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MANY LUMBERING OPERATIONS ON

Winter Will Be a Busy One in This Section for Men and Rail-roads.

In the section of territory served by the Sandy River & Rangeley Lakes railroad, there are more lumbering operations this year than usual. In the lower Dead River section that territory recently sold by F. J. D. Barnjum to Blaine Viles and others, there are going to be 17 different operations going on this winter, one of the large ones being that of Mr. Viles and Boyd & Harvey of Augusta.

In the upper Dead River country the Great Northern Paper Co. has contracts with Wynan & Itaney to cut 20,000 cords of pulpwood on Alder Stream town. Their operations call for the employ of a small army of workmen, many horses and an immense amount of supplies which go over the railroad to Carabasset and Bigelow.

Miss Annie Weymouth is cutting several hundred cords of white birch from her farm in Madrid and has commenced shipment to the International Mfg. Co.'s mill in Phillips.

In the town of Dallas Mr. Getchell is cutting about 1,500 cords of spruce and fir pulpwood for the Oxford Paper Co. at Rumford and from the same town Tom Willett has cut some 4,500 cords of poplar pulpwood for the S. D. Warren Paper Co., of Cumberland Mills.

William True also has at Dallas

about 100 cords of spruce pulpwood ready for shipment.

Miss Blanche Kenniston is cutting from her land near Reed's Mill about 200 cords of pulpwood and white birch to be shipped from Reed's.

The Pejepscot Paper Co. has cut and peeled sixteen or seventeen thousand cords of spruce pulpwood to be shipped to the Androscoggin River mills and the larger amount of lumber will come in at Madrid village, Caves' upper siding, the new siding near the top of Sluice hill, at Redington pond, at Pejepscot siding above Redington farm and at Dallas.

At Langtown, the Langtown Company has cut and peeled about 9,000 cords of spruce to be shipped from the new terminal which is nearing completion at that place.

Honney Webber and a crew of men are cutting toothpick birch near Saddleback mountain for shipment to the Forster toothpick mill at Strong.

Fred Hathaway of Madrid is cutting 100 cords of poplar pulpwood to be shipped this winter from Reed's Mill.

Frank Chandler is cutting near Sanders' to be shipped from that place 150 cords of spruce pulp and 190 cords of white birch.

Louis Fournier is cutting on lots 8, Range 3 and 4, 1,500 cords of spruce and poplar pulpwood and white birch to be shipped the coming winter from Webber's siding.

On the main line of the Sandy River & Rangeley Lakes R. R. at Phillips and points north, Haley & Field have cut some 6,000 cords of spruce and poplar pulpwood, for shipment to Rumford during the coming

season. In addition to this they will cut four or five hundred cords of white birch near Sandy River pond for shipment to the Reed's Mill Lumber Co., Phillips.

On the Charles Fairbanks farm Samuel Stillman is cutting for Beal & Webber, 200 cords of white birch which will be landed on the railroad at Hodges.

On the Bigelow division of the line at Soule's Mill, the Oxford Paper Co. has just finished cutting, Richards & Lambert, Contractors, 5,500 cords of pulpwood for shipment to their Rumford mill next summer. At the same point Wood & Lander of Kingfield, who built a small mill at that place last season will cut and manufacture into squares, their usual amount of white birch, about 1,000 cords.

At Bigelow Russell Bros., & Estes Co. of Farmington will cut their usual amount of white birch, about 1,500 cords to be manufactured into white birch squares and shipped to their Farmington mill.

At the Farmer field near Barnjum on the Perham branch, Benjamin Dodge & Son will put in a large amount of white birch and hardwood the coming winter.

At Barnjum the large sawmill has just started up and will saw out about 800,000 long logs which were left over from last winter's operation. It is also understood that they may cut about another million the coming winter.

GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bubier Gladdened by Presence of Friends.

Friends helped Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bubier celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Monday evening, November 8, and made it a most enjoyable occasion. Nearly 200 friends gathered to wish them good luck and many more years of happiness together.

During the evening an original poem was read by Mrs. Jennie Smith which was enjoyed and appreciated by the company.

Refreshments were served and consisted of many good things prepared by Mrs. Bubier.

The company departed at a late hour wishing that this couple might be visited in 25 years on a like occasion.

Tokens of esteem were left by the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. Simon Booker, glass berry dish; Richard and Herbert and Mary Calden, sugar shell; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Toothaker, bombon dish and fancy plate; Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Withey and children, linen towels; Mrs. Lillian Calden, pair linen towels; Neola Bubier, hand embroidered towels; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Calden and family, silver butter knife and sugar shell and fancy cake plate; Thora Bubier, embroidered towels; Mrs. Olive Bubier, lace curtains; Mr. and Mrs. Seymour, pair towels and \$1; Miss Gusta Kempton and Miss Julia Ellis, book; Simon Booker, 25c; Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Perry, pair rubbers; Mrs. Lillian Calden, Mrs. C. H. McKenney, Mrs. Jane McKenney, pair linen towels; from the following neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Toothaker, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hanscom, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cole, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dill, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Scamman, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Badger, Gertie Hewey, Marion Hewey, Arthur Kempton, Weton Toothaker, Mildred Toothaker, C. F. Pinkham, Martha Jewett, Ada Church, Joseph Hanscom, George Hanscom, Llewellyn Walker, one-half dozen knives and forks, one-half dozen teaspoons, two table spoons, two dessert spoons.

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1916

North Franklin Agricultural Society Has Annual Election.

At the adjourned meeting of the North Franklin Agricultural society which was held at the Grange hall Wednesday afternoon, officers were elected for the year 1916 as follows:

President, A. D. Graffam; Vice President, W. B. Butler; Secretary, J. I. Harnden; Treasurer, A. E. Bunnell; Trustees, W. W. Mitchell, O. A. Badger, Frank Sampson, A. S. Beedy, C. E. Dill.

Matters were discussed relative to improvements for the society and with these efficient men at the head there is no reason but what the Fair of 1916 can be made a success, but they will need and should have the additional help of every citizen of the town.

VERY HELPFUL SERVICES HELD

Committee of Franklin Association of Congregational Churches Visits Phillips.

The service at Union church last Sunday evening was an especially helpful one, and was enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience.

The members of the Executive Committee of the Franklin Association of Congregational Churches are continuing the happy custom inaugurated last year and in visiting the churches of the county are carrying cheer and inspiration to the workers in the towns visited.

Mr. W. S. Bass of Wilton was the first speaker at the meeting in Phillips Sunday evening. His account of the State work and its needs was most instructive. As a member of the Financial Committee of the State Convention Mr. Bass is very well acquainted with the subject he presents. In closing he gave a brief but interesting report of the Laymen's Missionary Convention which met in Portland last week.

Principal Mallet of Farmington Normal school then spoke concerning investments of life. In direct and well-chosen words he emphasized the necessity that all one's resources of time, money and strength be wisely invested in that that is high and good if a person is to attain a character and life worth while.

Rev. W. H. Palmer of Wilton, who was the next speaker reported the great meeting of the National Council recently held in New Haven, Connecticut. Mr. Palmer was the delegate from this Association and the address in which he brought his report was very interesting and encouraging indeed.

Rev. R. H. Clapp of Farmington made the closing address of the evening. In sentences of force and grace Mr. Clapp made evident the abiding grandeur of the Christian church and presented the fundamental requirements of the truly religious life.

Separately and altogether the speakers brought to their hearers a measure of encouragement and strength not soon to be forgotten.

The services of the evening were greatly aided and much enriched by the music given by the Choral Club.

Verbal Economy.

Little Johnny's mother asked him the other day how he liked some new play-fellows, whose family had lately settled in the village. "They play all right, mummy; but they use awful naughty swear-words sometimes." "Oh, Johnny!" "You needn't mind, mummy. I don't use swear-words back. I only say to them 'Ditto!'" —Stray Stories.

WILBURS RETURN FROM THE WEST

Will Do Large Gardening Business as Formerly.

The many friends of Messrs. Chas. and Jerry Wilbur will be glad to know that they have returned from Eau Claire, Wis., where they have been for the last two years and are to locate in town, Charles having bought Silas Blodgett's place and Jerry buying Eben Hanscom's. These two farms are very near each other but do not adjoin. Mr. Charles Wilbur will continue the business of vegetable gardening on a big scale and will run a team to deliver the same. He expects to take possession about the first of March, Mr. Blodgett remaining on the place until that time as he has not yet secured a home. Jerry Wilbur will move onto the Hanscom place about the first of April. Mr. Hanscom has had to sell on account of poor health.

Mr. G. W. Luffkin also expects to come to Maine to make his home later, at least in the summers and will probably pass the winters in the sunny South as he and Mrs. Luffkin will the coming winter. He has just sold two farms in Eau Claire, Wis., for \$35,000 and has other real estate which he has not disposed of and also owns mining stock. Mr. Wilbur packed his household goods for him before coming east.

The townspeople in general will be glad to have these enterprising farmers locate among us again.

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Pupils of "Howling Success" High School Graduate With Honors.

The graduating exercises of the "Howling Success High school of Skyrocket Corner" which were given by the members of Hope Rebekah Lodge last Friday evening after their regular meeting were certainly a "howling success" and the "sweet girl graduates" dressed to kill in their class colors of red and yellow. Of course they all did finely and were presented with beautiful (?) bouquets after rendering their part.

Frank Davis, "the only boy" in the class was all right and made up for half a dozen. He kept the company convulsed throughout the performance.

The august board of school committee consisted of Judge James Morrison, Angier Jacobs, Dr. E. B. Currier, E. V. Holt, Judge Morrison presenting the diplomas with the usual fitting words of advice and counsel to the class. Miss Shirley Holt acted as teacher and Mrs. E. V. Holt as flower girl.

Following is the program:

Music	
Salutatory,	Betsey Fitz
	Emma Russell
History,	Keturah Ketchup
	Evelyn Currier
Prophecy,	Jerusha Dooley
	Emma Davenport
Recitation,	Priscilla Prim
	Edith Haley
Music	
Oration,	Rastus Strout
	Frank Davis
Presentation of Gifts,	
	Samantha Smart
	Sadie Davis
Poem,	Joannah Cram
	Imogene Scamman
Valedictory,	Jemimah Green
	Lillian Sedgeley

Presentation of Diplomas
A generous amount of popcorn was enjoyed at the social hour after the entertainment.

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SWEEPING OF THE POOL

Superintendent Libby Thinks Work Will Be a Little Later.

The salmon in Sebago Lake have run into the pool at Raymond to such an extent that the first sweeping of the pool was carried on last week, Wednesday, Nov. 10. The Cumberland County Angling Association with headquarters in Portland were advised of the intention of the hatchery men to net the fish and it is expected that there will be a good catch. As soon as the fish are taken from the water they will be placed in the pens that have recently been repaired and will be confined until such time as the egg-stripping process is deemed advisable. Last year, Nov. 12 was the date upon which the stripping of the eggs commenced, but it is the opinion of Mr. Libby, the superintendent of the hatchery at Raymond that the work will be carried on at a somewhat later date this season. Arthur Briggs of Winthrop, superintendent of the State Fish Hatcheries went to Raymond where he inspected the hatchery, the repairs and the sweeping of the salmon pool.

TURTLE MARKED BY GOODALL

All Rumors and Explanations Put to Rest.

When the Sanford Tribune announced last week that a large turtle had been found recently near Goodall Park with an inscription on its back "E. M. G. 1867" and assumed that it was Hon. E. M. Goodall who put the same there many people announced that it seemed almost impossible while others declared that the date was wrong. However the Tribune is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Goodall this week which is self-explanatory. It is as follows:—

Nov. 8, 1915.

Editor Sanford Tribune
Dear Sir
I saw the item in the Tribune of last week in regard to the turtle marked "1867 E. M. G." I will say that I caught a turtle in 1867 when working in the finishing room in No. 1 mill and carved my initials and the year 1867 on his back. At that time it was about seven inches across, as I remember, and Chas. A. Bodwell was present when I marked it.

Very truly yours,
E. M. Goodall.

HUNT BEAVER AT WOODVILLE

Having received written complaint from the owners of land in the town of Woodville, this county, that beaver are doing actual, substantial damage to their property, the commissioner of inland fisheries and game have declared an open season on beaver from Nov. 15, 1915, to Feb. 29, 1916.

During the open season for the lands specified it will be lawful for any licensed hunter and trapper of fur bearing animals to trap beaver thereon, but no person shall set a trap for beaver within ten feet of a beaver house.

FRATERNAL RIFLE LEAGUE HAS 13 TEAMS THIS SEASON.

Thirteen teams are already enrolled in the Portland Fraternal Rifle league for the winter of 1915-16.

But that number is not going to be unlucky by any means. The interest in the league is keener than it has ever been before, there are more different fraternal organizations represented and there has been a new rule adopted that is sure to make the fights for honors keener and more satisfactory than ever before.

At the office of Elton H. Thompson Friday afternoon, a meeting of the league was held and the names of those organizations that will be represented on the circuit were received. Last year there were 12 teams in the league. Two of those have dropped out and three others have already joined. Another team is expected to come in if arrangements for a range can be made. At the present time, the league will be made up of teams from the following organizations:

Windsor castle, K. G. E.; Forest City castle, K. G. E.; Knights

and Ladies of America, Rockamee-cook tribe, I. O. R.; Ligonia lodge, I. O. F.; Longfellow lodge, K. P.; Machigonne tribe, I. O. R.; Samoset tribe, I. O. R.; Hadatah lodge, I. O. F.; Pine Tree lodge, K. P.; Geo. Washington council, O. U. A. M.; Portland camp, M. W. A.; and Bayard lodge, K. P.

The season will officially open on the evening of Nov. 29. The schedule will be arranged for 14 teams in case the team that is expected to unite with the league is able to join. In this way, the season will be made to extend over 26 weeks.

When the time for the awarding of prizes comes, at the end of the season, the trophies will be given out by classes.

By this arrangement, the team that occupies sixth position at the end of the season will be awarded first place in Class B and there will be other prizes accordingly. In this way, because of the apparent strength of a number of the organizations, it is felt that a more equitable distribution of prizes will result. It has also been decided that the captains of each team will make the rules governing his own range in regard to practice by a visiting team.

At the meeting Friday, the resignation of Capt. I. E. Park, U. S. A., as secretary-treasurer of the league was accepted with regret because of the transfer of the officer to the canal zone. Henry G. Eastman of Longfellow lodge, K. P., was elected to succeed Capt. Park.

Not only will the members of the league increase their fraternal relations through the medium of the rifle contests, but they will make still closer bonds of union as the result of the establishment of a relief committee at the head of which Mr. Thompson has been placed. This committee is designed to send letters of greeting and cheer and remembrances to any of the members of the league who may be sick.

6,000,000 HUMPBACKED SALMON ON WAY TO MAINE FROM PACIFIC.

A shipment of 6,000,000 humpbacked salmon is on its way from Oregon for the fish hatcheries at Green lake and Craig brook, also 500 of the large Pacific crabs for Boothbay harbor. When the car reaches Portland on its return it will probably be held until the 6,000 seed lobsters that are to be sent to the Pacific from the eastern waters are ready to go and they will be sent in it to their new home in the Pacific. These efforts to change Atlantic and Pacific food fishes are in line with the general trend of the work of the bureau of fisheries to help as much as possible in keeping up the supply everywhere.

NOTES FROM ALL AROUND

Mrs. Azel Wilson of Wilson's Mills shot a fine buck directly through the heart and also took it out of the woods. She has a record of one each year for the past three seasons. The Wilson's Mills correspondent of the Norway Advertiser records that fact and then adds—we know not why—"and is not a suffragette."

