

LARGE BULL MOOSE SEEN

Rare Sight Reported by Will Hutchins

(Special to Maine Woods.)
Kingfield, April 10.—A large bull moose was seen Tuesday evening, April 4, along Stanley Brook back of Frank Thompson's and George Richard's houses. Will Hutchins was the first to see him and report to the people in that vicinity who very soon

were enjoying the rare sight, some with a field glass which brought the great shaggy animal with wide spreading antlers very close to view. After offering a good exhibition for some time the moose leisurely passed over the brook into the adjoining woods. Next morning he was seen again near W. D. French's cottage on Vose Mountain.

At the annual meeting of the Maine Society for the Protection of Animals, Col. F. E. Boothby, mayor of Waterville, was re-elected president. The reports showed much valuable work done during the year.

SUMMER OUTING OF ASSOCIATION

Mountain View Again Selected for Meeting Place by Maine Sportsmen's Fish and Game Association.

The time and place of the next midsummer outing of the Maine Sportsmen's Fish and Game Association has been decided upon by the executive committee of that organization. Mountain View House, Rangeley Lakes, is the place, and the dates are Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 29-30 and July 1st.

Two years ago the outing was held there, and although a week of rain kept many auto parties at home, the hotel was filled and everyone pronounced it an ideal spot. With any kind of weather this year it is believed that all records for attendance at the outing can easily be broken. For a majority of the members it will mean a shorter and less expensive trip than to Kineo, where the gathering was held last year, and auto parties can go all the way in their cars. The committee regretted that it will mean a longer trip than last year for the Arcostook and Bangor contingents, but made the choice after thoroughly considering all the other places suggested.

There will be a big program of shooting and other sports, and it is believed that with the growing interest in rifle shooting, the contests will this year attract more riflemen than ever before. Billy Hill, the Remington-U. M. C. expert has promised to be present and give an exhibition. It is hoped that Col. J. J. Dooley can have charge of the shooting, the same as last year. Col. Dooley is now with the Savage Arms people, specializing on the Lewis machine gun, with headquarters in New York, and may not be able to come to Maine, but he is going to let the committee know in a few weeks.

V. J. Dunbar, Manchester, N. H.; F. A. Case, Elmira, N. Y.; F. A. Little, Augusta; R. B. Maxwell, Jr., C. P. Cowles, J. E. Bothery, Mrs. Richard C. Bondy, Miss Helen Gross, New York City.

HIGHER RATES AT MAINE HOTELS

At a special meeting of the Maine Hotel Association at the Bangor House last week, it was voted to increase the rates, beginning May 1, making the minimum \$3 a day, on the American plan and \$3.50 a day for room with bath.

This will apply to the following hotels in the state already listed and others which are expected to join the agreement at a later date when the subject is presented to those not represented on Thursday: The Bangor House and Penobscot Exchange in Bangor; the Falmouth and Lafayette in Portland; the Eagle House in Brunswick, the DeWitt House in Lewiston; the Augusta House at the State capital; the Elmwood House at Waterville and the Hotel Rumford at Rumford.

There were present at the meeting the following: President J. J. Pooler of the Falmouth Hotel, Portland; Secretary and Treasurer W. T. Emerson of the Augusta House, Augusta; Vice President F. L. Blinn, of the Eagle House, Brunswick; Harry A. Chapman and Percy T. Rich of the Bangor House, J. W. Cratty of the Penobscot Exchange, Edward W. Spangler of the Colonial Hotel, of Bangor; Richard Peterson, formerly of Bangor, manager of the Hotel Rumford, Rumford; Walter H. Blethen of Dover; C. A. Hill of the Belgrade Lakes House, George R. Pattee of the DeWitt House, Lewiston, J. S. Maher of the Lafayette, Portland, W. J. Damon of the Central House, Belgrade Lakes, W. H. Cook of the Elmwood, Waterville.

Mr. Hill of Belgrade was chosen as the representative of the association at the Boom New England meeting in Boston on Monday next.

In explanation of the increase of rates it is stated that the hotels have been running on practically the same rates for the past ten years, although the cost of living has been steadily advancing during that time.

