

# MAINE WOODS

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## FIELD PARTY AT LAKE WEBB

Party of New York and Boston  
Gentlemen Enjoying Their Annual Fishing Trip.

A party of Boston and New York gentlemen, friends of D. F. Field, will come this week Friday, to his camp at Weld, for their annual fishing trip, which has been the program for several years past. They come Friday and remain until Tuesday each year, soon after the ice leaves. There have been additions until this year there will be 10 in the party.

Two members are unable to come this year, H. W. Thorndike of Boston, who has just returned from a trip abroad and Charles Glavin. The following will angle for the big ones this year: Messrs. F. W. Hubbard, A. H. Emery, Dr. F. D. Carter, Dr. W. W. Journeay, Walter Richardson of Boston; R. C. Wilson, E. E. Haff, G. L. Mead, New York; John W. Horton, Providence, R. I., and D. F. Field of Phillips.

Bernie Houghton, Mell Childs, Bert Brown, Ellsworth Stockbridge and Wendell Conant will act as guides and Sherman Howard and Verne Conant as cooks.

They will arrive on the noon train from Portland and be carried from Wilton to Weld by auto.

Here is hoping that the 1913 party will beat all former records on number and size of fish taken.

## ICE LEFT FIVE DAYS EARLIER

(Special to Maine Woods).

Chase Pond Camp, Bingham, Me., May 5—Ice left Chase pond April 29, five days earlier than last season. Every thing looks green and springlike once more.

Chadbourne, the proprietor, is making a lot of improvements and making ready for the season. Many parties are booked for the spring fishing as well as a good number of families, who will return later in the season for the summer months.

There have been some very good catches made thus far.

## CAMPS BURNED AT BLAKESLEE

Word was received here Tuesday that the camps belonging to Joseph White at Blakeslee Lake, Eustis, which numbered ten had all been burned but three.

We have been unable to learn particulars, except that Mr. White has already commenced to rebuild.

## LARGEST EVER CAUGHT IN LAKE

(Special to Maine Woods).

Belgrade Lakes, May 5—Rev. E. A. White of Bloomfield, N. J. last Saturday, May 3, caught a salmon in Great lake, weighing 14 pounds, length 31 1-2 inches, girth 19 inches, depth 8 inches, caught with 3-0 hook, single gut leader. Mr. White was 25 minutes landing the fish. Ralph Stewart was the guide.

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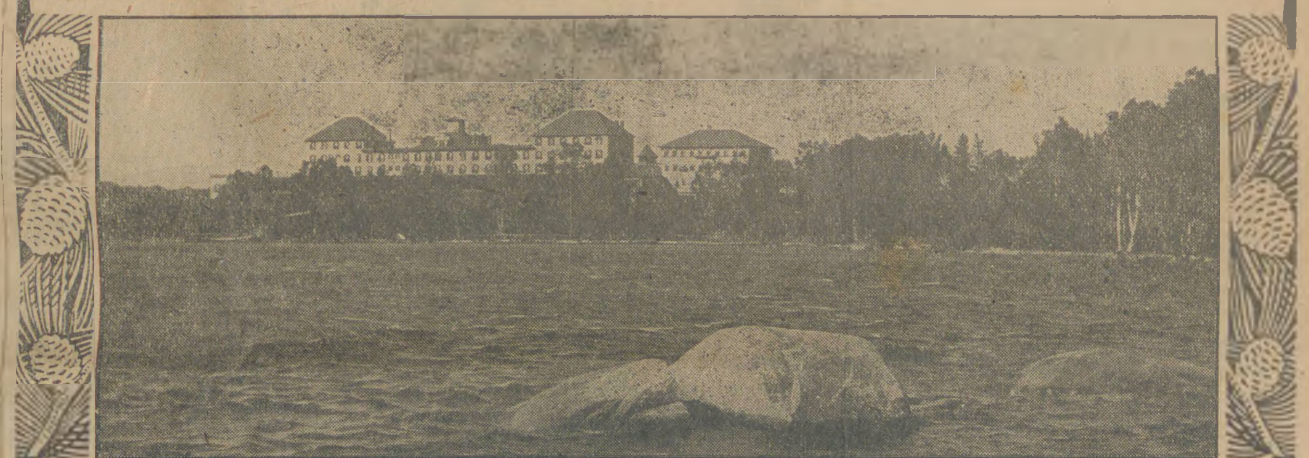
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## GREAT EMBDEN POND, NO. ANSON

(Special to Maine Woods).

Madison, Me., May 5—Being desirous of seeing our local lakes in your sporting paper I take the liberty of sending the news to date in the fishing line.

Ice went out the 26th of April, and was promptly celebrated by Edmund Danforth of North Anson landing a 5-lb. salmon. Since then bass, lake trout and salmon have appeared more or less sociable.

We have a beautiful lake here five miles long and one to one and one-half miles across.

ICE OUT—FISH IN.

Passenger Traffic Manager George M. Houghton of the B. & A., reports that the ice has left the following lakes and ponds, says the Bangor News: Moosehead lake, Milinocket lake, Portage lake, Spencer lake, Schoodic lake, Sebec lake, Davis pond and the Shirley ponds. On May 1 there had already been 20 salmon caught by the guests of one camp on Sebec lake. The hotels of Wm. L. Early and B. M. Packard are now open and the steamer is running. Edward E. Goff of Central Falls, R. I., got five nice salmon, the largest weighing 5 1-2 pounds. Unusually good fishing is expected in Sebec lake this season, the conditions being particularly favorable. Sebec lake is reached by

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## HATCHERIES OF THE STATE

### A Detailed Statement of Work Done Throughout the Year of 1912.

Report of the Lake Moxie Hatchery For the Year 1912.

Paul Hinds, Supt.

No land-locked salmon were raised at this hatchery this year.

Square-tailed Trout.

No trout eggs were taken at this hatchery last year.

The following trout eggs were received from other hatcheries:

From Cumberland Center, (eggs purchased by the state) 300,000

From Colorado, (from U. S. Fish Commission) 100,000

Loss from time of taking to time of hatching, 15,000

Loss from time of hatching to time of planting, 257,100

Number planted, 127,900

These fish were liberated in the following waters:

June 30, High Pond, Caratunk, 2,500

Helen Pond, Caratunk, 2,500

Sept. 24, Moore's Pond, Jackman, 1,500

Crocker Pond, Jackman, 1,500

25, Lake Parlin, Cold Stream, Enchanted & Snake Ponds, Jackman, 7,500

Oct. 4, Fish Pond, Jackman, 1,500

Heald Pond, Jackman, 1,500

Little Fish Pond, Jackman, 1,500

8, Moxie Pond, Mosquito, 10,000

10, Bog Brook, Jackman, 1,500

Deer Pond, Jackman, 1,500

Mud Pond Jackman, 1,500

Barrett Pond, Jackman, 1,500

Lowell Pond, Jack-

man, 1,500

12, Fernald Pond, Jackman, 1,000

18, Crosby Pond, Eustis, 2,500

Arnold Pond, Eustis, 2,500

24, Dimmick Ponds, Caratunk, 5,000

Hancock Pond, North New Portland, 5,000

Nov. 4, Knights Pond, The Forks, 2,000

9, Tributaries of Carabasset River, 500

19, Enchanted Lake, Jackman, 1,900

ham, 200

8, Hayden Lake, Madison, 200

Pond at North New Portland, 200

5, Pleasant Pond, Bingham, 200

15, Mosquito Brook, Mosquito Station, 300

May 28, Pleasant Pond, Bingham, 200

### Report of the Belgrade Fish Hatchery for the Year 1912.

Grant Hinds, Supt.

Land-locked Salmon.

No land-locked salmon eggs were taken at this hatchery in 1911. The land-locked salmon raised at this hatchery this year were hatched from eggs shipped to this hatchery from the Green Lake hatchery and the Caribou hatchery:

Received from Green Lake hatchery, 75,000

Received from Caribou hatchery, 100,000

Loss from time these eggs were received at Belgrade to time of hatching, 2,500

Loss from time of hatching to time of planting, 7,500

Number planted, 157,000

These fish were liberated in the

wintered at this hatchery 1911-12. These fish were liberated in the following waters:

May 16, Spring Lake, Flagstaff, 2,500

23, Narrows Pond, Winthrop, 2,000

27, Great Pond, Belgrade, 4,000

Snow Pond, Belgrade, 5,000

Salmon Lake, Belgrade, 1,500

Square-tailed Trout.