C. M. Rogers of the C. M. Conant Co., Bangor, and Mrs. Rogers left Friday afternoon for a few days' hunting near Phillips lake. They will occupy the Hunt cottage.

Ashland Broad, the 16-year-old son of the late Howard Broad, Upper Kent, was killed Thursday afternoon by the accidental discharge of his .32-caliber rifle while climbing over a fence. A young boy by the name of Canram was with him and ran for

him. The boy died in 20 minutes.

Five cans of silver head salmon were sent here from the Moosehead hatchery Wednesday and taken to Sebago lake where they were deposited in Bog brook. It had been intended to deposit the fish in the Buttermilks but owing to the high winds of Wednesday none of the lake steamers would venture across the lake to the carry. It was deemed unwise to keep the fish longer in the cans so they were placed in Sebago waters.

Elbridge Harlow of Dixfield secured two deer, Hillary Harlow one and Maurice Horne one, on their hunting trip to South Arm last week, also Ezra Swett was among the lucky hunters last week, capturing a good sized deer at Carthage, Friday.

Ten deer were brought out from Upper Dam last week by the Lewiston hunting party, made up of John H. White, Dr. Randall, Dr. Ness, Dr. Pendleton, L. S. Durgin, Thomas C. White, Albert H. Julia, John E. Kincaid and E. K. Bly. They camped at The Midway, the famous old camp, built by Seth Chandler and a company of Upper Dam fishermen, years ago. They had four guides and a motor boat. Fun and good sport, plenty of game and evenings by the great stone fireplace in the Upper Dam House, made the trip memorable.

Deputy Sheriff John S. Spinney and Grocer Frederick Dodge left Boothbay Harbor Wednesday of last week for their annual hunting trip in the big Maine woods. They go to Beaver Brook, near Lambert Lake, in Washington county, where Lester Haywood, formerly of Damariscotta, and now a guide, has a fine log cabin camp. Mr. Haywood and another party have already secured several deer and one big bear, and the local hunters are hoping to get a bruin. They have been most successful at this camp. Last year both got two fine bucks. A year or two ago Sheriff Spinney brought home deer and a large Canadian lynx. The local huntsmen will be gone two weeks.

Several parties from Brewer are out in the big woods, hoping in the short time that they have there, to knock over a deer or two. One of the parties is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy T. Knewlton and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller, who have gone to Great Pond in the Knowlton auto.

Another party, which is in camp at Brandy pond, is composed of Hon. Victor H. Mutt, Daniel J. Mooney and Dr. J. A. Lethbridge, who will be gone but a few days and are looking for big ones.

The friends of George R. Patten, proprietor of the New DeWitt are looking forward to a feast on venison when he returns from his hunting trip in New Hampshire. Mr. Patten is said to be a crack shot and he has guaranteed to bring home the proof.

Dr. E. A. Sprague arrived home Wednesday of last week from his hunting trip to Indian Pond. He brought home a small deer, which he had shot. Mr. Tibbetts of Damariscotta got a fine buck, but up to the time the Doctor left, "Bobbie" Boyd and John Higgins had not potted a deer, but were hoping to get them before they returned the last of this week.—Boothbay Harbor Register.

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KILLING MANY BIRDS OFF

Automobiles Helping to Depopulate Woods of Game Birds.

"I believe that the use of the automobile and parcel post by hunters will result in the destruction of our game birds of Maine ultimately," said Game Com'r. Walter I. Neal of Belfast to a Commercial reporter Saturday afternoon at the Union station, Bangor. "Poachers are using both, we have good reason to believe, in evading the game laws of this state, and there seems to be no way of stopping it. While there is a law against shipping birds by parcel post, it is pretty hard to enforce, as it would mean that the postmasters would have to open a great many of the packages shipped, which is not practicable.

"Automobiles make frequent raids into the woods and because the birds can be easily concealed and it is easy to keep away from the wardens."

"Game receipts are not quite so large as last year, I understand, but that does not mean that less deer are shot. No track is kept of deer that are shot by automobilists, who take a great many out of the woods each day."

The partridge and woodcock season will close in certain Maine counties next Monday, Nov. 15, and from that day on, a fine of \$10 and costs will be imposed on all offenders and one dollar for each partridge killed, had in possession or transported.

This is the law:

There shall be an annual closed season for ruffed grouse, commonly called partridge, spruce partridge, woodcock, in the counties of Oxford, Franklin, Somerset, Piscataquis, Penobscot, Aroostook, Washington and Hancock counties from the 15th day of November of each year until the fourteenth day of September of the following year, both days inclusive during which closed season it shall be unlawful to hunt, chase, catch, kill or have in possession any of the above named birds except as hereinafter provided.

"Nor shall any person or corporation carry or transport from place to place any of the birds mentioned in this section in closed season (except that a person shall have a reasonable time after the beginning of closed season to transport, as hereinafter provided to his home game birds legally killed by him in open season) nor in open season unless open to view, tagged and plainly labeled with the owner's name and residence, and accompanied by him unless tagged with a transportation tag as hereinafter provided; nor shall any person or corporation carry or transport in one day more than five partridges and ten woodcock the property of one person.

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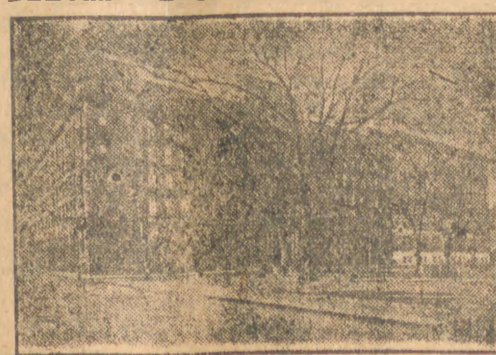
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HOPES TO TRAP THE SKUNK FAMILY

Mr. Grant Thinks He May Have Missed His Calling.

F. J. Grant, boss of the construction work on the Maine Central on the Rangeley division, is wondering if he has mistaken his calling, and if there would not be more success for him in the trapping and hunting line. Mr. Grant has a fine flock of full blooded Plymouth Rock poultry, and one evening last week, a skunk got into the poultry house and made away with the cockerel, which was valued at not less than \$1.50. Mr. Grant set a trap next night and caught the old chap, and on the following night, again set the trap. Before retiring, he went to the hen house with a lantern to see if there had been any results, and found a young skunk prowling about inside the house. He set the lantern down and waited behind it. The skunk came up to within three feet of the lantern and then started to leave the house, but on the way stepped on the trap in such a manner that he was caught by the belly. Both skins are in prime condition, and are worth in the neighborhood of \$1.50 each while

SANDY RIVER & RANGELEY LAKES RAILROAD TIME TABLE

In Effect, September 26, 1915.

FARMINGTON Passenger Trains leave Farmington for Phillips, Rangeley and Bigelow, at 6.15 P. M., and for Phillips at 12.07 P. M. Passenger trains arrive from Phillips at 6.55 A. M. and from Rangeley, Phillips and Bigelow at 2.10 P. M.

Mixed train arrives at 9.35 A. M. and leaves at 11.00 A. M.

STRONG Passenger Trains leave for Farmington at 6.23 A. M. and 1.37 P. M. For Phillips at 12.37 P. M., and for Phillips and Rangeley at 5.47 P. M. and for Bigelow at 5.50 P. M. Passenger trains arrive from Farmington at 12.37 P. M. and 5.47 P. M. From Bigelow at 1.25 P. M.

Mixed Train arrives from Phillips at 8.45 A. M. and from Kingfield at 8.25 A. M., and from Farmington at 11.45 A. M. Leaves for Phillips at 1.40 P. M. and for Farmington at 8.45 A. M.

PHILLIPS Passenger Trains leave for Farmington at 6.00 A. M. and 1.15 P. M. For Rangeley at 6.15 P. M. Passenger Trains arrive from Farmington at 12.55 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. From Rangeley at 12.20 P. M. Rangeley 10.15 A. M.

Mixed Train leaves for Farmington at 7.30 A. M., Rangeley 1.20 P. M. and arrives from Farmington at 2.15 P. M.

RANGELEY Passenger Train leaves for Farmington at 10.40 A. M. and arrives at 8.00 P. M.

Mixed Train arrives from Phillips at 3.45 P. M. and leaves at 7.30 A. M.

SALEM Passenger Train leaves at 1.00 P. M. for Farmington and arrives at 6.16 P. M.

KINGFIELD Passenger Train leaves for Bigelow at 9.00 A. M. and 6.38 P. M. For Farmington at 12.40 P. M.

Mixed Train leaves for Farmington at 6.45 A. M. and for Bigelow at 12.00 M.

BIGELOW Passenger Train leaves for Farmington at 10.50 A. M. and arrives at 7.28 P. M. Arrives from Kingfield at 10.00 A. M. and 7.28 P. M. and leaves for Kingfield at 10.50 A. M. and 7.35 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS Leave Rangeley at 10.50 A. M. Phillips 12.25 P. M. Strong 12.47 P. M., arriving at Farmington 1.20 P. M. Returning leave Farmington at 1.50 P. M. Strong 2.22 P. M. Phillips, 2.45 P. M., arriving at Rangeley at 4.25 P. M.

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Phillips, Maine.

MAINE RIFLE TEAM WAS CREDIT TO THE STATE AT JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

Corp. Woods Scored 308 Out of Possible 325 and Finished 33rd in Individual Shoot---Team Found Hotter Days Than Hottest of Summer in Maine---Drop from Class B to Class C and Will Shoot Back into B Next Summer

The rifle team which represented Maine at the national shoot at Jacksonville, Florida, have returned to the Pine Tree State. There were 18 in the party; 15 made up the team. Maj. Goodwin, quartermaster, says that the men came home in excellent physical condition and in fine spirits after a thoroughly enjoyable and successful sojourn in the State which balances Maine at the opposite end of the country's Atlantic seaboard. It was hot all through the visit; the first two days of the shoot were hotter than our hottest days of 1915, the following days were first curtailed in a torrential rain and then blanketed in the steam of the drying off process.

Maine's team finished 37th and dropped from Class B, where it has been for several years, into Class C. This is to be desired, the Major says, for it will give an opportunity for next year's team to shoot itself back into Class B, thereby winning prizes and coming within the money. Only in advancing or in shooting within the first four places in a class can a team win prizes. Thus it

reason for the making of the new rule, that new champions would develop and the scope of expert marksmanship would be perceptibly broadened by the advent of new men on the firing line. The hope was well founded. Corp. Woods landed in 33rd place in a contest in which 756 men shot; he was within the money awards and with a record of 308 out of a possible 325 was well within the high stands of the shoot. The Massachusetts marksman who won the President's match shot a score of 315.

Maj. Goodwin says that had the team contests been shot under the same conditions that existed when the individual contests were shot, Maine would have again landed in Class B, but drenched grounds between the firing stations and the targets, creating mists, mirages, and all manner of unusual obstacles, militated against the Maine team and they finished in 37th place. Maj. Goodwin insists that Corp. Woods is not only a remarkable rifleman now but that he gives promise of a record

maker.

The record made by Christy on the Auburn range, a new world's record of 68 bull's-eyes on the 300 yard range, was bettered by Jackson at Jacksonville, the latter hitting the middle of the target 90 times in succession, refusing to continue then when he found that he had beaten the only rival contesting him who fell down with 89.

BELIEVES HE SAW A WOLF

County Commissioner W. H. Sherman, of Bar Harbor, is a thorough convert to the belief, held by a few Maine men, that wolves still occasionally stray into Maine from the Canadian woods. Mr. Sherman is no tyro in the woods; he knows a fox, bobcat, or lynx when he sees one, and is not to be argued out of his statement that the animal he saw recently while hunting in the woods near Beddington was not one



STATE RIFLE TEAM AT JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA, WHICH FINISHED 37TH IN NATIONAL SHOOT.

Top Row, Left to Right—Serg. Henry Caldwell, Artificer Fred Thompson, Serg. Samuel Smith, Corp. Ernest Nichols, Serg. George McGinley, Corp. Wesley H. Woods, Corp. Ralph Dunphy, Corp. John Kinmond.
Bottom Row, Left to Right—Lieut. Carroll Chase, Capt. Joshua Goodridge, Capt. Elson Hosford, Major W. C. Goodwin, Quartermaster, Maj. Gilbert M. Elliott, Team Captain, Lieut. Sumner Hill, Team Spotter, Capt. Earl Reed, Lieut. Charles Savage, Lieut. Spaulding Bisbee.
In Front, Austin B. Durgin, 2nd Div. Naval Reserve.

NEW WAY OF KILLING A MINK

Irving West has discovered a new way of killing a mink—first get your mink in a cellar. Mr. West was driving to North Ellsworth one day recently, when a mink ran across the road ahead of him. He wanted the mink, and he had a gun, but he didn't want to spoil the skin. So he went to the house of Arthur Clement to borrow a rifle, driving the mink before him. When the house was reached, the mink darted through a rusty screen and into the cellar. Mr. West had a lively chase about the cellar, but finally succeeded in drawing a bead on the mink's head. He got the mink without spoiling the skin.

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profits nothing and means little to land in fifth place in Class B, but wins honors and prizes to advance from 7th place in Class C, where the team now stands, to one of the first places in the class.

The team which represented Maine at the national shoot this year was made up entirely of new men. A military regulation provided that not more than half the men should be experienced in national shoots and the officers of the Guard decided to go the regulations 50% better in original contestants and made up a team composed of men who had never shot at all in a national match. With this condition in mind, one can easily see that Maine's record in the 1915 shoot is not one to be ashamed of and the record of Corp. Woods of Rumford is one to allow a little boasting if one desires to boast.

At former shoots such names as Dorrity, Stiles and Christy were rames to conjure with and they gave prestige to Maine's individual records. Under the new rules for making up the team none of these men nor other crack shots of experience in national shoots were allowed to go. It was hoped, and the hope provided a

HORNED OWL SENT TO BOSTON

A horned owl, much larger than any of the other owls in Franklin Park zoo at Boston, is attracting more than usual attention. The bird, an unusually fine specimen, has a disposition that is far from gentle and an appetite that would do credit to two average owls. It was captured near Woolwich, Me., early last week by Hollis Bailey of Woolwich, and owing to its being such a fine specimen was immediately shipped to the Franklin Park Zoo. When the expressman delivered the owl at the bird house most of the birds in the outside cages set up a chatter and desperate shrieks. The owl is located now in one of the outside cages at the bird house and is receiving special attention from Custodian Andrew MacNeally. The owl is one of the few that possessed a good appetite which it started to satisfy at the first opportunity. The other owls sulked in their cages for days after arriving at the aviary, but this newcomer, 20 minutes after arriving at its new home, was eating heartily of ground bone and meat scraps and has not missed a meal since.

of these.

The animal was almost twice as tall as a fox, and it had a long tail, not as bushy as that of a fox. It was a tawny brown in color, lean in the hind quarters and thicker at the shoulders, and the hair on back and shoulders bristled up instead of lying smooth or parted like that of a fox.

Mr. Sherman came up behind the animal while alone. The animal was intent upon a house which could be seen on a side hill a quarter of a mile away. Its head was in the air as it sniffed toward the house.

Mr. Sherman approached within ten or fifteen feet of the animal. His first impression was that it was a shepherd dog, and for that reason he did not shoot, while he looked the animal over for a full minute, he thinks. Once he took careful aim, but then lowered his gun, thinking still it might be a dog.

Then he spoke as to a dog: "Hello, sir." In a flash the animal was off in the woods, and the State museum at Augusta was deprived of a rare specimen—a wolf killed in Maine in 1915.

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WHITE GETS AN EIGHT POINT DEER

Drove Like a Cow for Half a Mile.

