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BERTHA BEEDE ENGAGED

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Announcement was made Saturday evening of the betrothal of Miss Bertha M. Beede to Floyd E. Parker, during a party given in honor of the event to some of the girl friends of Miss Beede and Mr. Parker at the home of Miss Avilla Hersey.

The announcement of the engagement of these very popular young people came as a great surprise to many of their friends, but showers of congratulations followed when the news was made public.

All the decorations about the Hersey home were in green. There were cut flowers and ferns everywhere, while over the dining room table hung a mammoth basket of greenery, from which green ribbons ran to the plates of the young women guests. The place cards were dainty cardboard shamrocks.

Seated at the table were Misses Fern Voter, Ella Beal, Ina Badger, Miriam Brackett, Algie Pratt, Mildred Mahoney, Bertha Beede, and the hostess, Miss Hersey.

The surprise of the evening came, when, at a given signal, the ribbons were pulled and cards descended bearing the names of Miss Beede and Mr. Parker. Then Miss Beede came in for many congratulations from her surprised young friends.

The lunch that was served most daintily, included among other edibles grape fruit with maraschino cherries, chicken salad, bread and butter sandwiches, olives, fancy crackers, cake with green frosting, heart shaped tarts, lemon sherbet and coffee. The St. Patrick color was carried out in everything possible.

Mr. Parker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Parker of this village and is at present employed by the wholesale and retail drug firm of H. H. Hays, Portland. Miss Beede is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Beede, also of this town. She has been employed for several seasons in the millinery department at Eastman Brothers & Bancroft in Portland, where she proved most efficient. They are both numbered among the most respected and popular young people of the town.

A. T. MOORE DEAD

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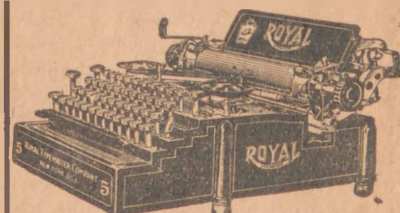
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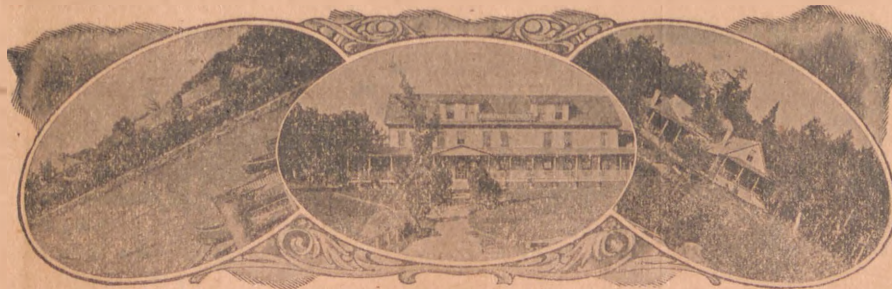
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CAMDEN FISH
HATCHERYWhat Has Been Accomplished the
Past Year in Stocking Ponds.

Superintendent Libby of the Camden fish hatchery has made a report in which he gives some very interesting facts and figures:

Number of trout eggs at hatchery, 1911, 425,000; loss from time of receiving eggs to time of planting, 10,500; number planted, 414,500. These fish were put out from April 28 to July in the following brooks and lakes:

Lake Megunticook, Camden	85,000
Crawford Pond, Union	20,000
Seven Tree Pond, Union	20,000
Round Pond, Union	20,000
Hurricane Island	2,500
Chickawauke, Rockland	20,000
Roc' Pond, Rockport	10,000
Lily Pond, Rockport	5,000
Levensellar Pond, Lincolnville	5,000
Duck Trap Stream, Lincolnville	20,000
Creamer Brook, Waldoboro	5,000
Wards Brook, Wiscasset	5,000
Montsurag Brook, Wiscasset	5,000
Black Brook, Rockland	10,000
Andrews Pond, Lincolnville	5,000
Medomak Lake, Washington	20,000
Monroe Brook, Belfast	5,000
Swan Lake, Belfast	20,000
Senebec Pond, Union	20,000
Meadow Pond, No. Islesboro	20,000
Biscay Brook, Damariscotta	10,000
Polly Clarke Brook, Wiscasset	7,500
Sheepscot Brook, Wiscasset	7,500
Hosmer Pond, Camden	10,000
Moody Pond, Hope	5,000
Branch Brook, Rockland	5,000
Hobb Pond, Hope	15,000
Norton Pond, Lincolnville	10,000
Brook Stream, Waldoboro	10,000
Alfreds Lake, Hope	25,000
Canaan Lake, Camden	10,000
Meadow Brook, Rockland	5,000
Stony Brook, Yarmouth	10,000
Wiley Brook, Hope	12,000

Number of landlocked salmon eggs received in 1911, 125,000; loss from time of receiving until time of planting, 8,000; planted 117,000 in the fall of 1910. These fish were from 3 to 5½ inches in length, put out in the following lakes and ponds:

Hobbs Pond, Hope	5,000
Moody Pond, Hope	2,500
Coleman Pond, Lincolnville	5,000
Canaan Lake, Camden	12,000
Alford's Lake, Hope	5,000
Levensellar, Lincolnville	3,000
Lily Pond, Rockport	4,000
Hosmer Pond, Camden	2,000
Norton Pond, Lincolnville	5,000
Chickawauke Pond, Rockland	7,500
Senebec Pond, Union	5,000
Round Pond, Union	5,000
Crawford Pond, Union	5,000
Seven Tree Pond, Union	5,000
Andrews Pond, Lincolnville	2,500
Megunticook Lake, Camden	5,000
Mirror Lake, W. Rockport	5,500
Rocky Pond, W. Rockport	2,500
Medomak Lake, Washington	5,000
Peters Pond, Waldoboro	2,000
Cooks Pond, Winslows Mills	2,000
Damariscotta Lake, Damariscotta	5,000
Alfords Lake, Hope	2,500
Swan Lake, Belfast	3,000
Muddy Pond, Washington	1,500
Kaler Pond, Winslows Mills	2,000
Megunticook Lake, Camden	7,000

Number of trout eggs on hand for 1912, 250,000.

Number of landlocked salmon on hand for 1912, 150,000.

Number of trout put out in season of 1910, 10,000; salmon, 75,000.

Number of trout put out in season of 1911, 425,000; salmon, 125,000.

Number of trout put out in season of 1912, 250,000; salmon, 150,000.

Number of trout put out in three years including 1912, 775,000; salmon, 350,000.

GUIDE HARNDEN
ELECTED SELECTMANPetitions Circulated For Restrictions
on Ponds Near Rangeley
For Fly Fishing.

(Special to Maine Woods.)
Rangeley, Me., March 14, 1912.

Old timers say we have had the coldest winter in Rangeley for years. Let's hope so.

Snow is in great abundance in this region.

It was five hundred dollars they raised for the Public Library at the town meeting.

The road roller just went by and that reminds us that it has had a busy winter, but it has kept the snow well packed down and we've had some splendid sleighing.

Guide Harold Fuller is out of town working this winter.

Proprietor Bowley from Mountain View was at the village recently.

Captain Barker was in town a few days ago.

Mr. Pickle, the taxidermist, has had his usual busy season. He has a curiosity in six little calves he has recently mounted.

There has been quite an amount of rabbit hunting up here in the past few weeks.

Frank Barrett got two rabbits while out hunting one day last week.

Guide Harry Quimby has returned from the woods where he has had employment.

Guide Al Sprague has finished his work on Spotted Mountain where he has been with a logging crew.

Guide Jim Steward has returned home from the woods.

Guide Charles Harnden was elected one of the Rangeley selectmen at the annual town meeting. Mr. Harnden has been buying furs this winter.

Almon Wilber was helping guide Ed Hoar a day or two last week at his fish rod and snowshoe shop. Mr. Hoar is getting out a large amount of bamboo for his special bamboo rods. Mr. Crosby, the garage man, has passed the winter in Rangeley and is getting everything in readiness for a big run the coming season.

Mr. Wyman, the manager of the skating rink last summer, has returned and opened the rink again. He intends to keep it open all the summer.

There is a report that the railroad company has contracted the work of extending the broad gauge road down at Oquossoc up through the woods to Kennebec lake and that men have begun to build their camps and draw in their material on sleds. It is also expected that in a short time this road will be continued to connect with the Canadian Pacific railroad. It is reported that the work will be completed, as far as the Kennebec lake by the early fall.

Petitions have been circulated for signers to save some of the ponds near Rangeley for fly fishing and to limit the season, that the sportsmen may have proper benefit from such ponds where good fly fishing may be found, if these restrictions become law.

"SHEP BLAIR VISITS PHILLIPS.

Shepard Blair, who thinks that he is not far from 90 years old, came to Phillips Saturday for a short tarry with his friend, Frederick Hough, of the Elmwood. Mr. Blair, who is better known, perhaps, as "Shep," has been in the Maine woods for

many years. Many a sportsman, who travels between Phillips and Rangeley remembers the little old man with white hair and bent form, who always waved his hand when the train passed Redington. And many a former guest at Redington will remember in the old man, the angworm digger and general all round chore "boy" who accepted pay for his work with quaint words of thanks. Now "Shep" mourns the loss of his old time friend, Elmer Field, who recently succumbed to pneumonia. Mr. Field always took a deep interest in the old man, and during the past few years held some of his money for him in trust.

"Shep" was born in Canada and loves to tell people from the big cities of his trip to Montreal and of all the wonderful sights he saw while there. But the most of his life has been spent in the deep woods, where his mind has become attuned in a way to the poetical significance of the song of the night bird and the sighing of the north wind through the pines and spruces.

LOON LAKE HEARD FROM.

Proprietor York Says He Has Made Many Improvements the Past Winter.

J. Lewis York, of Loon lake, known to sportsmen far and wide, was in Phillips Saturday on a business trip. Mr. York looks the picture of health and is full of enthusiasm over the coming season of fishing and general recreation.

During a pleasant call at the Maine Woods office, during which he placed an attractive advertisement for the opening of the fishing season, he stated that he has made many improvements at Loon Lake the present winter, including enlargement of the dining room and an extension on the office camp.

"I think that I am safe in saying," said Mr. York, "that I now have the only sun parlor attached to a log cabin. I think that it would be difficult to find another sun parlor of this kind anywhere in the world."

"True we have an open air card room, making the enjoyment of card games especially attractive in warm weather. Yes, I have had a busy winter. The cows and hens have made me hustle to keep them contented, but the effort will be well repaid next summer when I see my guests smiling over their good provender."

"I would like to say to my city friends at this time," Mr. York went on, "that a winter in the woods is very enjoyable. In time there is no doubt that Maine will be well filled with tourists throughout the cold months. The air up here is chock full of ozone and it makes a man or a woman feel lively almost at once."

"Yes, we are anticipating a great business at Loon lake this season."

WRITES OF THE NORTH.

James Oliver Curwood, author of the new novel "Flower of the North," was born in Michigan in 1878, and calls Detroit his home. He spends however, a great part of his time in the far north, and has secured a unique collection of big game photographs. After his course at the University of Michigan he was engaged for some years in newspaper work and was employed by the Canadian government to explore and write about certain Arctic regions as yet unmapped. Most of his short stories and novels, notably the new novel, "Flower of the North," are descriptive of life in those northern lands, which he finds so full of present interest and future possibilities.

GUESSING ON THE DATE.

They are guessing over Bangor way when the ice will leave the lakes and rivers. One Bangor man says: "There is every indication that the opening of navigation on the Penobscot will be late this year. The ice in the river is very thick and solid and the continued cold weather has kept it in this condition with very little change. Very little ice has been cut and the main body will not be weakened by any extensive ice fields. People who make wagers on the clearing of the ice are guessing anywhere from the 19th to the 25th of April."