Number of square-ailed trout eggs taken at this hatchery in the fall of 1911, 20,000

Received from Spring Brook hatchery, Augusta, Me., trout eggs that state purchased, 100,000

Received from Bayside Trout Farm, East Wareham, Mass., trout eggs that state purchased, 200,000

Loss from time of taking to time of hatching, 34,579

Loss from time of hatching to time of planting, 15,421

Number planted, 270,000

These fish were liberated in the following waters:

May 14, Snow Pond, Belgrade, 10,000

15, Stream in Newport, Morrill Pond, Pittsfield, 5,000

7,500

## PLUMBING TO BE MADE PERFECT

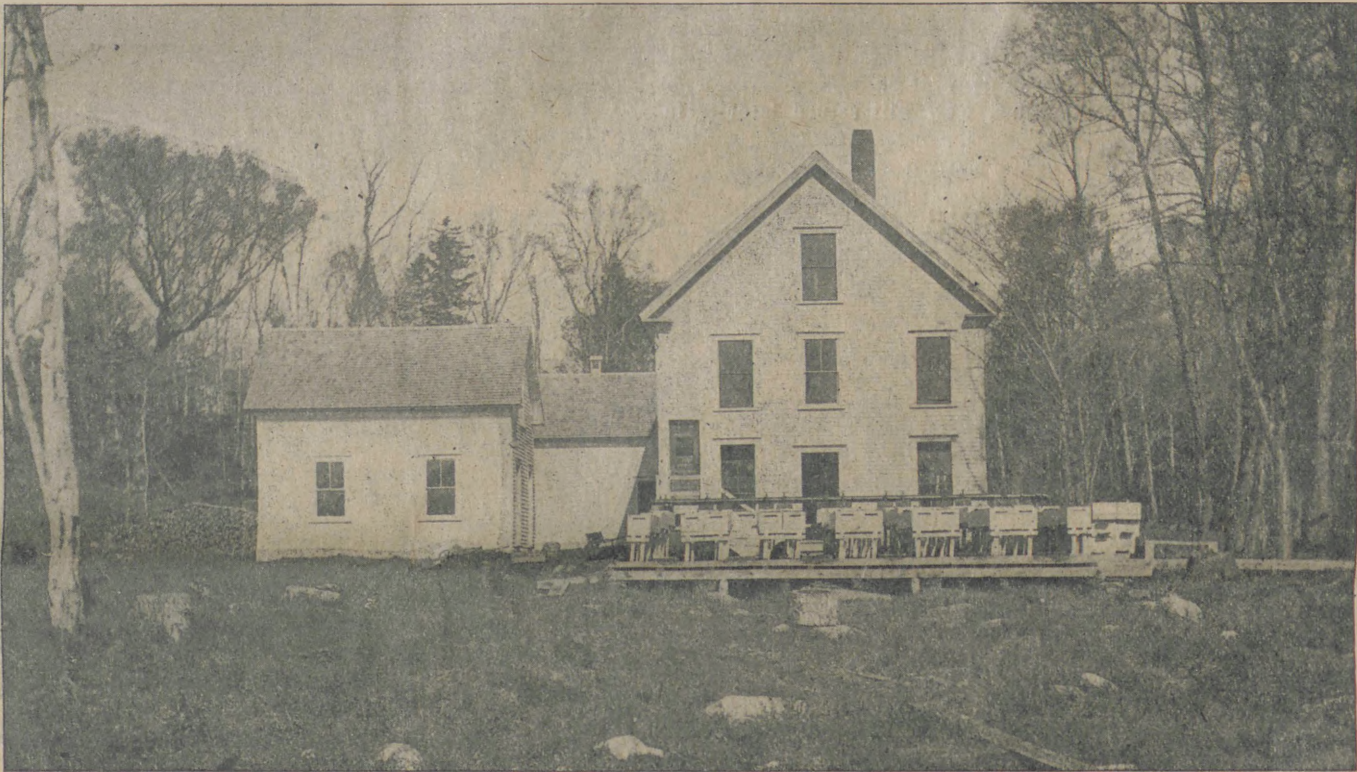
Big Logs Will be Ready for the Touch of a Match When Guests Arrive.

(Special to Maine Woods).

York Camps, Loon Lake, Rangeley, Me., May 5—Such remarkably warm weather during the past week has made the summer almost jump from the lap of winter ignoring the fact that a few spring days are necessary for the final touches here and there among the camps in preparation for the many guests who have already signified their intention to enjoy the manifold pleasures always afforded at York Camps.

The trees on the Farm, not to be outdone by the poplar, birch and maple which abound Loon lake, are sending out the tender buds which ere this goes to press will become Nature's protector from the sun rays and cool mountain winds for the promised fruit.

The plowing is about completed and during the coming week the Farm gardens will be laid out with every precaution taken against the ravages from frosts and deer—the



LAKE MOXIE HATCHERY

June 6, Mosquito Pond, Mosquito, 20,000

Mosquito Brook, Mosquito, 20,000

Sandy Stream, Mosquito, 10,000

7, Baker & Dimmick Ponds, Mosquito, 20,000

1,500 square-tailed trout wintered at this hatchery winter of 1911-12.

These fish were liberated in the following waters:

June 3, Knight's Pond, Forsyth, 200

6, Rowe Pond, Bingham,

following waters:

Sept. 30, Kingsbury Pond, Kingsbury, 5,000

Oct. 3, Sebasticook Lake, Newport, 6,000

5, Lake Embden, North Anson, 5,000

12, Oakes Pond, East Skowhegan, 2,500

14, Indian Pond, Whiting, 3,000

15, Bog Lake, Northfield, 5,000

16, Bog Lake, Northfield, 5,000

17, Green Lake, Ellsworth, 4,000

18, St. Georges Lake, Liberty, 5,000

22, Sandy Stream Pond, Freedom, 3,000

24, Baker Pond, Spaulding Town, 3,000

28, Flanders Pond, Sullivan, 3,000

Little Tunk Pond, Sullivan, 5,000

29, Molasses Pond, Eastbrook, 2,500

30, Fox Pond, T. 10, Hancock Co., 3,000

31, Tunk Pond, Cherryfield, 4,000

Nov. 1, Half Mile Pond, Aurora, 5,000

7, Long Pond, Mt. Desert Is., 4,000

13, Narrows Pond, Winthrop, 4,000

Great Pond, Belgrade, 25,000

Salmon Lake, Belgrade, 20,000

Snow Pond, Belgrade, 25,000

McGraw Pond, Belgrade, 4,000

Long Pond, Belgrade, 6,000

Number of land-locked salmon to be wintered at this hatchery, 8,000

Land-locked salmon wintered at this hatchery 1911-12.

24, Salmon Lake, Belgrade, 40,000

25, Long Pond, Belgrade, 25,000

26, McGraw Pond, Belgrade, 35,000

East Pond, Smithfield, 25,000

North Pond, Smithfield, 25,000

27, Little Pond, Belgrade, 25,000

28, Great Pond, Belgrade, 50,000

Lake Sebasticook, Newport, 10,000

Narrows Pond, Winthrop, 12,500

25,000 land-locked salmon eggs have been taken at this hatchery this season.

### Report of Monmouth Hatchery for the Year 1912.

W. A. Whiting, Supt.

Land-locked Salmon.

Number of land-locked salmon eggs received from Sebago Lake hatchery, 100,000

Loss from time of taking to time of hatching, 3,000

(Continued on Page Three.)

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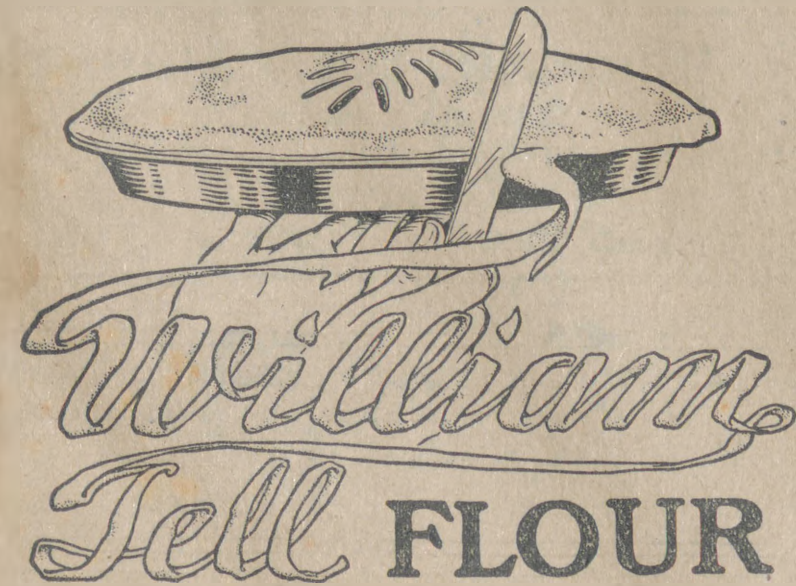
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HATCHERIES OF THE STATE.