Thursday afternoon of last week Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Field invited Miss C. T. Crosby, Miss Bertha Poore and Mrs. J. W. Brackett for an auto trip to Farmington. On their return home on the west side of the river when nearly opposite George Hamlin's about 3 1/2 miles from Phillips village they came suddenly in sight of a buck deer standing in the road. He allowed them to get quite close and then ran slowly up over the hill and into the woods. They had a chance to see him several times through the trees, and Mr. Field could have shot him very easily with buckshot.

Tuesday morning Ed. White took a trip in that section and after going into the woods about a half mile met the old fellow. He had two shells in his rifle and sent them after the deer and wounded him. He went and cut a good sized stick and drove the deer down into the road the half mile and White says he drove very easily, until he got to the road when W. H. Will came along with a team and he thought he was cornered. He turned on White and showed considerable fight so that he had to get busy. He got behind a tree in some way and gave him a few raps with the stick and finished him. The deer had eight points.

DOESN'T CARE FOR BEAR MUSIC

Richard Maxcy and friend from Portland have recently passed a few days at J. C. Tirrell's camp at Mad-ris and enjoyed some hunting. Frank Chick was their guide. Maxcy got nearer a bear than he did a deer and when he left the other fellows at camp and struck out alone one day they said that it didn't take "Dick" very long to make camp after he heard a bear "holler" near him. All three started out to get the old fellow but failed to see him. Maxcy said there was no mistake about his seeing him on the trip alone.

Cossack "Adventurers."

The word "Cossack," itself, is a derivative from the Turkish prototype of "adventurer," which is a typical word for the description of these roving horseriders. The Cossack population of Russia amounts to roughly 2,500,000 men and women, and they collectively own some 140,000,000 acres of Russian territory.

Nails Made by Hand.

It seems hardly credible that it was almost to the close of the eighteenth century that most nails were made by hand. Other countries were very slow to follow the lead of England in getting out nails in large quantities. In France for nearly a century light nails for carpenter work were made from wire, but until 1850 they were made by hand with a hammer.

To Protect Picture Frames.

Grate a fresh, raw onion, and apply the juice, full strength, with a soft, clean brush to the gilt frames. This not only removes all former traces of flies, but will prevent their alighting upon the frame or the picture in it.

IN AND ABOUT PHILLIPS

Mrs. Proctor Smith entertained the King's Daughters last week, Friday. There was a good number present considering the condition of the streets. Mrs. E. B. Currier, Mrs. Arno Pratt and Miss Cora Wheeler were chosen a committee to revise the constitution.

Mrs. Elja Dow is employed at Farmington at the present time.

Walter Chase and Miss O'Brien were recent guests of friends in Dixfield.

Mrs. W. W. Small of Farmington is in Lowell, Mass., with her son, Iven where she will pass several weeks.

The social at the Parish House is to be held on Tuesday evening of next week instead of the regular night, Monday, to accommodate some of those taking part. Don't forget the date.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Sheehy were over from Rumford for the day Sunday by automobile, the guests of Mrs. Sheehy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hescok. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sparks who visited Mrs. Spark's father, R. B. Harden and wife.

Mrs. E. B. Whorff has been in Rangeley three days this week on a canvassing trip.

M. G. Flagg of Langtown visited his daughter, Miss Lizzie Flagg recently. Mr. Flagg has sold his farm to Mr. Tibbetts and expects to move to Fayette in the spring.

Mrs. E. W. Voter and daughter, Mrs. Frank Horeysek are on a visit to Earl Voter and family in Everett, Mass.

We are very sorry to report that Mr. Charles O. Dill is very ill at the present time.

Messrs. M. R. Keyes of Chester-ville and Warren Hill of Machias were in Phillips the first of the week for a few days and visited the families of C. N. French, Fremont Scamman and C. H. McKenzie. They took trips to Mt. Blue and No. 6 on little hunting expeditions.

Fred Dunham of Rumford has purchased an automobile.

Revalo Warren and Richard Wing are doing quite a business in the trapping line this fall. They have a line of about 20 traps set along in the locality of the "salmon hole" and have caught 16 muskrats up to date. They have a few traps set for mink and have seen signs of a raccoon and are laying for him.

Rev. M. S. Hutchins was in Waterville this week to attend the quarterly meeting of the United Baptist convention. Mr. Hutchins had the honor of being chosen a member of the Board of Directors.

The Social Service Club will meet in the Parish House Tuesday afternoon, November 23 at 2 o'clock.

The Phillips Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Fannie Records Friday evening, November 19. A large attendance is desired as important business is to be transacted.

Edward Greenwood has been confined to his home a day or two this week by illness caused from indigestion.

Mrs. W. H. Scamman and son of Weld were guests at Fremont Scamman's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Field went to Boston Wednesday morning. They will attend the Harvard-Yale football game Saturday and return home Monday. Mr. G. H. Hamlin of Avon accompanied them for a short visit with relatives. Mrs. Hamlin, who has been there for a few weeks will return home with Mr. Hamlin.

Mrs. C. M. Hoyt has been ill recently with an abscess in her throat. W. S. Kelley went to Boston on a business trip Tuesday. Mr. Kelley has been suffering with an abscess in his throat.

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A. G. CRONKHITES,

We are inclined to take exceptions to the item appearing in the Phillips notes of the Franklin Journal in which it stated that the audience at the Union church was small last Sunday evening, and the correspondent was evidently misinformed in regard to the matter as the audience was a very good one indeed. As Farmington is the home town of two of the speakers, Rev. R. H. Clapp and Principal W. G. Mallett we are all the more anxious to have Farmington people know that they addressed a good sized audience that evening, and their addresses as well as those of the gentlemen from Wilton, Rev. W. H. Palmer and W. Bass of Wilton were listened to with much interest.

George Powell has been very ill for the past few days and is cared for by C. L. Boston and other friend. A paper was circulated this week by Glidden Parker and the citizens of the town responded generously, over \$50 being raised and placed in the bank for his use. Mr. Powell has been in pretty poor health for some time but has been able to be out around until quite recently. "George," as everybody calls him is a familiar figure on our streets and has always been a great favorite with old and young, and many friends regret his serious illness.

Special Thanksgiving dinner at The Elmwood, 75 cents a plate. Dinner will be served from 1 until 4 o'clock.

Mrs. J. L. Boston is substituting at the Public Library for Miss Butterfield, who has been out on account of illness.

The 1913 Club will be entertained by Mrs. A. D. Graffam this week. Last week Mrs. F. S. Haley was the hostess.

The date of the annual fair of the Ladies' Social union has been postponed to Tuesday, December 14th, instead of the 7th, on account of the quarterly meeting of the Free Baptist society which convenes in Phillips on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of that week.

At the regular stated meeting of Sherburne Chapter Wednesday evening, Mrs. S. G. Haley, Mrs. C. Nell Parker and Miss Emma Russell were the committee on entertainment. Delicious homemade candy and popcorn were served, and plenty of it, and a social hour enjoyed.

A local in this paper states that J. F. Hough, proprietor of The Elmwood, will furnish Thanksgiving dinners. You can rest assured that it will be a fine one, as everyone can testify who has patronized this hotel.

D. F. Field has traded his Reo car with the Metcalf Auto Co., for a 1915 Reo to be delivered in the spring. The same day the car was purchased from the company by C. E. Parker.

Next Tuesday evening, November 23, will occur the first social of the season at the Parish House. These affairs were popular last winter and it is hoped and expected that the evenings thus spent this fall and winter will be enjoyable ones. The public is cordially invited and everyone is welcome. The hostesses for next Tuesday evening are Mrs. Fremont Scamman and Miss Shirley Holt. The pupils of the "Howling Success High School" have been persuaded to give their graduation parts again which were given at the Rebekah entertainment last week and we can assure you they are well worth hearing. Come and bring your friends.

Mrs. Amos Ellis of Bald Mountain Camps was operated on at Dr. Ross' private hospital in Rangeley on Wednesday for appendicitis and gall stones and we are glad to report that the operation was successful and that she is as comfortable as can be expected.

Phillips will have a new postmaster in the near future but who it is to be is still unknown as far as the public is concerned. The present postmaster, Mr. S. G. Haley resigned his position some time ago, but the resignation has not yet taken effect. There are only two candidates for the office, Messrs. Harry Bates and Lubert Pratt and who the fortunate man will be is still a surprise.

At the auction sale of the Preble building held Monday afternoon there were no bids as none would be received under \$100 and with the several costs, it made the property so

expensive that no one cared to bid. The Christmas Present Club will meet with Mrs. H. H. Field next Tuesday afternoon.

We shall appreciate it if our correspondents will send in their items one day earlier next week on account of Thanksgiving as we go to press on Wednesday. Please bear this in mind.

There will be a gratonola dance at the Grange hall November 20.

Howard Toothaker of Portland was a lucky hunter last Monday, securing an eight-point buck.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Bessie F. Crowell, pastor.

Thanksgiving Week.

Sunday, November 21.—Morning worship, 10.45. Thanksgiving Sermon. Sunday school, 12. Junior League, 3. Epworth League, 7. Subject, "How can we show our gratitude?" Leader, Mrs. Oscar Fogg. Gospel service of song and praise, 7.30.

Thursday, Nov. 25.—Mid week prayer meeting. Thanksgiving Service, 7.30. Monthly business meeting of the Epworth League, 8.30.

FEDERATED CHURCH.

Melvin Sherburne Hutchins, pastor. Calendar for week ending November 27.

Sunday, November 21, Thanksgiving Sunday. 10.45.—Morning worship. Sermon, "A Program for National Defense." 12.10.—Sunday school. 7.30.—People's service. Address, "What Hath God Wrought?"

Wednesday, Nov. 24: 7.30.—Thanksgiving prayer service.

Thursday, November 25.—Thanksgiving Day.

Saturday, Nov. 27: 2 p. m.—Free Baptist Conference.

CUSHMAN DISTRICT, AVON

Nov. 16.

Mrs. J. F. Orbeton has been caring for Mrs. Nathaniel Steward for the past two weeks. Miss Muriel Toothaker is working for Mrs. Steward at the present time.

G. M. Horn has rented the Wesley Hoar place of Fred Ross and has moved in for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Wilcox are spending a few weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Orbeton and also her aunt, Mrs. P. E. Hanson.

Harland Orbeton spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Orbeton.

John Steward spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. A. A. Rollins.

Will Carson spent the week-end at Harry Lovejoy's.

Mrs. Carrie Rollins is prostrated by the death of her nine-months old boy, Wyeth Lindell. The funeral was held at the home of Jonathan Cushman Friday. Many relatives and friends attended and many flowers were sent.

One of Many.

Magazine Editor—"Your story is fairly good, but we can't use it because as an author you are unknown; you have no name, as it were." Author—"The name to the story is a nom de plume. My real name is quite well known—in fact, it is a household word wherever the English language is spoken." Magazine Editor—"Indeed! And what is it, may I ask?" Author—"John Smith."

Knew the Meaning of It.

"Pa, what does it mean when a public man is said to be at the zenith of his popularity?" "It means, my son," replied the defeated candidate, ruefully, "that he is about ready to hit the toboggan."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

AROUND THE LOCAL STORES

All the new copyright books received since October 1st at Parker's Drug store.

A fine line of men's and boys' sweaters at D. M. Hoyt's.

Thanksgiving postals at A. G. Cronkhite's.

C. F. Chandler & Son have a fine line of library and parlor tables.

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In addition to the homemade pressed ham and beef at George Bean's, he will have delicious homemade sausage this week.

Sedgeley & Co., offer for sale fine out of style heavy winter coats in Misses' and Ladies' sizes for \$2, \$3, \$4 and \$5.

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Thanksgiving supplies at Toothaker's.

Don't forget that Batchelder's Bakery is open day and evening and you can get meals at all hours.

Remember that the Phillips Motor Co. do all sorts of automobile repairing.

REED'S MILL.

Nov. 15.

Miss Leathers gave us a most earnest and helpful sermon Sunday from the text, "I lay down my life for the sheep." After the preaching service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was observed.

Mr. Gosline, the Maine Farmer agent was in town last week.

A light fall of snow makes it look rather winterish today, although it is quite warm.

Mertie Heath has purchased a driving horse of Will Douglass.

Charles Heath and son Clinton spent last week in Lewiston the guests of Mr. Heath's brother Elbridge. During their stay Clinton was operated on for adenoids.

Mertie Heath is working for Mrs. Otto Badger.

Mrs. Milford Dunham was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Bonney Webber the first of the week.

Wilson Sargent was a guest of friends in Farmington over Sunday.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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FOR SALE—One pair good 2700 pound work horses. Would exchange for cows. W. S. Dodge, Salem, Me.

Smokers, my "government seal" cigars are better than most 5 cent cigars. Send \$1.50 for trial box of 50 cigars and be convinced. J. H. Harmon, 195 South Mulberry street, Dept. A., Mansfield, Ohio.

RAW FURS WANTED—Highest market prices paid for raw furs of all kinds. Special prices paid for heavy furred foxes and dark colored coons. Send for price list and tags. Carrol E. Fisher, Pembroke, Maine.

FOR SALE—Two six horse power gasoline engines at a bargain. Handy steers, all sizes. Beef by the side or quarter. A. R. Sedgely, Strong.

FOR SALE—Square piano at a bargain. Inquire of Mrs. Emma Shepard, Phillips.

MADRID

Nov. 15.

Ed. Mitchell of Phillips has taken the contract to get out birch on the Weymouth farm.

F. A. Richardson who has been on the sick list for the past three months is more comfortable.

Fred H. Hathaway has been appointed town clerk in place of C. E. Crossman, deceased.

Sandy River Grange held a very interesting meeting last Saturday, a week. Two new members were added, Miss Gulliver, the village school teacher and Mrs. Lowell of Sandy River plantation. The question discussed by the members including Bion Wing, Fred Hathaway and Nathan Beedy was "What can the farmer raise at a profit that will be the most healthful."

A special all-day meeting of Sandy River Grange will be held Friday, Nov. 19, when C. O. Purington, the Grange State Lecturer, will be present and speak. It is hoped that every member will attend; in fact you cannot afford to miss the opportunity of hearing Mr. Purington who is well versed in agricultural subjects and is sure to be both interesting and instructive.

Strawberries are still ripening out in Madrid. Frank Calden showed the writer a cluster of ripe berries picked near the railroad track, and Esther Bryant reports picking about half a pint in the field at her home.

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Fly Rod's Note Book

BY FLY ROD

St. Anthony's Cottage,
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Nov. 8, 1915.

With the November days way down here in Maine comes the first snowstorms. Already we have had one, but the sunshine quickly disposed of most of it, but the fields and hillsides, "Old Mount Blue," "Old Mount Abram" and Saddleback have taken on their white mantle which will be over them for the next six or eight months.

"Such delicious, clear, sparkling air! Why! It is better than any tonic to the physicians ever prescribed for me," said a city caller the other morning after a two-mile hike over the country road.

This week I received an invitation to a wedding that will interest the many friends who at the Mountain View House have had the pleasure of meeting Mr. and Mrs. Benj. B. Bryan and sons of New York. The invitation read: "Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand William Lafrentz request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Hazel Rosalind to Mr. James Taylor Bryan on Thursday, the twenty-third of November at half after eight o'clock at Plymouth church, Brooklyn, New York." We hope Mr. and Mrs. Benj. B. Bryan will return another year, accompanied by their son and his bride to whom their many friends they have met at the Rangeleys join in wishing them years of health, happiness and prosperity.

A letter from friends at Upper Dam gives me hunting news that will surely be of interest to the Maine Woods readers.