The hotel men were entertained at dinner Thursday night by Landlord Chapman of the Bangor House and Mayor John F. Woodman was invited as a special guest.

PREPARE FOR THE FISHING SEASON

Chairman Austin of the Fish and Game Commission Talks about the Fishing in Our State.

Thousands of Maine people are now preparing for the opening of the fishing season and thousands more, residents of other states, are preparing to be with us at the opening or as soon after as possible, to gather in all the law will allow of the handsome trout, salmon and pickerel which abound in the Maine ponds and streams. Chairman Harry B. Austin of the Inland Fish and Game Commission has collected and arranged a mass of information, which he is making public for the benefit of all interested, regarding the average date of the ice leaving four of the largest inland bodies of Maine waters during the past 20 years, as well as the earliest and latest dates on which these lakes have been free from ice, follows:

- Average date ice left for the past 20 years:
- Sebago Lake, April 16.
- Moosehead Lake, May 6.
- Rangeley Lakes, May 7.
- Belgrade Lakes, May 7.
- Earliest dates ice left for the past 20 years:
- Sebago Lake, March 27, 1903.
- Moosehead Lake, April 20, 1910.
- Rangeley Lake, April 17, 1910.
- Belgrade Lake, April 19, 1910.
- Latest dates ice left in the past 20 years:
- Sebago Lake, April 27, 1899.
- Moosehead Lake, May 14, 1900 and May 14, 1907.
- Rangeley Lakes, May 18, 1914.
- Belgrade Lakes, May 19, 1907.

It is interesting to note that Sebago Lake, situated in the southwestern part of the State clears much earlier than the northern lakes and to note that of the three other lakes, Moosehead, Rangeley and the Belgrade chain, the average date of the ice leaving them for the past 20 years has been practically the same—that is, May 6 for Moosehead Lake and May 7 for the Rangeleys and the Belgrade Lakes.

Commenting on the general fishing situation, Chairman Austin said Saturday:

"We may look for the fishing at Sebago to open very shortly now. This is the home of the true land-locked salmon, by many fishermen considered the finest game fish that swims. In fact, its value as a game fish is so well recognized that the State has in the past few years made two shipments of eggs of the Sebago salmon to the Tasmanian Fish Commission, and a cut of this fish is now used upon the letterheads of this far-distant commission. The eggs have arrived there in excellent condition and there has been very little loss, and it seems proven that in a few years the Sebago salmon will frequent many of the waters of Tasmania.

"The early salmon fishing is done by means of trolling, as at this season of the year they do not rise freely to the fly. Larger land-locked salmon are taken from Sebago lake than from any other known waters. For the past several years the State has been raising several hundred thousand salmon each year at its hatchery at Raymond, feeding many of them until they were a year old and others until they were two years old, and the wisdom of this course has been proven by the fact that the fishing at Sebago of late years has been improving. Two-year old salmon planted in a lake are much better able to fight their own battles and take care of themselves than the fry and fingerlings frequently used for such planting.

"The commissioners will watch with interest the result of the coming fishing season at Sebago, and they are of the opinion that the present season will prove even a better one than last year, which was one of the best for many years. Of course,

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In talking with James Mathieson, superintendent of the Oquossoc Angling Association Camps at Indian Rock he says that it is a bit too early to make any prediction as to the going of the ice, but it is not probable that it will go before May, but undoubtedly before the 10th of that month.

Teams are now being driven on the lake, with as good conditions as in midwinter with the exception of the difficulty in getting onto the ice from the shore, as that is somewhat loosened up as is always the case.

The date of the ice going out depends altogether on the weather, and a very few days with the right conditions make quick work of it, as has been the case in past years.

It is well enough to have the rods packed and ready for a quick call though.