(Continued from Page 2.)

Loss from time of hatching to time of planting,	2,000
Number planted,	95,000
These fish were liberated in the following wa ers:	
Oct. 9, Wassokeag Lake, Dexter,	2,500
28, Varnum Pond, Temple,	2,500
Varnum Pond, Temple,	2,500
Nov. 1, Douglass Pond, Bucksport,	4,000
4, Narrows Pond, Winthrop,	2,500
5, Varnum Pond, Temple,	2,000
Varnum Pond, Temple,	2,000
6, Little Tunk Pond, Sullivan,	1,500
Little Tunk Pond, Sullivan,	1,500
8, Crys al Lake, Washington,	10,000
11, Cathance Lake, Pem-broke,	5,000

SANDY RIVER & RANGELEY LAKES RAILROAD TIME TABLE

In Effect, May 12, 1913.

RANGELEY

PASSENGER TRAINS leave Rangeley for Phillips, Farmington, Portland and Boston at 11.30 A. M.

PASSENGER TRAINS arrive at Rangeley from Boston, Portland, Farmington and Phillips at 7.45 P. M.

MIXED TRAIN leaves Rangeley for Phillips at 11.00 A. M.

MIXED TRAIN arrives at Rangeley from Phillips at 10.15 A. M.

PHILLIPS

PASSENGER TRAINS leave Phillips for Farmington, Portland and Boston at 6.05 A. M. and 1.20 P. M.; for Rangeley at 6.10 P. M.

PASSENGER TRAINS arrive at Phillips from Boston, Portland and Farmington at 12.55 P. M. and 6.05 P. M.; from Rangeley at 1.10 P. M.

MIXED TRAINS leave Phillips for Farmington at 7.30 A. M. and for Rangeley at 7.40 A. M.

MIXED TRAINS arrive at Phillips from Farmington at 2.15 P. M. and from Rangeley at 3.00 P. M.

STRONG

PASSENGER TRAINS leave Strong for Farmington, Portland and Boston at 6.26 A. M. and 1.42 P. M.; for Phillips at 12.32 P. M. and 5.45 P. M.; for Rangeley at 5.45 P. M. and for Kingfield at 5.50 P. M.

PASSENGER TRAINS arrive at Strong from Boston, Portland and Farmington at 12.32 P. M. and 5.45 P. M.; from Bigelow and way stations at 1.30 P. M.; from Phillips at 6.26 A. M. and 1.42 P. M.

MIXED TRAINS leave Strong for Farmington at 8.15 A. M.; for Bigelow at 9.30 A. M. and for Phillips at 1.50 P. M.

MIXED TRAINS arrive at Strong from Phillips at 8.45 A. M.; from Kingfield at 8.10 P. M. and from Farmington at 11.45 A. M.

KINGFIELD

PASSENGER TRAINS leave Kingfield for Farmington, Portland and Boston at 12.45 P. M., and for Carrabasset and Bigelow at 9.40 A. M., and at 5.35 P. M.

PASSENGER TRAINS arrive at Kingfield from Boston, Portland and Farmington at 6.55 P. M.; and from Bigelow and Carrabasset at 11.50 A. M., and 5.25 P. M.

MIXED TRAINS leave Kingfield for Strong and Farmington at 6.45 A. M. and for Bigelow at 12.00 P. M.

MIXED TRAIN arrives at Kingfield from Strong at 10.45 A. M. and from Bigelow at 3.05 P. M.

BIGELOW

PASSENGER TRAINS leave Bigelow for Kingfield, Farmington, Portland and Boston at 11.00 A. M. and for Kingfield at 7.35 P. M.

PASSENGER TRAINS arrive at Bigelow from Boston, Portland and Farmington at 7.28 P. M. and from Kingfield at 10.35 A. M.

MIXED TRAIN leaves Bigelow for Kingfield at 2.00 P. M.

MIXED TRAIN arrives at Bigelow from Kingfield at 1.05 A. M.

MIXED TRAINS between Phillips and Rangeley, subject to cancellation any day without notice.

F. N. BEAL, G. P. A.

Number of square-tailed trout eggs taken at this hatchery fall of 1911, 105,000  
Received from American Fish Culture Co., Carolina, R. I., eggs that state purchased, 200,000  
Loss from time of taking to time of hatching, 35,000  
Loss from time of hatching to time of planting, 29,000  
Number planted, 242,000  
These fish were liberated in the following waters:

May 15, Streams and Ponds,	
Litchfield,	10,000
22, Cobbosseecontee Lake, Manchester,	15,000
24, Narrows Pond, Winthrop,	5,000
Berry Pond, Winthrop,	5,000
28, Delano Spring, Monmouth,	10,000
Annabessacook Lake, Winthrop,	5,000
29, Cobbosseecon'ee Stream, Monmouth,	25,000
June 1, Maranacook Lake, Winthrop,	15,000
Hatchery Brook, Monmouth,	25,000
4, Cochnewagon Pond, Monmouth,	15,000
5, Webber Pond, Vassalboro,	10,000
Sept. 30, Cobbosseecontee Lake, Manchester,	10,000
Oct. 4, Litchfield Ponds, Litchfield,	20,000
5, Webber Pond, Vassalboro,	5,000
7, Hayden Lake, Skowhegan,	7,500
8, Maranacook Lake, Winthrop,	7,500
9, Wassokeag Lake, Dexter,	2,500

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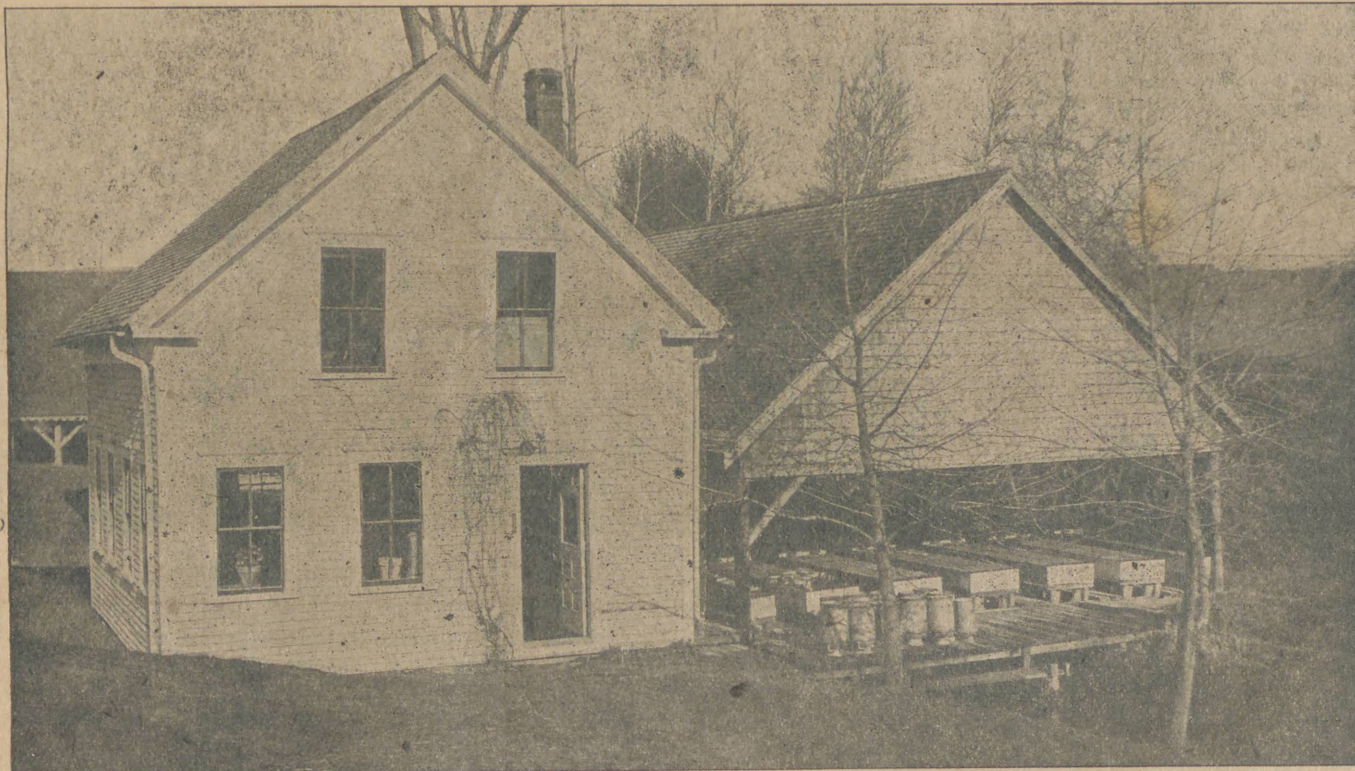
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Nov. 2, Birch Stream, Milford,	3,500
6, Donnell's Pond, Franklin,	1,000
Donnell's Pond, Franklin,	1,000
12, Keoka Lake, Waterford,	2,000
16, Ellis Pond, Bel-	

MOOSE SEEN NEAR FARMINGTON VILLAGE

A large moose was seen a short distance from this village a few days ago, says the Franklin Journal. The animal was on the intervalle of John A. Jones on the Falls road when first seen. Besides Mr. Jones and members of his family the animal was seen by W. W. Small and Nils Lysager. The moose crossed the river and moved off in the direction of Chesterville, being watched as it crossed the open spaces in the landscape for quite a distance.



