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Twin Hemlock Trees.

Two hemlock trees which stand close together on the farm of William H. Rowe, in the town of Cumberland have become united by the growth of one limb into another, presenting a curious freak of nature.

A limb from one of these trees forced its way through the bark of the other, some ten feet above the ground, connecting the trees Siamese twin fashion. The larger of the two trees is evidently drawing sustenance from the smaller, as the trunk of the latter is smaller below the point of contact with its elder brother than it is above the jointure.

These two trees have attracted a good deal of attention from visitors to the farm and everyone who has seen them says no similar case has ever come under their knowledge. Both trees are in thrifty condition. Mr. Rowe says he intends to keep the trees as long as possible, as an object of curiosity and to observe the outcome of the queer condition.

Kills Partridges With Beanpole.

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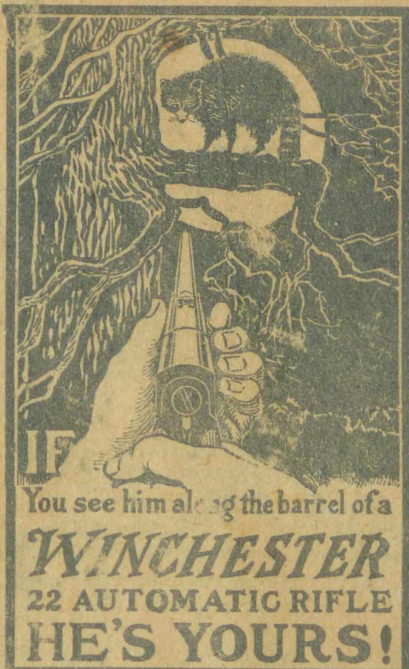
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Oct. 8, Alvin Schroder, Boston, one buck deer, 110 lbs.; saddle buck deer, 80 lbs.

Oct. 16, Albert T. Hall, Greenfield, Mass., one doe deer, 105 lbs.

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Oct. 4, G. W. Woodman, Deering Jct., Me., one doe deer.
Oct. 16, Arthur Hall, Greenfield, Mass., 7 partridges; George Sanborn, Greenfield, Mass., 6 partridges.

Carrabasset.

Oct. 4, E. F. Serrell, Portland, Me., one buck deer.

Oct. 7, Chase & Richard, Haverhill, Mass., one doe deer.

Oct. 8, S. S. Locklin, Livermore Falls, Me., one buck deer.

Oct. 9, G. M. G. Nichols, Haverhill, Mass., one buck deer.

Oct. 11, Mrs. F. W. Davis, Kennebunk, Me., one buck deer.

Oct. 13, G. M. G. Nichols, Haverhill, Mass., one doe deer.

Oct. 16, E. W. Jones, Philadelphia, Pa., one doe deer; A. J. Golder, Philadelphia, Pa., one doe deer; Mr. Stokes, Brooklyn, N. Y., one doe deer.

Bigelow.

W. E. Blodgett, Boston, two does; H. H. Sprague, Boston, one doe; G. J. Raymond, Boston, two does; W. P. Bowers, Boston, one buck; P. B. Kennedy, Kingfield, one doe; A. H. Veasey, Haverhill, Mass., one buck; R. L. Worthley, Auburn, one buck; L. H. Pratt, Portsmouth, N. H., one buck; C. E. Durrell, Camden, Me., one buck; Mrs. H. M. Pierce, Farmington, Me., one buck; A. W. Colburn, Farmington, Me., one doe; Richard Henry, Boston, two does; A. Ingalls, Kingfield, Me., two does; G. Ingalls, Kingfield, Me., two bucks; Frank Reinboth, New York, one buck, one doe, one moose.

Deer Are Plentiful.

Rangeley, Me., Oct. 19, 1909.
To the Editor of Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman:

Birds are scarce. Deer are plentiful. Lots of signs of bears; some signs of moose, more than usual.

E. J. Harnden.

Byron Notes.

John Toothaker and wife of Woolwich, Me., have returned home after a two weeks' stay at Garland pond. Mr. Toothaker got a deer during the time. He also sold his camp, boat, etc., to David Ladd.

Bull Moose Shot Near Eustis.

Mr. Emile Hoertel of New York city had a streak of luck the first day of open season on moose. He shot a bull moose between the Chimes and Eustis on Oct. 16. Marshall Douglass was his guide.

Trip Around the World.

Mrs. W. G. Ellis of Gardiner and her friend, Mrs. Frederick Dingley, last Saturday sailed from New York for a trip around the world.

Bear Shot at Carrabasset.

Ray Phillips of Kingfield shot a bear at Carrabasset a few days ago.

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Carrabasset, Oct. 18, 1909.

Miss Olive Rogers, 17 years old, of Carrabasset shot her first deer, a fine 250-lb. buck, a few days ago, and she wasn't deer hunting at all, and the proud honor came to her most unexpectedly.

Miss Rogers went out partridge hunting with a shotgun and thought she would take a few buckshot shells along with her, thinking perhaps she might see a deer. To her surprise she ran onto this big deer and shot it with buckshot.

She was all alone and had no help killing it.

Open Time on Moose.

Friday, Oct. 15, was the first day of open season on moose in Maine, the first day on which a resident could legally shoot a moose in this state and a non-resident by paying a fee for a license and then attaching his license coupon if transporting his game or any portion thereof.

Warden Walter I. Neal, who is quite well known throughout Maine, says that in his opinion this season is to be a prosperous one and as far as the moose season goes the outlook for a large one is unusually bright both as to number of moose seen and the large number of sportsmen coming into the state.

Warden Neal also had a word of advice for hunters in general and particularly those going after Mr. Moose at this season of the year; that was concerning the great chance of game spoil-

GUIDES' ADDRESSES.

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Game Fairly Plentiful.

Grand Lake Stream, Oct. 15, 1909.
To the Editor of Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman:

Moose, deer and ruffed grouse are fairly plenty. Moose seem increasing each year. Deer have been quite plentiful and this section seems to be going to the front for woodcock shooting. Many killed this fall. As we close here Oct. 10, we do not cater to the hunters. They are wanderers and not enough to bother with.

W. G. Rose.

Accident While Hunting

Clarence Hall, while hunting last Monday, fell from a tree and broke the bones in the instep of his foot. He was on Lone mountain, Andover, and all alone, but crawled on his hands and knees about a mile, and a half before he got assistance.

Moose Weighs 700 Lbs.

A 700-lb. moose refused to give up the road to an auto driven by Lawyer Joseph Gould of Old Town the other day, and having a rifle with him the autoist brought down the moose without leaving his seat.

Deer Shot in New Vineyard.

Edwin McDaniel had the good luck to shoot a deer one day recently. Ed remembered his neighbors with a liberal piece of venison.



BRIDGEWATER, MASS., HUNTERS AND THEIR GAME.

ing and what an almost impossible feat it was to successfully transport game in warm weather such as we have been having. His advice to any person who shoots a moose is to immediately cut up the carcass and hang it up then and there, that is if the meat is expected to keep and is wanted at any future time.

Shot Ducks From Motorboat.

Charged with illegally shooting ducks from a motorboat in Lake Auburn, Monday forenoon, Stephen O. Fish, Harold Lowell and Clarence Rowe of Auburn were required to give personal recognition for their appearance before the Auburn municipal court Tuesday morning.

The men were brought to the city by George Hewison, a game warden, and they were found by Mr. Hewison making sad havoc with a flock of ducks.

Mr. Hewison had warned nearly all the motorboat owners on the lake of the law against shooting ducks from any boat propelled by machinery in the inland waters of Maine, since has not been generally known, but the particular men had not been warned and asserted that they did not know of the law.

They paid fines aggregating \$3.02.

Norway Wildcat Club.