On Tuesday morning the following party of Lewiston gentlemen returned home from a week's hunt "some were in the Upper Dam region." As trophies of their good marksmanship with a rifle they had ten as hand-some deer as ever were taken to their home city. The party included three well-known physicians, Doctors Randall, Pendleton and Ness, also Messrs. E. K. Bly, R. A. Julia, J. Kincaid, L. S. Durgin, J. H. White and T. C. White. Their guides were Orrin Dyke and son, Oscar Dyke, Clayton Sweet and Archie Poor. Surely that was a week's hunting trip to be proud of.

The front hall dining room was not closed until last Saturday and Chef Hindle left for a visit to Berlin, N. H., before going to his home in Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Marston and Mrs. Margaret Mason on Monday went to Andover for a few days before going to Lynn, Mass., for the winter.

Mrs. Orrin Dyke will be the cook for the winter.

School has closed and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chadwick and children are now visiting in Holden.

It is quiet at the Dam now, but soon it will be mid-winter and a big crew of men will cut the wood and fill the ice-house for next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grant will be at home for any callers who come that way, and on Tuesday and Friday the mail comes over from Bemis.

On Tuesday afternoon, November 4th, just as the sun was going down behind the hills, painting the sky a gold and scarlet, I crossed the street to call on my old friend and neighbor, the friend of my father and mother, "Uncle" Obed Russell, as he is called by the village folks. It was his 90th birthday, and many called to offer congratulations, absent ones sent cards, letters and gifts.

Mr. Russell was born "over on the Kennebec" in the village of Bingham, in a house that still stands.

Obed was thirteen years of age when his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Russell moved across country to the little village of Phillips.

It was a small village nearly a century ago, for on this side of the river there was only nine houses at the "lower village" and a few more at the "upper village."

The "meeting house" had been built two years before, and the bell which is now on the Parish House, was the first and only bell to be heard to echo through the forest so far up the Sandy River.

Often as a child I have stood by the side of the anvil in Uncle Obed's shop, for when but 14 years old and school was not keeping he worked with his father learning the blacksmith's trade.

It was music to hear strokes on the anvil and watch the sparks fly. Then as children we would ask him to tell about the moose hunts and the big fish he had caught way off in the Rangeley Lakes.

The first deer ever shot in Franklin county fell at the sure aim from young Russell's rifle, with the lead bullets he made himself, which not often missed the mark. This deer he shot up on Cupsuptic lake. Each winter Luther Russell would take his "moose sled," which was a long narrow one, made at home with iron runners and start off for a week or two hunting, and young Obed shot his first moose when less than 17 years old at Kennebecago. He also shot another there several years later. Up on Cupsuptic he shot two of the huge animals and three at Long Pond, and that was his favorite hunting ground for there, when but 16 he shot the only bear he ever saw in the wilderness. It was on the shore of Long Pond later in life Mr. Russell built a camp and for many summers the family spent much time there.

There was no game laws more than half a century ago and like others of the scattered families in this then remote region, Luther Russell went after his "moose" each winter to supply the family with what fresh meat they needed.

The fishing at Rangeley? Why I have not forgotten when Uncle Obed came home with all the "great big trout," weighing from 3 to 6 and 8 pounds each, he wanted.

In those days they salted down an smoked for winter use the "speckled beauties," and only in the river did they catch the salmon which came up Sandy River from the Atlantic.

In the twilight in the cozy home just across the street, where Uncle Obed now lives with his daughter, Mrs. Ella R. Brackett, we talked of these good old times, and the dear ones "who have crossed the silent river."

In 1849 Mr. Russell married Miss Sarah Ellsworth of Avon and for over 60 years they traveled life's pathway together. Uncle Obed was only a small boy when he began to

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work around the church, sawing the wood that on Sunday used to fill the big iron stoves, sweep the church and for 66 consecutive years he rung the bell of the Union church, not only to call the good people of Phillips "to meeting," but for funerals and weddings, and for years the clang, clang of the old bell told where there was a fire and all turned out to give aid when needed.

Often when a little child I have heard the bell as it commenced to toll and mother would say "Hush child, Obed is tolling the bell. Someone is dead," for in those days it was the custom when anyone in the village was called by death to toll the bell a stroke for each year of their age and if one of the town's folks was dangerously ill often there was no need to ask for whom the bell was tolling. It was often a hard task in mid-winter to climb to the belfry and at intervals of 30 seconds strike the great iron tongue against the bell once for each year of life for the one who had gone.

Then as through the village street the procession followed their friends to their resting place by the side of the river the bell was tolled and the streets were quiet. All this was a work of love, for Mr. Russell never received pay for his service as sexton.

When in Strong at Porter's hall the Republican party was formed, Mr. Russell was there, and has never missed casting a Republican vote since, and as he is always on the right side does not believe in woman suffrage.

All hope to shake hands and offer congratulations to this ever cheerful and kind old gentleman on his 100th birthday, and that as now he will daily be seen on the street, where he always receives a hearty greeting.

EAST MADRID

Nov. 15.

Lester Gould who is attending school at Phillips was home over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gould.

Albert Coffren has finished sawing pulp for Edgar Welts and is at work for George Gould.

F. J. D. Barnjum, Mr. Hovey and

the insurance agent were in the place recently looking over the ruins of the Barnjum mill that burned last week.

Almond Pease of Phillips was a guest at J. H. Welts' last Sunday.

Benj. Dodge is putting a crew into the woods near the Farmer place to cut hardwood this winter. We understand he is going to cut a large amount and has six horses at work at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Conant of Freeman are at work in the woods for Benj. Dodge.

Clarence Mitchell of Phillips spent the week-end with Lester Gould and enjoyed the hunting.

Z. T. McLaughlin is visiting at R. E. McLaughlin's for a few days.

Milford True is at work for M. H. Davenport at Phillips.

Sidney Reed is moving onto the Orrin Walker place in Phillips.

Russell King is at work for Solon Mechem.

Miss Jennie Wheeler was home over Sunday from her school in the Dunham district.

Dried Apples Popular.

The drying of apples has become one of the great industries of the day, and people who live on the farms and in villages and towns are just as enthusiastic about the prospect of apple pies and sauce from dried fruit as are the people living in closely segregated sections of our large cities.

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PUT EVE IN "PACK" OF MOSS

Breaking up Fever Easy for Modern Adam in Maine Forest.

Breaking up a fever is just as simple a matter for Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Estes, who are leading a primitive life in the deep forests of Maine, as killing a deer or a porcupine. This is shown in Mr. Estes's latest birch bark communication to The Press, which was received last night. Subsequent to the previous report from the modern Adam and Eve, the latter has been ill, a high fever developing a short time after the loss of the couple's lean-to and all their belongings by fire. Miles from any town where drugs could be obtained and being provided with nothing of a remedial nature when he went into the woods with his wife, Mr. Estes did the next best thing when the plucky woman refused to let him bring her out to civilization and thus interrupt the two months' stay in the wilds which they began the first of October. Fern roots were steeped in a bowl made from bark, Eve was put in a "pack" of thick moss and it was not long before she was perspiring and on the road to recovery. The morning after this treatment she was feeling much better, but it was thought best by her husband for her to remain quiet for a day or two. Here is what Mr. Estes has to say of the couple's recent adventures:

Wonderland, Nov. 11.—You may have thought that we were dead, but we are very much alive, although we have been up against it. After bringing out my last report I told Mrs. Estes that I was going in search of some ginseng root, and she planned to pick ferns while I was away. I left on the 25th of October and she went to work, but finding it too warm in her deerskin, she discarded this the following day and put on her green suit. Returning late in the afternoon, she found that our lean-to had burned down, all our food and her deerskin being destroyed.

I did not return home until dusk, and putting the best side out, we built another lean-to for the night. The next day we erected one that would last several days. We had planned to move to Gully Brook and live in a stone house, and as I had already got one started, I did not bring out my report until the 30th.

I found a Press man waiting to see me, but I did not tell him of our loss. A little after dark I started back, but did not reach our lean-to until daylight the next morning. I had planned to return the next day, but as there was food to obtain, I did not come out. In the meantime Mrs. Estes developed a high fever and I wanted to bring her out, but she said: No, we have planned what we will do, if one of us is taken ill. We got some fern root and put it on to steep in a bowl made of bark and I covered her over with moss, about which hot rocks were placed. With-

in a few minutes she was sweating freely and the next morning she was feeling much better, but I made her keep quiet for a day or two. She is feeling fine now, but we shall not move until the last of the week. We have had about six inches of snow. The guide, being worried about us, started up here, but night overtook him, and he did not locate us until to-day."

HUNTERS AND TRAPPERS FINED

Warden E. P. King of Skowhegan has reported to the commissioners of inland fisheries and game the prosecution of Archie Strail before the Western Somerset Municipal court for setting unmarked traps. A fine of \$10 and costs was imposed.

M. P. Kneeland reports the prosecution of Hugh Robb and William Brownly before Trial Justice Michael Kennedy of Woodland for night hunting. Each paid a fine of \$10.

Deputy Warden W. O. Hodgdon of Lewiston reports the prosecution of Harry Buker at Mechanic Falls for Sunday hunting and of Everett Leland on the same charge. They were adjudged guilty and fined \$10 and costs each and each appealed his case.

NOT STUCK ON CALIFORNIA

"Say do you know I wasn't so stuck on California," says Patrick J. Dorsey, the former genial boniface of Hotel North, Augusta, and well known in hoteldom throughout Maine, who recently returned from the Golden Strand, where he had been on a hurried business trip. "Candidly, I wouldn't swap Maine for California. No, sir, I would not hand over a slice of the rockbound coast of the Pine Tree State or a bunch of the Aroostook wild lands, for anything I bumped up against in California.

Of course there's stacks of roses, pretty slick views, and a slab-gorgeous climate in some parts of the State, but we've got some things in Maine that'll even up the roses, and scenic charms that'll freeze the dew on some of those Pacific vistas. California today is suffering from an overdose of conversation. It ought to take something for it. I had the beauties of California dinned so much into my two ears that finally I offered to pay the railroad fares of a couple of exhorters if they'd crawl out into the world and see Maine and some other parts of the country."

—Lewiston Journal, Nov. 9.

A NOTABLE SPECIMEN

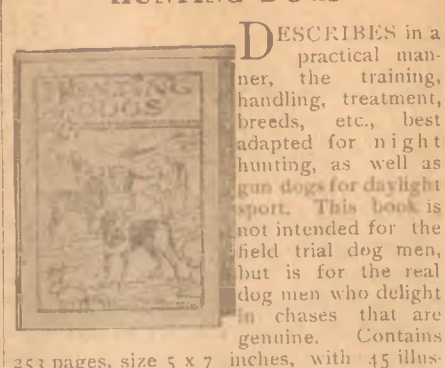
The State has recently been presented with a fine specimen of a passenger pigeon mounted and ready for exhibition in the State museum.

It is the gift of Mr. Fred Fife of Fryeburg.

BOOKS

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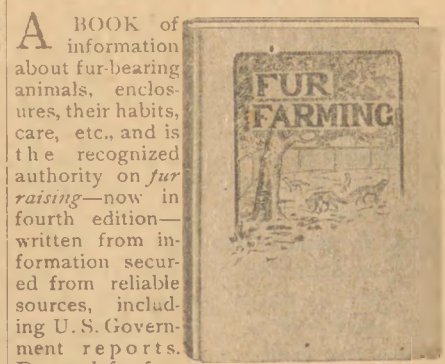


DESCRIBES in a practical manner, the training, handling, treatment, breeds, etc., best adapted for night hunting, as well as gun dogs for daylight sport. This book is not intended for the field trial dog men, but is for the real dog men who delight in chases that are genuine. Contains 253 pages, size 5 x 7 inches, with 45 illustrations, 26 chapters as follows:

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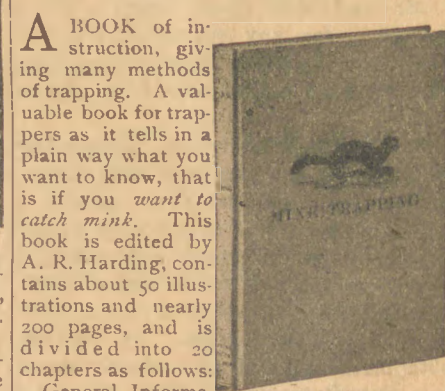
IS A valuable book for homesteaders, hunters, prospectors, guides etc. The writer, Mr. A. F. Wallace, an experienced land surveyor, land cruiser and prospector, in his introduction says: "To the men who follow the compass,

the trap and the trail, this work is inscribed. It is not intended for the 'Professor' who can tell you all about things after they are done (by someone else)." Contains about 200 pages, 5 x 7 inches, good quality paper, with nearly 40 illustrations and contains 20 chapters as follows:

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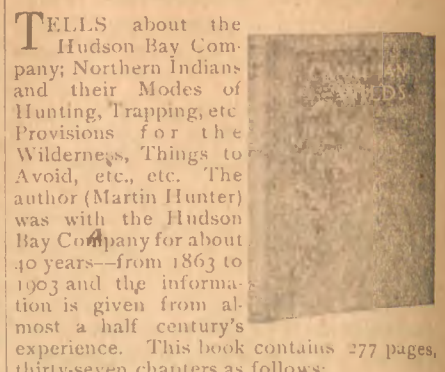


A BOOK of instruction, giving many methods of trapping. A valuable book for trappers as it tells in a plain way what you want to know, that is if you want to catch mink. This book is edited by A. R. Harding, contains about 50 illustrations and nearly 200 pages, and is divided into 20 chapters as follows:

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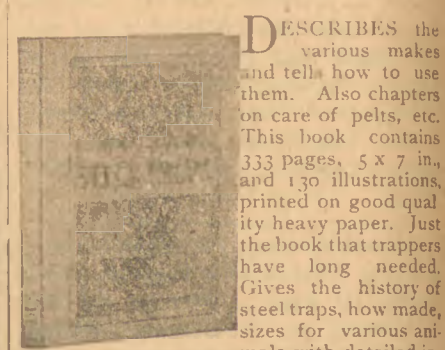


TELLS about the Hudson Bay Company; Northern Indians and their Modes of Hunting, Trapping, etc. Provisions for the Wilderness, Things to Avoid, etc., etc. The author (Martin Hunter) was with the Hudson Bay Company for about 40 years—from 1863 to 1903 and the information is given from almost a half century's experience. This book contains 277 pages, thirty-seven chapters as follows:

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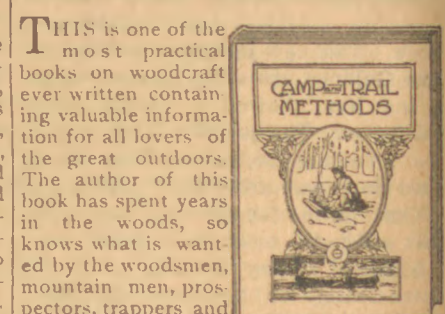


DESCRIBES the various makes and tells how to use them. Also chapters on care of pelts, etc. This book contains 333 pages, 5 x 7 in., and 130 illustrations, printed on good quality heavy paper. Just the book that trappers have long needed. Gives the history of steel traps, how made, sizes for various animals with detailed instructions on where and how to set. This book contains 32 chapters as follows:

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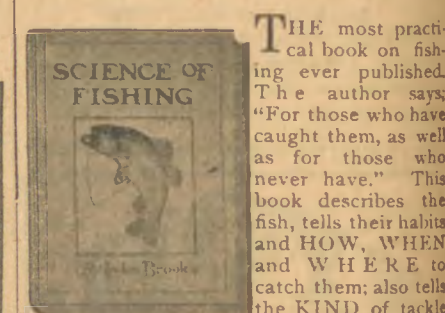
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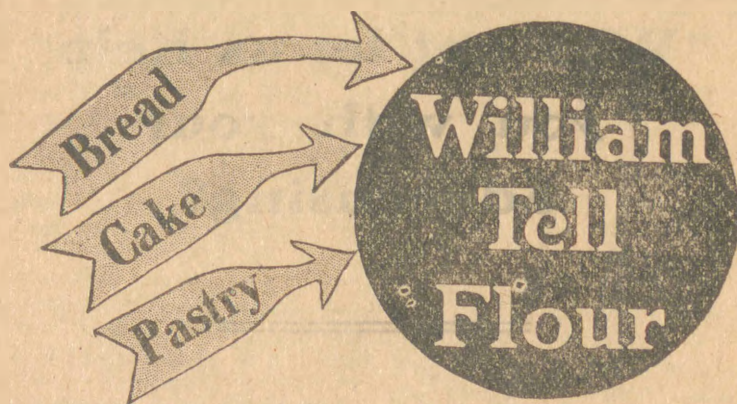


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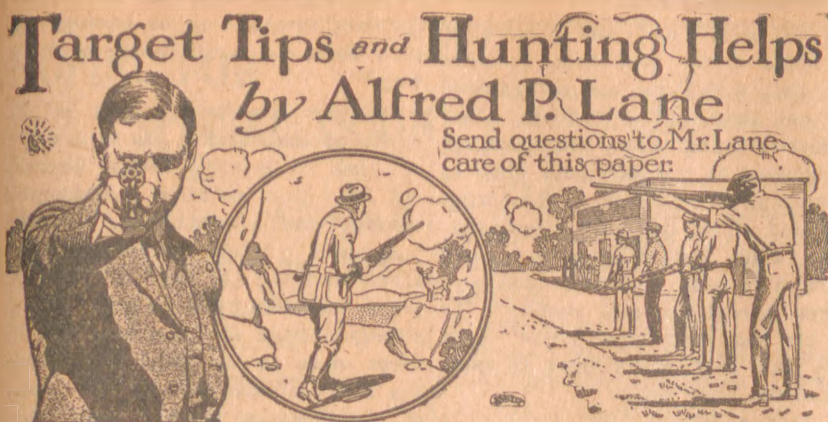
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True sportsmen know the following rules and act according to them religiously. The beginner is apt to be careless at times.