MONMOUTH HATCHERY

Harbor,	2,000	10, Narrows Pond, Winthrop,	2,500
16, Embden Lake, N. Anson,	5,000	14, Little River, Wells Depot,	4,000
19, Cochnewagon Lake, Monmouth,	5,000	15, Pennesseewassee Lake, Norway,	5,000
20, Cobbosseecontee Lake, Manchester,	5,000	17, Helen Pond, Pierce Pond T,	1,500
21, Parker Pond, Mt. Vernon,	3,000	Fish Pond, Black Brook T,	1,500
27, Annabessacook Lake, Winthrop,	5,000	Dixon Pond, Pierce Pond T,	1,500
Dec. 13, Cochnewagon Pond, Monmouth,	7,000	Lost Pond, Pleasant Ridge,	5,000
14, Wilson Pond, Monmouth,	8,000	Oct. 19, Chase Pond, Bingham,	1,500
16, Maranacook Lake, Winthrop,	6,000	Pleasant Pond, Bingham,	5,000
17, Cobbosseecontee Stream, Monmouth,	9,000	Rowe Pond, Bingham,	2,500
Square-tailed Trout,		Echo Pond, Bingham,	1,500

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Received from Enfield hatchery fall of 1911 togue eggs,	25,000
Loss from time of taking to time of hatching,	300
Loss from time of hatching to time of planting,	200
Number planted,	24,500
These fish were planted in the following waters:	
May 18, Parker Lake, Strong,	5,000
Clearwater Pond, Allen's Mills,	5,000
North Pond, Wilton,	5,000
Davis Pond, Fayette,	5,000
20, Round Pond, Greenwood,	4,500
Number of square-tailed trout wintered at this hatchery winter of 1911-12,	3,000
These fish were liberated in the following wa ers:	
Dec. 29, Waters in N. Anson, application of Fred Bunker,	1,500
May 24, 1912, Hatchery Brook,	1,500
21,000 square-tailed trout eggs have been taken at this hatchery this fall.	

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GREEN LAKE FURNISHING GOOD SPORT

The fishermen have been bringing in some fine strings from the neighboring ponds. The warm weather recently has started the trout biting. Some good strings were taken at Patten pond during the week. Green Lake has furnished the best fishing of any pond in that vicinity, or probably in the State, this spring. During the past week from twenty-five to fifty salmon have been taken daily. Oscar Staples, of Ellsworth Falls, and Rufus H. Young, of Hancock, caught eleven in the lower lake from Friday to Monday, ranging from three to eight pounds. Another Ellsworth man brought in from Green Lake three fish, weighing eight, seven and five pounds respectively. Harold L. Hooper was one of the successful fishermen at Branch pond, catching a six-pound salmon and a four-pound trout.—Ellsworth American.

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## GUESTS AT THE TAVERN

### A Party of Seven at Dead River Camps--Dr. Stewart Gets Trio.

Mountain View House, May 8--  
This season surely opened with a  
rush and the way Landford Bowley,  
and a big crew of helpers have made  
things hum is plain to be seen.

"Where did all these guests come  
from?" some one asked Frank  
Plummer as the office was well  
filled last evening. "Why, they are  
fishermen, tourists and lumber con-  
tractors, nearly 30 and almost as  
many lumbermen and guides in the  
back hall," was the reply.

Last Friday night the first tourists  
arrived, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Judd of  
Bristol, who will remain until June.  
Last year Mr. Judd distinguished  
himself by landing nine record trout  
and salmon that weighed from 3  
to 8 pounds each. Bert Herrick was  
the guide and is again this year,  
taking Mr. Judd over the lake and  
last night came in with four fine  
fish, the largest a 3-lb. trout and  
said, "I struck a bigger fish to-  
day than I ever landed, but he is  
still in the lake."

Last evening everybody was tak-  
ing their hat off to F. J. Pierce of  
Gardner, Mass., who surely has the  
honors to date, for yesterday after-  
noon he landed as handsome a trio  
of salmon as was ever brought into  
the hotel. They weighed 7 lbs., 4 1-2  
lbs. and 3 1-4 lbs. each. Mr. Pierce  
was congratulated by everyone, and  
it caused a bit of merriment when  
one of the guests walked into the  
office where four gentlemen when  
playing cards, "just because they  
thought there was no fishing" and  
holding up the string of fish re-  
marked: "Who said there was no  
fishing in Rangeley lake? The fellow  
who sits around the office fire all  
day or on the piazza, is the one  
who says there is no fishing on this  
lake. Look at these!" and they  
went fishing today. Frank Harris  
as usual is Mr. Pierce's guide. M.  
B. Damon of Fitchburg, Mass., who  
is with Mr. Pierce, has Al Sprague  
for guide and will report his luck  
later. They occupy the first camp  
and will this week be joined by  
George A. Taylor of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bannash of  
Boston arrived Monday night for a  
few days' fishing and on Tuesday  
were joined by three friends, Mes-  
srs. N. Fallinger, E. I. Davidson and  
Wm. Hirsh. The party have Fred  
Fowler and Tom Splain for guides  
and intend to bring in a catch worth  
recording before they leave.

W. A. Garrigues of Plainfield, N.  
J., arrived last evening and with  
Rube Wilbur guide, will reel in  
some of the fish before he goes  
home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Heald of Rumford  
reached their camp Tuesday and in  
the afternoon Mrs. Heald caught a  
4 1-2-lb. trout near the wharf.

As the steamboats are not to  
make regular trips until May 12,  
the teams have had all they could  
do taking people to different places

## Fly Rod's Note Book

BY FLY ROD

The Tavern, Rangeley, Me., May  
7--"Yes the ice is out of the Range-  
ley lakes, who would have thought  
it?"

The trout and salmon are having  
things their own way for a few days  
as there are not many fishermen yet  
on the spot.

Last Saturday night one of the  
guides came out from Kennebago  
lake and was asked,

"Tell us when do you think the  
ice will be out of Rangeley lake?"

"I'll bet a ten with any man it  
can't go out before the 7th anyway."

On Sunday morning it was a much  
surprised guide who when he looked  
out saw Dr. C. S. Stuart with his  
fishing rods on his shoulder going  
by and looking in the direction of  
the lake there was no ice to be  
seen.

"Well, well, I'll be darned. I have  
lost \$10. This ice betting is  
mighty uncertain," said the guide as  
he lit his pipe and walked down to  
the lake shore.

Dr. Stuart spent the day on the

brought to net.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Haskell  
arrived from Florida this week and  
after a few days at the Tavern left  
for their camp at Long pond where  
they plan to remain until the first  
of June, before going to New Hamp-  
shire, where they have charge of  
one of the big summer hotels.

On Friday night Harvey E. Con-  
verse of Boston accompanied by two  
friends from the same city, Messrs.  
Everett F. Sweet and Franklin B.  
Smith, arrived. On Saturday they  
went to Kennebago and spent Sun-  
day at Camp Skedaddler, the beau-  
tiful new log camp which has just  
been completed for Mr. Converse on  
the shore of the lake and where he  
plans to spend much time and en-  
tertain many friends this summer.

Monday the flag was unfurled at  
Foresthalm the elegant summer  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene At-  
wood at Kennebago.

Mr. Atwood, who for two weeks  
has been at the Tavern and during

week and reports that work on his  
new camp on the shore of Rangeley  
lake is being rushed and that he ex-  
pects to have it finished and that  
the family will arrive the first of  
June for the season.

Coming on the train last evening  
I met a delightful party of seven  
on their way to Hemon Blackwell's  
camps at Dead River pond.