Broiled steaks, potatoes roasted the ashes, doughnuts and coffee were the specials at the Wildcat suppers Saturday night at the Barker farm the rendezvous of this famous club overway. A smoke talk by the officer where the Wildcat men spun me a gory hunting yarn concluded the program of the evening.

The guests of honor were Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Williamson and Miss Annor Williamson of Portland; Mrs. H. L. and Miss Annie Hanley of Berlin, N. H. A game supper is scheduled at the club just as soon as the hunters return with a full complement of deer.

Taken Ill While Hunting.

Danville B. Stevens of Lewiston, long time resident of that city, is critically ill at his home, 374 Main St. as the result of a severe stroke of paralysis, suffered Friday evening, at a camp on the West Branch, where he was hunting with his son, Dr. H. B. Stevens, and Dr. W. W. Bolster of Auburn.

Mr. Stevens was taken to his home late Tuesday afternoon. He has lost all power of speech and his right arm is affected by the shock. Although his condition is serious, the family has hope that he will recover in time.

Law Unconstitutional.

A Vermont game warden in the current number of a sport magazine, says that the Maine law allowing a hound to be killed while running a deer or sheep is unconstitutional, and if the case were carried to the United States Supreme court, the killer would have to stand for costs and damages for the value of the dog. We had such a law in Vermont and several of our wardens got into serious trouble by shooting hounds running deer. This law was repealed and now the owner or keeper of a hound that runs deer is fined, so that it makes it an expensive luxury to keep such a dog.

Adj. Gen. Dill Returns.

Adj. Gen. Dill has returned from a 23 days' trip to Los Angeles, Calif., where he was a delegate from the state of Maine to the National Guards Association of the United States. At the convention Gen. Dill was elected a vice president of the association. The general says that it was an enjoyable trip, but that he had a great deal rather be in good old Maine.

Sunday Hunters Arrested.

Game Warden Henry L. Thomas arrested four hunters Sunday in the vicinity of Houghton and on Tuesday morning they appeared before Judge Stearns at the Rumford Municipal court. They were L. D. Jannell and J. H. Williams of Rumford, and R. E. Williams and V. R. Merrill of Lewiston. As they had taken no game they were fined but \$5 and costs, which they paid.

Loupervier Reported.

It is reported that one of the varmints of the Maine wilds, a loupervier, has made its appearance at Wing's Mills, Belgrade, and has been raising havoc with the sheep in that vicinity, says an exchange.

All the hunting news in Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman.

WEST WELD.

Ernest Holt has finished picking apples at Valley View farm. He has about 150 barrels.

Mrs. Olive Flagg is gaining very rapidly.

Mrs. Martyn Moy is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. Elythe Brown.

Miss Gladys Brown visited Miss Pearl Read recently.

Miss Gladys Brown is working for Ernest Read Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman.

WORLD'S TROUT RECORD.

SPOTTED SQUARE TAIL THAT WEIGHED 12½ LBS. STRIPPED.

State of Maine Hatchery at Oquossoc Supplied this Fall With Eggs from Trout That Weigh 9 Pounds and Up.

Upper Dam, Me., Oct. 11, 1909.

It would delight the hearts of our loyal fishermen: could they see the car of fish obtained in the Upper Dam Pools to be stripped of spawn for the Oquossoc hatchery. There are five trout weighing over nine pounds each and one that breaks the record, weighing 12½ pounds. This 12½-lb. spotted trout is the biggest square tail ever weighed. There are sixteen in the car and the smallest weighs over three pounds. Supt. Hayford has already taken about five thousand eggs and it is estimated that ten thousand will come from those now in the car.

Ten guests registered at the Upper Dam House, Saturday, October 9. The "Pearson's" party of six went to their camp in the Narrows the next morning. E. J. Ham and wife of Lewiston and F. S. Gardney and wife of Auburn will spend a few days in one of the cottages here.

The weather is exceedingly warm for October. It is most too warm for hunting. Nine guests stayed over Oct. 1 and six deer were brought in.

F. E. Wheeler of Portland returned home on Monday with two deer shot at Richardson pond.

Mrs. Frank Baker of Brooklyn, N. Y., with Mr. and Mrs. Cummings of Bemis and lady friend spent several days in camp at Richardson pond last week and got all the deer they cared for.

Dr. Frank Trull and party of Biddeford returned home last week from their camp on the Richardson lake.

Emerson McMillin of New York arrived Saturday night for a hunting trip at his Beaver Island summer home.

J. Parker Whitney and family are at their camp on the Richardson.

KIBBY PARTY PRESENT.

Mr. Voorhees and Party of Eight After Deer.

A. M. Voorhees of Nyack, N. Y., with a party of eight, known as the Voorhees club; expect to arrive at Eustis Saturday en route for the Kibby, where they own camps. They will have A. S. Douglas, Otis Witham, Joe St. Ober and W. M. Douglass for guides, and they plan to stay in camp about two weeks this trip.

This party has been visiting the Dead River region for several years past until last year. They had about decided to leave the place, although they know it to be a great hunting locality on account of the hard wood. But they have decided to keep the Kibby camps and layout cash there on the road and to improve the camps.

Game in Dead River.

Dead River, Oct. 13, 1909.

There are lots of deer, but not many killed up to this time. There are also plenty of bears roaming around; yesterday George Collins shot at one at two rods but as he had a pop gun he failed to get the bear. Don't think the bears are very plenty.

S. A. Parsons.

Black Ducks, Partridges and Deer.

Waterville, N., Oct. 13, 1909.

We saw six or four flocks of partridges and at black ducks when we went four camps above Eustis for over today recently.

Ira L. Belyea.

Mrs. Carl Shoots Deer.

Mrs. J. W. Con of Phillips shot a deer on the side of her husband's private trout pond in Phillips on October 11. Mrs. Carlton has caught many trout, but this is her first experience at deerhunting.

Freen Valley.

Among the lucky ones to get a deer in this city are Allie Durrell, Dyke C. Birdell Pinkham and Warren Bley.

Hunt in Dallas.

A. M. Hershey, Henry True, Carl B. Beedy, M. Toothaker, and Wm. True of Phillips hunting at Billy True's camp Dallas town last week.

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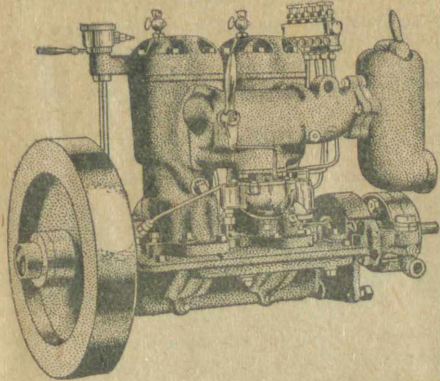
Evan Webber shot a two-year-old deer last Thursday and others are on the lookout.

North Phillips.

Harry Hinkley shot a fine large deer one day last week.

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GAME IN THE FAR NORTH.

WHITNEY'S STORY OF TRIP TO THE ARCTIC REGION.

New Haven Sportsman Carved Ivory for an Occupation—Musk Ox Shooting one of the Sports of the Long, Cold Winter.

In a despatch from New Haven the Sun says: Harry Whitney got back to his home in this city Tuesday and there was a family reunion of the Whitneys Tuesday night to welcome the Arctic sportsman. Whitney unpacked some of the trophies of his Arctic hunt and the specimens were spread out on the veranda and lawn in the rear of his home in Whitney avenue. They included handsome blue fox skins, seal skins, large white polar bear skins, walrus tusks, Arctic bear skins, coats made of the breasts of the auk, skins of Eskimo dogs and a dozen other rare articles. They do not include the specimens which he shipped home on the Roosevelt and which arrived in New York city several days ago.

