miles an hour."

Miss Ethel Farmer was in Weld over Sunday.

The future complaint of aerial travelers will be that the roads are cloudy.

Mrs. Alberta L. Matthews was in Weld over Sunday.

Miss Dorothy McKeen is the guest of Miss Belle Phillips this week.

Miss Myra Kingsley has discarded her crutches. Her knee is much better.

Floyd Holt of Dixfield has been in town this week at his uncle's, Everett Holt.

F. N. Beal was in Portland on railroad business Wednesday and Thursday.

THE PEOPLE'S ADVERTISEMENTS

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PAIR of cub bears for sale. Inquire of Fred Ellsworth.

PRESSED hay for sale at my home barn. B. F. Beal.

PEDEOMETERS. Always know how far you have walked by carrying a pedometer. No bigger than a small watch. \$1.00 postpaid. (stamps taken.) MAINE WOODS, Phillips, Maine. Given for three yearly subscriptions, two to be new ones.

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Phillips and Vicinity.

The poplar crew employed under Elmer Fields at Saddleback, have all been discharged as a result of the destruction by the recent forest fires.

An old Phillips Democrat has turned up who says that he will vote for Taft this time, because he can vote for Bryan any time.

Congressman Littlefield and wife and J. S. Maxcy are expected as guests of F. N. Beal, today, and will go to the Rangeley Lake House for a brief stay.

Mrs. F. A. Murree has left the employ of V. Fabier and goes to North East Carry to spend until September with her husband.

On account of the illness of the leader, Frank Worthley of the Phillips band, there will be no concert Friday night.

At the last session of Probate court at Farmington in July 21, the name of Evalyn Grover, little daughter of Mrs. Alberta L. Matthews, was changed to Evalyn Matthews.

Quite a number went up Blake hill to get a view of the Glidden tourists en route to the White Mountains which brought them to the Weld road corner, about two miles from the village.

The drought appears to be broken. Last week's welcome rain put an end to forest fires and Wednesday morning a smart shower fell. The benefit to agriculture was great.

A number of Phillips young women have become adepts in the art of swimming this season from almost daily practice in the Sandy River. They display the latest styles in bathing suits and attract considerable attention.

Miss M. A. Penney, a trained nurse from the Maine General Hospital at Portland, has been caring for Mrs. Frank Toothaker. Sunday she went to Strong to care for a patient at Dr. Bell's hospital.

Dr. Holt's dental rooms in Phillips will be closed from Saturday, Aug. 1 to Saturday Aug. 15. His rooms in Rangeley will be open from Monday Aug. 10 to Saturday Aug. 15. Dr. Holt is going to take a short vacation and his office in Phillips will not be open for good until Tuesday, Aug. 18.

The work of moving the Parker millinery shop to its new location was cleverly and quickly accomplished by Fred Hescok of West Farmington and a crew, and the store now rests safely on its new foundation. It is understood that work on the new brick building for the Phillips Savings bank will be begun in the fall.

Peaches should be cheap this year. It is expected that it will require more than 3500 freight cars to handle the crop this year, which is estimated at 1,779,030 baskets. The Georgia peach season is at its height and it is estimated that the total output will be more than 1,000,000 bushels greater than last year.

The Glidden tourists must have been pleased with the display of flags and the cordial greeting they received on their flight through Phillips. At Cragin's corner there was a bunch of flags displayed and a crowd gathered there during the hour of passage which was between 12 and 1.30 o'clock. Comfort Cottage had a most elaborate display of flags and bunting which caused the tourists to cheer as they passed. Others showed the national colors also. By an effort the tourists could have been induced to have a checking station here. The management 'phoned the night before for sandwiches for a couple of hundred hungry men but the order couldn't be filled promptly and they scooted through with increasing appetites. Phillips has the distinction of having 'been twice visited by this tour, the cars returning from Rangeley Wednesday and taking the Weld road.

Births.

Lisbon, July 16, to Rev. and Mrs. Elbert B. Holmes, a son.
Farmington, June 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Fidelle Perry, a daughter.
Farmington, June 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roderique, a daughter.
Farmington, June 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Bertram A. Whitehouse, a daughter.

Marriages.

Strong, June 23, by Rev. Mr. Taylor of Salem Mr. Wesley E. Tash of Salem and Miss Mertie B. Moore of South Strong.

Deaths.

Caribou, July 20, Mrs. Annie Foss, wife of Jeremiah Donnelly.
Chesterfield, July 17, Chas. H. Judkins, aged 73 years, 9 months, 15 days.
Dysart, Ia., July 10, Bradford Sewall, aged 64 years, 3 months, 23 days. [Corrected.]
North Vienna, July 15, Mrs. Clara, widow of Greenleaf Whittier, aged about 58 years.
Somerville, Mass., July 21, F. Elmer Titcomb of Farmington, aged 24 years, 4 months, 4 days.
Neponset, Mass., July 14, Mrs. Mary A., widow of Lewis S. Timberlake, aged 51 years.

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