A THRILLING EXPERIENCE

Thaw Nearly Proves Fatal to City Gum Pickers.

Boston, March 22, 1912.

To the Editor of Maine Woods:

Reading in the newspapers of the deep snow now covering all northern Maine brings to my mind very vividly an experience I once had in the Maine woods in the dead of winter that I would not care to repeat.

With a companion I left for the Maine forests early in the fall. My principal object was to try and recover health that had been somewhat shattered by city life, but as a secondary object I determined to try gum picking, having heard that there was money in this product of the spruce.

Through the fall we passed exceedingly happy days, but as winter advanced and the weather became more and more severe the situation was not so pleasant. We were getting a large bag of gum, however, and we determined to stay until we had secured all we could carry back to civilization.

When this time arrived the thaws of spring had set in and we found ourselves many miles in the wilderness with heavy packs and "slumpy" going for our snowshoes. The thaw was so great and so general, indeed, that progress was only made with extreme difficulty. At first we laughed at our predicament and tried to think it a joke, but as our leg muscles became strained from lifting heavy loads of wet snow on the wide shoes and as the snow shoes themselves refused to act properly, owing to wet thongs, the situation became not only difficult but also extremely dangerous.

Finally we found that we could go no further. To add one trouble to many we discovered to our horror that the culinary department was becoming very low. Still we tried to joke and declare that we would soon get out of the woods.

Then came the climax. We awoke one morning to find that we were powerless to proceed another step. Our muscles, already far overstrained, had at last rebelled. The old snow shoe knows what this means.

For a time we actually faced death. We had practically no food and it seemed impossible to go on. We knew that our case was hopeless so far as friends were concerned, for if they suspected we were in trouble they would not know where to look.

It was at the time when we were in the lowest depths of despair that succor came in the shape of a freeze that gave a crust requiring no snow shoes. Soon, with rested muscles, we were on the way to civilization again and you may rest assured that there could be no more welcome a sight than the curling smoke from a house chimney that greeted our eyes as we emerged from the woods into a clearing.

James R. Thorton.

RETURNED FROM CUBA.

Hon. and Mrs. F. Marion Simpson returned to their home in Bangor Thursday night from a trip through Cuba and a visit to the Florida winter resorts which has lasted since Feb. 10. They sailed from New York for Havana on that date on the Ward line steamer Saratoga. After spending a few days in Havana, they made the 580 mile railway journey to Antilla on the extreme north eastern end of the island by easy stages, traveling only during the day time in order that they might see the country. From Antilla they went by steamer to Kingston, Jamaica, from which point they took an automobile trip which covered nearly the whole island.

Leaving Jamaica they returned to Cuba, visiting Santiago and Camagua. After spending a few more days in Havana they sailed for Florida Keyes and made the trip over the new Flagler railroad. They visited Miami, Palm Beach, St. Augustine and other Florida winter resorts before leaving for their home here. Mr. Simpson expressed himself enthusiastically Friday over the richness of the land in Cuba and the possibilities of its future agricultural development.

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"Pete" belongs to J. Perley Putman, and you can see the dog with his paper almost every morning.

H. V. Emery of Great Pond, Me., takes a deep interest in puzzles and riddles, as is shown by his answer to a rebus that recently appeared in Maine Woods. "I should say, said he, "that the rebus, A— stands for Mark Twain. I think that the answer to the riddle is King David. I may be mistaken, however. Let us have more puzzles and riddles.

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Maine Woods solicits communications and fish and game photographs from its readers. When ordering the address of your paper changed, please give the old as well as new address.

The Editions of the Maine Woods this week are 6,500 copies.

Thursday, March 21, 1912.

WHY?

Roy Atkinson, who, for over four years has been a member of the editorial staff of that marvel of New England journalism, the Boston Post, commences work for Maine Woods with this issue.

Mr. Atkinson, who "broke in" as a newspaper worker on Maine Woods has many friends about Franklin county and Maine, who may be interested to learn of his change of position and also some of the reasons why he left the city for the country.

To begin, Mr. Atkinson is a firm believer in the future of Maine, especially as a place where the weary city dweller may find rest and comfort at all times of the year, winter as well as summer. And he has just as firm a faith in the future of Maine Woods, the recreation newspaper of Maine, that is absolutely unique in its broad field.

Therefore is it strange that a young man who is a lover of nature, who has hosts of friends among the hotel and camp owners of the state, should desire to get back, for a time at least, to what some might term the "simple life?"

And now to work!

THE MAN ON THE JOB

First sign of spring in Phillips, Frank Toothaker driving a truck team on wheels through Main street.

"About the finest birch I have seen remarked General Passenger Agent Fred N. Beal Friday, as he looked with admiring eyes at four car-loads of white birch consigned to the tooth pick mill Friday afternoon. It seemed to me that Mr. Beal's judgment was excellent, for not a single "red heart" could be seen, the wood being almost as white as the snow with which it was covered.

H. H. Field, the new treasurer of the International Mfg. Co., is now nicely located in his new position. He succeeds in this work William H. Bliss of New York, who is remembered by many residents of Phillips. Mr. Field comes to the position especially well fitted for the work through his long association with important financial affairs.

Prof. Harrington, who has been holding forth in the Grange hall at the upper village, tells me that he considers he ranks third among the old time showmen of Maine. "I should say that Price Webber is the dean of the profession in New England," said Prof. Harrington, "with Al Martz second and myself third." The other night Prof. Harrington gave a bit of an impromptu talk on hotels during the progress of his "show." He said that he felt sure that kicks were responsible for good hotels and boarding houses, "for," said he, "when the service is not up to the standard and one registers a kick the hotel man is apt to remember it and try and improve his service. I think that somebody once said that every knock is a boost, and I am sure that this applies to the hotel business as much as anywhere."

Prof. Harrington delights to tell the story of the time he defended the American flag while on a trip through the Provinces. It would appear that he used the stars and stripes while doing some trick, whereupon some member of the audience hissed. "As he did so I stepped to the front of the stage," said the Professor, "and wrapped the flag about me. 'Gentlemen,' I said, 'I love this flag and I would rather you would hiss my mother's name than hiss the flag. There are hundreds,

yes, thousands, of your people earning a good and honest living under its folds in the states and if it wasn't for the flag many a farm about here that is now free from encumbrance would be under a mortgage.' This seemed to appeal to the crowd, for I got a rousing volley of cheers and one man got up and apologized for the man who had hissed. He said that he was thoroughly ashamed that such a thing had happened."

Last week a number of the young-girls of Phillips were busily engaged in "tagging" everyone in sight. I am told that the proceeds of this wholesale tagging, which met with the best of success, was for the Phillips High school athletic association. Among those who did the work were Ruth Goldsmith, Janet McKenzie, Gladys Dyer, Kathleen Noble, Nellie Reed, Estelle Barker and Mildred Mahoney.

Down in Farmington H. P. White and Harry Brown are getting out a newspaper in the Franklin Journal that is a credit to its makers. It is clean and bright, as might be suspected when one considers the men at the head of the enterprise. Mr. Brown is an old time newspaper man, who was at one time a member of the staff of this paper. Mr. White is one of Farmington's solid merchants, but at the present time he is devoting his entire time practically to the editorial end of the Journal, while his son, Robert White, a popular young man, looks after the store. Backing the paper in a financial way is Jacob Wirth of Boston, who has a large and elegantly equipped summer home at Varnums pond, near Farmington.

The story is told that J. Frederick Hough recently made a record breaking sprint for a train at Portland, while on his way to Phillips. He caught the train by a narrow margin, but the young man who also ran was not so lucky and was forced to wait for a time.

I met Edwin Cushman in town the other day, where he had driven from his home in Avon. Mr. Cushman tells me that he is here for a short visit with his parents and that he is now well and pleasantly located in New York city. For a time he was in Boston.

A number of citizens were discussing ways and means Wednesday afternoon of bringing to this vicinity people who desire to spend a happy and well fed vacation, yet who wish to do so at as modest a cost as possible. One man suggested that a hotel be built at the foot of Mt. Blue to cater to just this class of business. Mt. Blue is about five miles from this village. What do you think of the idea?

A number of people are wondering just what Albert Laforest Ayer wanted of the wedding dress he is alleged to have stolen from Miss Edith Harris of Salem. When Ayer, who also has the alias of Bert Kinn, was arraigned, he did not offer any explanation. Hence the deep, dark mystery.

Asher D. Horn of Farmington, well known as a liveryman, may not be as well known as a farmer. Yet he is some farmer after all, for he modestly avers that he raised the past season 2000 bushels of potatoes. "Just a little patch, that was all," said Mr. Horn.

Jim Withee is just as chipper as ever. Nothing delights this old time hotel man more than to sit in the office of the Stoddard House at Farmington and tell stories to a circle of admiring friends. And, take it from the Man on the Job, Mr. Withee has many friends.

My friend, Moses Harden, hands me a publication dated December 25 and 26 1878 called "Our Christmas Programme," published by the ladies of the Universalist Aid society of Phillips. The program shows that there was a change of entertainment each evening. Among those who had a part were Misses Georgine V. Wilbur, Marcia Beal, Lena Hawkes, Winnie Fuller, Rose Perry, Gracie McKeen, Cora Wheeler, Emma Whitney, Evie Morrison, F. E. Howard, Master Sammy Beal, Miss Stella Harden and others. Local advertisers were very generous in their patronage of the program.

During the course of his sermon Sunday Rev. Melvin S. Hutchins said that he foresees great progress for the world in the future, despite the statement that we are now living in an electrical age. Mr. Hutchins mentioned as one illustration of this possibility of a wave motor, to cause old ocean to do the work now accomplished through the medium of steam and other forces. Among other things Mr. Hutchins gave a most excellent resume of the great things accomplished in the development of the world, starting with some of the early explorers and closing with mention of the discovery of the south pole.

Words of praise were heard at the Union church Sunday for the piano playing by Miss Gladys Bates, one of the teachers of this village. Miss Bates has a light and agile touch that is most charming.

It is indeed a pleasure to listen to the music furnished by the Choral Society at the Union church, under the leadership of Hon. N. P. Noble. Composing this excellent and well trained group of musicians are: Miss Estelle Barker, Miss Mildred Mahoney, Miss Edith Hunter, Miss Eva A. Hammond, Mrs. Colby Whittemore, Miss Nellie Reed, Prof. W. R. Keyes, Reno Atwood, Colby Whittemore, Hollis Holt, De Berna Ross, Miss Gladys Bates, the pianist.

Here is something from Hon. N. P. Noble, addressed to the teachers of Phillips, that may be read with profit by any teacher. It is taken from Mr. Noble's annual school report:

"The best she has the teacher owes to her work. Late hours, selfish indulgence and questionable amusements and associates detract from her energy and interest, and lower her in the esteem of parents and pupils. The profession is an important one. The teacher, almost as much as the parent, is responsible for directing the child into those ways of life and conduct that shall make of him a strong and useful citizen."

Obituary

Mrs. Abraham Morton was born in New Portland, Oct. 25, 1828, and died in Phillips at the home of her son, Fred Morton, March 6, 1912, at the age of 83 years, 4 months 11 days. Her parents were Nathan Thomas, born August 2, 1787, and Sally Watson, born January 16, 1789. Her father, Nathan Thomas, died in New Portland August 9, 1849, her mother, Sally Watson, died in Avon, January 24, 1871.

Mrs. Abraham Morton was a woman of energy and activity. Her general health had been above the average person's, and she was sick just one week to a day when she passed away.

Mrs. Morton was married in 1852, by John McLain, Esq., to Abraham B. Morton of New Vineyard, who died three years ago at the home of his son Fred, in Phillips, April 3, 1909. On Friday, Oct. 24, 1902, Mr. and Mrs. Morton observed their fiftieth anniversary at their pleasant home in Avon, surrounded by a host of friends.