Tanned and weather beaten, with a pair of chapped, frostbitten hands, which would do credit to the mate of a Newfoundland sealing schooner, Mr. Whitney scarcely looked the part of a wealthy young man about town. To an inquiry if he would care to make another trip to the Arctic Mr. Whitney said:

"Perhaps so, in the summer, but never again in the winter. I had enough of that game this trip. The long Arctic winter is terrible. Why for 100 days it is pitch dark. There is the pale Arctic moon, of course, but the depression of the long night is to be remembered, I can tell you.

"As a game country it is wonderful. It was the best shooting I ever enjoyed. I did most of my shooting with a 30-40 repeater. The Eskimos laughed when they saw the caliber of this rifle, thinking it not large enough for bear or walrus. They use mostly .45s; the bigger the better they like them. They were amazed when they saw how I could stop the game with the little bullet of the 30-40. I took a .35 caliber north with me, but I did not use it so much as my other gun. I gave the .35 to an Eskimo.

"During the long winter I had a little automatic .22 caliber rifle. I shot hare, ducks and all kinds of small game with it, and the cold didn't affect the automatic cartridges in the least; and it was some cold at that. I had plenty of cartridges and left some of them in the north. They wouldn't let me land any of my Eskimo dogs in Newfoundland, so I left several of the dogs I was bringing home with some of Dr. Grenfell's men at the mission at Battle Harbor, Labrador.

"Here," exclaimed Mr. Whitney, picking up a beautiful skin, "is a skin I brought home to be made into a sleeping bag for my friend Frank Carnegie, who was to have gone with me to the north. I have several similar bags myself."

Whitney was away from civilization 14 months and was in Annotok 12 months with only two other white men. During this year, he said, he was often lonely and longed for congenial companions, as the natives that after a while conversation with them becomes very monotonous. Mr. Whitney had little to read and could not write any letters home that would be delivered, nor could he get any mail.

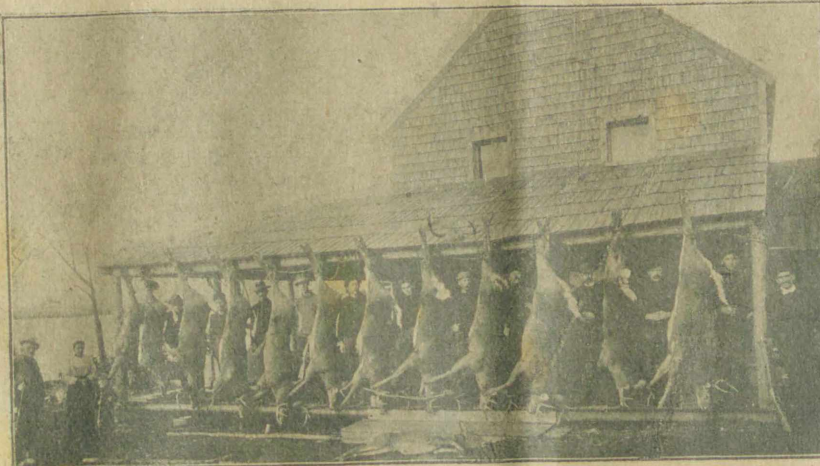
Mr. Whitney had several narrow escapes. On one hunting trip made in the dark night of one hundred days, he went with Eskimos on a hunting trip south of Cape Alexander. The trip was made by bright moonlight, but the party did not notice that they had crossed to a pan of floating ice until its members noticed

that the ice was drifting from the main body. The hunters were in danger of being carried into Smith sound, and the fact that the temperature was 42 degrees below zero precluded the possibility of their living long. But a strong westerly wind suddenly sprang up and drove the ice back, affording them a way of escape. Then they crossed the ice in a blizzard and luckily came to an Eskimo settlement. They had to remain there eight days. The blizzard was so fierce that it was impossible for the strong Eskimo dogs to make headway against it.

In speaking of his hunting, Mr. Whitney said: "I went north mainly to hunt musk oxen, but also had good luck with other kinds of Arctic game, the polar bear, the seal, the walrus, white bear and whale. As far as hunting went I was very successful, but to some sportsmen shooting this game might seem cold, tame work. Of these specimens of game,

to Ellesmere Land just for bear hunting.

"The musk oxen are tame shooting when you get among them. They are easily killed. I feel the hardships and severe cold I had to put up with getting them well worth going through. As soon as a bunch of musk oxen is sighted, the dogs are cut loose, and in a short while the whole bunch will back up against a boulder or form a half moon with their heads all out. Whenever a dog gets too close one of them will charge. They never take their eyes off the dogs and a man can go as close as he wishes to them. The heads are massive and heavy, making it impossible to get many of them on a sledge. The taste as a food is as fine as any wild game I have ever eaten. In the musk ox country there are great numbers of ptarmigan and Arctic hare. Of these I killed great numbers with my .22 automatic rifle.



SHOT NEAR CARRY POND.

the only exciting or dangerous to hunt are the bear and the walrus.

"A number of sportsmen who have been north before have remained on the ship. They shoot the bear from the ship at first sighting. It is much more exciting to hunt the bear with the Eskimos away from the ship. The bear is a great wanderer and stays away out on the frozen ice, hunting seal for food. While we were hunting one day we came across a large white whale on a humble glacier. Two bears were eating him, and how they managed to drag him on the ice I do not understand.

"The scent of the bear over the track he has traveled on the ice lasts for ten to fifteen hours, so that a team of dogs crossing the ice can take up the trail at once. The minute they do take up the scent they are off on a dead run and will follow the trail for miles if the ice is such that they can travel. As soon as the bear is sighted the Eskimos begin to cut two or three dogs loose

"When I went aboard the Roosevelt at New Bedford on July 9, 1908, I took on board a power boat with a special engine which would fit it for whale fishing particularly, and this boat certainly was of great help to me. I also took on board the Roosevelt 2000 cigarettes and a case of champagne. This champagne was drunk on the voyage. I was for four months without cigarettes and I missed them more than anything else. When I went up I had no idea of staying through the winter, but the kindness of Mr. Peary made this possible. On the way north I found walrus and hare shooting, and though the first few weeks were pleasant, I must say I was homesick. But I knew that this was no use, so I fought it off.

"Etah is a very mountainous country and we lost the sun there before it was below the horizon. It did not become dead night at first; it was twilight. We took advantage of every moon, and the moonlight is brighter



AFTER THE HUNT.

from the sled and they will round up the animal a short time. Then the hunter jumps off the sledge and runs to within 30 yards of the bear and has the chance to shoot him.

"Most of my hunting was done during the long night by moonlight, and it is a wonderful sight as one da between the icebergs and island ice with scenery and lighting every few minutes. The temperature is so low, 30 to 40 degrees below zero, that as soon as a bear is killed it is necessary to skin him once, otherwise in a short time would freeze so that we could do nothing with him. There are no people in the world who can do it any better than the Eskimo. I rip off the skin, leaving on the fat possible. Then they find the shape of the sledge on it is to be put, and by the time there it has already begun to freeze. I went

there than in any other part of the world. If the weather permitted we took a trip north after bear or south after walrus. I shot one bear as large as the grizzly I shot in the west a few years ago. This was on my way south on the Jeanie. I brought the skin back with me. The Eskimos have the white men trimmed to death in any way a tenderfoot as I was cares to look at it. They excel in having long wind and standing severe cold and strong winds that to the ordinary man would be impossible.

"I lived in Annotok, 32 miles north of Etah, in a box house. The boxes had at one time contained provisions. I found the stone igloos of the Eskimos in many ways warmer and more comfortable.

"A peculiar thing happened when the sun is bright; a thermometer held in its direct rays will register 100 degrees and the heat is very uncomfortable. But if you go into the shade behind the igloo it will

shoot down again to freezing point. On my return from the far north, I met Dr. Grenfell, who was making his trip up the Labrador coast. I asked him how the national election had come out, and he told me Taft had won. I had not known this before but I had a strong hunch.