ARRIVALS AT THE TAVERN

(Special to Maine Woods.)
Rangeley, April 13.—Wm. D. Hayes, Langtown; A. M. Palmer, C. C. Porcher, Saco; J. Lewis York, York Camps; O. M. Vose, Joe Dubey, Redington; C. Taylor, W. F. Lakin, Geo. Reed, L. M. Harriman, A. H. Webb, Chas. E. Sayward, E. H. Woody, K. Ramsey, J. J. King, B. J. Harmon, I. E. Fogg, G. L. Libby, Portland; R. J. McAuleffe, Burlington, Vt.; C. F. Davis, Newport, Me.; H. P. Randall, Thos. O'Leary; H. M. Bowes, Thomaston; L. D. Scales, J. Cushman, Boston; O. C. Rich, Lewiston; F. G. Eaton, H. C. Woodman, C. H. Kenney, Mrs. A. M. Small, Bangor; Geo. L. Stevens, Farmington; L. L. Blanchard, F. C. Burrell, Stratton;

PHILADELPHIA HAS SNOWSTORM

Mr. Clement R. Hoopes writing from Philadelphia, states that on Saturday and Sunday, April 8th and 9th, about eight inches of snow fell in that city.

On Sunday in Phillips nearly one foot fell accompanied with a regular March gale, but it has all disappeared.

NO BETTER PLACE TO PASS VACATION

Dexter, April 10, 1916.

To the Editor of Maine Woods:

I noticed a request in the April 6th issue of your paper that a man from East Sumner wished you to send a copy of Maine Woods printed March 23rd. I am in want of the same copy myself, on account of the story, also because I do not want to miss a copy of your valuable paper. I agree with "Stocum" in the praise for Maine as a summer resort. I think there is no better place to spend a vacation.

Yours truly,
F. G. Hayden.

CARRYING THE ROD

By Charles Bradford

Joint your rod only when you reach the place of angling, and take it apart again when you are ready to leave the water for camp, unless the camp is on the edge of the lake or stream. When angling along thickly wooded banks, carry the rod in front of you, tip first, pointing the tip through the bushes you penetrate; never pull it after you. Fasten the hook on one of the reel bars, and then thrust the rod's tip through the branches or shrubbery ahead of you when you move along, casting here and there. This is not necessary when one only moves a step or two, for then, if there be open space, the rod and line may be held clear of the underbrush and branches. In all cases keep the rod ahead of you. When disjoined, the rod pieces may be held together by small rubber bands until the rod case is made use of, but don't lay the rod away with the rubber bands intact, as the rubber will bend the tip out of shape, dislodge the wood coating, disturb the whipping, and tarnish the ferrules. Dr. E. F. Conyngham of Bonner, Mont., doesn't like my notion of carrying the rod tip first. The Doctor says he favors carrying it butt first with the tip trailing behind. "I have fished with a fly for trout and salmon nearly forty years in Europe and this continent," says the Doctor, "and never yet saw an expert Angler carry a rod in the way described by Mr. Bradford. That is just the proper caper to break tops. The rod in going through brush should be carried butt forward; then the tip will trail as easily as the tail on a dog, and furthermore, you can walk at good speed without interference. In my many years of fly fishing I have had one broken tip; a woman knocked it down and stepped on it. Luckily it was lancewood, so I could repair it. What would have been my predicament had the rod been of split bamboo?" Very good, Doctor. I may be wrong but, I learned my way from my fathers of the angle—Seth Green, John Harrington Keene, Frederick Mather, William C. Harris et al.—when I was being taught first lessons in fly-fishing. Seth Green, John Keene and Harris personally advised me to carry the fly rod tip in

front of me, and each of the trio personally showed me the method on the trout streams. Harris and Keene always carried their fly rods tip first, and I have seen both these experts along the streams many times during many years of personal fishing with both of these Anglers. However, Dr. Conyngham must not be denied his view on the subject. Just as there are famous wing shots who shoot with one eye closed and other experts who give trigger with both eyes open, so in angling, there are many practiced hands who disagree on the various ways and means in fishing. I favor keeping my tip in front of me, and while I shall never change this method, I refrain from condemning Dr. Conyngham's contrasting way of carrying his tip. Charles Zibeon Southard, author of "Trout Fly-fishing in America," agrees with both the Doctor and me. He advises carrying the tip ahead in the open and behind in the brush.

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Ridgelyville, Me., March 31, 1916.