Mrs. Morton and her husband lived in New Vineyard with his parents the first ten years of their married life, then with the father and mother moved to what is called Taylor Hill in Strong. While at Taylor Hill Mr. Morton enlisted and entered the army. Upon his return home they met with the sad loss of his father and mother.

To Mr. and Mrs. Morton were born three boys; two died in infancy, the youngest son, Fred, still lives in Phillips village where he cared so tenderly for his father and mother during their declining years. In 1863 they moved from the farm on Taylor Hill to a farm in Avon near Mt. Blue, where they resided until they came to the village with their son three years ago.

This strong and matronly Christian woman loved everybody, and in turn was loved as few women are loved. In early life she consecrated herself to the service of Jesus Christ and for more than forty years was a faithful and devout member of the Methodist Episcopal church. She was a noble woman, whose religious life was a strong factor in the morality of the community and inspiration for better things to all who knew her.

The funeral services were held at the home of her son Friday afternoon, March 8, conducted by Rev. W. P. Holman, pastor of the Methodist church at Strong, where Mrs. Morton and her husband were members and attended church for many years. During the service, Miss Estelle Barker sang most effectively the hymn Sister Morton liked so well, Jesus Lover of My Soul. The floral tribute was large and beautiful.

EAST MADRID

East Madrid, March 18, 1912.

Mrs. Clara Byron is assisting in the family of Mrs. Cora Wheeler for a short time.

The stork while passing southward left an 8 pound girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McLaughlin last Tuesday evening. Both mother and babe are doing finely, consequently "Papa" is wearing the smile that won't come off. Mrs. Cora Stinchfield of Phillips is caring for Mrs. McLaughlin and little daughter.

Everett Brown had a runaway recently. We understand it did quite a lot of damage to both the sleigh and harness, also hurting Everett.

We extend most hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Orland Byron of North Phillips, for a long and happy married life.

Victor B. Hamlin of Temple, was a guest at F. H. Thorpe's a few days recently.

Russel King has been quite miserable with a bad cold since his return from Kingfield.

Fern Sweetser had the misfortune to swallow a pin last week, but we are glad to report she is all right.

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WANTED—By an American man and wife, no children, the care of a camp or country estate by the year near river or lake. Best of references. Address W. S. Varney, 217 Dewey St Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—A dog that will tree part-ridges. Must be first class. Address with particulars and price. C. W. Whitney, Troy, N. H.

WANTED—A man and wife to do all the work in and around a private camp for about four months, beginning in May. The woman must be a good cook, and the man know something of farming or gardening. Write, stating age, experience, etc., or apply in person, Phillips Savings Bank, Phillips, Maine.

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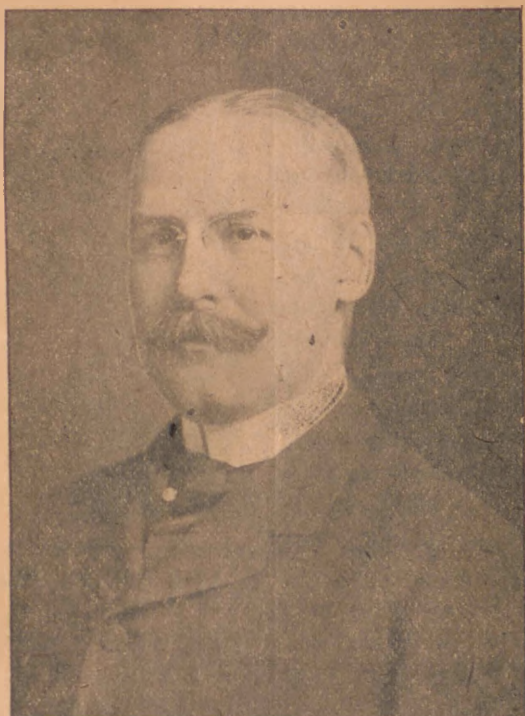
EX-GOVERNOR HILL DEAD

Victim of Heart Disease in a Boston Hotel.

Former Governor John F. Hill died in Boston last Saturday from heart disease, that was at first thought to be pneumonia. Every effort was made to save the life of this distinguished man. The city authorities of Boston had many bushels of sawdust dumped on

and was one of the state's foremost citizens. He has been prominent in state and national politics for many years.

Many tributes to his memory have been paid by prominent citizens throughout the state and country.



Ex-Governor John F. Hill.

the La Grange and Tamworth street sides of the Hotel Touraine, where Mr. Hill was staying, to deaden the noise of street traffic.

Governor Hill was chairman of the Republican National committee. For four years he was governor of Maine

At the funeral of Mr. Hill in Augusta the services were simple but impressive. They were held on Tuesday and special trains bore large delegations of sorrowing friends from Portland and Bangor.

DRYDEN

Dryden, March 11, 1912.

The death of Mrs. Melissa Davenport of Salem, occurred Sunday evening at the home of her son, Elton B. Davenport in Dryden.

Mrs. Davenport came for a visit with her son and family and was taken sick with congested pneumonia and was only sick a few days.

Mrs. Davenport was born at Berry Mills, Carthage, January 16, 1837. Her maiden name was Berry. She was the widow of Charles Davenport, who died April 22, 1905. Mr. Davenport was a farmer and they had been residents of Salem for 35 years. Mrs. Davenport was the mother of nine children, seven of whom are living: Woodman Davenport of Nashua, N. H.; Mrs. Eva Gilbert of Cohoes, N. Y.; Elton B. Davenport of Dryden; Will and Walter Davenport of Madrid; Nathaniel Davenport of Salem and Mrs. Burleigh Batchelder of Kingfield. There are 15 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Mrs. Davenport's father was a soldier in the war of 1812.

There is one half brother, Leander Berry of Five Islands, Maine, living. The deceased was a Universalist in belief.

The funeral was held Tuesday at 10 a. m., Rev. L. S. Williams of Bean's Corner, officiating. The bearers were the four sons of the deceased. The remains were taken to Phillips on the noon train for burial. All of the children were present at the funeral but two, Woodman, and Mrs. Gilbert.

Two selections were sung by a quartette from the M. E. church, consisting of Messrs. A. H. Jones, B. J. Cox, Mrs.



WEST FARMINGTON

March 19, 1912.

Herbert Norton from Strong who has been spending a few days at his grandparents', has gone to Temple to visit his aunt, Mrs. Dana Hamlin.

The Free Baptist church at West Farmington, which has been closed a few Sundays on account of diphtheria, is opened again.

Everett Phillips returned from the hospital this week, and is very feeble, but is more comfortable at this writing.

J. J. Hunt has finished hauling his hay and apples. He has sold two of his horses.

Lilla and Nellie Norton from Strong have recently visited at S. R. Norton's, and Ida and Theo Lord from Wilton at their grandparents', Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Lord.

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RANGELEY DRAMATICS

The "Village School Ma'am" Well Played. Other News Notes.

(Special to Maine Woods.)

Rangeley, March 19, 1912.

The drama, "The Village School-Ma'am" given by local talent in Furbish hall Friday evening, was well attended, the sale of tickets amounting to \$58. The parts were well taken and the young people are to be congratulated on their success. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Senior class. The following is the cast of characters:

Dick Elliott, village storekeeper and postmaster, George Dill
James Graham, commercial traveler, Thayer Ellis

Hosea Clegg, one of the G. A. R.'s, Eddie Philbrick

Sam Alcott, who has a more than better half, Frank Barrett

Rev. Mr. Flick, Mason Russell

Tad, just a boy, Scott Ellis

Sylvia Lenox, the village school-ma'am, Bessie Harnden

Mrs. Alcott, who sometimes forgets, Sadie Jacobs

Elvira Pratt, dressmaker and village gossip, Jane Edwards

Ida May Alcott, who has had advantages, Marcia Mitchell

Posie, born tired, Faye Worthley

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pennock and two children from Wilson's Mills were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brooks several days last week.

Charles Huntoon had the misfortune to lose a valuable work horse recently.

Orrie Haley has bought Austin Hinkley's farm near Hunter Cove, and will take possession as soon as Mr. Hinkley can get moved.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burns and children from Haines Landing were at the Rangeley Tavern the first of the week.

Mrs. Angella Bubber of Phillips is the guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. Edd. Spencer.

Lovell D. Nile has sold out his grocery business to Ernest C. Hinkley.

Frank H. Kempton has been suffering from an attack of erysipelas.

E. I. Herrick, E. H. Lowell, Will Marble, Leon D. Haley and Thede Haley went to Augusta Monday to attend the Democratic convention.

Miss Jane Edwards went to Brunswick Thursday to attend the funeral of a friend. She returned Friday night.

Miss Mabel Hinkley of Madrid, is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Geo. Mayo of Massachusetts, formerly Miss Velma Nile, arrived in town last week, where she is the guest of relatives.

Harley Hinds and friend, Miss Nell Harmon of Scarborough, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mathieson drove up from Indian Rock Monday to attend the lecture. They were guests of Mrs. Tryphena Neal over night.

A republican caucus was held Saturday evening, at which Sylvader Hinkley and James Mathieson were chosen delegates to attend the convention at Bangor, April 10.

There were about 55 members at the Grange Saturday night. There was no special work and some time was spent in marching and playing games including the following: A dozen articles had been hidden about the room and each member was given a pencil and slip of paper on which were written 1, kids at rest; 2, a young man's horror; 3, can't be beat; 4, a perfect foot; 5, things to adore, etc., etc. They were allowed ten minutes to find the articles and place their names in the proper order as follows: 1, kid gloves; 2, mitten; 3, turnip; 4, a 12-inch rule; 5, hinges, knobs, etc., etc. The ones who passed in the first correct paper were given prizes.

Miss Marjorie Oakes received the ladies' prize, a flower bow, and H. B. McCard the gentleman's prize, a necktie. Thalie Hoar and William Tomlinson were given boxes of homemade candy as consolation prizes. The literary program consisted of readings by Ida Lamb, Sylvader Hinkley, Mira Hinkley and E. L. Toothaker; singing by the Misses Pease, Miss Edwards and Ida Rowe, also songs by eight of the Patrons. Delicious ice cream and assorted cake were served. Applications for membership were read

and it is expected there will be degree work next Saturday.

Mrs. Addie Wilbur is working at Dr. F. B. Colby's

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Carlton have been visiting at G. M. Carlton's.

The lecture Monday night by Dr. Leavitt N. Hallock was very interesting. His subject was "The Land of Our Lord," and as he had visited that country he made every thing appear very real.

Miss Lila Hoar is spending a few days in Portland.

Mr. W. S. Wight of Bethel, is in town and has organized a singing school. He gave a free entertainment at the vestry Monday night and will give another at the Grange hall tonight.



Ralph Trecartin, Phillips, standing on a 12-foot drift of snow near Hescok & Atwood's mill. Mr. Trecartin is touching the telephone wires. The road is shown in the tracks at the left.



Dr. B. S. Elliot on snowshoes on a giant drift near Phillips village. The recent winds have reduced this drift considerably.

LOCAL NOTES.

Druggist R. H. Preble is gaining in health daily. Every day now he is up and about the house and expects to get out of doors soon. Dr. Alfred King of Portland and Dr. W. I. Blanchard, his attending physician, were in consultation recently, resulting in a very optimistic attitude regarding the case.

Vinton Hough of the Elmwood was ill Wednesday and unable to work.

Their Vision Dimmed.

How many learned men are working at the forge of science—laborious, ardent, tireless Cyclops, but one-eyed!—Joubert.

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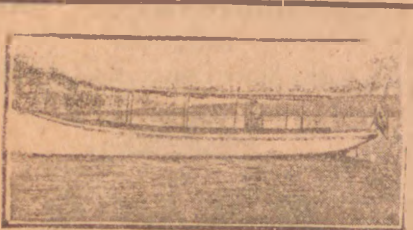
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Bermuda Fails to Equal Maine, Writes
Boston Man.