"In the winter months I learned the Eskimo language, and now I can speak it very well. I also carved ivory during the long night. Sometimes I read some books which the Roosevelt had left me. I do not feel as if I would ever want to pass another winter there, but I will always feel that I would like to go back and see again the Eskimos who were such good friends to me."

Capt. Bob Bartlett, master of Commander Peary's ship, the Roosevelt, will in all probability come to New Haven as Mr. Whitney's guest for several days in the near future before returning to his home in Newfoundland.

Speckled Angling.

He was a dashing city chap,
And hungered for an outing;
And though the season it was late,
Decided to go troutling.

He fished all day without success,
At eventide, quite mute he,
Called at a farmhouse for a meal,
But he had no speckled beauty.

He met thereat a country maid,
A winsome, freckled creature;
With roguish eyes and auburn hair,
Of charming form and feature.

He went again, and yet again,
'Twixt love and fish and duty;
But ere the fishing season closed
He caught a speckled beauty.
Joe Cone in Boston Herald.

Ideal Big Game Gun.

Fort Benjamin Harrison,
Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 15, 1909.
To the Editor of Maine Woods and
Maine Sportsman:

As I stated in my last letter that I would give my opinion on big game guns, using the .405 and .30, U. S. Gov't., model 1903, cartridges, I will say that for all around big game hunting, I prefer the Model 1895, box magazine, Winchester, caliber .30, U. S. Gov't., Model 1903, and I think that the above gun is about right for all big game found in North America, but if I were to hunt in Alaska or in the Rocky mountains only, where one is likely to run on to the grizzly or the kodak bears of Alaska, I would use the .405 caliber, but for all around big game hunting the .30 U. S. A., Model 1903, with a soft point or Hoxie bullet is, I think, plenty large enough.

Now, in regard to a rifle, I will say that the Winchester lever action is quite a lot quicker than the Springfield bolt action, and while hunting in Alaska I found that with conditions the same, the Springfield rifle would freeze up a lot quicker than the 1895 Winchester and the Springfield rifle is not a very nice looking gun with its wood covering on the barrel, but it is not as easy to get out of order as the Winchester. When one wants to clean the Springfield it is an easy matter to take the bolt, etc., out of the rifle, and in fact one can take the Springfield rifle nearly all apart without any tools, but with the Winchester it is different, as one cannot take the breech block out handily. But the way the Springfield is made it freezes up very easily and to hunt all day and then perhaps at night, or at sundown rather, miss a good shot at game because your gun is frozen, is not what it is cracked up to be, and with the Springfield this is very liable to be the case. Now I don't mean to say that the Winchester never freezes up, because it does, but not as quickly as the Springfield. And then it is a great deal better looking gun and one does not have to go through as much "red tape" to buy one, as one does to get a Springfield. On the whole for big game hunting in North America, I would rather have a Winchester 1895 model than to have a Springfield, which is supposed to be the best military gun in the world.

I will say that I saw more 1895 model Winchester rifles in Alaska than any other gun, and in the White mountains of New Hampshire, I find that there are more Marlin rifles used than any other place I have ever been. The hunters like them there because they are closed on top and don't get full of snow, etc., as easy as the Winchester and other makes.

In the western part of the United States there are a lot of 30-30 Win-

chester rifles used more I think than any other place I have been. In Maine I think there are more 30-30, 38-55, 32-40 and 45-70 used than other calibers. The number of 32-40, 30-30 and 38-55 used in Maine, I think, are about equal.

I would like to see something about trapping, rifles, revolvers, canoes, tents, etc. I might write some trapping methods if some one would start the ball rolling. Why don't some of the Maine trappers write something about trapping in Maine.

Harold Ellsworth Ford,
Serg't. Co. M, 10th U. S. Infantry.

New England Fox Hunters' Club.

The New England Fox Hunters' club will hold its fifth annual meet at the Park View hotel, Belchertown, Mass., October 25th to 30th, 1909.

Tuesday morning, October 26th, at sunrise, M. F. H. Simonds will sound the horn of welcome to the hunters that have assembled to attend the greatest New England fox hunt of the age.

Belchertown needs no introduction to the fox-hunting fraternity, judged by last fall's experience, which was a total of twenty foxes in four days.

The club will furnish warm and dry kennels, also food for the hounds, free of expense.

Rate for board, \$1.75 per day. To avoid disappointment, engage your room in advance.

Election of officers at this meet.

The past President, Mr. R. D. Perry, has kindly consented to give the members and their guests a talk on his experiences during the three trips he took to the frozen north with Dr. Cook and Commander Peary.

B. & M. R. R. Central Mass. Div.
Trains leave Boston for Belchertown at 8.10 a. m., 1.41, 3.58 and 5.42 p. m. A special car will be attached to the train leaving Boston at 1.41 p. m., Monday, October 25th.
Free bus from station to hotel.
Belchertown, 88 miles from Boston.
Fare \$1.81; Dogs, 40c.

The secretary requests photographs of dogs and hunting scenes for the club album.

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Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman has frequent inquiries for maps of the fishing regions of the state, etc. We can furnish the following Maine maps: Rangeley and Megantic districts, 25c
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Oddities and Latest News

PHILLIPS AND VICINITY.

Be Alive.

The Age of Sleep has come and gone
Into the Far Away;
There is no time to sit and Dream
Twixt dawn and close of day.
Each one must be a Busy Bee
Throughout the human Hive;
To get the Plum upon the tree
You've got to be Alive.

Dead ones are Dead, aye, more than
Dead,
In days so Wide Awake;
The sage beside the Lone Highway
Is laughed at as a Fake.

The Dreamer now is but a Drone
And driven from the Hive;
If you would not be left Alone
You've got to be Alive.

Wake up. The Call comes swift and
clear
From Factory and Mart;
The Early Bird has taught you well
To get an early Start.

Dream if you will, Dream if you must,
But if you fain would Thrive,
You've got to Hammer at the Forge,
You've got to be Alive.
Joe Cone in Boston Herald.

Mrs. O. H. Hersey and daughter were
in town last week. Many friends in
Phillips regret that they have decided
to reside in Strong instead of Phil-
lips this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Libby are visit-
ing Mr. Libby's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
D. T. Libby.

Mrs. Sumner Austin, who has been in
Phillips several weeks, called here by
the sickness and death of her father,
Mr. E. H. Shepard, returned to her home
in Dover Friday. She was accompanied
by Mrs. Ida M. Butterfield who drove
with her team, while Mrs. Austin led the
horse owned by Mrs. Shepard, which she
will keep for the winter.

Floyd Parker, who is attending the
U. of M. came home last Friday because
of the trouble there.

Mr. Chas. W. Norton of Farmington,
the piano dealer was a visitor in town
one day last week. Mr. Norton reports
the piano business very good in Franklin
county this year.

Last Saturday, Oct. 16, Mr. E. H. Ken-
nison found up Sluice Hill way a very
pretty bunch of honeysuckle and also
some clover in blossom. This is rather
a novelty, as the season for these wild
flowers is past.

Miss Sadie Barden of Kingfield visited
her sister, Mrs. Reginald Hinkley, a few
days last week.

Some of the Phillips small boys know
how to make a good base ball by wrap-
ping tape around a "ten-center."

W. A. Reed of Oquossoc has moved to
Phillips and is employed at the Bray-
man mill. He has rented the A. J.
Haley house on the Dodge road. Mr.
Haley plans to move to Massachusetts.

A man of less than 60 informs Maine
Woods and Maine Sportsman that he has
heard Hon. Joel Wilbur refer to himself
as getting old in view of the fact that
he had just passed his 76th birthday.
"But," said our informant, "I am under
60 and Wilbur can give me cards and
spades on being active."