1. Never point a firearm at any living thing unless you actually intend to kill; also carry your weapon carefully.

2. Don't be a game hog. Learn the game law by heart and see that you and your hunting partners follow it. The hunter—not the kind of gun—is responsible for the game hog.

3. Play square. Give your partners just as fair chances at the game as you have.

4. Do your full share of work in camp.

If you follow these rules you will not only enjoy your hunting trip, but you will find that true sportsmen will be mighty glad to have you as a partner.

A. R., Okanogan, Wash.

1. Will shot which one loads himself and dips in hot tallow to make them stick together lead a gun or hurt it otherwise?

Ans. It cannot cause leading or hurt the gun.

2. What shot will chamber the best in a 12 gauge shotgun, full choke, for ducks, 2, 3, or 4 and for chickens 5 or 6?

Ans. For ducks No. 4 shot is considered best. For chickens, No. 6.

3. Which do you think is the best gun for hunting deer, bear, coyotes, etc., a 30-30 Remington, high power or a .22 Savage high power?

The ballistics of these cartridges are: .30 Remington, muzzle velocity 2,020 ft. seconds; muzzle energy, 1,540 ft. lbs. Range for accuracy 500 to 700 yds. .22 High Power, muzzle velocity, 2,700 ft. seconds; muzzle energy, 1,132 ft. lbs. Range for accuracy, 300 to 500 yds.

A Subscriber, Burlington, Vt.

1. What is the trajectory at 200 yds. of the .351 cal. rifle, also the extreme range of same holding the arm at an angle of 45 degrees?

Ans. When shot at 200 yds., the bullet rises 7.2 inches above the line of sight at 100 yds. The extreme range is in the neighborhood of 2,000 yds.

2. Is the 20-inch barrel as accurate as the 26-inch barrel?

Ans. Yes. The length of barrel does not affect the accuracy.

3. Does it harm an automatic to keep the action well greased? I have been told it did.

Ans. It certainly does not harm any rifle to keep the action well greased, but a heavy sticky grease might interfere with its operating perfectly.

4. What is the greatest distance at which a bear or deer could be stopped with the .351 caliber rifle?

Ans. This question cannot be answered with any degree of definiteness, but I certainly should not wish

to use this cartridge on deer at over 150 yds.

5. Can you overheat a rifle barrel by shooting it?

Ans. A rifle barrel can be overheated by shooting it, but no heat would affect it unless it began to get red hot and the shooter would be almost sure to burn his hands before that point was reached.

6. About how many rounds had the following rifles ought to shoot before showing wear—30-30, .32 S&W, .401 and .351 calibers, if they were WELL taken care of?

Ans. The first two should last four thousand to five thousand rounds, and the second two from two thousand to three thousand rounds.

7. Which way would you advise using a brass brush, with or without oil?

Ans. Use oil, as it makes the brush slide through the barrel and assists in the removal of powder residue.

A. B. McC., Westover, Pa.

Has the Remington .30 high power rifle as much velocity and striking power as other makes of same caliber? Is it strong enough for deer?

Ans. The .30 Remington cartridge is of the same power as the regular 30-30 cartridge. The difference between the 30 Remington cartridge and the standard 30-30 cartridge is that the former is made rimless and the latter has a rim. Either of these cartridges are powerful enough for deer.

N. J. P., Falls, Pa.

Is the 12 gauge, 32-40, Three Barrel Gun Co.'s 32-40 rifle barrel intended for high power ammunition?

It is probably not adapted to high power ammunition, although I am not just sure on this point. I would suggest that you write to them for more definite information.

G. L. K., Battle Mountain, Nev.

Do your remarks in a recent issue regarding use of Lesmok and semi-smokeless powder apply to 25-20 Winchester shells? If so, where can shells so loaded be procured? Many rifle shells of various makes and calibers are used in this section.

Ans. It has been found that Lesmok powder is not adapted to other than the .22 rim fire sizes. Lesmok and semi-smokeless powders are by all odds the best in .22 caliber shells, but in the larger sizes, which are center fire, the smokeless loads are best.

C. A. R., Evansville, Ind.

1. Which is better for hunting purposes, accuracy considered as well as power, the 32-40 HVS or 38-55 HVS?

Ans. I cannot answer this until you say what kind of game you are going after. If for moose, the 38-55 would be better and I would be inclined to favor it over the 32-40 for all large game shooting.

2. Is the 45-70-500 powerful enough for African game? Is it as good as the .405?

Ans. African game runs all the

way from deer as small as a fox terrier dog to the elephant or hippopotamus and the extremely tough rhinoceros. The 45-70 would be too powerful for a great deal of the game and not powerful enough for another portion of it. A hunter in Africa should have an assortment of at least three different rifles. The .405 is usually considered big enough for the biggest game except elephants, etc., for which game the most popular is a very powerful double barrel rifle.

3. Does the Marlin Company make an Autolader? Does the Colt Co. still make the double action, solid frame, side rod ejector revolver similar to the single action frontier model?

Ans. The Marlin Co. does not make an autolader. I am not sure, but I am under the impression that the Colt Company have discontinued the revolver you mention.

E. W., Cherokee, Ia.

May I ask what size target and bull's-eye and at what distance should be used shooting a .22 S&W revolver, 3½ inch barrel? What cartridge is best adapted to this arm? Will the .22 long rifle give good results? What degree of accuracy can be obtained with this arm?

Ans. The standard target for revolver shooting has a bull's-eye 1 1/10 inches in diameter and nine ring and an eight ring of black, the eight ring being 2.72 inches in diameter. These targets can be secured from most sporting goods houses. The distance is 20 yds. I would recommend for use in your revolver .22 long rifle Lesmok or semi-smokeless cartridges. I would not expect too much from this weapon. It is made for self-protection for ladies' use.

C. J. D., Lawrence, Kans.

1. Please send me data about organizing a revolver target shooting club. Also, what are the standard targets used for revolver shooting at 15 yds. and at 20 yds.?

Ans. Write to J. B. Crahtree, Yalesville, Conn., Secy. United States Revolver Association, who will be glad to give you the information with regard to organizing a revolver club, and also the standard targets and distances.

2. Ans. No.

J. A. P., Brunswick, Ga.

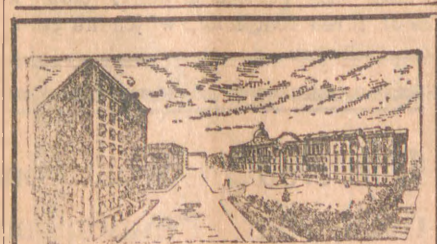
1. Would the Model 1912, 16 gauge repeating shotgun with 26-inch barrel give a similar shooting quality to the Model 1897, 16 gauge repeating shotgun, with 28-inch barrel at the longest possible range.

Ans. Yes.

Alfred P. Lane

DEER SHOT IN AUBURN

Edwin Lee of North Auburn shot a handsome doe off the Turner road and near the Skillings Four Corners yesterday. Several deer have been seen in that section during the early fall and so yesterday, Mr. Lee, who by the way is the crack shot of North Auburn, set out to gather in some venison. He saw two deer, one a large handsome buck, which he fired at and missed. A doe came following after and this time his aim was unerring.



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A HONEYMOON IN A TENT

The Time, the Place and the Girl Are Awaiting You.

(Written for Maine Woods.)

By Eva M. Furbush

"Let's get married, Marjorie," suggested Ted, suddenly.

"I believe I've heard something like that before," smiled the girl.

"—And take our honeymoon in tent," continued Ted smiling back.

"Seems to me you are reverting to the primitive age," volunteered Marjorie, getting a bit alarmed.

"—And eat camp fare, and go bathing in a creek, and sleep on pine boughs."

"In other words, get indigestion, rheumatism, and the back ache."

"Come on," persisted Ted, "if you'll do it. I'll promise to be the best of cavaliers." Ted bent over the back of Marjorie's chair, gently pressed a kiss on the tender velvet skin,—and Marjorie promised to give his scheme a trial on the condition that if she wanted to quit at any time he would take her back to civilization.

"Agreed!" He said, promptly, "let's hustle."

"How about the married part of it, Ted?" asked Marjorie, mischievously, "I can't go back to my former state if I get sick of you can I?"

"I'm afraid you can't, dear; you'll have to put up with me some way."

"I might chain you up as I do Towser."

"But I would have still the privilege of being near you, and that's all I ask."

By the next week they were on their way in a motor car, loaded down with provisions, tent, camp furniture, etc., to the heart of the Maine woods, leaving their home at Winthrop Highlands to the solitude of adoring relatives who bade them a tearful yet smiling good-bye.

"What a morning!" exclaimed Marjorie, from the depths of woolen blankets in her cozy camp bed, as she gazed out over the creek at six o'clock a. m.

"What is so rare as a day in June!" quoted Ted, as he put a few sticks in the fireplace preliminary to breakfast.

"Poetry must be lived in camp, not recited."

"So you already feel the charm of the simple life, do you?"

"One has to breathe it in with the sunrise, the bird's morning song, the dewy flowers, and the refreshing air."

"Well, get up, now, there's a poetical job awaiting you in getting breakfast; I'm starved!"

"Silence! No commands round here, or I'll chain you out behind the tent!"

"Don't!—the green inch worms, the mosquitoes, the big black ants, the spiders, the midgits, and the fuzzy brown caterpillars would make a meal out of me, instead of me getting a breakfast."

"Oh, the horrid things,—that shows they are no epicures!"

Ted was effectively silenced at this thrust, and beat a retreat after cord wood in the shape of any old wood that would burn.

The outdoor meals, sleeping, and exercise brought the roses to Marjorie's cheeks. Instead of cut glass, and china, she ate from aluminum plates and tin ware. Instead of one dainty slice of bread at a meal she ate three until Ted reminded her that he wasn't running a commissary department for an army.

The evening hours around the camp fire were delicious ones to Marjorie, and the healthful vigor she obtained from her camping trip was for a long time a pleasant reminder of her novel and delightful honeymoon days. If Ted put salt in her morning coffee during their camp days, he was forgiven; if he tied her shining locks with spears of grass and ornamented her brow with crowns of unknown weeds, he was not reproached; if he spilled his coffee on the camp tablecloth (a newspaper) it was quietly thrown into the fire without a word of reprimand; if the cook served the eggs and bacon overdone, Tom never murmured; if she made "sinkers" in the camp oven that would have held a fish line against the strongest current, he told her they were as light

and flaky "as mother used to make,"—and so on through the blissful days until the call of business became persistent and they broke camp and returned to oyster patties and a hair mattress.

About one year later, the lure of the open had them in its grasp, and first Marjorie, and then Ted would say, "Well, when are we going on a camping trip again?"

One day Ted was rummaging round in an unused chest of drawers when he came across an album that he did not remember of having seen before so he sat down at once to "pry" into it,—man-like, as Marjorie would have said, to tease him.

"Well, I'll be blowed!" His ejaculation was appropriate to the occasion as a gust of wind came in through the open window and lifted some pressed flowers from the book before him and carried them to a distant corner. He picked them up carefully and discovered their nature,—a short chain of daisies (which he had placed on her hair in days long ago)—a few sprays of fern leaves, brown and old, (which he had pinned on her dress in a most artistic fashion, of course)—a sprig of partridge vine with its shiny leaves lifeless, and shapeless, but oh, the recollections that came over him, as he lovingly fingered the treasured tokens of honeymoon days! Then she too, loved the outdoor life! He carefully replaced every withered memento, closed the room gently lest she discover his whereabouts and rushed down stairs to find her.

"Marjorie, I'm going camping next week," he said, smiling, when he found her with her hands deep in the cookie mixture.

"Why, what decided you so suddenly?" She inquired, glancing up.

"Oh, nothing!" he blissfully lied, "only—"

"You know the way it gets you 'till You cannot work or rest; Because the call of out-of-doors Makes tumult in your breast." The dancing brooks are waiting to Bear forth your bark canoe To where the noon-day campfire smoke Floats upward to the blue."

RIFLE CLUB WANTS AN INDOOR RANGE.

The Waterville Rifle Club finds that it needs a 75-foot indoor range for use this winter and so far has been unable to find a building in which such a range can be constructed. The nearest to it is one 74 feet long but that is just one foot short of the regulations and might as well be 20. The membership of the club, in spite of the fact that the rifles have not come and nothing has been done as yet, is constantly increasing and by next spring when the real work will begin there is no question but what it will be well over 100.

HUNTING NOTES

George Gupill of Milo shot a bird recently, supposed at first to be a hen hawk, but upon closer inspection it was found to be a Peregrine falcon or duck hawk, a very rare bird. Fortunately the shot did not kill the bird and a Milo taxidermist is in correspondence with parties out of the State in regard to its purchase for exhibition in a zoo. A bird of this kind has not been seen in this section for 25 years at least. They are frequently seen in England. The scientific name of the bird is falco peregrinus.

Lon Munsey of West Danforth caught a young partridge alive and brought it home. After keeping it a short time he offered it liberty. Much to his surprise little Miss Partridge had become so much attached to her human friend that she refuses to return to the woods and may be seen hopping along behind Lon when he is going about his daily duties. She does not seek the society of the hens or other fann animals, but is quite tame with all members of the family, but shows a special preference for Lon.

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DEATH OF LIFE LONG RESIDENT

Birthday Observed by Twelve School Friends.

(Special Correspondence.)

Rangeley, November 17.—Wilmont Paterson is at Jackman with a hunting party.

Phil Huntoon has moved his family into the Glass house.