(Special to Maine Woods.)
Boston, March 20, 1912.

Am just home from Bermuda, the
island of summer clime and beauty,
quite in contrast with the scenic
charms of old Maine. Yet with all
its beauty of sea gardens and tropical
vegetation it will never win from
me my love for dear old Maine.

We may scold at the rough cordu-
roy road, the deep ruts, the big
rocks and other troubles and finally
get off and walk. But after other
scenes it all comes back that the
forest trails, the lakes, the brooks
and mountains with the way of this
rough life are the things we really
love.

Bermuda archipelago is situated in
the north Atlantic, latitude 32 de-
grees, 15 seconds, N, longitude 64 de-
grees, 51 seconds W, about 800 miles
south from Halifax and 700 miles
south east from New York. The
voyage from New York usually re-
quires about 48 hours. Owing to
very rough weather we were 24 hours
late.

The life at Bermuda is quite in
keeping with the English custom, al-
though a large portion of the popula-
tion is colored. All is quiet, no one
seems in a hurry. There are no
automobiles on the island. Distanc-
es are short, the streets narrow. The
mode of conveyance is by horse and
carriage and usually in charge of a
colored driver, who is well informed
about the important things pertain-
ing to the country. They are civil
and willing to answer questions,
which makes ones drive pleasant and
enjoyable.

One familiar with the forest growth
of Maine sees quite a difference of
foliage and trees, the red cedar be-
ing the most plentiful and really the
shade tree of the island. There are
bananas, cocoanuts, paw paw, rubber,
palmetto, oleander and royal palms
growing everywhere. The royal
palm, while most attractive, does not
hold first place here as a palm.

There are some 18,000 population o
this famous island, two thirds of
which are said to be colored. But
no matter whether white or colored
the most of them are palm owners.
Each native boasts of two active
palms and they are usually offered
for the inspection of visitors, with
the hollow side up. From the tod-
dling pickaninny to the old aunty the
palm is always in evidence.

Mark Twain's description, which is
often quoted, seems to cover the
subject. He said that Bermuda is a
Paradise, but that it is H— to get
there!

Roxbury.

CHEAP SPORTS.

Berlin Basketball Boys So Called by
Phillips and Rumford Teams.

The following opinion of the boys
of the Berlin High school basketball
team, expressed in the news columns
of the Rumford Falls Times, coin-
cides with the opinion of the Phillips
boys, according to Manager Hollis
Holt.

The Times says:
"The Berlin High school basketball
team is composed of a set of cheap
sports, in the opinion of the Rumford
High school boys.

"On Monday, a letter was received
from the manager of the Berlin team
offering the Rumford boys \$100 and
expenses to play a game in Berlin,
Saturday. The Rumfords at once
accepted and were looking forward
to giving the New Hampshire boys
another whipping, like they got here
a few weeks ago.

"But when the prompt acceptance
was received, the Berlin boys got
cold feet and sent word Wednesday
that they could not raise the \$100.

"Our opinion is that the real rea-
son is that they are afraid to meet
the Rumford team again. It would
surely be worth \$100 to them to de-
feat our crack team, and we rather
guess that it is fear of defeat in-
stead of lack of money that has
caused the game to be called off.

"We agree with our boys that the
Berlin team is made up of a lot of
cheap sports who have the 'yellow
streak.'"

Father's Pet "Turkle."

East Berlin, Conn., March 12, 1912.

To the Editor of Maine Woods:

They were a jolly couple—this old
fisherman and his wife. Although the
children had long since flown, he was
"father" and she "mother." Living
far from the settlement, their amuse-
ments were few and simple but they
got quite a little enjoyment from life—
not the least of which was the telling
of jokes on each other.

On various occasions when domiciled
beneath their roof, I have been much
amused by their stories. I re-
member well the one the old lady told
on "father," as she always called him.
Perhaps it was the manner of its rend-
ering, but it impressed me as worth
jotting down. This I have done as
nearly as I can in the lady's own lan-
guage.

"Did I ever tell you about father's
pet turkle? No? Well, it was this
way. Father was down to the pond
fishin' one day, when a big snappin'
turkle put his head out the water side
of the boat.

Father said, "Mr. Turkle, you look
kinder hungry." And I guess he was,
for when father reached over the side
and gave the turkle a boost, he climbed
into the boat and father fed him five or
six shiners he had caught and then put
the turkle back in the water.

Next day father was down fishin'
again when the turkle come up again
and father fed him five or six more
shiners. After that every day father
would go down and catch shiners and
that turkle would eat them right out of
Pa's hand. Long about fall when the
turkle was getting good and fat, father
says, "Mother, don't you want to go
down to the pond, and see the old
turkle eat his last shiner. We are go-
in' to have turkle soup for dinner Sun-
day sure."

Well, father pushed out in the boat
and caught a few shiners and the turkle
come up as usual and climbed in the
boat. Then he seen a look in Pa's eye
what was unusual, for he began to
thrash around in the boat and father
said he knowed by the way that turkle
acted that he knowed he was going to
kill him sure. Well, after a tussle fa-
ther finally got to shore and dragged
the turkle up on the bank. Father was
mad, for the turkle had bit him awful,
and he got out his knife and began to
slash at the turkle's neck. Finally he
gave the turkle a kick and said, 'There
I guess you won't bite no more without
no head. Ma, see that turkle going for
the pond without no head.'

I looked. "You darn fool," says I,
" 'twant his head you cut off at all,
'twas his tail." And our turkle soup
dropped into the pond with a splash.

E. W. Mildrum.

DO BOBCATS KILL DEER?

Many Large Bobcats in Dallas Sec-
tion.

One day last week the sectionmen on
the Sandy River & Rangely Lakes
railroad saw the tracks of two large
deer crossing the railroad track near
the camp of Billy True in Dallas, and
following these were the tracks of a
large bobcat.

Their curiosity was aroused and they
followed the tracks of the deer and
buried him in the snow. This deer
was killed about 25 rods from the rail-
road track.

The sectionmen followed the tracks
of the remaining deer a short distance
and found him unharmed. The section-
men have set traps near the buried car-
cass of the dead deer and hope to cap-
ture the bobcat.

SEAL FISHING COMMENCES.

The Newfoundland seal fishing sea-
son has opened once more, many
steamers and men engaging in the
work. It is expected that two
months will have elapsed before the
fishermen return with their catches.
The result of last year's fishing was
very satisfactory, and it is expect-
ed that this season's catch will be
good.

A LONG CAST OF THE FLY.

Experts with rod and reel feel that
the feat of Theodore A. Darling,
who cast a fly in the recent Sports-
man's show at the Madison Square
Garden, a distance of 59 feet, seven
inches, is worthy of special record.
Mr. Darling has been an expert with
the fly casting rod for many years
and speaks of his achievement in
modest terms.



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SPORTING NOTES

Emerson McMillan, the banker,
who has a 1,100-acre estate in the
vicinity of Arlington, tells this ex-
perience: "For several years I have
fed and fostered deer and other wild
animals on my farm. The deer
the past few nights have come right
to the house and have made so much
noise about one or two o'clock in
the morning that our housekeeper
had to get up and shoo them away.
Of course deer and what other wild
animals are on the farm do consid-
erable damage and make it almost
impossible to have a garden, but—
well, having them around is one of
my hobbies."—Wall Street Journal.

"A paper devoted to mechanics,"
Forest and Stream says, "describes
and illustrates a method which
will help the shooter to hold down
light revolvers so that the recoil
will not throw the bullet too high.
The mechanism consists of a wire
attached to the butt of the revolver,
then bent so that the free end may
be hooked over the wrist. When
will the average person cease to
give firearms credit for things for-
eign to them? If the German chem-
ist, who says he has made photograp-
hic exposures at a speed of 1-3,
000,000 part of a second, is within a
mile of the correct time, where is
the bullet by the time the recoil be-
gins to act on the short barrel of
the revolver? Both theories are
pure moonshine. Any person can,
with practice, shoot reasonably well
with a revolver which has a short
barrel. The main cause of apparent
inaccuracy is the short distance be-
tween sights. Of course a longer
barrel in itself adds to precision,
while it also permits lengthening the
distance between sights."

CHANGE OF DATES.

The previously arranged dates of
the annual meeting of the North
American Fish and Game Protective
association having been found incon-
venient for many of the members the
meeting has been postponed from
March 26 and 27 to April 24 and
25. The meetings will be held in
Boston.

At this meeting, which will be of
the utmost importance to all inter-
ested in the protection and preserva-
tion of fish and game, many ques-
tions of vital interest will be discus-
sed.

G. R. Richards is president of the
association and E. T. D. Chambers,
the secretary and treasurer.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The Sand, River & Rangely Lakes
Railroad company has presented to
the State Board of Railroad Com-
missioners a petition for an increase
of \$58,000 in its capital stock. The
increase is asked for the following
purposes: \$25,000 for building a
branch railroad track; \$15,000 for
paying its floating debt; \$18,000 for
making permanent improvements and
other necessary and lawful purposes.

How it Was in Rome.

In the golden age of 300 peaceful
years under imperial Rome crime al-
most ceased, Gibbon says, because no
man could escape the jurisdiction of
Rome, for Rome then was the whole
world.

STATE OF MAINE.

County of Franklin, ss.

To the Honorable Justice of the Su-
preme Judicial Court, next to be held
at Farmington within and for said
County on the third Tuesday of May
A. D. 1912.

Jeanette Wheeler of Sandy River
Plantation, in the County of Franklin
and State of Maine, wife of George H.
Wheeler, respectfully represents:—
That her maiden name was Jeanette
Biederbeck; that she was lawfully mar-
ried to the said George H. Wheeler at
Dover in the State of New Hampshire
on the twenty-ninth day of November
A. D. 1910, by Rev. W. Weir Gilliss, a
minister of the gospel, duly authorized
to solemnize marriages in the State of
New Hampshire; that they lived to-
gether as husband and wife at Boston
until the second of January 1911, at
Westwood and Northeastern in the
State of Massachusetts from January
second 1911 until May first 1911 and at
Rangely in said County of Franklin
from the first day of May 1911 until the
thirtieth day of said month; that they
have not lived together as husband and
wife as aforesaid since the said thirti-
eth day of May A. D. 1911.

That there have not been any chil-
dren born to them by their said mar-
riage.

That your libellant has always con-
ducted herself towards her said hus-
band as a faithful, true and affection-
ate wife; that the said George H.
Wheeler, wholly unmindful of his mar-
riage vows, being of sufficient ability
and being able to labor and provide for
your said libellant, has grossly, wantonly
and cruelly refused and neglected to
provide her suitable maintenance.

That the said George H. Wheeler has
also been guilty of cruel and abusive
treatment and of extreme cruelty to-
wards your said libellant.

That the said George H. Wheeler has
gross and confirmed habits of intoxica-
tion from the use of intoxicating
liquors.

That the said George H. Wheeler on
the thirtieth day of May A. D., 1911,
utterly deserted your libellant without
cause and went to parts unknown to
her, since which time she has never
seen or heard from him or received
from him any support; that his resi-
dence is unknown to your libellant and
cannot be ascertained by reasonable
diligence. That there is no collusion
between your said libellant and the said
libelee to obtain a divorce. Wherefore
she prays that a divorce may be de-
creed between her and the said George
H. Wheeler for the causes above set
forth.

Dated at Phillips, Maine, this tenth
day of January A. D. 1912.
Jeanette Weeeler.

STATE OF MAINE.

Franklin, ss.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this tenth day of January A. D. 1912.

J. Blaine Morrison,
Justice of the Peace.

STATE OF MAINE.