A special meeting of North Franklin
Grange, P. of H., No. 186, will be held
in the new hall Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 10
a. m., for the purpose of working the
third and fourth degrees. In the after-
noon the hall will be dedicated, when the
public is cordially invited to be pres-
ent.

PHILLIPS AND VICINITY.

Miss Lillian Gifford has returned from
Middledam, where she has been doing
table work this season, and is staying
with her aunt, Mrs. W. V. Larrabee, for
the present.

George E. Perry of Jefferson, N. H.,
has been the guest of Willard C. Perry
and other relatives in Madrid for two
weeks. He was a caller in Phillips one
day this week.

The supper committee for the Weld
Home Circle meeting, which will be
held at Wilbur hall, Wednesday, Oct.
27, consists of the following ladies: Mrs.
Eva Toothaker, Mrs. Fred Morton, Mrs.
Fred Ellsworth, Mrs. Silas Blodgett, Mrs.
Charles Miner. The entertainment com-
mittee includes Mrs. Arthur Beedy, Mrs.
Frank Phillips, Mrs. C. F. Chandler,
Mrs. Wm. True and Mrs. W. S. Skol-
field.

Everett Newman has been ill for sev-
eral days and Drs. Currier and Blanch-
ard have pronounced the disease to be
typhoid fever. He came home from
Greenwich, Conn., recently, where he
has been employed the past summer and
the disease was undoubtedly contracted
there.

Harold Ross has gone to Brunswick
to take an examination to enter the
medical school at Bowdoin.

The boys' band gave some good music
at the track meet last Saturday.

Mrs. C. E. Barker, who has been ill
for some time, caused by a fall, is a
little better at this writing. Mrs. Barker
has suffered greatly with her back
since the fall. The many friends of
Mrs. Barker hope for a speedy recovery.

There was a largely attended meet-
ing of the King's Daughters at Mrs. Col-
by Whittemore's last Friday evening.
Delicious homemade maple candy and
grapes were served.

Several raspberry bushes with clus-
ters of the ripe berries were brought
into this office Wednesday by Mrs. Her-
man Plaisted. Quite a curiosity at this
season of the year. Mrs. F. W. Atwood
also found some a few days ago.

Miss Cornelia T. Crosby arrived home
last week Wednesday from a stay of
several days at the Poland Spring House.
Miss Crosby will remain at home for
the present.

Miss Lena E. Foster was the guest
of Dr. and Mrs. P. O. Hopkins a few
days this week.

Mr. John Hewitt of Thomaston, a
registered druggist, is in the employ
of Mr. W. A. D. Cragin. Mr. Cragin
leaves soon for San Diego, Cal., to visit
his family for several weeks.

Mrs. Charles A. Berry and Miss Olive
Wright visited in Lewiston this week.

Variety Shower.

A variety shower was given Mrs. Al-
berta Matthews, whose marriage to Mr.
Weston Parker occurs the last of this
month, at the home of Mrs. C. H. Mc-
Kenzie last Monday evening, the same
being planned and carried out most suc-
cessfully by Mrs. McKenzie, and was
conducted to the circle of King's Daugh-
ters, of which Mrs. Matthews has al-
ways been a most enthusiastic and help-
ful member. Mrs. Matthews was taken
completely by surprise, as she supposed
she was going to attend a special com-

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C. E. GOULD, Phillips, Me.

Resolutions on the Death of Sister Minnie Saunders.

Whereas, it has pleased God, in his
infinite wisdom, to call to a higher
life our sister, Minnie Saunders, there-
fore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of
Benevolent Branch, lament deeply the
loss of our sister and friend. That
faithfulness in the performance of her
duty, her cheerfulness of disposition and
kindness of heart are worthy of emu-
lation.

Resolved, That our heartfelt sym-
pathy and condolence be extended to the
mother in her sorrow and loneliness,
and would commend her to the Great
Ruler of the Universe, who doeth all
things well, and under whose all-seeing
eye even the sun, moon and stars obey.

Resolved, That a page of our records
be set apart for these resolutions and
a copy sent to the bereaved mother.

Nettie M. Banks,
Laura F. Whitman,
Kate F. Briggs,
Committee on Resolutions.

mittee meeting. She was generously
showered with gifts, both useful and or-
namental. Miss Sarah Toothaker, the
president, made most pleasing remarks.
Miss Blanche Presson gave a reading
and Miss Grace Timberlake sang Auld
Lang Syne. Refreshments were served
and they drank to the toasts offered
by Mrs. J. W. Brackett and Miss Cor-
nelia T. Crosby. The evening ended
most happily with a game of charades.

King's Daughters' Fair.

The King's Daughters have appointed
the following committees for their fair
to be held Nov. 20: Advertising, Madams
Lucy Brackett, Bertha Chandler; decora-
tion, Madams C. Nell Parker, Addie
Parker, Esma True, Edith Wells; re-
freshments, Madams Mittie Atwood, Cor-
Beedy, Edith Haley, Minnie Berry, Cora
Whittemore, Miss Celia Whitney; aprons
Madams Julia Pratt, Sarah Bangs, Eita
Smith; fancy work, Madams Lydia Har-
den, Lura Twombly, Lillian Hoyt; mem-
ory table, Mrs. Fannie Record, Miss
Cora Wheeler; ice cream, Madams Laura
Voter, Eleanor Wells, Christy Aldrich;
Misses Algie Pratt, Dallas Voter, Bertha
Beedy, Marion Wells.

If any are unable to serve on a com-
mittee, please notify some one of the
following as soon as possible: Mrs. C.
H. McKenzie, Miss Blanche Presson, Mrs.
M. W. Harden.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Fred E. Dyer.

After an illness of several years' dura-
tion, Mrs. Clara Mabel Chandler, wife
of Fred Elmer Dyer, passed away Wed-
nesday, October 13, her death being
caused from consumption, from which
disease her mother died several years
ago. Mrs. Dyer was the daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Willard M. Chandler and
was born in Phillips, November 6, 1861.
On October 22, 1892, she was married
to Fred E. Dyer. They have resided
in Rangeley and Kingfield, but for sev-
eral years past have lived in Phillips.
Six children have been born to them,
of which four are living, two sons and
two daughters.

Funeral services were held at the home
Friday, October 15, at 1:30 p. m., Rev.
M. S. Hutchins officiating.

Many friends extend sincere sympathy
to Mr. Dyer and his family of little
ones in their great loss.

The following sent floral offerings:
Bouquet, grammar school, The Jennie
Wren, wreath, Mrs. T. M. Parker;
wreath, Willard Chandler; bouquet, F.
S. Chandler and Mrs. Ina Davenport;
bouquet of roses and pinks, Mr. and
Mrs. M. W. Harden; red and white roses
the family; white phlox and other flow-
ers, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Beal; bouquet
of dahlias, Mrs. Eva Toothaker. Other
beautiful flowers were also sent by Mrs.
Whittemore, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Warren,
Mrs. Virgin, Mrs. John Shepard, Mrs.
Rand Harden.

BIRTHS.

Phillips, Oct. 15, to Mr. and Mrs.
Dana Stinchfield, a son.
Wilton, Oct. 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee
Bridges, a daughter.
Rockland, Oct. 3, to Mr. and Mrs.
Lelan T. Knapp, a daughter.
Farmington, Oct. 18, to Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Canale, a son. (Paul).
Chesterfield, Oct. 16, to Mr. and Mrs.
Wilfred Partridge, a daughter.
Freeman, Oct. 13, to Mr. and Mrs.
Charles B. Dolber, a daughter.
New Vineyard, Oct. 16, to Mr. and
Mrs. Henry Hayford, a daughter.
Temple, Sept. 27, to Mr. and Mrs.
Clarence A. McCully, a daughter.
Farmington, Oct. 17, to Mr. and Mrs.
Dana T. Stevens, a daughter. (Alice
Eunice.)