Leon Hoar left Tuesday morning with his family for the south side of the lake and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Grant have moved into the house recently vacated by Leon Hoar.

T. Freeman Tibbetts left Monday morning for Boston, where he goes for medical advice.

Mrs. Grace Whorff was in town delivering goods Tuesday.

J. A. Russell is raising the roof of the building occupied by Mrs. E. P. McCard and will finish off a tenement.

S. B. McCard was on the sick list the past week.

Miss Leta Nile entertained a party of 12 school friends in honor of her 12th birthday. Refreshments were served of ice cream, cake, birthday cake, fudge and pop corn. Games were played and a fine time was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Vaughan were week-end guests of relatives at Skowhegan.

Mrs. H. C. Riddle is working at the bank afternoons during Miss Hinkley's vacation.

Mrs. Mary Haines leaves Wednesday morning for a visit with her daughter at York, Me.

Funeral services for the late John S. Lamb were held from the Rangeley church Wednesday, November 10, Rev. H. A. Childs officiating. Mr. Lamb had been a life long resident of Rangeley and during his early years was engaged as a farmer. His

wife who was formerly Eunice Hoar, died about two years ago. The surviving children of the family are Mrs. L. E. Bowley, Fred Lamb, Mrs. W. A. Tibbetts, Edward Lamb, David Lamb, Mrs. Archie Toothaker, Mrs. L. D. Haley, Otto Lamb and Mrs. Walter Weid. Mr. Lamb was 82 years of age Friday before his death which occurred the following Sunday, November 7. The flowers were many and beautiful.

FREEMAN VALLEY

Nov. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Huff and daughter, Lulu were callers at Fred Collins' Sunday.

Mrs. Elmira Collins wishes to thank all who so kindly remembered her with post cards on her 81st birthday. She received cards from the following towns: Dead River, Flagstaff, Kingfield, Freeman, Strong, Farmington, Wilton and East New Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Russell were out from Bigelow last week.

S. Grant Stuart and wife have returned home from Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyke Curtis were callers in Salem one day last week.

Mrs. Fred Collins was a caller in Kingfield Sunday.

Abner Mayo was a recent business caller in Kingfield.

The Faithful Few met with Mrs. Henry Mayo last Thursday.

Delicate Possibility.

"Are you in favor of government ownership?" "Sometimes I am," replied the cautious citizen, "although I'd hate to be in a position where I could express my opinion of the way a railroad was run, without seeming disrespectful to my country."

MARRIAGES.

Phillips, Nov. 13, by Rev. M. S. Hutchins, Mr. Harold Leon Welch and Miss Charlotte Augusta Burns, both of Strong.

NOTES AROUND KINGFIELD

(Special Correspondence.)

Kingfield, November 6.—B. M. Lander has taken a job of lumbering on the Sam Lane place at North New Portland and commenced operations this week. He has a crew of ten men. Mrs. Lander accompanied him and will have charge of the camp.

The number of potato growers about Kingfield seem to be increasing. Among the good crops this year is that of Chas. Oliver who has 800 bushels of the highest quality.

Mrs. Harry Durrell is through work at the hotel. Miss Abby Quint of Freeman is taking her place as kitchen girl.

J. L. Cudworth of Lynnfield Center, Mass., was in town the first of the week hunting and buying cows for his dairy farm.

Mrs. Francis Mitchell of Lowell, Mass., was called to Kingfield Monday night by the death of her father, Stephen Pullen.

L. A. Thomas and family, Miss Ida Thomas went to Phillips Tuesday to attend the funeral of their uncle, Frank Beal.

Eight cans of fingerling trout from the Auburn hatchery, consigned to A. C. Woodard were received Tuesday night for Tufts Pond and taken to the pond.

Clifton Adams and family moved Monday to the Gov. King house.

A Canton item in the Thursday issue of the Lewiston Sun says: "Dr. and Mrs. John E. Cartland have decided to locate in Kingfield during their short stay in Canton, where the doctor has had an excellent practice and much success." It is understood that Dr. Cartland has engaged the J. W. Jordan rent on Maple St.

Mrs. Lawrence, who has been living in New Portland for some time has moved to the Allen Dyer rent on Riverside street. Her nephew, Merion McVoy is living with her.

To Get Rid of Rats.

A good way to get rid of rats is to collect some thin chips, pieces of shingles, or tin, and pour over them enough molasses to cover them. Sprinkle dry lye over the chips and place them in every rat hole you can find. The rats will soon move out.

Astonished Hiram.

"Jist listen, Hiram Tallgrass, to this here piece in the paper, will ye?" excitedly exclaimed Ma Tallgrass. "It says as how old Deacon Medder's boy, Jim, what went ter the city tew years ago, has jist got tew thousand dollars for a new serial!" "By heck!" answered Hiram. "I knowed Jim wuz buyin' up second-hand mattresses when he went ter the city, but I'll be hanged if I ever thought he wuz doin' it ter make breakfas' food outen them!"—Judge.

"ADAM AND EVE" ESTES HAPPY IN MAINE EDEN.

Have Porcupine Meat and Fish or Food and Deerskin for Raiment.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Estes of Gray, Me., are getting along very well in their back-to-nature experiment, in which they are trying to live "like Adam and Eve" in the woods of the Dead River region.

A reporter found Estes dressed in a deerskin turned inside out. His face was covered with red whiskers and his hair came down nearly to his chin. He carried a heavy club about three feet long, which he termed

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ed his automatic rifle.

In his other hand was a piece of porcupine meat blackened by fire and dirt, which he eagerly gnawed now and then. The weather, when a reporter found them, was anything but adapted to the garments worn by "Adam and Eve" Estes. The wind blew and snow and rain alternated. Estes said that with a club and stones it is easy to knock over porcupines, porcupines and rabbits. He and his wife have constructed nets from vines that enable them to catch all the fish they need.

SEASON BEEN A BUSY ONE AT JOE'S

Lots of Game Hanging Around Ready for the Hunters

(Special to Maine Woods.)

November 3, 1915.

We have had a very successful season and are still very busy.

Everybody so far has gone out with their full quota of deer. There are eight hunters in camp and more coming and by Saturday all the camps will be full. It has been hard hunting on account of the leaves, but there is so much game around that everybody got paid well in the end for the hard work they had to do.

This morning we have a little snow and everybody is out hunting.

Will write you more later on. Remain, in the meantime,
Sincerely,
Joe.

BIG SHE-BEAR SAVES OLD FRIEND

Finds Keeper Menaced by Her Mate in Zoo Cave.

Bill Snyder, head keeper in the Zoo in Central park, New York, owes his life to Jess, a big brown bear from the Rocky Mountains. As he explained to an audience of friends in the hay house, while he was mighty glad to be alive, what particularly pleased him about Jess' efforts in his behalf was that it justified him in breaking a life-long rule against interfering between male and female of a species when they were engaged in a dispute that threatened harm to neither.

"Animals are much like human beings," said Bill, and he added, "You all know that discretion as well as safety first forbids a man interfering between a man and his wife."

It was one day last week that Jess had the chance to prove that she had not forgotten and was not ungrateful for the keeper's part in a purely domestic happening of several months ago that came about this way. Bill was climbing the hill near the bear cages on that occasion when Bob Hurton, his assistant, called his attention to the fact that the big male brown bear was very irritable and that Jess, his mate, was evidently greatly afraid of her lord and master. Keeper and assistant stood for a few minutes and watched the male. He was lumbering up an down before the pool in the centre of the corral, and every once and a while he would growl low and glare at Jess, who was then occupying a remote corner of the family home.

"That bear is going to make trouble," commented Hurton as he and Snyder took their way along the hill to the gun house.

Hurton's prediction was fulfilled half an hour later when a keeper arrived at the elephant house and told the head keeper that the big bear was raising ructions up on the hill. To the bear cages went Snyder, and half the keepers in the park followed him. They found that the male bear was "taking it out" on his mate, according to the head keeper, and that she had already been reduced to a state where she had given up defensive measures.

There was no real danger threatened, Bill explained to his friends when he told the story. "The male was holding Jess in a corner and boxing her ears. Jess had given up, but she really appeared to be suffering more from humiliation than hurt."

I felt so truly sorry for her that I decided, at the risk of having her turn upon me, to drive the male away."

Bill did interfere, and it is because of that action, he is convinced, that he is alive to-day. Separating the pair required considerable courage and a cool head. Snyder has both. While other keepers threatened the big bear by pushing poles between the bars, Snyder quietly slipped into the bear pit. He crept close to the pair, and when the male, exasperated by the poking of the keepers outside the bars, ceased boxing Jess's ears and made a dash for his tormentors, Bill deftly pushed Jess into the small cave in the rocks and put a temporary barrier in front of her. As the male turned in fury upon him, Bill slipped outside, escaping by a very narrow margin.

Bill got the reward for his act of kindness several days ago when the male bear attacked him, and, to quote the head keeper, "almost got me." Ever since Bill interfered with the big bear the latter has been seeking a chance to even the score. Among the attendants the incident has been a subject of conversation and there has been unanimity of opinion that the bear would in time "get square" with the keeper. Since the affair the bear has been unusually quiet, a bad sign, the keepers all agreed.

Twice since the incident Snyder has been in the brown bear's pit, and on these occasions the big male has greeted him with a show of friendliness. Indeed, upon the second occasion he permitted him to rub his head, an act that deceived Snyder, animal student though he is, into thinking that the big fellow had either forgotten or forgiven.

Entering the cage to assist the regular keeper in cleaning out the cave, Bill was busy in the narrow interior when the body of the bear blocked the narrow entrance and he looked up from his work to find the brute almost upon him, growling and watching him with malevolent eyes.

"I sprang to my feet," said Snyder, "for I realized that the big fellow was in deadly earnest, and that in the little cave he practically had me at his mercy. It was about the tightest place I have ever been in except for the time the Bengal tiger tried to snap my hand off."

"I jumped up and backed against the wall, determined, if I could to lure the bear forward so that his slaggy bulk would not be between me and the entrance. It was my only chance, I figured, for, unarmed, I knew I had not a chance of getting away from his great paws. The bear was not to be lured from his strategic position, and slowly advanced, keeping between me and the one chance for freedom. Then he struck, and with one sweep sent me up against the stone side of the cave."

What happened in the crowded few seconds after that was told by Hurton, who ran to the bear dens as soon as the keeper spread the news that Snyder had been "gotten" by the big bear. He reached the den just as the bear advanced from the entrance and made a swipe at Snyder. He, too, thought it was all up. They had not counted upon the gratitude of Jess. When her mate struck out for Snyder, Jess seemed to realize that something was wrong. She quickly moved to the side of the big fellow, and Hurton says, peered over his shoulder into the interior of the little cave. She saw Snyder reel against the wall, and then she got into action.

"That she-bear," said Hurton, "just hauled off, and before her mate could have an inkling of what was going to happen she let drive, and the male shot forward, sprawling almost upon Snyder."

There is difference of opinion as to just what happened next, but Hurton is authority for the statement that Jess, after her attack upon the male, reached into the interior of the cave and dragged Snyder out by the back of his collar. He scrambled to his feet and was soon outside the cage. The big bear is still out to get him, Snyder says, and as for Jess, Bill confided to his friends: "Gee, but she is a great old girl."

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HOPING FOR SPECIAL TRAIN

Members of Ladies' Aid Pass Delightful Afternoon and Evening at Mrs. Will's.

(Special Correspondence.)

Strong, November 16.—Mr. and Mrs. George Watt of Amherst, N. B., have returned to their home after spending a week with her brother, Edgar McPhail and family.

Herbert Bradford and Ralph Nelson were callers in town last Sunday.

Ralph Hennings has finished work on Raymond Starbird's automobile and has returned to Phillips.

William Blanding of Farmington Falls spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Dan Leighton and family recently.

Ralph Eustis and Clarence Tash went to Salem Saturday and spent Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Luce, son Niel and Mrs. Laura Jones took an automobile trip to Lexington Sunday and spent the day with relatives there.

Misses Clarisa Flint and Bernice Morrill spent the week-end with their parents at Farmington.

W. A. Bradford spent several days recently at Redington.

Mrs. Henry Williams has recovered sufficiently, since her recent surgical operation to be moved from Dr. Bell's hospital to her sister's, Mrs. Win Vining's.

Rev. John Dunstan preached a very interesting sermon Sunday morning on temperance from Lev. 10-9. A temperance program was carried out in the Sunday school, also in the evening.

Miss Florence Luce spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horatio N. Luce. She returned to her school at Farmington Falls Monday.

An effort is being put forth to secure names enough so a special train can be run next week from Phillips and Strong to Farmington to attend "The Birth of a Nation," which will be seen there Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The work on the suspension bridge is finished so traffic goes on as usual.

usual.

Miss Lucille Johnson is rooming at Mrs. Edgar McPhail's and attending High school.

Eben Masterman, who has been in town the past week demonstrating Wear-ever aluminum, spent Sunday with his family at Jay. He returned Monday.

Mrs. Frank Hodgman and Miss Hortense Butler of Phillips were in town Saturday calling on friends.

Charles Richards spent the week-end with his family in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chandler spent Sunday with their parents in Phillips. They returned home Monday.

Miss Elvina Marwick is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. True R. Luce.

The Ladies' Aid were invited Sunday by Mrs. George Will of Avon to spend Wednesday afternoon with her and in the evening a picnic supper was served for the gentlemen. Mr. and Mrs. Will are royal entertainers and it is needless to say that a most delightful time was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beal have returned from Phillips, where they were called by the death of his father, Frank Beal.

George Huff and friend of Phillips were callers in town Sunday.

Lincoln Worthley and daughter, Miss Lizzie Worthley spent Saturday in Kingfield. Miss Worthley was the guest of her cousin, Miss Hildreth Thompson.

Raymond Starbird went to Lewiston Tuesday on a business trip.

Cards were received Saturday announcing the marriage of Charlotte, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burns to Harold Welch, son of Mrs. Daisy Huff, which occurred Saturday afternoon at Phillips and the happy couple left on the night train for Redington, where they had a cozy rent waiting for them. Mr. Welch is foreman on the section at Redington, but was formerly from this town and received his education in the village schools. Mrs. Welch is one of Strong's popular young ladies, receiving her education also in the village schools and has taught several terms of school. Both young people have a host of friends who extend congratulations and best wishes to them for many years of happiness together.

Miss Edna Gilman, day operator in the Central telephone office, is in

Lewiston for a few days. The office is in charge of Mrs. Walter Bradford during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chandler of Phillips spent a few days recently with their son, Harry Chandler and wife.

Milford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Beal, is ill, suffering from chicken pox.

WEST NEW VINEYARD

Nov. 15.

Owen Record returned home last Saturday from his work in Auburn.

Dan Pratt and Jack Gravelin went up to Charles Richard's camp a few days ago. Each returned with a nice deer.

Milja Taylor of Farmington, also Esther J. Savage visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Savage over Saturday and Sunday.

Several of the young people of this vicinity, as well as some of the older ones, attended a social at John Allen's last Friday evening. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the hostess, Mrs. Carrie Allen. A general good time was enjoyed by all.

Frank Norton and Will Savage are ploughing for Mr. Lincoln.

George White, who is working in Boston recently spent several days with his wife and family, who live at Joe Turner's.

NORTH PHILLIPS

Nov. 16.

Mrs. C. W. Harnden and little son were guests last Sunday of her sister Mrs. Charles Wilbur.

Mrs. Willard Moody and children spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Pickard in West Phillips.

A number of deer have been seen in this vicinity lately, but as yet none have been captured.

Miss Hortense Voter is visiting her

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Mrs. Gary Nickerson has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. W. E. Hinkley was a Sunday guest of Mrs. E. R. Lander.