(Seal)

Franklin, ss:

Supreme Judicial Court, in Vacation,
March 6th A. D. 1912

Upon the foregoing libel, Ordered:
That the libellant give notice to the re-
spondent therein named, to appear be-
fore the Justices of our said Court, to
be holden at Farmington, within and
for the County of Franklin, on the
third Tuesday of May A. D. 1912, by
publishing an attested copy of said li-
bel, and this order thereon, three weeks
successively in the Maine Woods, a
newspaper printed at Phillips in said
County of Franklin, the last publication
to be thirty days, at least, before the
sitting of said Court, that he may then
and there, in our said Court appear,
and show cause, if any he have, why
the prayer of said libellant should not
be granted.

George F. Haley,
Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court.
A true copy of the Libel and Order of
Court thereon.
Attest, B. M. Small clerk.

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Abe Martin Says.
Art Mopps has got a divorce from his wife. He has no plans for the future 'cept he'll take a long rest. Many a feller has gone broke trustin' Providence.

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Durkee's Camp. On Lake Umbagog and Cambridge River. Best of Deer and Duck hunting. Excellent Fly Fishing and Trout. T. A. Durkee, Prop, Upton, Me

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CALL FOR CAUCUS.

The Republican voters of Phillips are requested to meet at the town house in Phillips, Saturday, March 30, 1912, at two o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of choosing four delegates to attend the Republican State Convention to be held at Bangor, on Wednesday, April 10, 1912, at two o'clock, p. m.

Also to choose four delegates to attend the Second District Republican Convention to be held at Bangor, Wednesday, April 10, 1912, at two o'clock p. m.

Also to choose a town committee for the next two years, and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Per order Republican Town Committee.
D. F. Field, Chairman.
J. Blaine Morrison, Secretary.



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Captain E. F. Coburn of Lakewood Camps, formerly known as Anglers' Retreat, Middledam, Rangeley Lakes, Maine, has bent every energy during the past months of winter to make his place more attractive than ever to the coming guests.

Captain Coburn has been able to perfect a number of improvements, so that the early fishermen will find everything in readiness for their wants.

He is authority for the statement that a greater variety of fly fishing can be found in this section than at any other lake point. There are 15 miles of lake trolling and five miles of stream fly fishing.

One of the very attractive features of this set of camps are the open brick fireplaces. There is also running spring water in each camp.

FARMINGTON

Mrs. Mamie Wescott passed Wednesday and Thursday of this week with friends in Augusta.

A large sign "Office" has been placed over the office door of the jail.

Several members of the local D. A. R. attended the meeting at Lewiston the past week.

Ray Sanborn of Augusta, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Sanborn.

The public library and schools are open again after being closed by the fear of infection from the cases of diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. McKeown have set up housekeeping in the Mrs. M. T. Wade house on Court street. They plan to rebuild the burnt portion of their home on High street recently damaged by fire.

George Dudley Church was elected as one of the vice-presidents of the Western Maine Alumni Association o Brown University at the annual reunion at Portland held March 11.

Mrs. Lillian Locke Lunt, a former storekeeper here is quite ill at her home in Lewiston.

FREEMAN

Freeman, March 18, 1912.
At town meeting O. V. Will was chosen new member on the school board with John Burbank as superintendent; road commissioners, J. W. Haines, Bert Lake and Edd Cook. The same board of selectmen were chosen with U. G. Weymouth, Guy Peabody and L. F. Brackley, with H. E. Mayo, town clerk and E. E. Carville town treasurer.

Chas. Huff has the misfortune to have a sick horse.

Mrs. Clyde Simmons is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pinkham.

IX T. Curtis visited in Strong Sunday.

HOW TO MAKE SOUP

STIMULATING DISH SHOULD PRECEDE ALL DINNERS.

Freshest Meat Should Be Used and With a Reasonable Amount of Care the Result Will Be Satisfying.

Soup is the prelude of the dinner. It is light, healthy, stimulating food that gently prepares the diner for heavier food to come.

The earliest mention of soup that occurs to me is the dish of pottage for which Esau sold his birthright. There can be little doubt that Rebecca was a fine cook, for we know how she made the tempting dish for which he gave his inheritance. Tender pieces of fresh-killed kid were seethed in milk and seasoned with herbs and thickened with meal. This makes a most excellent stew that even these enlightened days have not improved upon.

Indeed, there are but two kinds of soup, thick and thin, or if it please you better, fat and lean. The thick, fat soups comprise bisques, cream soups, purees and mixed soups. The thin soups, or "soup maigres," as the French designate them, are consommé or bouillon and clarified broths.

When making soup use the freshest meat obtainable. Split the bones and cut the meat in small pieces. Put

to cook in cold, salted water. This permits the albumen to dissolve before the water commences to boil. This albumen and gelatin rises to the top of the soup kettle, but should not be skimmed off, as much of it will be assimilated in the process of cooking and it contains the richest juices of the meat. After the contents of the soup kettle have commenced boiling briskly, season and add the vegetables and herbs. Keep it boiling slowly and continuously. Thirty minutes to each pound of meat is the usual time allowed, but longer cooking is sometimes necessary. Bisques are the richest and most satisfying of all soups. They originated in 1700 and 1750, and these ancient ones differed greatly from the modern style, which is only a vegetable soup enriched with cream and well thickened. The original bisques well deserve to be resurrected.—Henrietta D. Grauel.

The V. ... art.
When a man decides to live on his wits, his wife should thoughtfully invest in a new washing machine.—Atchison Globe.

STATE OF MAINE.

County of Franklin, ss. March 14, 1912.
Taken this fourteenth day of March, A. D. 1912, on execution dated the 13th day of February, 1912, issued on a judgment rendered by the Supreme Judicial court, for the county of Franklin, at the term thereof begun and held on the first Tuesday of February, 1912, to wit; on the 9th day of February, 1912, in favor of Grant Nail and Supply Company, a corporation duly established by law and having its principal place of business at Boston in the State of Massachusetts, against Edward C. Brackett of Salem in the County of Franklin and State of Maine, for the sum of forty-five dollars and forty-five cents debt or damage, and thirteen dollars and ninety-three cents, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of E. E. Richards, in said Farmington, to the highest bidder, on the 1st day of May, 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest which the said Edward C. Brackett has in and to the same, to wit: A certain piece or parcel of land situated in Salem, the same being deeded to Fred L. Ellsworth by Mary J. Harlow by her deed dated Nov. 11, 1899, and containing all of the land conveyed to said Fred L. Ellsworth by said deed that lays south of the Mill Stream, so called, in said Salem, with the buildings thereon; for a more particular description of the premises, reference may be had to Franklin County Registry of Deeds, book 59, page 171.
W. B. Small, sheriff.

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TOWN MEETING

After Hot Debate Old Town House Was Condemned.

Road Commissioner's Job Goes To Rideout.

An unusually large gathering of voters in Lambert hall, Monday forenoon took part in the annual town meeting, voting to change the location of the library from its present quarters to a room over the Savings bank and to dispose of the old building formerly used as a town house.

There were other interesting matters on the morning's program, such as the election of J. Blaine Morrison, J. H. Byron and A. W. Davenport selectmen; the selection of G. E. Rideout for road commissioner and the vote to abate the taxes of the skewer plant for 10 years. But the chief interest centered about

he had consulted four lawyers relative to this matter and that they had informed him that the title could be saved by using the engine house for fall elections. He added that he had a copy of the deed with him at the time he talked with the lawyers in question. Judge Morrison said at this juncture that his proposition was a "saving one."

Joel Carlton said that he felt something should be done.

Judge Morrison, returning to the subject, said that he did not have a scheme for the town to spend a large amount of money and that he would furnish the

and that a room had been found that could be secured for an outlay of \$70 that was much superior to the present quarters. He mentioned a certain stench that he said came from wool that had been stored there years ago. The eyesight of pupils who used the library was also endangered, he claimed.

Hon. N. P. Noble spoke of the formation of the library corporation and agreed with Mr. Hutchins relative to the necessity for a new place. He said that the book shelves would be almost doubled in capacity and that insurance would be saved. He explained that the proposed new room was in the Savings Bank block. \$350 were finally raised for this purpose.

It was voted to pay the road commissioner \$2.50 a day for his personal services and the use of his driving team.

Appropriations: Support of schools, \$1300; interest on school fund, \$70; repairs on school property, \$200; free High school, \$1,200; text books, \$250; insurance, supplies, etc. (schools) \$750; town charges, \$250; town officers' bills, \$1,400; roads and bridges, \$2,500; breaking roads past winter, \$2,000; abatement of taxes, \$700; Memorial day, \$70; free library, \$350; additional highway funds, \$400; repairs on sidewalks, \$300; support of poor, \$500.

The vote was "yes" on the article relating to the state aid for highways and it was also voted to make the town taxes payable on or before January 1, 1913. It was voted to charge and collect interest on all taxes remaining unpaid January 1, 1913 at 6 per cent per annum.

It was voted to send notices to tax payers on or before July 15, giving the amount of tax, date that unpaid taxes commence to draw interest and the rate per month.

The voters decided to pay 20 cents per hour for a man or a pair of horses or oxen for breaking the roads of this town.

The matter of choosing a union superintendent of schools was left in the hands of the superintendent of schools.

E. R. Toothaker, C. L. Knapp and A. W. McLeary were appointed surveyors of wood and lumber. Frank Lowell, W. W. Mitchell and Walter Hodges were appointed fence viewers. Fred Morton and A. A. Jacobs were appointed truant officers.

It was voted to continue the school in the Calden district.

The meeting adjourned about noon, the voters leaving apparently satisfied that they had spent a busy but profitable morning.

A REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH.

This week Maine Woods presents to its readers a remarkable photograph. It shows the great crowd of voters that assembled before the opening of town meeting. This picture was made by Edgar O. Spaulding, the local photographer, and shows the excellence of his work.

The same artist also made the picture of the basketball boys, shown in another place. The snap shots of the deep snow drifts about Phillips were made by Dr. B. S. Elliot, who was assisted by Ralph Trecartin of the Preble drug store.

RECENT ARRIVALS AT THE ELMWOOD.

Recent arrivals at the Elmwood include: P. M. Hammet, Portland; Harry S. Lee, Boston; G. E. Kelgbley Hartford, Conn.; C. D. Prince, Portland; F. T. Thompson, Bangor; J. T. Luce, Farmington; W. Littlefield, Portland; F. Y. Eaton, Bangor; C. C. Whitney, Portland; S. T. Cobb, Auburn; E. B. Mitchell, Lewiston; C. F. Goss, Boston; F. A. Owen, Portland; W. L. Purington, Portland; C. S. Jordan, Lewiston; J. H. Anderson, Boston; Roy Atkinson Boston; L. W. Sanborn, Boston; G. L. Rainford, V. A. Stobe, R. B. Anderson, Boston; D. H. Edwards, Auburn; W. H. Holbrooke, Portland; Jack Dillon, Portland; F. L. Wilder, Wilton; Lawrence L. Perin, Arlington, Mass.; Chas. B. Norton, F. H. Hewes and wife, Providence, R. I.; L. M. Gamwell and wife, Providence, R. I.; H. C. Riddle, Rangeley; J. Lewis York, York's Camps; Geo. B. Carpenter, City; Miss Persis Hackett, Strong; Leon D. Haley, James J. Froman, Theo C. Haley, Rangeley; V. E. Davis, H. J. Must, E. E. Young, Portland; W. C. Gorevan, Boston; W. H. Tibbetts, Auburn; C. K. Barker, Auburn; H. L. Lowell, Lewiston; W. S. Leavitt, City; W. J. Sprague, Boston; W. J. Springer, Boston; D. H. Miles, Portland; O. M. Vose, Kingfield; F. B. Teague, N. N. Portland; John I. Wright, Skowhegan; E. H. Archibald, Lawrence; E. M. Atwood, Boston.

citizens apologized to the visitors for this unpleasant and unsportsmanlike demonstration.