MARRIAGES.

West Freeman, Oct. 17, by Rev. Chas.
Crocker, Gilbert Foss of West Freeman
and Miss Clarissa Esther Ellsworth of
Salem.
Kingfield, Oct. 13, Almon Howard and
Miss Lucy Gould, both of Lexington.

DEATHS.

New Vineyard, Oct. 10, Ruth Bradley,
aged 17 years, 10 months, 12 days.
Farmington, Oct. 17, Charles W. Cam-
eron, aged 69 years, 10 months, 11 days.
Rockland, Oct. 10, infant daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Lelan T. Knapp, aged 7
days.
Industry, Oct. 13, Lucien P. Rackliffe,
son of Benjamin and Mrs. Mary Brainerd
Rackliffe, aged 19 years, 5 months,
11 days.

MILE SQUARE, AVON.

Mrs. E. A. Peary visited her daughter,
Mrs. Dana Stinchfield in North Phillips
this week.

Mr. Floyd Parker of Phillips visited
his friend Roland Hinds over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Furbish of Range-
ley are visiting her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. G. T. Jacobs.

H. W. Worthley was on mail route
4 last week.

Mrs. J. M. Worthley of Phillips vis-
ited her son, H. W. Worthley, the lat-
ter part of last week.

L. G. Voter of Phillips is picking his
apples on his farm. He has quite a
crew helping him.

Mrs. S. H. Beal, who has been very
ill with the measles, is somewhat better.

Mrs. Mattie Bell and son of Strong
are visiting at W. T. Hinds.

FREEMAN CENTER.

It was reported last week of seeing
several kinds of flowers in bloom, but
we have more than that this week. Mr.
C. N. Blackwell, while at work, recently
found a bush with three ripe raspber-
ries on it which he picked and ate.
We think that is quite an item for the
time of year.

Several of the farmers are picking
canning apples and selling them to Or-
ren Brackett in the western part of
the town.

Mrs. J. K. Richards from Strong was
in town over Sunday.

Mr. Andrew Davis is stopping at Alex
Campbell's for the present.

WEST FREEMAN.

The hills look cold and blue. The
brilliant autumn coloring has faded and
the leaves are falling softly down.

Heavy frosts have struck the hills.
The summer is ended.

Mrs. Nellie Hammond of Hartford, Ct.,
was summoned to Maple Grove Farm
last week to see her mother, Mrs. Em-
ma A. Hammond, who has been conval-
escing from typhoid fever, but suffered
a sudden and very severe attack of
acute disease. Mrs. Hammond
remains in a very critical condition.
Miss Nellie has the sympathy of her
many friends. She left her father in
the hospital at Hartford, where he had
just submitted to a surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Will celebrated
the anniversary of their wedding, Oct.
18, by a dinner to a few of their rela-
tives. Aunt and cousins at Maple Grove
Farm were among the invited guests,
but were unable to attend on account
of severe sickness in the family.

Wedding bells rang, O, so softly!
Sunday, Oct. 17, when Gilbert Foss, one
of Maple Grove Corner's popular young
men, and Miss Clarissa Esther, daughter
of John and Ella Ellsworth, Salem, were
united at Salem by Rev. Charles Crocker.
Maple Grove Corner is getting to
be noted for the number of its newly
married couples and we welcome heartily
the pretty young brides to our neigh-
borhood.

New Portland held its annual cattle
(?) show and fair Saturday, Oct. 16.
As usual everybody went and had a good
time.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Huff and little
grandson, Charles Sumner, were callers
at Maple Grove Farm Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenney of Kingfield
spent Sunday with Mrs. McKenney's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wey-
muth.

EAST NEW PORTLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hodgson of
Emden were the guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Harold Adams Saturday and Sun-
day.

Miss Harvey Eames of Wilton recent-
ly spent a few days in town, the guest
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin
Clark.

There was a large crowd of people at
the "world's fair," Saturday. The weather
was good for October 16. The fair
exhibits were the best for years and
several hours of the day were exhib-
ited. The usual number of fairs
were at their stands. Two allgames
were enjoyed during the afternoon, in
which the Fairbanks team was success-
ful.

Fred Harold and Emma Fish and Miss
Ara Wilbur spent the sabbath in town,
the guests of Miss Jane Adams.

Mrs. Sadie Ryant and son, Albert,
visited Mrs. A. N. Adams Sunday.

Mrs. Orrin Holbrook from Dead River
dam, spent a few days in town recently.
A. M. Clark of North Asen passed
through town Sunday.

Mr. Forest Barron and Miss Queenie
Berry of Emden were the guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Holbrook Saturday
and Sunday.

Rumford Happenings.

Mrs. Booker is staying with her daugh-
ter, Mrs. Geo. Welch, of Richardsville,
during the illness of her daughter, Mar-
cia, with diphtheria. The child is now
convalescent.

It is a great thing, sometimes, to be
able to see into the future. The scribe
had that pleasure one day this week,
when W. W. Small, proprietor of Small's
hotel, permitted a glimpse into the large,
up-to-date refrigerator, where there is
always a large supply of everything in
the meat line, and the scribe can fore-
tell that some day in the near future
the patrons of the hotel will be served
with some excellent bear meat. The
bear, which was a cub, was shot by
Mr. Taylor of Byron.

Milton Butterfield, accompanied by
Wm. H. Kelley, made a trip to Phillips
Saturday in his automobile, making good
time, not withstanding the unfavorable
condition of the roads.
Berchard Whitman and wife are plan-
ning to move to Phillips in the near
future.
Mrs. Eva Beedy and daughter, Retta,
spent last Thursday with her sister,
Mrs. Ira T. Wing.

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Locals From Outing Regions

RANGELEY.

Ernest Hinkley is sick.

Dr. Colby is out of town this week and Dr. Sawyer of Lewiston is attending his patients.

Miss Mertie Heath, who has been working in Indian Rock, returned to her home in Madrid Monday.

Harry Hutton has bought the stock in trade of Nile & Brackett.

The Ladies' Aid met at the library last week and elected officers for the ensuing year. Their names will appear next week.

Harry P. Dill and wife are at their cottage, "Moxie Ledge," this week.

Mrs. Harry Look and little son, Harold, who have been at Kennebago for several weeks, returned home last week.

The stores are closed every evening except Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nash, J. E. Lamb, Natt Ellis and Axel Tibbets attended the Topsham fair last week, going in Mr. T.'s auto.

Edgar Berry of Lewiston is spending the week in town.

Ray Harnden has been quite ill, but is now a little more comfortable.

Harold McCard and Miss Leona Hinkley have been on a carriage drive the past week, visiting relatives in Madrid, Phillips and Avon.

Mrs. Lyman Hutton was successfully operated upon for gallstones last week by Drs. Bell and Ross. Miss Penney, a trained nurse, is caring for her.

Mrs. Sam Raymond is working for Mrs. Dennis Nile, who is ill.

On account of the train being so late Saturday night, the regular grange meeting was postponed until next Saturday, Oct. 23. It is hoped that all members will remember the supper and each contribute his share, viz., his favorite dish.

Mrs. Dora Jones is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. M. Carlton.

Velma Nile is working for Mrs. J. L. Hutton.

Among those who are to carry on lumbering operations this winter are G. R. Pillsbury, Merton Hoar and Rolla Toothaker at Kennebago; Wilbur Bros., on Cupsuptic stream; Ira and George Hoar, on Kennebago stream; Ed Welch, at Bemis; D. E. Hinkley, Chas. Hutton and Charles Adams at Toothaker Island; Dexter Hutton and son Frank, at South Bog.

Mira, Naomi and May Nile of Eustis, who are attending the High school in town, were at home over Sunday.