When we reached the little sta-  
tion at Dallas there stood Hemon  
Blackwell swinging a lantern and  
the train stopped long enough for  
us to hear the hearty greeting that  
he gave three of the party, Dr. G.  
W. Andrews and Miss Florence, a  
happy Miss of 10, and Wm. Massie,  
for they were to follow the trail  
across a mile and a half through the  
woods. The remainder of the  
party came to this hotel and went  
to camp by buckboard this morning  
and are to remain for two weeks.  
They are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Massie  
of New York, City; Dr. and Mrs.  
G. M. Andrews and Miss Florence of  
Woonsocket, R. I., and Mr. and Mrs.  
E. H. Tubbs of Providence, R. I.

The same company, who came  
last spring for the first time were  
so much pleased with camp life at  
Dead River camps that they are  
looking forward to a happy sojourn  
in the woods.

Last Thursday the ice left Haley

## HERE AND THERE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kendall of  
Portland are shortly to move to  
Brookline, Mass., to make their fut-  
ure home, and Mr. Kendall will leave  
May fifteenth to take up his duties  
in his new business. Both Mr.  
and Mrs. Kendall have hosts of  
friends in the city, who are regrett-  
ing that they are to take up their  
residence elsewhere.

The new steamer Rangeley, built  
by the Bath Iron Works for the  
Bar Harbor division of the Maine  
Central, was given a trial trip re-  
cently and developed a speed of 18  
knots, two knots more than the re-  
quirement. She is a sister ship to  
the Moosehead, on the same route,  
and will be ready for service when  
the summer time table of the road  
goes into effect in June.

The capture of the six black foxes  
by Calvin Graves, the Hancock coun-  
ty farmer, and his sons, recalls to  
the mind of Frank A. Millett of  
Livermore Falls an experience he  
had some years ago. He was  
traveling along a road in Livermore  
when a large black fox ambled  
across the road ahead of him with-  
in easy gunshot, and he will regret  
as long as he lives that he did not  
have a gun with him. Mr. Millett  
says he was about the handsomest



BELGRADE HATCHERY

lake, rowing his own boat and land-  
ing his own fish for it was a hand-  
some trio of salmon that weighed 4  
lbs., 3 3-4 lbs., and 3 1-4 lbs., that he  
had for trophies, when he came  
home at night. These salmon were  
caught at the head of the lake near  
Greenville.

The first New Yorker to be wel-  
comed as "one of the happy Range-  
ley Lake House family," arrived  
Saturday night to remain until Octo-  
ber, E. Ledelley, and the first of  
June, when the Rangeley Lake House  
opens, will be joined by his wife.

Mr. Ledelley on Monday with  
Joe Lamb for guide spent the day  
trolling on the lake. "Just to wet  
a line you know, and get in prac-  
tice," he said, and he practiced on  
a gamy 3 1-2-lb. salmon, which he

and the motor boats are coming  
and going at all hours. Ernest  
Haley has made three and four  
trips each day with his boats bring-  
ing the guides, workmen and tour-  
ists down the lake.

It has not yet been found out  
who was the most surprised the  
fish or the fishermen to have the  
lake clear of ice on May 4.

There is a prospect of a great  
summer business this season at  
Mountain View.

his stay improved in health, accom-  
panied by Messrs. B. S. Cutler of  
Stonington, Conn., C. M. Rice of New  
Haven, Conn., and Tom Mathieson  
by buckboard went to camp on Mon-  
day. Mrs. Atwood is expected in a  
few days and at their summer home  
in the Maine forest will spend the  
summer and fortunate are the friends  
who will be entertained by them  
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enue, Boston, registered here this

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pond and Hayden Huntoon just to  
try his line, cast the fly and brought  
in a 4-lb. trout this opening the fly  
fishing for 1913.

The steamboats are not yet mak-  
ing regular trips but will run on  
schedule time and be ready for all  
when they come.

The telephone just rung and the  
clerk said, "Fly Rod, they want to  
know if you want to go down the  
lake this morning. Ernest Haley  
is to take a party, and be at the  
wharf at 11 o'clock if you would  
like to go." If I meet them I must  
"reel in."

There never was a better prospect  
for a big summer business at the  
Rangeleys than this season and I  
have my pencil all sharpened to re-  
port the catches and hope to greet  
many old friends the coming week.  
Fly Rod.

animal he ever saw. Mr. Millett  
has hunted foxes, more or less, all  
his life and says this was the only  
one out of the ordinary he has ever  
seen.

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friends of Good Will Farm all of the  
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of the Homes macadamized.

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cation and appropriately celebra-  
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## ON THEIR 51ST FISHING TRIP

H. G. Turner of Dedham, Mass., arrived in Phillips Tuesday night in company with Hon. Joel Wilbur will go to the latter's camp at Rangeley on their annual fishing trip. For 51 years these gentlemen have enjoyed this trip together and Maine Woods hopes that many more like trips will be theirs.

We shall expect to be able to record some of their big fish in our next issue.

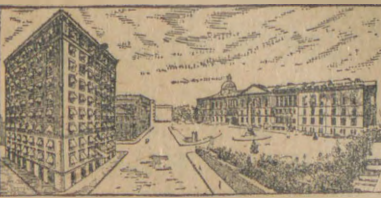
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## HARLOW MANAGER BASE BALL TEAM

(Special to Maine Woods).

Flagstaff, May 5—The Flagstaff baseball club was organized last week at the Flagstaff hotel office, with a good attendance. J. G. Harlow was made manager, secretary and treasurer and Dwite R. Viles, captain, and a good strong team has been formed. New grounds are to be made and some good games are looked for from the Flagstaff boys this season.

We are ready to hear from any of our neighboring teams and make arrangements for playing with them the coming season. Especially the teams of Stratton, Rangeley, Kingfield, New Portland, Lexington, etc. So get in line boys, let us hear from you and play ball.

J. G. Harlow, Mgr.

### CHAMPION BOY HUNTER.

Lester C. Brown of Aikinson, 14 years old, ought to be a contender for the champion boy hunter honors of Maine this year, says the Lewiston Journal, considering what he last bagged with his rifle and shotgun last fall. He has killed one black bear, two deer, three red foxes and a mink, not to mention lots of partridges, rabbits, crows, a big owl, and if he had his rifle instead of his shotgun perhaps he might have killed a moose, for he had a great chance for a shot. He was too wise a boy, though to turn loose a charge of bird shot on a big bull moose. He has also had a chance to add a wildcat to his list, but was not looking for trouble. Lester usually hunts alone, as he does not want to risk the chance of getting shot by boy companions, or of shooting them. Although the woods extend for miles in every direction, he has not the slightest fear of getting lost, for he understands how to use a compass, although depending much upon the Bangor & Aroostook railroad, which is a reliable guide. He shot the two deer which the law allows, early in the season when they were tame, and he has been sorry since that he did not wait until he had to hunt for them, to make it more exciting. The bear he shot on the Sockabaccasin stream, while crossing a log. Lester has not missed a session at school and he earned over \$60 with his rifle last fall. He intends to be a registered guide as soon as he is old enough. He is a very cautious lad, and says that he has missed a number of good shots because he wasn't dead sure what he was firing at.

## ATTEND CHURCH IN A BODY

### Miss Tibbetts Entertains on Birthday---The White Ball Big Success.

Rangeley, Me., May 6—Rangeley Lake is again clear of ice the boat making its first trip Saturday, May 4th.

H. A. Furbish was in Bangor the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fentiman and little child of Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parnell of Stratton have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Richardson.

Ernest Bennett of Megalloway is boarding at Guy Brooks'.

Miss Bertha Russell, who has been very ill with pneumonia has been pronounced out of danger by her physician. She is cared for by a professional nurse and Dr. F. B. Colby attends her.

Roderick Brackett of Dallas has moved his family to the Harry Brow farm so that his children may have better school privileges.

Ralph Haines of Strong was called here Thursday of last week by the serious illness of his father, David Haines, who is suffering an attack of appendicitis at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Edwin Spencer.

C. C. Dunham of Rumford a carpenter, who has been at work on the school house finished work last week and went to Mountain View Friday.

Mrs. Mabel Burns of Haines' Landing and Mrs. James Mathieson of Indian Rock were in town Saturday.

The Rebekahs initiated several candidates at their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

David Haines is recovering from a serious attack of appendicitis.

Aaron Soule has greatly improved his lot by building a terrace and grading the lawn.

E. B. Herrick went to Mountain View Friday to guide Mr. and Mr. Judd.

Fred Conant, Miss Della Morrison, Harold Fuller, Hollis Holt, Ben Gile and Geo. Dill went to Stratton May first to furnish music at the annual white ball given by the Pythian Sisters of that place.

Mrs. Harry Furbish has been entertaining Miss Hilda Geran and Miss Ina Badger for a few days.