Phillips High has done some remarkable work the past winter, Saturday night's game being the third the school has lost for the entire season.

From the start it was seen by those present, among whom were representatives of Phillips' best social circles, that it was to be a game for the blood. So fierce was the competition, indeed, that the scene of battle at times reminded the onlooker of a football field, for there were many scrimmages and tackles. It kept the umpire busy trying to settle disputes, although the rule book was only used once during the game.

The visitors had undoubted advantage in weight, a fact that was not lost on the audience. They also showed the results of long training and the confidence born from their unbroken series of basketball successes the past winter.

On the other hand the local boys went into the game with full knowledge of the strength of their opponents and the feeling that their chances for victory were small.

But, everything considered, the locals did credit to themselves and their town, for they did not submit to defeat tamely. A great deal of credit is due to all the members

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Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier and tonic that for more than a third of a century has been taken as needed in thousands and thousands of homes by every member of the family.

Its wonderful results in cleansing the system of all humors, curing scrofula and eczema, overcoming that tired feeling, creating appetite, giving strength and animation, make it the best.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is the people's medicine—agreeable, effective and economical. Get it today.

PHILLIPS LOSES

Dexter High Trims Our Boys 41 To 22 In Fast Game.

One of the most exciting and hardest fought basketball games ever played in Maine took place in Lambert hall Saturday evening, when the Phillips High school team was defeated by the boys of the Dexter High school, the score standing 22 to 41 at the close.

This result gives the Dexter boys the High school basketball championship of the state, something that the local boys hoped for but hardly expected.

It was a battle royal from the start, although the first half, with its resulting score of 15-15, was perhaps the most exciting for the hundreds of highly interested spectators who filled the hall to overflowing.

There was cheering galore for the home boys, the visitors also having a few supporters. One of the regrettable features of the evening was the hissing of the Dexter team by some people in the audience. After the game a number of representative

Referee Samson of the Dexters called 11 fouls on the Phillips boys, while he only called three on his own team. This was the cause of some criticism.

Especially deserving of mention was the work of Holt and Noble. Captain Parker also showed speed at times.

The stars among the visitors included Penley and Keyte, who worked like Trojans for their team. Dexter easily played the best team game, although this was only natural when it is considered that the visitors had the advantage of weight on their side.

Nothing like this game for speed has been seen in this section this year, "every little movement" having a meaning all its own.

The hall was filled with spectators early in the evening, the cheering section, led by Seward Hoyt, helping the boys in their work. Among those who cheered were a number of young women, who seemed genuinely sorry when the High school

boys lost the game.

After the game was over some of the visitors attended a dance in the Grange hall at the upper village.

During the past season Phillips High has won eight games of basketball. They have been and are now regarded as one of the fastest High school teams in the state, a record that should be a source of pride to the manager of the team, Hollis Holt. Manager Holt has worked with unflagging zeal to make the team's work a success and has had the co-operation in this effort of Captain Barker and the other members of the team.

Although the date has not been set the local boys expect to play the Dexter High at Dexter, when matters may be reversed.

The summary:

P. H. S.	Dexter High
Noble, rf	1b, Widdoes
Holt, lg	rb, Colbath
Huntton, c	c, Keyte
Barker, rb	lf, Sanford
Kinney, lb	rf, Penley
Reed, sub	sub Higgins

Phillips: Goals, Noble, 2; Holt, 2; Huntton, 3; Barker, 1. Goals from fouls, Noble, 6. Total, 22.

Dexter: Goals, Widdoes, 2; Keyte, 6; Sanford, 2; Penley, 8. Goals from fouls, Widdoes, 5. Total, 41.

Referees, Sampson and Harnden. Scorers, Morton and Higgins. Timers, Page and Atwood. Time, two 20-minute periods.



Phillips voters waiting for town meeting to open.

the matter of the ancient town house, that is now nothing more than a crumbling ruin.

Two plans were proposed for the disposition of the town house matter, one being championed by Hon. Harry B. Austin and the other by Judge James Morrison. Judge Morrison's plan, authorizing the selectmen to procure plans and specifications for a new town house to be approved at a future town meeting was finally adopted.

Before the article was passed however, there was considerable debate relative to the matter between Mr. Austin, Judge Morrison, D. F. Field and others.

Mr. Austin said that the present town house is neither an ornament nor a credit to the town. He had looked the matter up and found that it was deeded to the town by Moses Sherburne some time in the 40's with this clause in the deed, "so long as the same shall be used for the purpose of a town house." The inference is that when the town ceases to use it as a town house that it reverts to the Sherburne heirs.

"I think you will all agree with me," said Mr. Austin, "that it had better be cleared off, for the site might be used as a playground. Anyway it would cease to be an eyesore. It seems to me we can save the title by using the engine house at the primaries and fall elections. It seems to me that by doing this that we shall be able to hold our title to the lot until we can perfect the title or build a new building thereon."

"If we vote to abandon that town house it goes on record that we have voted to abandon that lot," said Judge Morrison. "That lot will revert to the heirs unless you vote at the same time to take measures to build a new town house. It is a disgrace, a by-word and a reproach to the town of Phillips to allow that old building to remain there any longer. I shall vote to tear it down. I had the article that follows article 33 put in on purpose to save the town."

"We have prospered wonderfully in the past few years. I am presumptuous enough to say we will continue to prosper. To save all question to this title I want the voters to vote in favor of the next article. We should instruct the selectmen to prepare plans and specifications to be voted on at a future meeting. That is why I had that article put in. In my opinion if you plan to build you will be ready to begin before six years have elapsed. I'm optimistic enough to believe that before seven years have elapsed you'll vote to build a new town house."

At this point D. F. Field stated that

town house plans free. "In fact," said Judge Morrison, "I already have them drawn."

Mr. Austin said at this time that he could not see any necessity for a new town house and thought that it would cost over \$6,000 to build a suitable edifice. "I think that a building of the kind we would want would cost \$10,000," said Mr. Austin. "We must look for an income of \$700 a year on such a proposition." He added that towns are not doing such things today, and cited Farmington as an example. "If you undertake to build a town house of that size you will saddle on us the cost of maintenance," he argued. "I don't believe in paying 2 1-2 per cent per year when we have five or six thousand dollars in the treasury. If we were in need of a public hall or library, which we are not, Phillips as now situated should never vote to build a town house."

Chester Wing said that he thought the town should decide one way or the other and Mr. Field made a motion, which was not accepted, that the article be amended to read, "without cost to the town."

Hon. N. P. Noble was elected moderator of the meeting, and performed his duties with his usual diplomatic skill. All the reports were accepted as presented by the different town officers.

At the opening J. H. Byron withdrew as a candidate for first selectman and J. Blaine Morrison was elected unanimously, 105 votes being cast.

Then A. S. Beedy announced that he was not a candidate for selectman and J. H. Byron was elected second on the board, receiving 86 votes.

A. W. Davenport was elected to fill third position on the board, receiving 104 votes.

Hon. N. P. Noble was elected town treasurer with 41 votes and B. F. Beal came in as the new member of the school committee, receiving 32 votes for this office.

The contest for road commissioner, between G. E. Rideout and A. D. Grafam, resulted in Mr. Rideout's winning out. He received 99 votes to Mr. Grafam's 93. J. Blaine Morrison was also in the running, with a solitary vote!

When the article was reached relative to the library it was moved that \$400 be raised. This was doubted by B. F. Beal, who said in defense of his stand that he does not feel that it is right to move the library. "I, for one, feel inclined to let it remain there and that is why I made the motion," he said.

Rev. M. S. Hutchins spoke in favor of a new place for the library, saying that the time has arrived for a change



From left to right, Hollis Holt, lg; George Morton, sub; Malcolm Barker rb; Ardine Kinney, lb; Lew Noble, rf; Montford Huntton, c.

Churches

Melvin Sherburne Hutchins, pastor.
Calendar for week ending March 30,
Sunday, March 24, fifth Sunday in Lent.
10.45, morning worship. Sermon, "The Threefold Ministry of Jesus," I, "The Great Teacher."
12, Sunday school.
7.30, People's service, music by the Choral Club. Stereopticon address, "The Hill Cities of the Himalayas."
Thursday, March 28, 7.30, p. m., mid-week prayer meeting.

At the Union church Sunday mornin the subject of the sermon preached by Rev. M. S. Hutchins was, "The First Round of the Ladder." The text, Phil. 3:13, 14. "This one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."

Before humanity was ready for the step that should place it upon the first round of the ladder which is the pathway of progress and civilization, God had worked for time uncomputed and uncomputable in preparing a home for the race of mankind. However great the mystery we come back to the statement which begins our bible, "In the beginning of God."

Man has been created and has created and has stepped upon this round which we may call the place where he finds out the elemental truths of life and of the earth. It is the round of discovery. He has learned of the power for blessing and for destruction of fire and of water. He has learned that the earth produced plants that give food for man. Curiosity and need caused his investigations to branch out, and he made discoveries in Asia, in Africa, in Southern and then in Northern Europe around the Cape of Good Hope, across the Atlantic. The Jesuit priests who explored the shores of Lake Champlain and went westward, the English explorers and navigators, the man who discovered the Pacific, the Spaniards who opened the way into South America, the men who have penetrated the heart of the Dark Continent, the searchers in these lat days who have renewed the old search for the northwest passage, the expeditions to reach the north pole, all these spectacular and sentimental endeavors together with those which have climbed the mountains of Asia and explored the plateau of Thibet, and but recently that of the Norseman who has reached the south pole, all have made discoveries which have added to man's geographical knowledge of the earth.

There are other rounds to ascend and forward movements to be made along other lines. Science, education, civilization and religion call for advance.

This is sometimes called the Electric Age. I judge we have scarcely entered upon that age. There may be new meaning to the old query, "What are the wild waves saying?" Old ocean may yet show us where to get electric power which shall supply many needs.

Of farming we know almost nothing. Sociology has many problems for solution. Government is yet chaotic, and that form which shall in all ways be best, is yet to be found. The temperance question is of vital importance. Nations should reach that attitude toward one another where war shall be no more. Art and literature may yield us much more enjoyment. Man must gain

REPELS ATTACK OF DEATH.
Five years ago two doctors told me I had only two years to live. This startling statement was made by Stillman Green, Malachite, Col. "They told me I would die with consumption. It was up to me then to try the best lung medicine and I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery. It was well I did for today I am working and believe I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure that has cheated the grave of another victim." It's folly to suffer with coughs, colds or other throat and lung troubles now. Take the cure that's safest. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at R. H. Preble's, Phillips; Riddle's Pharmacy of Bangley; Chas. E. Dyer of Strong; L. L. Mitchell of Kingfield.

control over his own nature until he becomes what God intended him to be, "The being with the upturned face." Then shall come the true Golden Age when all things are trans mitted into good.

Before this time there must be great moral changes. How they will come we can not tell. Sometimes we think that a stern and heroic pruning must be given to the interests of life for some are sadly liable to become, instead of ornaments to character, but ugly excrescences destroying moral beauty. But I like to think that each interest shall through discipline come to take its proper position in the fulfilling of moral good.

For instance, mirth is sometimes vulgar, depending upon uncleanness, sometimes cruel, scornful of the unfortunate. Shall mirth be thrown aside? No! Let us make of it a help to lighten the burdens of our often heavy hearts.

Then there is sport, the sport of the contest so easily conducive to selfishness, the desire to win becoming stronger than the desire to play fair; dangerous sport, dangerous not only to the contestants but to bystanders and sympathizers, their partisanship leading them to forget all teaching of sweet gentleness and kindly consideration. Must sport be thrown away?

No! No! We need its stalwart ministrations. Let us make haste to purge it of its evil, let us keep a watchful eye upon its besetting temptations, let us use it as a spiritual exercise against selfishness; then it will be not an enemy but a powerful friend along the road of character development.