SCHOOL NOTES.

PHILLIPS HIGH SCHOOL

F. Merton Hammond, principal; Miss Dennison, 1st assistant; Miss Grant, 2nd assistant.

Karl Howland has finished work on the government survey and has resumed his duties at High school.

The ice on the school steps and platform is getting worn smooth, making it quite an art to walk across it. Shock absorbers correctly placed and securely attached to the person would lend confidence and possibly save a few bumps.

Miss Berilla McKenzie has returned to school after a few days' absence, caused by a slight attack of tonsillitis.

A letter from Herbert McKenzie, who is attending business college in Portland, would lead one to believe that he is "getting a line" on the movies if not on the principles of business and that is certainly something at the present stage of the photo play.

It might be of interest to people interested in the school to know that Mr. Keyes is in town on a hunting trip.

It certainly began to look like winter when Miss Stillman appeared in a pair of moccasins.

STRAITON

Nov. 15.

Guy and Ira Sedgeley are in Kingfield working on the Stratton and Eustis telephone line.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Blanchard and

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children, also Mrs. Gilbert Handley of New Vineyard visited Mrs. Blanchard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, Sunday, coming by automobile.

L. T. Hinds and Arthur Kenney made a business trip to Bangor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hecratio Harmon have moved back to their home in Portland.

Joseph Fotter has gone into the woods with his horses for Durrell & Wing at Dead River.

A. M. Jones is logging at Dead River dam and his family have gone into the woods to cook for him.

Mrs. Averke Jones is stopping with Mrs. Elva Jones this winter.

Mr. A. M. Gordon of Augusta, general agent for the schools in the unorganized towns, visited the school at No. 4 one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hinds of Farmington returned to their home last week with two deer which he shot while here.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends, who sent flowers or otherwise ministered to us in the death of our husband and father.

Mrs. Ella M. Beal,
Mrs. Flora E. Dodge,
Herman J. Beal,
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George H. Beal,
Linwood Beal.
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OBITUARY.

CHARLES EDWIN CROSSMAN

The death of Charles Edwin Crossman of Madrid, while not unexpected, came as a surprise to many of his friends who thought he would linger on for a few weeks longer.

Mr. Crossman had been ill nearly a year. Early last spring he went to the Sisters' hospital, Lewiston, for several weeks. After his return he was cared for by Mrs. Herbert Lufkin and later moved to the home of Miss Esther Bryant where he boarded at the time of his death.

Mr. Crossman was born in Letter E. Plantation 61 years ago, the eldest son of Charles and Mary Witham Crossman. The family moved to Phillips some 20 years since on what is now known as the Bryant place, where Mr. Crossman lived until the death of his parents, when he moved to Madrid village. He was active in town affairs having served Madrid as town clerk for the past two years and was both competent and faithful in the performance of his duties, a member of Madrid Sunday School Association also teacher in the Sunday school and so long as he was able, always in his place; kindly in disposition, interested in promoting the welfare of the neighborhood in which he lived. No better tribute can be paid to his memory than this. He gave the best that he had.

Annie M. Weymouth.

FREEMAN CENTER

Nov. 15.

Several from this place attended church at Salem last Sunday, there being no services at our schoolhouse. Next Sunday, November 21st there will be a meeting at the Centre schoolhouse at 2.30. Rev. D. F. Burns of Cambridge, Mass., will be present.

Misses Gelia Weymouth and Elsie Blackwell are visiting relatives and friends in Salem this week.

Howland & Fitch had their hay pressed last week. We understand they are expecting to leave their farm and go into a village for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Eustis of Winthrop visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Welch, Sunday.

Master Clinton Weymouth is among the lucky hunters having secured a large 12-point buck while hunting in the Dead River region last week.

Roy Fentiman visited relatives in Kingfield last week.

Although we had several inches of snow a few days ago, it is no uncommon thing to find strawberry and dandelion blossoms in this vicinity.

WEST FARMINGTON

Nov. 15.

Beautiful weather for the season. Rev. J. Pendleton preached a very interesting sermon to a large and attentive audience last Sunday.

BRAIN BLOOD-SUPPLY MUST BE GOOD.

The importance of having pure blood is perhaps never more deeply impressed on us than when we are told by physiologists that if the brain is supplied with impure blood, nervous and bilious headache, confusion of ideas, loss of memory, impaired intellect, dimness of vision, and dullness of hearing, are experienced, and in time the brain becomes disorganized and the brittle thread of life is broken.

The more we learn of the usefulness of the great blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla, the more grateful we are for this old and successful family medicine, which has accomplished so much in removing scrofula, rheumatism and catarrh and other blood diseases and correcting run-down conditions of the system. If you need a blood purifier, get Hood's Sarsaparilla.

tentive audience last Sunday. The village improvement society attended in a body and the house was nearly filled.

Herbert Norton had an ill turn last week and was obliged to leave school for the last of the week, but is better now and has returned to school.

Ernest Flood of Norway called on Bernard Vining last Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Whitmore was in town last Friday.

Leslie Hunt and family were in town last week, called by the death of Mr. Hunt's father.

Our community was saddened last week by the death of a former citizen, J. J. Hunt, who was accidentally shot. The remains were brought to Farmington for burial in the Riverside cemetery. The funeral was attended by Rev. M. Brooks at the M. E. church last Friday. Mr. Hunt leaves two sons, one daughter and two sisters. Mr. Hunt was keeping a hotel at Augusta. He had been a resident of Farmington for many years but recently sold out and moved away. He was a kind and obliging neighbor, ready to lend a helping hand to any one in trouble. Erion Francis has recently visited his sister, Mrs. Ralph Ellsworth.

The members of the Free Baptist church are very grateful to those who kindly assisted in cleaning the church recently.

Mrs. J. W. Hines visited her sister Mrs. S. S. Locklin at Livermore Falls a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry V. Berry and Frank Morrison went to Phillips with Orrin Newton last week in his Ford car.

AVON VALLEY

Nov. 15.

Miss Muriel Toothaker has returned from visiting relatives in Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilcox of Rangeley are staying at Granite Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Hanson spent the week-end at Frank Orbeton's.

Mrs. Frank Orbeton has returned home from nursing Mrs. Gladys Stewart.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rollins died very suddenly of bronchitis last Wednesday. Mrs. Rollins, who was ill at the same time, is now able to sit up.

G. M. Horn has purchased the Wesley Hoar place and is moving his goods in.

Mrs. Aurilla Kennedy is visiting her son, Dana at present.

EAST PHILLIPS

Nov. 15.

Milton Stinchfield secured a fine deer Monday.

Mrs. Leonard Mecham has returned home after visiting her son, Harry Mecham in Phillips.

Lillian Abbott is visiting at Leslie Stinchfield's for a while.

Mrs. S. W. Bates, who has been having a few weeks' vacation, has

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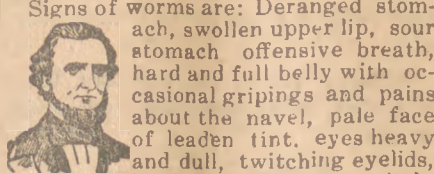
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resumed her duties at the Elmwood. Chas. Peary got a fine doe one day recently.

Mrs. Chas. Plaisted and Mrs. Mary Gleason were callers at Stinchfield & Grover's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peary spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kinney at Reed's Mill.

Mrs. Nelson Swett has moved her family to the farm just vacated by Leslie Stinchfield and is boarding the mill crew for Dexter Beedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stinchfield and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grover spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Bates. A delicious supper was served.

TORY HILL

Nov. 16.

C. N. Plaisted visited his sister, Mrs. Jennie Grover last Wednesday.

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Rudolph Croteau is stopping with Will Mitchell and attending school in the Cushman district.

Frank Mitchell visited his brother, Will Mitchell and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gates were in Strong calling on relatives and friends one day last week.

Elbridge Dill and wife were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Plaisted recently.

Charles Hutchins & Son moved their families onto the Leonard Pratt place last Tuesday for a few months while they are sawing the lumber they have bought there.

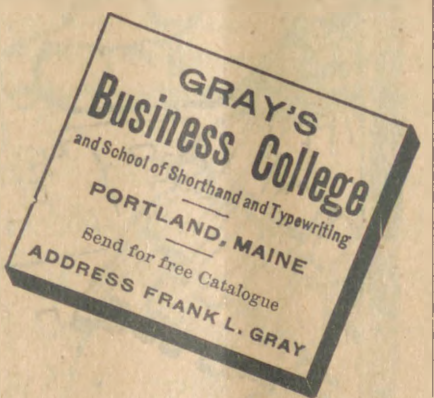
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Taylor of Kingfield spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gates.

During the high wind of Wednesday night, Nov. 10, we could see three fires from the hill.

Mrs. Wm. Moores and daughter, Patia, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Emery Moore in South

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In a letter from D. W. Toothaker, who has been visiting his brother in Odin, Ill., he says he starts for Maine sometime during the week of the 15th.

EUSTIS

Nov. 15.

There is a few inches of snow on the ground at this writing.

Floyd Stubbs of Dixfield and Carroll Philbrick of Roxbury have returned to their homes. They got the plainer all set ready to use.

Dale Potter is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Potter in town. He attends the High school at Kingfield.

Mrs. Emery and daughter and a friend of Madison recently visited Mrs. Eva Arnold a few days.

Mrs. Irvin Newell and little girl of Flagstaff are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Warren Dyer.

Edison Sylvester has gone to King & Bartlett to guide a party.

Mrs. Elva Jones and Mrs. Crissie Vaughan walked up here from Stratton Tuesday of last week and took dinner at The Sargent. They called on friends in town and walked back.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lander have returned to their home in Freeman. He got a nice buck to take home with him.

George Tanguay has returned home from Lewiston where he went last week to see his wife who is at St. Marie's hospital. Her friends will be glad to hear that she is gaining.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Wesley N. Hoar, late of Phillips, in the County of Franklin, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Willis A. Hoar.

October 19, 1951.

NOTICE OF SALE

Please take notice that I will sell under authority of the Bankruptcy Court the following described property: All the right, title and interest of the estate of Ralph H. Preble, of Phillips, which consists in an equity of redemption in the following described real estate:

A certain lot or parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situate in said Phillips, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:—Beginning at the intersection of Main and Depot Streets, in Phillips Lower Village, and running easterly on the south line of said Main Street thirty-two feet; thence southerly, parallel with the west end of the ell attached to the Worthley House, so-called, to a point fourteen feet north of the store building containing Wilbur Hall, so-called; thence westerly, parallel with said store building and fourteen feet therefrom, to the east line of said Depot Street; thence northerly on the east line of said Depot Street to the point of beginning.

Also granting a right of way in common on the south of the premises hereby conveyed, from said Depot Street to the Harden shop lot.

In part consideration of this grant it is agreed that the grantee, his heirs or assigns, shall never permit the premises hereby conveyed to be used for the sale of groceries, flour, grain or mill stuffs.

The sale will be held on the 15th day of November, 1915, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the store within described, and will be by public auction. No bids will be received under one hundred dollars (\$100.00), and title will be taken subject to mortgage. The sale will be for cash, and a deposit of 50% must be paid at the close of the bidding or the bid will be rejected.

H. E. Bell, Deputy Sheriff.

Mrs. William Lockyer has returned home from visiting her son and wife in New Hampshire.

Linwood Foster has returned to his home in Strong.

Miss Georgia Smart and brother, Lloyd have come out from Chain of Ponds and have gone to Farmington, where Master Lloyd is going to have his eyes fitted.

Siegel Taylor is visiting his son, Everett.

Miss Wilbur of Rangeley is working for her sister, Mrs. Everett Taylor.

Miss Nettie Bemis has returned to her home in Stratton after visiting her friend Mrs. George Ricker a few days.

George Day's leg where he got cut a few weeks ago is better, so he has gone to King & Bartlett to work again.

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SYNOPSIS.

Chapter I—At a vestry meeting of the Market Square church Gail Sargent listens to a discussion about the sale of the church tenements to Edward E. Allison, local traction king, and when asked her opinion of the church by Rev. Smith Boyd, says it is apparently a lucrative business enterprise.

Chapter II—Allison takes Gail riding in his motor car. When he suggests he is entitled to rest on the laurels of his achievements, she asks the disturbing question: "Why?"

Chapter III—Gail, returning to her Uncle Jim's home from her drive with Allison, finds cold disapproval in the eyes of Rev. Smith Boyd, who is calling there.

Chapter IV—At a bobbed party Gail finds the world uncomfortably full of men, and Allison tells Jim Sargent that his new ambition is to conquer the world.

Chapter V—Allison starts a campaign for consolidation and control of the entire transportation system of the world.

CHAPTER VI—Gail becomes popular and Aunt Helen thinks it necessary to advise her as to matrimonial probabilities.

Chapter VII—Allison gains control of transcontinental traffic and arranges to absorb the Vedder court tenement property of Market Square church.

Chapter VIII—Gail visits Vedder court, and meeting Boyd there, tells him that the cathedral Market Square church proposes to build will be out of profits wrung from squalor.

Chapter IX—Gail becomes the center of magnetic attraction for the men of her aunt's social set.

Chapter X—At a meeting of the seven financial magnates of the country, Allison organizes the International Transportation Company.

Chapter XI—Rev. Smith Boyd undertakes Gail's spiritual instruction and Gail unconsciously gives Allison a hint that solves the Vedder court problem for him.

(Continued from last week.)

Gail was immediately aware that he was exercising patience. He had reproved her, nevertheless, and quite coldly, for having violated the tacit agreement to take up the different phases of their weighty topic only "in their due logical sequence." The rector, in this emergency, would have found no answer which would stand the test, but Gail had the immense advantage of femininity.

"It altogether depends at which end we start our sequence," she sweetly reminded. "My own impression is that we should begin at Vedder court and work back to the creation. Vedder court needs immediate attention."

That was sufficient. When Allison called, twenty minutes later, they were at it hammer and tongs. There was a bright red spot in each of Gail's cheeks, and Rev. Smith Boyd's cold eyes were distinctly green! Allison had been duly announced, but the combatants merely glanced at him, and finished the few remarks upon which they were, at the moment, engaged. He had been studying the tableau with the interest of a connoisseur, and he had devoted his more earnest attention to Rev. Smith Boyd.

"So glad to see you," said Gail conventionally, rising and offering him her hand. If there was that strange thrill in his clasp, she was not aware of it.

"I only ran in to see if you'd like to take a private car trip in the new subway before it is opened," offered Allison, turning to shake hands with Rev. Smith Boyd. "Will you join us, doctor?"

For some reason a new sort of jangle had come into the room, and it affected the three of them. Allison was the only one who did not notice that he had taken Gail's acceptance for granted.

"You might tell us when," she observed, transferring the flame of her eyes from the rector to Allison. "I may have conflicting engagements."

"No, you won't," Allison cheerfully informed her; "because it will be at

any hour you set."

"Oh," was the weak response, and, recognizing that she was fairly beaten, her white teeth flashed at him in a smile of humor. "Suppose we say ten o'clock tomorrow morning."

"I am free at that hour," stated Doctor Boyd, in answer to a glance of inquiry from Allison. He felt it his duty to keep in touch with public improvements. Also, beneath his duty lay a keen pleasure in the task.

"You'll be very much interested, I think," and Allison glowed with the ever-present pride of achievement, then he suddenly grinned. "The new subway stops at the edge of Vedder court, waiting."

There was another little pause of embarrassment, in which Gail and Rev. Smith Boyd were very careful not to glance at each other. Unfortunately, however, Rev. Smith Boyd was luckless enough to automatically and, without conscious mental process, fold the sheet of music which had long since been placed on the piano.