I. B. Toothaker is spending his vacation with out of town friends and relatives.

Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters to the number of nearly a

hundred occupied pews in the body of the church at the morning worship Sunday. The scripture lesson was the story of the good Samaritan as found in the tenth chapter of Luke and the text was from I Peter 3-8 and from this text the pastor preached an eloquent sermon setting forth the beauties of friendship and calling on all to live pure, speak true, right wrong and follow the King, these being the fundamental principles of friendship. Mr. Childs held the undivided attention of his large audience for forty five minutes. The singing was by Mrs. Phineas Tracy, Miss Muriel Hoar, Dr. A. M. Ross and H. O. Huntoon, with Mrs. Olin Rowe at the organ.

J. Sherman Hoar is at work for Huntoon and Hinkley.

Mother's day will be observed next Sunday when teams will call for any mothers who are unable, for any reason, to walk to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lovejoy have taken rooms over the pool room.

Rev. H. A. Childs and O. R. Rowe were in Dallas Saturday afternoon to officiate at the funeral of little three year old child of Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas.

O. R. Rowe, W. D. Quimby, H. V. Kimball, Emma P. McCard, A. M. Hoar, E. C. Hinkley and E. I. Herrio have agreed to close their stores at 6 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from now until October 1st.

A slight blaze in Gust Johnson's stable caused considerable excitement about one o'clock Sunday. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mathieson have gone to Eugene Atwood's camps at Kennebago for the summer.

Mrs. Florian Tibbetts entertained a party of young ladies Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Della's 15th birthday. Those present were: Cherrie Toothaker, Thelma Porter, Guida Philbrick, Roberta Eastman, Sophronia Gile, Velma Tomlinson, Stella Huntoon, Rachel Huntoon, Fay Ellis, Zelma Robertson, Susie Stewart, Dolly Toothaker, Mildred Huntoon, Lillian Pratt, Ima Moore, Elinor Moore and Mrs. Ruth Wright. The refreshments consisted of ice cream and cake. Games were played out of doors. Miss Tibbetts was remembered with many pretty and useful gifts.

Mrs. George M. Esty has so far recovered as to be able to drive out on fine days.

The Ladies' Aid society meets this week with Mrs. Frank Kempton.

Hayden Huntoon caught a 4-pound trout in Haley pond soon after the ice went out. Only fly fishing allowed there.

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The White ball given by the Rebekahs in Odd Fellow hall, April 30, was a success in every way. The attendance was large and a long order of dances was enjoyed. Music was furnished by Dyer's orchestra of Strong. Dr. and Mrs. Colby led the march. The supper consisted of sandwiches, cake, coffee and ice cream.

The Rebekahs intend to make this an annual event.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boulton on Monday, May 6.

Miss Alice Sweetser received word Monday night that her brother, Harry Sweetser of Pownal a lad of 13 years had broken his leg while playing ball on Friday. Miss Sweetser left for home Wednesday and will return the last of the week.

### CAMP AND COTTAGE NOTES.

Dr. and Mrs. W. I. Blanchard and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chandler were at one of the Scammon Brothers' camps at Weld Sunday. They succeeded in securing enough fish for the table but no large ones were taken.

Mrs. Fred Morton got a very good sized salmon at Mt. Blue pond one day recently.

Several parties enjoyed an outing Sunday at Mt. Blue pond. Among them were; Mr. S. G. Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haley, Mrs. Eva Bradbury, Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Berchard Whitman, Carroll Russell, Miss Rose Smith, Ralph Trecartin, Everett Knapp, Misses Miriam Brackett, Algie Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton.

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HAPPY DAYS AT BLAKESLEE

Everybody Comes Hungry, but Nobody Ever Left Hungry, Says Joe.

We drifted into camp just in time for lunch one pleasant day last summer, my husband, myself, and a friend and her husband. To say we were hungry would only give you half an idea of how we felt. Joe, the genial host, whom we had met before and surely hope to see again, met us with a broad smile. He did not know how hungry we were, or perhaps his smile would not have been so broad, still on second thought, I guess Joe would have smiled just the same, as he said, "everybody comes here hungry, but nobody ever left hungry," nor will they while Mr. and Mrs. Joe look after their wants.

Joe took us up into the camp on the hill, which is one of the nicest of the many nice camps. It has two separate bedrooms and a nice large sitting room with an open rock fireplace, and a dandy veranda overlooking the mountains to the east and the view down the famous Spencer valley. Before we got straightened around the dinner horn sounded. The dinner horn is the same old conkshell, which my husband figures out, had been calling the hungry to the table for the past 20 years and we were not long answering that cheerful sound.

In the main dining camp we met several nice people, whom we had met there years before and it was not long before we knew also all the newcomers. It does not take long to get acquainted at Blakeslee. It has always seemed to me like one big family party, with Joe fathering everybody and Mrs. Joe playing the little mother.

I am ashamed to tell you about that dinner, the trout and other good things we put under our belts, and when it seemed impossible to eat another mouthful, to have put in front of you the most delicious raspberry shortcake, of which Mrs. Joe is so famous, with a mountain of whipped cream on top of it. No wonder hubby exclaimed, "I can still chew, but honestly I can't swallow any more." We took a long rest after dinner. We had tramped eight miles that forenoon and Joe's beds felt better than ever. We tramp around every summer from one camp to another and I have always longed more for Joe's beds than all the other good things he offers, excepting of course the fly fishing.

About four o'clock we went out on the pond and had the same good luck we always have. I think Blakeslee is one of the most remarkable ponds in the state of Maine. We fish in many ponds and lakes and have had just as good luck occasionally, but there is no other lake, where one can be always sure of success, as we can at Blakeslee.

This is my husband's 10th trip and my 5th and we have always found it so. The last 30 minutes before dark are always so exciting. I think of nothing but the sport and am only brought back to realization of other things when the canoe touches the wharf and the guide helps me out. It was quite dark when we got back to camp and the big camp fire was burning briskly in the camp yard and most of the guests had already assembled around it, lounging in comfortable easy chairs, discussing the fortunes of the sport of the day, and I tell you we were not afraid to show our string of fish, and how handsome they looked there, spread out in the glow of the camp fire, with their beautiful coloring, not one less than a pound and to think that in the morning they would be split open along the back bone from the inside and laid open on a hot gridle and broiled to golden brown; it made me hungry to look at them, so we went in to our late supper.

In the meantime some one started up the graphophone and soon we were all sitting around the big fire, enjoying the music. As the fire died down we had some marshmallows and pop corn and listened to Joe telling his famous yarns of the backwoods.

It is a great treat to be entertained at Blakeslee and we surely hope to be there again. Mrs. W.

PARTIES ARRIVE AT MOUNTAIN VIEW

Mooslookmeguntic House Officially Opens Saturday--Busy all Along the Line.

(Special to Maine Woods). Mountainview, Me., May 5—The season of 1913 has come on with a rush. The ice left Rangeley Lake Sunday and is fast disappearing in the Mooslookmeguntic and Cup-suptic. The weather held cold so late then turning warm suddenly has taken the ice out before the repair work could possibly be finished before guests began to arrive for spring fishing. At Mountain View the annex and main house is cleaned and the camps will be put in readiness this week. The large dining room has been thoroughly renovated, the paper hanger working all night Friday finishing Saturday for the accommodation of the guests while the dining room was being repaired. Several of the rooms have been newly carpeted. The two rooms at the rear of the large parlor are to be made into one room to be used as a sitting and reading room for ladies. Competent help is being secured. Florence Nimo, the pastry cook came May first and the chef Saturday night.

The first party for the season, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Judd of Bristol, Conn., arrived Friday night. Mr. Judd was also the first guest last season and made some excellent catches which he hopes to duplicate this year, with the same guide as last year. Bert Herrick, M. B. Damon of Fitchburg, Mass., and F. J. Pierce of Gardner, Mass., also old parties at Mountain View, arrived Saturday night and were met by their former guides Al Sprague for Mr. Damon and Frank Harris for Mr. Pierce.

The Butler party of Gardner, who it will be remembered spent sometime here last fall will arrive Wednesday. A number of other parties are booked for the early fishing and will arrive soon.

Mrs. Burns reports all cleaning, repair work, etc., will be finished at the house officially opened next Saturday, May tenth and a party from Granville, Mass., is expected on that date.

The Barker opens as soon as the ice goes out and parties are booked for May sixth. The Birches will not be opened until June. The Captain will be ready as usual to greet his guests.

The chef, his wife and three other help arrived by way of Oquossoc for Granville's Camps, Kennebago, Friday night.

Things are also in readiness at Pleasant Island for the early fishing.