Then there is wealth. So baneful can the influence of the desire for wealth become that the good book declares that the love of money is the root of all evil. It causes the oppressive capitalist to rob the consumer with one hand and with the other to cruelly chastise the laborer. It leads labor to resort to violence and intimidation. It is the cause of every dishonest and mean business transaction and is the explanation of that base materialism which is so often triumphant over the loftier qualities of the spirit. Must then the dream of the socialist be realized and all wealth taken from the hands that have gathered it? No! No! Certainly not. Let us only be careful to follow the instruction of one who said, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness."

Finally there is pleasure in the desire for happiness. The pursuit of pleasure as the chief end of life, blinds the spiritual vision, dulls the intellect, produces moral flabbiness, degeneration and death. Little wonder that the thunders of the pulpit and the curses of the priesthood have been directed against pleasure as the chief enemy of the soul. It is said by the denunciatory ones, "The love of pleasure may become the deadliest foe of human kind. Therefore let us away with it and rejoice only in our solemnity and escape the great temptation of mocking pleasure."

Yet there is more excellent way. God, our Father, gave us the beautiful world for our enjoyment. Jesus, our Savior and Pattern, was wont to open his soul in joyous appreciation of the beauties of the world about him. Jesus, who spoke peace and forgiveness to the troubled sin-sick soul was no more our Savior than He who at the marriage feast in Galilee saved the host and guests from disappointment and chagrin, thus teaching that the pleasures of life may afford rich opportunities for service to others.

We are bidden to love God and to love our neighbors as ourselves, no more, no less. The soul which can not under proper limitations seek happiness for itself is sadly unacquainted with the economy of God.

Pleasure rightly used is a majestic word, second only to duty. Enthroned duty. Strive to do your duty to God, to your neighbor, and to yourself; then will you find a rich and increasing pleasure ever at your side.

R. G. Collins, Postmaster, Barneget, N. J., was troubled with severe la grippe cough. He says: "I would be completely exhausted after each fit of violent coughing. I bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and before I had taken it all the coughing spells had entirely ceased. I can't be beat." R. H. Preble, Phillips, Me

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NOTICE.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Phillips, and persons liable to be assessed therein. You are hereby notified that the subscribers will be in session at the Selectmen's office in said town, on the first day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving true and perfect lists of the polls, and all estate, real and personal, not b law exempted from taxation of which you are possessed of in said town of Phillips, on the first day of April next, which lists you are requested to make and bring in.

Dated at Phillips, Maine, this 21st day of March, A. D. 1912.

J. Blaine Morrison, Assessors
J. H. Byron, of
A. W. Davenport, Phillips.

WEST PHILLIPS

We are often reminded of the stage driver's reply to the question of a passenger, "Why do things look so much better on this farm than on the one just gone by? The land appears about as good on one as on the other?" They work on this farm!" said the driver.

Now up here in the west part of the town there are many of the farmers who work; but most of them see loath to speak about themselves; and it is truly a hard job at this season, to get around to see and hear things.

Not long since I was up to Mr. C. O. Dill's home where there is much to see of interest. As a sort of knitting work he will haul 90 cords of fire wood to Phillips village this winter.

Then he has two engines in a building near by where he can saw all kinds of lumber for neighbors. Add to this the best of up-to-date farming tools, one of which I never saw before hereabouts, the litter carrier. This is a large galvanized iron affair of five or six bushels capacity, which a cord pulls into and on to the tieup floor, from here by another pull it goes back to the manure shed; it is dumped there or into the cart as desired, and all without leaving the tieup by the operator. Then one can recall two young, well matched, heav

GOOD WORK.

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Nearly every ready has heard of Doan's Kidney Pills. Their good work in Phillips still continues, and our citizens are constantly adding endorsement by public testimony. No better proof of merit can be had than the experience of friends and neighbors. Read this case:

John W. Kennedy, Phillips, Me., says: "The benefit I received from Doan's Kidney Pills three years ago has been permanent, and I willingly confirm my former endorsement of this remedy. For years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and rheumatic pains and was often unable to get about. I passed many sleepless nights, and was also bothered by the kidney secretions. Doctors failed to help me and I finally got Doan's Kidney Pills at Cragin's Drug Store, now Preble's Drug Store. They helped me at once, restoring my kidneys to a normal condition and disposing of my pains and aches."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

pair of work horses. These are Percherons and weigh around 3000. To these add a pair of two years old of same color, which are beauties. Also here one sees a nice flock of sheep and seven or eight cows from which cream is sold. But besides lumber saws and cutting fire wood in neighbors dooryards Mr. Dill grinds all sorts of grain; his youngest son, Seward Dill, sticks by the old farm and there is no doubt about it, these people work.

D. F. H.

EAST DIXFIELD

East Dixfield, March, 18, 1912.

Miss Mabel Douglas has returned home from Bean's Corner, where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Howard Farrar.

Miss Verna Whittemore is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold Keyes, at Dryden.

Harry Newman, W. A., '12, visited friends in this vicinity over Sunday.

Glenn Hathaway entertained the following friends at a birthday party March 11. Roy and Orle Hathaway, Alfred and Kenneth Hill, Thomas Kit teridge also Misses Zelma Hathaway, Ida Snowm, Charlotte Whittemore, Elsie and Zetta Hill, Dorris and Phil lis Hathaway. Ice cream and cake were served, and numerous presents received.

LIFE GUARDS.

The Life Guards are two regiments of cavalry forming part of the British household troops. They are gallant soldiers, and every loyal British heart is proud of them. Not only the King's household, but yours, ours, everybody's shou have its life guards. The need of them is especially great when the greatest foes of life, diseases, find allies in the very elements as colds, influenza, catarrh, grip, and pneumonia do in the stormy month of March. The best way that we know of to guard against these diseases is to strengthen the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla—the greatest of all life guards. It removes the conditions in which these diseases make their most successful attack, gives vigor and tone to the vital organs and functions, and imparts a genial warmth to the blood. Remember the weaker the system the greater the exposure to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the system strong.

NORTH AMERICAN ACCIDENT CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1911.

Mortgage Loans,	\$152,200 00
Collateral Loans,	42,400 00
Stocks and Bonds,	453,974 90
Cash in office and bank,	42,292 82
Bills receivable,	6,200 63
Interest and rents,	9,902 98
All other assets,	24,545 28

Gross assets,	\$731,516 56
Deduct items not admitted,	6,200 63

Admitted assets,	\$725,315 98
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LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1911.

Net unpaid losses,	\$ 51,166 00
Unearned premiums,	200,991 51
All other liabilities,	27,369 45
Cash capital,	200,000 00
Surplus over all liabilities,	245,799 02

Total liabilities and surplus,	\$725,315 98
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THE TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO. OF HARTFORD CONN.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1911.

Real estate,	\$ 1,195,550 00
Mortgage loans,	25,267,763 32
Collateral loans,	335,576 53
Stocks and bonds,	39,414,032 00
Cash in office and bank,	2,453,250 67
Agents' balances,	38,698 79
Bills receivable,	37,991 65
Interest and rents,	1,046,852 30
All other assets,	10,428,559 18

Gross assets,	\$80,093,264 34
Deduct items not admitted,	169,061 17

Admitted assets,	\$79,924,203 17
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LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1911.

Net unpaid losses,	\$ 776,845 04
Unearned premiums,	291,749 61
All other liabilities,	66,812,357 98
Cash capital,	2,500,000 00
Surplus over all liabilities,	9,543,250 54

Total liabilities and surplus,	\$79,924,203 17
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Joa. P. Thwing, Agent.

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY CO., HARTFORD, CONN.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1911.

Mortgage loans,	\$ 531,530 00
Collateral loans,	54,275 00
Stocks and bonds,	1,107,986 00
Cash in office and bank,	66,099 53
Interest and rents,	22,900 50
All other assets,	82,606 11

Gross assets,	\$1,865,397 14
Deduct items not admitted,	5,187 60

Admitted assets,	\$1,860,209 54
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LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1911.

Net unpaid losses,	\$ 78,915 71
Unearned premiums,	430 998 91
All other liabilities,	47,309 68
Cash capital,	1,000,000 00
Surplus over all liabilities,	302,985 29

Total liabilities and surplus,	\$1,860,209 54
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Leave your orders early for next winter's supply. For prices apply to

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A. W. McLEARY, Phillips

Draw Your Chair by the Fireside

And talk over the changes you will make on your house this spring, such as changing the small lighted windows for the large glass windows, the old door for a new glass door and the best improvement you can make is a nice wide porch, to enjoy life on in summer

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KINGFIELD LOCALS

Interesting Events of a Week in This Hustling Town.

(Special to Maine Woods.)
Kingfield, March 19, 1912.

Horace Gilbert has packed and stored his household goods and is going to Portland to live soon. Mrs. Gilbert is already there with her mother, Mrs. Kieth.

W. S. Wight has organized a singing school in Kingfield with 49 members. The class is to meet next Friday for the first regular lesson.

Bert Richards has moved into the Bert Hewey house on Dolbier street. Mr. Hewey and family have gone to Dixfield.

Mrs. Emma Wyman is at Mechanic Falls visiting her son, George.

Clyde Simmons received a load of furniture from Blackwell, Madison, Thursday.

There was an initiation at the Rebekah lodge last Wednesday.

Alfred Moores went to Skowhegan Tuesday to see his sister, Mrs. Ernest Laskey, who is ill with typhoid fever.

Orren Tufts and Glennwood Winter are at home from Farmington High school for two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Minerva Stanley has returned from Newton, Mass., where she has been spending the winter with her son.

Riley Durrell will soon move into Mrs. Minerva Stanley's rent.

Asa Skillings died at the home of his father Saturday night of typhoid fever. He has resided in Kingfield two years coming here from Embden.

Arthur Woodcock leaves Kingfield Tuesday, for Schuylkill's Seminary, Reading, Pa., where he will prepare himself for the ministry. He hopes to meet all of his friends at the Evangelical church Sunday, March 24.

At the meeting of the district school board Friday J. W. Foster was elected superintendent of schools for the towns of Kingfield, Anson and New Vineyard for another year.

Signal Light Chapter O. E. S. gave Mrs. C. H. Bartlett of New Portland a post card shower Thursday. Mrs. Bartlett is a member of the Chapter and is recovering from a recent surgical operation.

Donald Norton walked to Madison last Monday for a visit with relatives. He made the return trip Thursday, walking from North Anson.

Mrs. Estelle Tufts went to Acton to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, O. C. Titcomb, Thursday.

Ralph Bourn is assisting his father, O. L. Bourn, who is working for F. A. Crossman.

Ola Landers is recovering finely from the operation for appendicitis which was performed Tuesday at Dr. Pennell's.

A reception was given to Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor at the Brick Mansion, Monday evening, March 11, the members of his church on the eve of his departure to a new field as Mr. Taylor leaves Kingfield March 26. He has been here three years as pastor of the Evangelical church and was in Salem two years previous.

Thirty-five church members and friends were present and partook of the refreshments of assorted cakes and coffee. Mrs. Taylor was presented with a friendship quilt, a

square being made by each lady of the church, the maker's name being inscribed thereon. Mr. Taylor was given a purse of money. During the evening the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holway was christened Lilla Pearle.

The program of the Neal Dow meeting at Grace Universalist church, Sunday evening, March 17, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., was carried out as announced. The speakers of the evening were Rev. Lily R. Schafer, pastor of Grace Universalist church, who gave a brief account of Neal Dow's life and introduced the meeting; Rev. A. H. Carvill, pastor of F. B. church, gave interesting statistics proving the harm of alcohol on the mind and body, then enforced this point with earnest remarks; Rev. J. E. Taylor, pastor of Evangelical church, made an appeal to church members to support the prohibition cause, giving figures to show that their united vote would carry the country; then F. B. Hutchins, Geo. Winter, L. A. Norton, James Howe and Arthur Woodcock made remarks. The musical program under the management of Mrs. Herbert Walker, Mrs. F. B. Hutchins, Geo. Winter and Roscoe Tufts consisted of choruses by the union choirs of the three churches, Universalist, First Baptist and Evangelical, a selection by the Woodcock quartet, selection by a picked quartet, song by young folks quartet, several duets and solos by the young people, all of which were thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience.