Fred Conant is in Boston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Snowman returned home Monday.

Miss Prudence Richardson has been visiting in Dixfield and other places.

Sylvester Brackett has moved his family into Rose Adams' house on Pleasant street.

Mrs. Lillian Millberry was in Farmington Saturday.

Nat Nile, who has been in Rangeley for the past three years, returned to his home in California last week.

Miss Bessie Oakes has been a recent visitor in Auburn.

A large crowd from Rangeley attended the track meet at Phillips Saturday. On their return home they were welcomed by a fine display of fireworks furnished by H. C. Riddle, in honor of the Rangeley boys' victory.

Ralph Jacobs of the R. H. S. was unable to attend the track meet on account of illness.

Miss Tennis Moore has returned from Grant's Camps, Kennebago, where she has been employed.

Miss Gusta Kempton of Phillips was in town the first of the week.

During the past few weeks, Mr. Chas. W. Norton of Farmington has sold many pianos in town. Mr. Norton is doing a rushing business all over Franklin county, and especially in this town. He carries a very high grade of pianos. Among those who have bought a piano of him recently are: Mr. A. L. Robertson, Robert O. Dill, Gladys Wilbur,

Maggie Harris, Ira Hoar, Henry L. Pratt, Samuel Raymond, John Oakes and Bertha Wilbur.

Dr. J. R. Kittredge is in town this week.

OQUOSSOC.

Mrs. Jack Dodd was called to Rumford Friday, on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Miles Dufney.

Mrs. A. G. Rich of Canton was the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. E. Spaulding, a few days last week.

Wallace Reed has moved his family to Phillips for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Spaulding, who have been spending the summer at the Kennebago farm, returned to their home in Auburn Monday, after spending a few days with their son and wife here.

Mildred Haley is the guest of Mrs. Anson Hayford.

There are four new scholars who commenced attending school last week: Ruth Hill, Franklin Bickford, Rudolph Peterson and Clinton Moren.

KINGFIELD.

Mrs. Jennie Wheeler of Phillips is spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Cross, on lower Main street.

Clyde S. Simmons is clerking in the store of H. P. Wood, while Harold Boynton, who has been there for some time, as clerk, is enjoying several weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Champagne have returned from a six months' stay at Moosehead lake.

The first of the week Mr. and Mrs. Loren Pullen returned from a visit with relatives in Skowhegan.

F. C. Huse has rented the Thurston block, where he will carry on a grain and feed store.

Miss Lullie Heath of Salem was a guest last week in the family of Rev. J. E. Taylor on Church street.

After a little more than a year's absence in Buckley, Wash., Ray Hutchins has returned to his home in this town. He visited the fair in Seattle, Wash., just before his departure for the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ham are spending a few weeks in the Jordan cottage.

October 13th at the F. B. parsonage, Miss Lucy Gould and Almon Howard of Lexington were united in marriage by Rev. L. Arthur White, after which for a brief time, they were guests of his sister, Mrs. Frank Hutchins, and family on Riverside street.

Miss Rose Quigley of Spring Farm, Carrabasset, was a recent caller on friends in this village.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jones of Stratton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Durrell.

Perley Chick has bought the tenement house on Salem street owned by L. L. Eldridge.

Mrs. Lizzie Weymouth and family of Freeman have moved into the rent in the Walter Beedy house.

K. Pullen is resting comfortably, following a surgical operation at the Maine General hospital in Portland. Her daughter, Miss Matilda A. Pullen, accompanied her.

Friends in town learn of the marriage in New Brunswick of Miss Myra D. Butts of Kingfield and W. Ellis Jones of Stratton, which occurred last week. Congratulations for many years of happiness are extended Mr. and Mrs. Jones, who have many friends in this vicinity.

Chas. F. French and family have taken rent in the tenement house of O. M. Farmer.

Mrs. Mary Phillips, the oldest member of the Kingfield F. B. church, but now of Phillips, sent a message of good cheer in response to her name at the annual roll call of the church, Sunday evening last. Mrs. Phillips is 91 years old.

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HIGH SCHOOL TRACK MEET.

A DAY FULL OF EXCITEMENT FOR PHILLIPS.

Phillips, Rangeley, Kingfield and Strong Meet for the Third Time and Rangeley Carries Home the Trophy.

A good sized crowd witnessed the events of the third track meet held by the High schools of the above towns at Toothaker park, Phillips, Saturday afternoon, Oct. 16. There were over 100 tickets sold at Rangeley and the boys all had supporters from their home towns. The yells were loud and long and of great variety. The Rangeleys won the cup and are now entitled to keep the same. Phillips gave them a little to think about and would have had another 5 points to their score if Chandler had not been indisposed for a few days before. Rangeley has much of the advantage over all the other towns, as their boys are all big, strapping athletic fellows and one or two have graduated and were only back in school for a few weeks before this meet. The Phillips boys are not feeling sore, however, about it but are glad that Rangeley took the initiative for another year. It is proposed that a new organization be started.

Following is the summary:

100 yd. dash, won by Chandler of Phillips; Brackett of Phillips 2nd. Time, 11 3/4 sec.

Baseball throw, won by True of Strong; Weymouth of Kingfield 2nd. Distance, 270 ft. (Record.)

Half-mile run, won by Philbrick of Rangeley; Ellis of Rangeley 2nd. Time, 2 min., 20 sec. (Record.)

220 yd. dash, won by Chandler of Phillips; Brackett of Phillips 2nd. Time, 25 sec. (Record.)

High jump, won by Gibbs of Rangeley; Wilbur of Rangeley 2nd. Distance, 4 ft., 11 1/2 inches.

1 mile run, won by Pillsbury of Rangeley; Atwood of Phillips 2nd. Time, 5 min., 20 1/2 sec. (Record.)

Football kick, won by Sample of Strong; Hoyt of Phillips 2nd. Distance, 47 ft., 4 inches. (Record.)

440 yd. dash, won by Ellis of Rangeley; Matheson of Rangeley 2nd. Time, 1 min., 4-5 sec. (Record.)

Broad jump, won by Philbrick of Rangeley; Badger of Phillips 2nd. Distance, 18 ft., 5 inches. (Record.)

Freeman ridge are receiving congratulations over the birth of a daughter October 13.

Mrs. Mary G. Porter has returned to her home in Lawrence, Mass., after more than a year's stay with relatives here. Thursday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. James B. Soule of West Kingfield entertained about ninety guests at the spacious boarding house there. A literary and musical entertainment was given and refreshments served.

Mrs. Apphia K. Gilbert and Miss Carrie Gilbert have gone to Lawrence, Mass., where they will spend the winter with relatives.

B. P. Stevens has returned from a three months' trip through Canada and the western states. He also visited the World's fair in Seattle.

Mt. Abram was snow capped Sunday, the 17th, for the first time this fall.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dyer, Emery Churchill and Mrs. Frank Hutchins were in Phillips to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fred Dyer.

Sunday Messrs Joe and Will Dill of Phillips were callers in this town.

Mrs. O. C. Dolber, Mrs. O. I. Landers and Miss Sybil Landers are in Worcester, Mass., this week with relatives.

A large crop of apples was raised this year by farmers in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley, Misses Susie Stanley and Lelia Hunnewell, recently spent the day most enjoyably at Elmdale farm in New Portland.

The harvest supper given last week at the Universalist church, was a pleasing success, both socially and financially.

October 14 Master Emmons Hutchins picked a raspberry bush bearing five large, ripe raspberries, some of which measured more than an inch in diameter. October 15, at Mountain View farm, Dr. E. L. Pennell and family found quite a quantity of the ripe berries. They also were the recipients of beautiful lilac blossoms sent by friends from Damariscotta.