Herbert Welch, taxidermist at the Landing, is getting out his display of souvenirs, fishing tackle and sporting goods in readiness for the business of Walter Hinds, which he purchased last winter. It makes an excellent display not only of the above mentioned goods but his collection of mounted fish, animals and birds form an excellent natural history study for all who visit his establishment this season.

Another place that has been repaired and renovated which seems worthy of note is the Oquossoc railway station which has received a new coat of paint inside and out. The seats have also been newly varnished.

The Mountain View laundry will be open for business by Monday May 12 and sooner if possible.

Archie Perham, former proprietor of Mingo Spring House, has accepted a position with the Ricker Hotel company at Poland Springs. He will clerk in the new hotel just completed and will leave for his work sometime this week.

Charles Kipp and "Uncle" Nick Oglebee painted the boats at Scott's camps, Quimby pond, last week.

Mr. Templeton, the new warden, is visiting his family in Machias, Me.

The paint and repair work at Lake View Point is completed and Dr. Fowler is expected to arrive soon.

Anson Hayford is painting his house at Oquossoc.

The first Pullman car will be put on May 12. The train service for the rest of May and until June 23 will be the same as last summer, except that the freight which meets the noon train at Bemis will run through to Kennebago. The final change of time for the summer will be June 23. After that date the night train will run through to Kennebago lake and all the trainmen now making their home in Oquossoc will be obliged to stop at Kennebago lake.

Miss Ella Black has finished work at Mountain View and will take a short vacation before going to work at the Birches.

J. FRED O'CONNELL GETS APPOINTMENT.

J. Fred O'Connell, of Milford, has been appointed sheriff of Penobscot county and will begin his duties on May 8.

The new sheriff is thirty-eight, unmarried, and has long been prominent in the affairs of Milford, where he has been a member of the selectmen and assessors, and of the school board. He has for eleven years, also, been a member of the Republican town committee, six of them as chairman. His business, in which he has been successful, is insurance and real estate.

In the present legislature Mr. O'Connell's work attracted widespread attention, and may easily be termed brilliant. He led the fight for Bishop Walsh against the dissolution of the present corporation sole, making two brilliant speeches; and the bill was lost in the house, 126 to six. It was largely through his efforts that the house voted, 98 to 26, to pass the 500 mile mileage bill over the governor's veto; and he was actively interested in all legislation affecting the welfare of this section.

It was his efforts on behalf of the Old Town-Milford bridge bill which first brought him into prominence. He introduced the bill, which carried an appropriation of \$86,400 and the committee reported against it, unanimously. This would have phased most legislators, but not Mr. O'Connell. He fought for it all winter, and the house ended by passing it overwhelmingly, rejecting the committee report.

Mr. O'Connell voted for the removal of Sheriff Moulton, but against the removal of Sheriffs Emerson and Ballou. He has hundreds of friends and he will take office amid any number of good wishes.—Bangor News.

Many friends of Mr. O'Connell in Phillips and vicinity are glad to hear of his success.

COUNTRY CLUB BURNS.

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ANGLING ON IRELAND'S FAMOUS RIVERS.

Ernest F. Gross of Brewer, one of the most enthusiastic of local sportsmen, has brought to this office some very interesting clippings from the Irish World, published at Dublin, Ireland, which give opportunity for contrasting, in a measure, the sport of catching Atlantic salmon, as at the pool above this city and in Ireland. The clipping which tells of the record salmon of the season, a noble fish of 42 pounds, gives every real angler a thrill, but the fact that this big fish was the only one of its class taken, shows that the big fish taken on this side are not so very far behind, in general. However, it would appear from the clippings that the fish taken run rather larger than do those taken, generally, in Maine's salmon rivers and larger at times than the famous fish of the Restigouche in Canada, where so many American anglers seek the come of angling thrills. The clipping of the biggest salmon is as follows:

"P. M. Coats had also the distinction of capturing the heaviest fish on the Tay last year, one of 42 pounds on Oct. 12, at Upper Stob hall. He also secured the heaviest fish of the season in the autumn of 1913 in the same water with a 51 pounder. This was a feat of which he was particularly proud."

In a number of angling reports is noted: "The Moy, Loughs Conn and Cullen—At last the weather seems to have settled at fine. The river is clearing off and both rivers are lowering rapidly. Mr. Downes had first blood on Conn, killing a 13-pound salmon and some trout."

"The Shannonn (Castleconnell—On Newgarden) Mr. H. V. Warrender killed three salmon, 21 1-2, 23 1-2 and 27 lbs. On the Worldsend G. F. Rimmer killed one salmon, 31 1-2 lbs. On Erinagh Lough, A. R. Paynter killed one salmon, 33 lbs. On Doonass F. Milburn killed four salmon 35, 35, 13 1-2 and 26 lbs. On Prospect E. H. Secker killed one salmon, 18 lbs. On Hermitage C. E. G. Crocker killed three salmon, 28, 31 and 18 lbs.; W. H. Radford killed one salmon, 25 1-2 lbs. On the Castle fishery C. E. Browne killed one salmon 18 lbs. On Summerhill Col. Rutledge killed one salmon 18 lbs. The total number of salmon since Feb. 1 to March 26 was 88 weighing 2,293 lbs., an average of 26 lbs." Another report, elsewhere in the same paper, tells of the catching of 41 salmon taken in the same water during the week.

The ladies do some salmon catching over there, as one observes in the following: "On Tay (Upper Scone) the Duchess of Bedford had 13 fish, 188 1-2 lbs., on Wednesday week. Her Grace had another day the previous week of seven fish."

"Bacon tells us that the extreme age of the salmon is 10 years and, strange to say, he is quite right. A salmon of this great age, or very near it, has just been taken on the Wye, but was only some 30 lbs, or so in weight. It is, however, for all that, quite a historical fish, for it is the first fish in upwards of 4,000 which have been handled by Mr Hutchn, the distinguished salmon investigator, which had spawned as often as three times."

But though there is wonderful salmon fishing in Ireland, the anglers and fish culturists, or protectors of the fisheries, have problems

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of danger to the fish to face, which almost remind one of those which are alleged to come from the pulp mills and other refuse discharges into the rivers of this country which were once "inhabited" by salmon. Read this:

"Northumberland anglers are distressed by the news of the poisoning of the river Aln and a consequent large mortality among salmon and trout. On Sunday a goods train was wrecked near Ainsmouth station and a 600 gal. tank of creosote was damaged. The creosote has evidently percolated to the river Aln and along its course for two miles toward the sea hundreds of dead salmon and yellow trout have been found. Experts state that it will be four years before the river can be restored to the form it was in for angling."—Bangor Commercial.

CATS REAR BABY FOXES.

At Murphysboro, Ill., two mother cats are rearing eight baby foxes between them, one old cat is bringing up four young squirrels.

The old cat that is furnishing food and motherly care to the squirrels is at the home of James Snyder.

A farmer found the little squirrels in a tree he cut down and gave them to Snyder, who had a cat with young kittens. He took away four of the five young kittens and put the squirrels in their place. That was three weeks ago. The mother cat accepted the foster children and has taken as much care of them as she has of the remaining kitten. The little squirrels are fat and frisky and are very fond of their adopted mother and the kitten.

The little foxes were found by John L. Davis and George Bost, who are farmers, four miles north of Murphysboro. There were eight foxes and they were taken by Bost and Sherman Leichter, each of whom had an old cat with young kittens. They took away the kittens and placed the baby foxes with the cats. The tabbies have given the foxes all the motherly care and attention cats give to kittens, and the little fellows appear contented.

PROPHETS PREDICT BIG TRAP-SHOOTING SEASON.

Authorities on sporting subjects, who scan the trapshooting field much as the business man studies conditions in his trade, predict that 1913 will eclipse all previous years in interest, perhaps in records made, and certainly in the number of shooters competing at the various meets.

The investigators find that a healthy appreciation of the sport is spreading throughout the country. Stronger lists of tournaments than usual are scheduled, big shoots so far held have been well attended and the outlook is generally favorable.

The spirit of the year is well exemplified in the "500 shooters for the Grand American Handicap" announcement of the N. C. R. Gun club of Dayton, O. Although this plucky organization almost went down for the third time in the recent flood, it has made a magnificent rally, and all arrangements for the premier interstate gathering are to go through as originally planned.

There should be 500 shooters at Dayton when the referee calls "Ready!"

A REWARD OF \$15.00.