REED'S MILL
March 18, 1912.

Mrs. Jemima Kinney was quite ill a few days ago.

Mrs. Vesta Sargent is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Thompson, at Phillips.

H. J. Wing has finished work for F. H. Hathaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grover were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kinney Saturday and Sunday.

Gladys Kinney is spending the week with friends in Phillips.

Miss Hazel Sargent of the P. H. S. is spending her vacation at W. I. Sargent's.

Miss Edith Sargent assisted Mrs. Alton Dunham with her house work.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams of Weld, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. H. O. Sargent, recently.

Dean Dunham went to Boston Monday.

EUSTIS

March 18, 1912.

Mrs. Warren Dyer has gone to Dr. Pennell's at Kingfield for medical treatment.

Mrs. George Fountain has returned home. She has been staying at Mrs. E. A. Gordon's this winter while Mr. Fountain was in the woods. He came out a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Caldwell and children have been visiting friends in town a few days the past week. They have returned to Chain of Ponds, where they are working.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vipon have come out from Jim pond where they have been cooking for Lynn Taylor.

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NEW SUPERINTENDENT

Principal Mains Succeeds Stubbs as Head of Schools.

(Special to Maine Woods.)
Strong, March 19, 1912.

Principal Esca Mains of the High school has been chosen to succeed P. D. Stubbs as superintendent of schools. Mr. Stubbs has filled this important office for a number of years past to the great satisfaction of the citizens of Strong. He finds that his law practice and other interests require his entire attention, and it is for this reason that he has given up the position of superintendent of schools. Mr. Mains comes to the work with ample ability gained through years of association with educational affairs and a thorough knowledge of the needs of the pupils of the town.

Mrs. Chas. Luce was called to Mt. Vernon last week on account of the illness of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones of Auburn visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones, also her mother, Mrs. Carri Allen, last week.

E. W. Loring has gone to Portsmouth, N. H., where he is clerking in a store during a man's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Look and son Berchard, visited relatives in New Vineyard Sunday.

Bernard Kennedy has been quite ill the past week suffering from pneumonia. He is much improved.

Miss Florence Luce visited relatives in New Vineyard last week.

Dwight Edwards of Auburn was in town last week, the guest of Dr. C. W. Bell.

Mrs. Olive Dodge went to Farmington Saturday to visit her friend Mrs. Mattie Gilkey.

Schools in town will begin March 25, with the same teachers as last term.

Chas. Pease has been very ill the past week with double pneumonia, but is more comfortable at this writing. He is cared for by Miss Pushee.

The subject of Rev. W. P. Holman's sermon last Sunday was, "A Searching Question." The text was Gen. 44:34. "How shall I go up to my Father, and the lad be not with me?" It was a very impressive sermon.

The cottage prayer meeting meets this week Wednesday night at the home of Wm. Bates.

Prof. W. S. Wight, who has a large class in vocal music in Kingfield and Rangeley is going to meet all who are interested in music at Bell's hall tonight, Thursday, and have a sing and see how large a class he can organize here. Prof. Wight has had classes here before.

The E. B. Clayton Post and Corps will have a picnic dinner Wednesday March 27. All members please come as there is special business that must be attended to. A. A. Bangs, Sec.

Miss Faye Mitchell is visiting relatives in Kingfield.

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MADRID

Mrs. Sylvia Wells, 97 Years Old, Makes a Rug.

March 18, 1912.

The traveling is not very good except in the morning when it is frozen.

Miss Gladys Kinney is visiting friends and relatives in Phillips.

Mrs. Eleanor Libby, who was hurt by the falling a snow laden piazza, is not gaining as fast as her friends desire.

Mrs. Sylvia Wells is making a braided husk mat. She is 97 years old.

Charles Wilbur has come from Wisconsin for a short stay. Jerry and family expect to return with him.

Mrs. Jemima Kinney "dropped a stitch in the back," recently and suffered a good deal for a time, but is better at this writing.

Dean Dunham, son of James, has gone to Boston to seek employment.

MILE SQUARE

March 18, 1912.

J. Blaine Morrison of Phillips, visited his sister, Mrs. H. W. Worthley, Sunday.

Miss Fannie Brackley of Freeman visited at J. A. Dunham's last week.

Mrs. Mary Gleason of Phillips, visited her nephew, H. W. Worthley, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Allen of Phillips visited at J. A. Dunham's Friday.

H. W. Worthley shot a crow the first of the week, the first one seen on the hill this spring.

A large crowd attended the basketball game in town Saturday night.

Geo. Beal has finished work for S. G. Haley and returned home.

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Mrs. Henry Beal and daughter have moved down to the Howland place where Mr. Beal has been working.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Wells of Phillips, visited at W. C. Beal's one day last week.

The roads have remained passable in spite of the warm weather and the unusually deep drifts.

Miss Zora Lawrence is working at Geo. Lakin's.

COMING EVENTS

March 21—North Franklin Pomona, Strong.

March 23—Penobscot Pomona, Bangor.

March 27—Maine Methodist Conference at Lewiston.

April 2—Waldo Pomona, Belfast.

April 3—East Maine Methodist Conference, Rockland.

April 3—First District Rep. Convention, Portland.

April 4—Cumberland and Oxford Union, West Baldwin.

April 7—Hancock Pomona, Bucksport.

April 10—State Republican Convention, Bangor.

June 5, 6—Division encampment, Sons of Veterans, at Gardiner.

June 5, 6—Maine Divisions, Sons of Veterans, Bangor.

June 12—Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., Brunswick.

June 17—Primary elections in Maine.

June 18—National Republican Convention, Chicago.

June 26, 28—Maine Pharmaceutical Ass'n. Convention, St. Andrews, N. B.

July 26, Aug. 2—The Young People's Missionary Conference, Ocean Park.

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LOCAL NOTES

George Stewart, who formerly lived here, was in town this week. He is living at Kendall Whittemore's at West Farmington.

Those who attended the Democratic state convention in Augusta as delegates from this town included A. S. Beedy, J. W. Shephard and Bion Wing.

It was the wish of the local basketball team to have a disinterested umpire, but this the visitors would not agree to, insisting on bringing their own umpire from Dexter.

George Bearce and son finished work Monday on their lumbering operations, so far as the hauling is concerned. Their mill is located near Madrid village.

Mrs. J. C. Terrill has just returned from Boston, bringing with her a large supply of millinery. She plans to have an opening of the new goods soon, to be announced in this paper.

D. F. Hoyt is much better, gaining daily in fact.

C. B. Hunter, who lives on the Rangeley road, has just fitted up his orchard with pipes, etc., enabling him to look after his 600 trees with ease. Not only Mr. Hunter but others are busily engaged now in tapping the maples. It is said that the market will probably open with maple syrup selling for from \$1.00 to \$1.25 per gallon.

A. G. Cronkite, the jeweler, says that he has commenced to look over his fishing tackle. Mr. Cronkite did considerable angling while in Millinocket.

Charles Wilbur, formerly of Wilbur Brothers of this town, returned last week for a short visit. When he returns west to Eau Claire, Wisconsin, he will be accompanied by Jerry Wilbur and family. Mr. Wilbur is employed by the Lufkins of Eau Claire, who are among the largest farmers of that section of Wisconsin. Ting-a-ling's Circus will be given by the Rebekahs Friday. Mighty feats of daring are promised.

Rinaldo Brann arrived Monday from Skinner, where he is employed clerking and scaling for the lumber company. Mr. Brann will spend a week in Phillips.

Mrs. Ralph E. Sawyer and son Paul, of Houlton, are spending two weeks with Mrs. H. H. Field, Mrs. Sawyer's sister. Mr. and Mrs. Field and Miss Annie Lettinen were in Farmington Monday.

Hon. Harry Austin went to Augusta Tuesday to attend the special session of the legislature.

Cecil Harnden went to Boston Tuesday for an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Aldrich and so Edward are spending two weeks with Mrs. Aldrich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Preble, South Boston. When they return Mr. Aldrich will occupy a position with the Hollingsworth & Whitney Company at Connors farm.

While coupling cars on the Sandy River railroad Thursday afternoon, Joseph Stewart, son of Charles P. Stewart, had his right hand crushed so badly that it was found necessary to amputate the fore finger. Mr. Stewart was treated by Dr. C. W. Bell, the railroad physician, who made his patient as comfortable as possible. Many expressions of sympathy have been heard for Mr. Stewart.

John I. Wright of Skowhegan, arrived in town Monday to take charge of R. H. Preble's drug store during Mr. Preble's illness. Mrs. Holmes, who has been in charge of the store, will leave for her home in Northeast Harbor soon. Mr. Wright has lived all his life in Skowhegan and says that it has any town in the state beat a dozen ways. One of the hustlers in that place is Clyde Smith, a large dealer in automobiles, Mr. Wright says.

Miss Elizabeth Gifford of North Anson, who has been doing table work at the Elmwood, will return to her home in North Anson Saturday, where she will later teach school.

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Miss Miriam Brackett returned Saturday from a month's visit in Massachusetts. Friday evening March 15, she was the guest at the Delta Upsilon house dance at Bowdoin college.

James Kerr of Rumford, was a business caller in this village on Wednesday afternoon.

The King's Daughters' fair held Monday afternoon and evening in Wilbur's hall, was very successful. It was estimated that \$25 were cleared after all bills had been paid. The apron and fancy work sale was one of the most profitable features, the evening's entertainment consisting of songs, recitations and stereopticon views on Ireland with a talk by Rev. M. S. Hutchins.

The moving picture show in Lambert hall Monday night was well patronized, those attending enjoying among other pictures the story of Evangeline.

Moses Harden has a very interesting photograph which shows a street scene in Phillips 40 years ago. It is so unlike the main street of today as to be hardly recognizable.

Frank Horyseck, the express messenger on the train, has an attack of the mumps.

H. H. Stickney, C. Ripley, T. T. McLeod of New York and Judge Wing of Auburn were recent guests at the Elmwood.

H. L. Smart of Boston, has been in this section looking over some lumber for a firm that he represents in that city.

Fred H. Wilson, Jr., of Brunswick, was in town Wednesday on a business trip.

The P. H. S. team is going to Sabattus Friday to play a return game with the High school team of that place.

Dr. Frank F. Graves of New Sharon, was in town Wednesday on business.

Mr. W. S. Wight of Bethel, who has recently organized singing classes at Rangeley, Kingfield and Strong, will come to Phillips soon for the purpose of organizing a class here. Mr. Wight successfully conducted a class here ten years ago.

The fourth illustrated lecture in this winter's series will be given Sunday evening at the Union church. The views will illustrate the northern part of India, and the lecture is entitled "The Hill Cities of the Himalayas."

At the Harrington show the most popular lady, according to the votes received, was Edna Edwards, who got 1993 ballots. Miss Gladys Dyer was a close second with 1836 votes. The prize was a 26 piece "silver" set. The prize waltz was won by J. Ross and Estelle Barker. Others competing were Hollis Holt and Winifred Savage, Bert Welch and Mrs. Frank Worthley, Cecil Harnden and Doris Haley. The judges were Charles Hammonds, Arthur Graffam and Roy Atkinson.

Mrs. F. H. Worthley and daughter Miss Fern, went to Portland Tuesday morning, where the latter will be fitted for glasses at the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary.

Mrs. Dora Granger, who has been

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