Gene W. Perry of Boston is home for a brief vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. York have been here recently, packing their household goods, preparatory to leaving town. Their departure is regretted by friends, but owing to change of time on the railroad, Mr. York will not take his usual run as mail clerk between Farmington and this town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Webber have moved to Southport.

The Franklin Farmers' Cooperative Telephone Co. has asked permission to construct lines, erect poles and stretch wires and cable for telephone purposes in Kingfield. There will be a hearing at the town office on the 27th of October, 1909, at 7 p. m.

Cross country run, won by Pillsbury of Rangeley; Philbrick of Rangeley 2nd. Kingfield 3 points; Rangeley 42 points; Phillips 25 points; Strong 10 points.

EUSTIS.

It snowed a little here Sunday, Oct. 17.

Mr. A. S. Douglass of Madrid is in town waiting for the Voris party that is coming soon to go into the Kibby.

Miss Stella Potter came out from Round Mountain the past week.

Miss Emma Howard has returned to her home in Lexington.

Wyman & Sargent will run two lumbering operations this winter, one at Rangeley and one at Jim pond.

Scott Lockyer has returned home for his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Day are going to visit their daughter, Mrs. Will Rice, at New Vineyard this week.

Charles Smart is laid up with a lame knee.

Mrs. Fred Davis is having a hard time with her right arm. Dr. Bell was here recently to see her.

Ralph Hastings, M. H. Wyman's clerk, is away on a short vacation.

FARMINGTON.

Farmington friends are interested in the announcement of the engagement of Dr. Donald Cragin of Waterville and Miss Grace Gannett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gannett of Augusta.

WEST NEW VINEYARD.

Mr. Earl Eames closed a successful term of school in the Lincoln district. All were well pleased with Miss Hammond as a teacher in the Hardy district.

Roscoe Stevens, who has been sick with the measles, is so as to be out, we are glad to hear.

Miss Edna Pratt has been at work for J. W. Stevens the past week.

Ida Spaulding is working in the family of Dana Stevens of Farmington.

Harley Greenwood of Farmington was in town buying apples. He bought a fine lot from J. W. Stevens, besides several smaller lots.

L. J. Hackett and his crew are kept busy these short days, we should judge by the number of apple barrels that are hauled from his barrel mill daily.

Marcia Savage was out in the fields with her papa Saturday, Oct. 17, and picked a bouquet containing the following flowers in full bloom: Strawberry, buttercup, dandelion, blue violets and wild daisies. It seems that there are an unusual number of spring flowers in bloom this fall.

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AT HEARING IN DUCK POND SHOOTING CASE.

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The hearing in the Portland Municipal court recently, where Benjamin F. Brown was charged with assault with a dangerous weapon, with intent to kill Thomas T. Connolly, was full of amusing incidents and was of general interest among hunters, especially duck hunters. Brown was discharged and Edward D. Jordan arraigned on the same charge, and was finally held for the grand jury on the modified charge of assault and battery. Jordan's bail was fixed at \$300, and Howard C. Hannaford and William L. Trundy became his sureties.

The hearing in the case which was continued from September 29, immediately following the arrest of the men on September 28 by Deputy Sheriff Frank Wallace on the complaint of Connolly, occupied two hours, but the monotony was relieved by flashes of fun injected by the answers to some of the questions put by the county attorney on his cross examination.

Connolly and Milo Bumps, both of whom were employed by the Great Pond club to protect the duck shooting interests of that organization on

duck struggled in the water. A half minute later another shot came, and this time the shot struck the boat and hit both the men, but not hard enough to penetrate.

Milo Bumps added little to the testimony of Connolly except to say that the duck on the water was 125 yards from the boat, when the third shot was fired.

Recalled by the county attorney, Connolly stated that on September 20, a week previous, E. D. Jordan had told him that the Cape boys were getting sore on him and that some day they would drop a hot brick on him. Scott Wilson, attorney for the defense, raised an objection to this testimony, which was not sustained.

The defense then called Benjamin Brown as a witness, and Brown testified that he didn't fire the first two shots referred to at all, but that George Jordan fired at a sandpeep, and killed him.

On cross examination by Col. Eaton, Brown admitted that he didn't know why Jordan fired a second shot for he brought the bird down on the first shot. When George Jordan himself was called he explained this by saying that he fired the second barrel to kill the sandpeep which was only wounded. In his argument the county attorney called attention to this fact and sarcastically commented saying that the defendants apparently hadn't rehearsed their story very well.

"What did you do with the sandpeep after you got him?" inquired the county attorney of George Jordan in cross examination.



A CAMP AT BLAKESLEE.

the pond, claimed that Brown fired both barrels of his shotgun and that the shot struck within 30 yards of them while they were out on the pond in a small skiff, and that a few moments later Jordan fired a charge which sent shot rattling around them in the boat, and some of which hit Connolly in the breast and some hit Bumps in the shoulder and arm.

Brown stated that he did not fire any shots at all but that George Jordan, a son of E. D. Jordan, fired at a sandpeep. Young Jordan confirmed this statement so far as his testimony went.

E. D. Jordan claimed that he simply shot at a wounded duck on the water. His testimony had the general character of unbelief in the statement of Connolly and Bumps that they had been hit by any shot.

When Connolly took the stand as the first witness for the state he testified that with Bumps he paddled down to a blind where Brown and George Jordan were stationed and that after a little friendly conversation, Brown told them to go across where they belonged, meaning over to the Gun club. Instead, they started to row across to the blind occupied by E. D. Jordan, and then came two shots in quick succession, from Brown's gun, the shot striking in the water 35 or 40 yards from them.

They continued toward the blind occupied by the elder Jordan. A duck flew quivering toward the blind and Jordan fired at him and brought him down, and then fired again as the

"Put him with the other birds," answered Jordan.

"But what did you do with him?" persisted Mr. Eaton.

"Why, we ate him," smiled young Jordan.

"Ate one little sandpeep?" incredulously inquired the county attorney.

"What did you do, roast him?"

"Well, we had four black ducks and we put the sandpeep in a pot pie with them," answered Jordan.

And thereafter this pot pie composed of four black ducks and a sandpeep was a delicious morsel that was apparently very palatable to the county attorney.

E. D. Jordan, the next witness called, claimed that he fired all three shots at a duck. The first when the duck was coming across the blind, and 50 yards up dropped the bird in the water with a broken wing about 40 yards away, the second he fired on the water to kill the bird which he thought might get away and the third was to absolutely finish the still struggling bird.

Mr. Jordan said that by measurement afterwards they found that when the duck rose for his flight from the pond he was 92 yards from the blind, and he confirmed the testimony of the witnesses for the defense that although the bird lay shot on the water it was between the blind and the boat yet not in a line direction and in fact 20 yards one side of the boat.

After the third shot was fired Connolly rowed towards the blind and yelled, "What are you trying to do,

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make a target of us?" and Jordan replied that he wasn't making a target of anybody. When the boat came alongside the blind, he examined it and couldn't see any shot marks but his examination was casual, for he knew that the other two men had examined the boat and found no signs of shot marks.

Returning to September 20, Jordan on cross examination admitted that he had seen Connolly on that day and told him that he had seen about all of his (Connolly's) company that he wanted, and that he would give him a friendly tip that he had heard some of the boys at the Cape say that they would drop a hot brick on him and that they might fake him out and drop him overboard some day.

Connolly answered that no one on the land or water either in that region could turn the trick, and Mr. Jordan gave Mr. Connolly distinctly to understand that he didn't mean that he personally cared to take up the cudgel, for he understood that he was the brother of Bartley Connolly, the slugger.

After Mr. Wilson had pleaded for the discharge of his clients, the county attorney stated to the court that he didn't think the full meaning of the charge "assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to slay and kill," should apply in either case and said that he would be content with a modification of the charges.

Regarding this case a correspondent of Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman writes:

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