Now is the time for fishermen to get busy and capture a salmon in lake Sebasticook, says the Pittsfield Advertiser. The Newport Board of Trade has offered a reward of \$5 for the first one caught in the lake and H. E. Turner, proprietor of the Turner House, also offers a \$15 reward for the first fish. There are landlocked salmon in the lake, for several good sized ones were captured in the river below the upper bridge last summer and returned to the lake above the dam. Owing to the lack of a fishway at the upper dam the fish which pass under the gates or over the dam are unable to return to the lake and the presence of these fish last summer between the dam and fishway proved that salmon did exist in the waters of lake Sebasticook.



STOP THE IMPORTATION OF WILD BIRDS' PLUMAGE.

This is a call to action—urgent—immediate—not merely a helpless wail, but a move to remedy a great evil. Strike now while the iron is hot!

Bird slaughter today is greater than ever before in the history of the world. For centuries the Christian nations have permitted the killing of useful and beautiful wild birds to go on almost unchecked in thinly peopled or unsettled regions, that feather dealers might line their pocketbooks and that women might adorn themselves.

Do you realize what the present privileges of the importers mean to our own birds? Dr. George W. Field, chairman of the Massachusetts commissioners of fisheries and game, stated before a congressional committee that during the past six years the commission had been obliged to prosecute more than 75 prominent milliners for the sale of plumage of native birds. He spoke of many instances where wild birds from gulls down to swallows and bluebirds, hatched in this country, had been killed in quantities and the feathers shipped to London and Paris and there manufactured and returned to the United States to be sold.

The chief argument of milliners in justification of the trade was that it was difficult, if not impossible, for them to distinguish between native plumage and imported, and that as the national government had taken the duties on these feathers they were justified in offering them for sale.

Within the last quarter century this trade has become a serious menace to the birds of the world. It is now so well organized that no country, however remote and inaccessible, is safe from the plume hunter. Naked savages in tropical jungles, half savage Indians and Negroes are engaged in the work of destruction. Scores of species are menaced with extinction. No bird that the trade calls for can escape the destroyer. The United States

now furnishes the greatest market for plumage on this planet. From the great condors, vultures, eagles and albatrosses, the largest birds that fly, down to the tiniest humming birds, no fine or beautiful species that can be utilized is spared, except where it is fully protected by law.

This repulsive and horrible slaughter leading quickly to extermination must be stopped. Its victims are disappearing so fast that the matter can be neglected no longer. No government has a right to promote such unjustifiable destruction by maintaining a market for the products. The duty of a Christian nation in such a case is as much greater and more imperative than that of the state or individual as the nation is greater than the individual or state. This great wrong can be righted in only two ways, both of which are essential. (1) By prohibitive laws sternly enforced. (2) By closing the markets to the sale of the plumage of wild birds. The McLean bill, recently passed by Congress, provides for the first. Let Congress now provide for the second.

No argument can be advanced in behalf of this feather business except that the trade wants the money. The same plea can be made in behalf of every importer of opium and every maker of counterfeit money, but opium selling and counterfeiting are forbidden, as the importation and use of wild birds' plumage must be. A world-wide movement has begun. Let the United States be one of the leaders. A year ago Australia forbade the importation of plumage as she already had forbidden export. In response to the urgent personal appeals made by representatives of the National Association of Audubon societies and the New York Zoological society, there has been included in the tariff bill, now pending in Congress, a proviso to prohibit the importation of the feathers of wild birds. The following is the wording of this proviso in schedule "N" of the proposed Tariff Act:

"Provided the importation of egrettes, egret plumes or so-called osprey plumes and the feathers, quills, heads, wings, tails, skins or parts of skins of wild birds either raw or manufactured and not for scientific or educational purposes is hereby prohibited, but this provision shall not apply to feathers or plumes of ostriches or to the feathers or plumes of domestic fowls of any kind."

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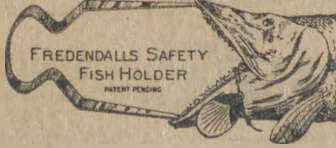
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In the preliminary handicap R. B. Barnes, of Bay City, Texas, piled up a score of 96 out of 100 with a Remington pump gun, winning the event. "Tom" Marshall, a veteran with many trap victories to his credit, was high professional in the preliminaries, with 94 out of 100. Mr. Marshall was also high professional on all singles and tied on all targets shot at for the entire tournament, shooting Remington U. M. C. gun and shells throughout. Wm. H. Heer won high professional average on doubles with the same shooting equipment.

Robert Lorenson tied for the Southwestern Handicap event, shooting Remington U. M. C. gun and shells. The long run of the tournament, 134 straight breaks were made by Homer Clark, with a Remington pump gun.

Trap shooters now look aspiringly toward Montgomery, Ala., where the Southern Handicap, No. 2 on the Interstate association's list of star 1913 attractions, is scheduled to take place May 15-17. A guarantee of \$200 is made to the winner of first place.

MOOSE GOES OVER BASIN MILLS DAM.

Orono residents who were on the river front saw a most unusual sight one day this week when a big bull moose swam silently down stream, went over the dam on the Basin Mills and then safely landed on the Bradley shore, disappearing over the bank toward the woods. It was a sight which may have been common in olden days but few of the present generation have been afforded a sight and those who watched the animal as it swam onward with a swift spring current, wondering it would be killed by the dam over the dam. This didn't hurt the animal in the least. It is unknown how far the river the creature swam before was discovered, but some suggested that it must have come from as far as Norcross, at least.

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The purpose of the revision which was to eliminate, wherever possible, private and special laws has been accomplished to a very large extent, more than seven hundred of these special laws and rules and regulations of the commissioners having been eliminated.

It was not thought best however to open the nurseries for trout and salmon that are feeders of lakes and ponds to fishing under the general law; accordingly quite a large number

of brooks and streams have been kept closed to all fishing as formerly.

This also applies to all fishing in those rivers stocked with trout and salmon.

Exceptions to the general law are made by counties as far as possible.

In the eight southern counties of the state one deer may be legally killed during the month of November, two deer may be killed in the eight northern counties, the open season being as formerly, from Oct. 1 to Dec. 15.

The open season for bull moose has been reduced from six weeks to one month (November) and the non-resident license fee to hunt moose has been raised from \$15 to 25.

Cows or calf moose cannot be legally killed at any time.

Fur bearing animals are protected by law during the season when their fur is not prime.

Bounty on bob cats and loup-cervier increased from \$2 to \$4 and the bounty on bears is abolished.

The open season for trout and salmon fishing in lakes and ponds is from the time the ice goes out in the spring until Oct. 1, and in brooks, streams and rivers from the time the ice goes out until Sept. 15.

The open season for black bass and white perch is from June 15 to Oct. 1.

Trout six inches, salmon 12 inches black bass ten inches and white perch six inches long may be legally taken.

Not more than 15 pounds and in no event more than 25 fish in number may be legally taken in one day.

Lakes and ponds opened to ice fishing may, as a rule, be fished throughout the week, during the time such fishing is legal, instead of only upon certain days of each week.

No waters opened to fishing upon special days as formerly was the practice.

Trolling with gang hooks is not prohibited under the general law.

The committee has spared no pains or time in trying to make this revision of the fish and game laws one which will meet the requirements of the whole state and its diversified interests and the endeavor has been to simplify and make plain the laws of all sections and at the same time conserve these great resources, while permitting all to enjoy the privilege of fishing and hunting in a reasonable and sportsmanlike way.

#### ICE OUT OF WILSON LAKE.

The ice went out of Wilson lake, Saturday. Owen Hill, a veteran of the Spanish-American war and a former resident of Lewiston, carried off the honors by landing a lake trout that weighed 12 lbs., 3 oz., and a salmon, 1 1-2 lbs. Chas. Jackson caught a lake trout weighing 2 1-2 lbs. The ice went out last year on April 26, and that date has been the average for 11 years. The earliest date during that time was April 4 and the latest May 6. Harry Hunter and Bert Trask caught 40 trout Saturday from the Wilkins Townsend brooks. The smelts are running up the brooks from Varnum's pond. Some of the fishermen have caught good strings, but they are reported much below the average in size.

#### GOOD FISHERMAN AT 80 YEARS OF AGE

A thirteen and one-quarter pound salmon, caught by John C. Taylor of Oakland, a gentleman past his 80th birthday anniversary, in the waters of Messalonskee lake Tuesday was viewed with envy by hundreds as it lay in the window of a Waterville store that evening. It was the largest fish ever seen in Waterville taken from that lake. Early in the afternoon the report that such a fish was caught was received in Waterville, but as fishermen say, "seeing is believing." That evening they had the opportunity.

Mr. Taylor, who landed the fish, was with his son, Frank Taylor, also a resident of Oakland. The party was about four miles from Oakland, just above Blake's island. Mr. Taylor caught the fish trolling and landed his prize after a fight of about one-half hour. The fish measured a little better than 36 inches from tip to tip.



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