"Why stop at the edge of Vedder court?" inquired Gail, with a nervous little jerk, much as if the words had been jolted out of her by the awkward slam of the music rack, which had succeeded the removal of the song. "Why not go straight on through, and demolish Vedder court? It is a scandal and a disgrace to civilization, and to the city, as well as to its present proprietors! Vedder court should be annihilated, torn down, burned up, swept from the face of the earth! The board of health should condemn it as unsanitary, the building commission should condemn it as unsafe, the department of public morals should condemn it as unwholesome!"

Rev. Smith Boyd had been engaged in a strong wrestle within himself, but the spirit finally conquered the flesh and he held his tongue. He remembered that Gail was young, and youth was prone to extravagant impulse. His spirit of forbearance came so strongly to his aid that he was even able to acknowledge how beautiful she was when she was stiffened.

Allison had been viewing her with mingled admiration and respect.

"By George, that's a great idea," he thoughtfully commented. "Gail, I think I'll tear down Vedder court for you!"

CHAPTER XII.

The Survival of the Fittest.

A short, thick old man, gray-bearded and puff-eyed and loaded with enormous jewels, met Gail, Lucile and Arly, Ted Teasdale and Rev. Smith Boyd, at the foot of the subway stairs, and introduced himself with smiling ease as Tim Corman, beaming with much pride in his widespread fame.

"Mr. Allison couldn't be here," explained Tim, leading the way to the brightly lighted private car. "We're



Introduced Himself With Smiling Ease as Tim Corman.

to pick him up at Hoadley park. Miss Sargent, as hostess of the party, is to have charge of everything."

The side doors slid open as they approached, and they entered the carpeted and draped car, furnished with wicker chairs and a well-stocked buffet. In the forward compartment were three responsible-looking men and a motorman, and one of the responsibilities, a fat gentleman who did not seem to care how his clothes looked, leaned into the parlor.

"All ready?" he inquired, with an air of concealing a secret impression that women had no business here.

Tim Corman, who had carefully seen to it that he had a seat between Gail and Arly, touched Gail on the glove.

"Ready, thank you," she replied, glancing brightly at the loosely arrayed fat man, and she could see that immediately a portion of that secret impression was removed.

With an easy glide, which increased with surprising rapidity into express speed, the car slid into the long, glis-

tening tunnel, still moist with the odors of building.

Tim Corman had adroitly blocked Gail into a corner, and was holding her attention.

"Ed Allison is one of the smartest boys in New York," he enthusiastically declared. "Did you ever see anybody as busy as he is?"

"He seems to be a very energetic man," Gail assented, with a sudden remembrance of how busy Allison had always been.

"Gets anything he goes after," Tim informed her, and screwed one of his many-puffed eyes into a wink; at which significant action Gail looked out at the motorman. "Never tells his plans to anybody, nor what he wants. Just goes and gets it."

"That's a successful way, I should judge," she responded, now able to see the humor of Tim Corman's volunteer mission, but a red spot beginning to dawn, nevertheless, in either cheek.

"What I like about him is that he always wins," went on Tim. "Nobody in this town has ever passed him the prunes. Do you know what he did? He started with two miles of rust and four horse cars, and now he owns the whole works."

Gail knitted her brows. She had heard something of this marvelous tale before, and it had interested her. She had been groping for an explanation of Allison's tremendous force.

"That was a wonderful achievement. How did he accomplish it?"

"Made 'em get off and walk!" boasted Tim, with vast pride in the fact. "Any time Eddie run across a man that had a street car line, he choked it out of him. He's a wizard."

Tim's statement seemed to be somewhat clouded in metaphor, but Gail managed to gather that Allison had possibly used first-principle methods on his royal pathway to success.

"You mean that he drove them out of business?"

"Pushed 'em off!" chuckled Tim. "Anybody Allison likes is lucky," and with the friendly familiarity of an old man, Tim Corman patted Gail on the glove.

"It occurs to me that I'm neglecting my opportunities," observed Gail, rising. "I'm supposed to be running this car," and going to the glass door she looked into the motorman's compartment, which was large, and had seats in it, and all sorts of mysterious tools and appliances in the middle of the floor.

Tim Corman, as Allison's personal representative, was right on the spot.

"Come on out," he invited, and opened the door, whereupon the three responsible-looking men immediately arose.

"Show her how it works, Tom," he directed.

So it was that Edward E. Allison, standing quite alone on the platform of the Hoadley Park station, saw the approaching trial trip car stop, and run slowly, and run backwards, and dart forwards, and perform all sorts of experimental movements, before it rushed down to his platform, with a rosy-cheeked girl standing at the wheel, her brown eyes sparkling, her red lips parted in a smile of ecstatic happiness, her hat off and her waving brown hair flowing behind her in the sweep of the wind. To one side stood a highly pleased motorman, while a short, thick old man, and a careless fat man, and a man with a high forehead and one with a red mustache, all smiling indulgently, clogged the space in the rear.

Allison boarded the car, and greeted his guests, and came straight through to the motorman's cage, as Gail, in response to the clang of the bell, pulled the lever. She was just getting that easy starting glide, and she was filled with pride in the fact.

"You should not stand bareheaded in front of that window," greeted Allison, almost roughly; and he closed it. Gail turned very sweetly to the motorman.

"Thank you," she said, and gave him the lever, then she walked back into the car. It had required some repression to avoid recognizing that dictatorial attitude, and Allison felt that she was rather distant, and wondered what was the matter; but he was a practical-minded person, and he felt that it would soon blow over.

"I've been neglecting this view," she observed, gazing out into the rapidly diminishing perspective, then she glanced up sidewise at the tall young rector, whose eyes were perfectly blue.

He answered something or other, and the conversation was so obviously a tete-a-tete that Allison remained behind. Tim looked up at Allison with a complacent grin, as the latter sat beside him.

"Well, Eddie. I put in a plug for you," stated Tim, with the air of one looking for approval.

"How's that?" inquired Allison, abstractedly.

"Boosted you to the girl. Say, she's a peach!"

Allison looked quickly back at the platform, and then frowned on his zealous friend Tim.

"What did you tell Miss Sargent about me?"

WORDS FROM HOME

Statements That May Be Investigated Testimony of Phillips Citizens.

When a Phillips citizen comes to the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of people residing in far away places do not command your confidence. Home endorsement is the kind that backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation proves it true. Below is a statement of a Phillips resident. No stronger proof of merit it can be had.

Henry W. True, tailor, Main St., Phillips, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills at different times and they have never failed to give relief. I know of no other medicine that is so effective. When I have slight attacks of kidney trouble, I get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Preble's Drug Store and a few doses make my kidneys all right again."

OVER THREE YEARS LATER Mr. True said: "I never use any other medicine but Doan's Kidney Pills for they answer my purpose."

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move until I find what electrical dangers there are."

A match flared up, and showed the pale face of the engineer bending over.

"No matches," ordered Allison. "We may need the oxygen."

He and the engineer made their way back into the parlor compartment. They took up the door of the motor well in the floor, and in a few minutes they replaced it. From the sounds they seemed remarkably clumsy.

"That much is lucky," commented Allison. "The next thing is to dig."

"In front or behind?" wondered the engineer.

"In front," decided Allison. "The explosion came from that direction, and has probably shaken down more of the soil there than behind, but it's solid clay in the rear, and further out."

Gail felt the rector's hand suddenly leave her own. It had been wonderfully comforting there in the dark; so firm and warm and steady. He had not talked much to her, just a few reassuring words, in that low, melodious voice, which thrilled her as did occasionally the touch of Allison's hand, as did the eyes of Dick Rodley. But she had received more strength from the voice of Allison. He was big, Allison, a power, a force, a spirit of command. She began, for the first time, to comprehend his magnitude.

"What have we to dig with?" The voice of Rev. Smith Boyd, and there was a note of eagerness in it.

"The benches up in front here," yelled McCarthy, and there was a ripping sound as he tore the seat from one of them.

"Pardon me." It was the voice of the rector, up in front.

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DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Floyd E. Parker.

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IN AND ABOUT PHILLIPS

A card received by friends in Phillips of Miss Ellie Hawes states that she is on a visit to her brother, Henry Hawes in San Francisco for a month and had a most delightful trip, stopping at Niagara Falls en route.

Miss Caroline Kenniston of Rumford has returned from the Panama Exposition. She also visited her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Briery of Auburn several days this week.

Friends of Miss Blanche Lawless, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lawless of Auburn, who is attending Watertown (Mass.) high school, will be pleased to learn that she has been requested to report for practice for the first basketball team of the school. When practice was started Miss Lawless went into the second team and after the scrimmage the coach requested her to report for practice with the first team, which is made up almost wholly of juniors and seniors. Miss Lawless plays running centre, this being her first year at the school. Mr. Lawless is travelling salesman for Whitehouse coffee and is a regular visitor to Phillips.

Maine Woods want ads. are interesting and profitable to those who read them and use them.

CURED BOY OF CROUP.

Nothing frightens a mother more than the loud, hoarse cough of croup. Labored breathing, strangling, choking and gasping for breath demand instant action. Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of croup after other remedies failed." Recommended for coughs and colds. Floyd E. Parker.

The man who kicks his home town breaks his own ice by so doing. And he ought to.

Unusually large audiences were present at both morning and evening services at the Union church last Sunday and appreciated the excellent music furnished by a quartette composed of Hon. N. P. Noble, Hollis Holt, Mrs. W. Henry True and Miss Marjorie Cutler in the morning and in the evening music by a chorus, the members being Messrs. N. P. Noble, Frank Hood, Clarence Campbell, Colby Whittemore, Fred Moulton, Mrs. W. Henry True, Cora Wheeler, Kathleen Noble, Mrs. Frank Hood, Gertrude Stillman, Edith Hunter, Emma Russell, Mrs. J. Blaine Morrison accompanist.

Floyd Holt of Dixfield returned to his work at Charles Stanley's Sons grocery store, last week after a month's vacation. Mr. Holt enjoyed one week's hunting with friends at Roxbury and two weeks with relatives and friends in Portsmouth, N. H. and Boston during his vacation.

Mr. Wilson C. Beal of the Mile Square, who went to Portland recently with his daughter, Mrs. Ira Whittemore, was given a little surprise party by his friends on October 25. Mr. Beal was presented with a fine bath robe, pair of slippers and a hot water bottle. He has closed his house and will spend the winter with his daughter. Mr. Beal has been in very poor health for a year or two past but his many friends in this section hope to see him back in the early summer much improved in health.

Fred Lufkin of Madrid brought to this office Saturday, a fine cluster of ripe raspberries which he picked on November 12th. Pretty late date

for nice ripe fruit. A short distance from where he picked the berries there were a few inches of snow.

Mr. William Ingham, who went to Riverside, Cal., for the winter a few weeks ago writes that he is taking long walks as usual and can climb the mountains all right. He is having green corn, berries and vegetables in abundance.

Adam Simpson of Skowhegan has been elected town clerk and collector of that town. Mr. Simpson is one of the prominent citizens of the town and for many years has been proprietor of Simpson's meat market and is well-known in fraternal circles, being high priest of Somerset chapter, Royal Arch Masons, and an officer of Sunset chapter, O. E. S., as well as affiliated with Woodbine lodge, Degree of Honor and the Ancient Order of United Workmen. He has two sons, Robert in the meat market, and William, paymaster at the mill of the American Woolen Co. in Oakland. Mr. Simpson is a brother-in-law of Mr. J. H. Byron of this town.

The Winthrop Literary club recently observed a "School and Civics" evening at the home of Mrs. C. W. Taggart. Mrs. Taggart served dainty refreshments and also favored the company with a piano solo.

Mrs. Alice Bates, who has been having a few weeks' vacation has returned to her work as cook at The Elmwood.

Albert Worthley, who has passed the summer in Phillips left town last week for his home in Arkansas City, Kansas. Mr. Worthley has enjoyed the hunting immensely and has been fortunate in securing game, having bagged 37 birds and one deer. We shall hope to see Mr. Worthley in Phillips early next season. Mrs. Worthley has been with her daughter, Mrs. Edna Worthley Underwood in New York, since leaving town some weeks ago. We regret that Mrs. Underwood's trip to Phillips this year had to be cancelled on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rollins have the sympathy of friends in the loss of their nine-months-old son, who died November 10th after a short illness.

Mrs. Frank MacKenzie of Rangeley was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hight last week.

Friends everywhere of M. Price Webber, who some time ago underwent surgical treatment at St. Barnabas' Hospital in Portland, will be glad to learn that he has sufficiently recovered to be able to leave that institution last week and was brought to his home in Augusta, being accompanied by Mrs. Webber, who had been with him during his stay in Portland. Mr. Webber is reported to have stood the journey well and was but little tired on his arrival at Augusta. All will unite in wishing him a complete restoration to health.

The people of Farmington will certainly be pleased to know that Clinton W. Greenwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Greenwood, now a Senior at Dartmouth college, has re-

WENT TO THE HOSPITAL

C. E. Blanchard, postmaster, Blanchard, Cal., writes: "I had kidney trouble so bad I had to go to the hospital. Foley Kidney Pills completely cured me." Men and women testify they banish lame back, stiff joints, sore muscles and sleep disturbing bladder ailments. Floyd E. Parker.

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cently won a prize of \$25 offered by the W. C. T. U. of New Hampshire for the best essay on Scientific Temperance Instruction. But that is not all by any means. His essay was forwarded to the national W. C. T. U. convention recently held in Seattle and there a prize of \$100 was awarded. It was also stated that the essay was greatly superior to any other presented in the national contest.—Farmington Chronicle. Mr. Greenwood is a nephew of Mr. Edward Greenwood of this town.

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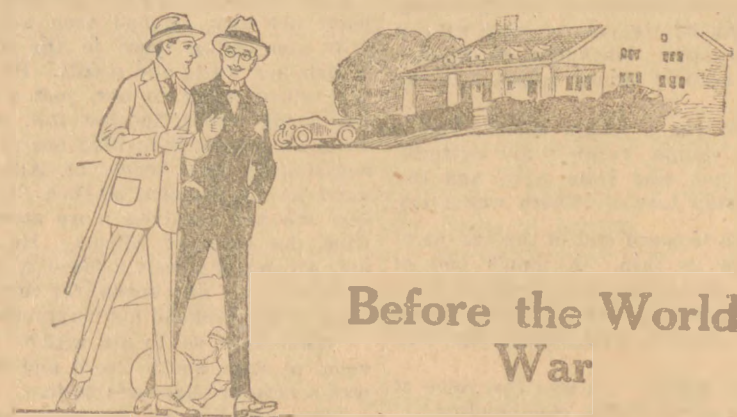
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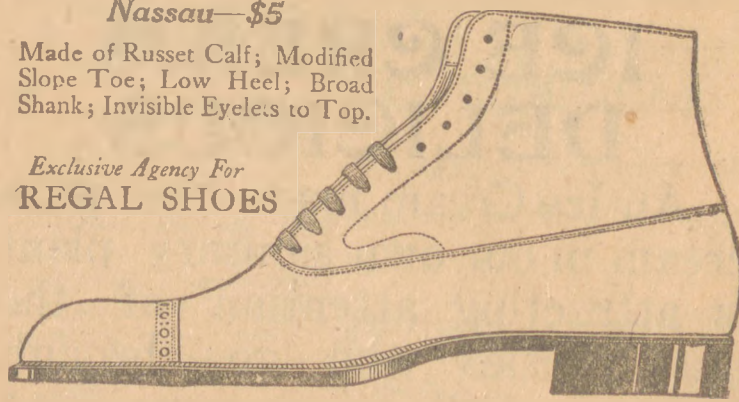
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