To the Editor of Maine Woods:

Enclosed please find \$2 for which please send Maine Woods to Elton Raye, Mexico, Me., and Stephen Gates, 2 Prospect Ave, Rumbold, Me.

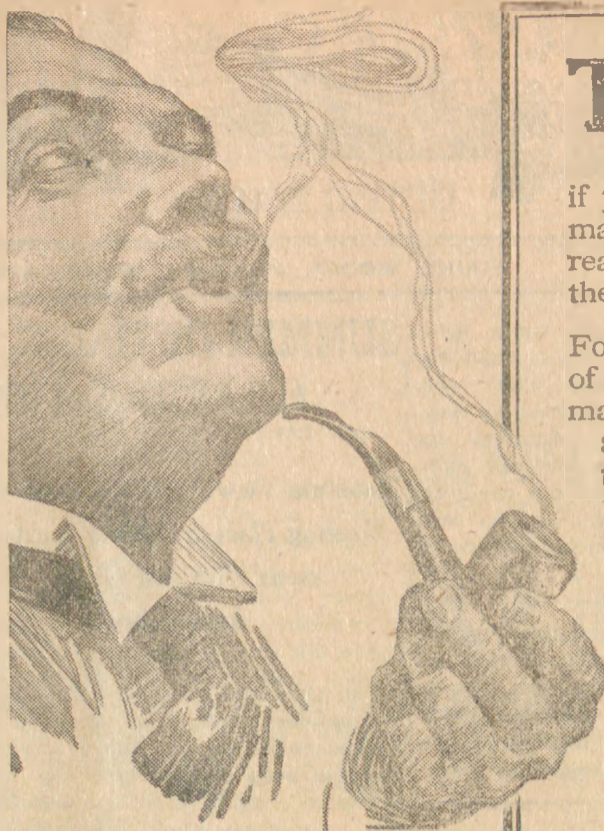
My relations with your paper date back to mid-summer 1909, when I handed Mr. Bracket my first write up for its columns, for which he immediately placed me on the list as a complimentary subscriber and I am happy to say I have held that position to date, and am also happy to say I have put in a good many hours writing for its columns during that time, and have been guilty of placing quite a number of good sportsmen on your list which has been a great pleasure to me.

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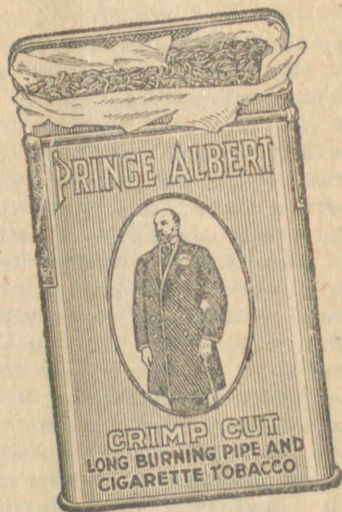
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BETWEEN BITES

By Charles Bradford

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SECRET OF ANGLING.—"Fishing is more than catching. Its pleasures are the whole outdoors. Appreciation is the secret of the lure."—Theodore Macklin.

OLD ANGLING BOOKS.—1486—The Booke of St. Albans; by Dame Juliana Berners. 1590—Booke of Fishing with Hook and Line; by Leonard Mascall. 1596—Hawking, Hunting, Fowling and Fishing; by W. C. Faulkener. 1606—Booke of Angling or Fishing; by Samuel Gardner. D. D. 1651—Art of Angling; by Thomas Barker (the second edition of this book, published in 1657, was issued under the title of Barker's Delight). 1652—Young Sportsman's Delight and Instructor in Angling, etc.; by Gervase Markham. 1653—The Compleat Angler, or the Contemplative Man's Recreation, etc.; by Izaak Walton (the second edition, almost rewritten by the author, appeared in 1655). 1662—Experienced Angler, or Angling Improved; by Robert Venables. 1676—Angler's Delight, etc.; by William Gilbert. 1681—Angler's Vade Mecum; by Chetham. 1682—Complete Troller; by Nobles. 1696—The True Art of Angling; by J. S.

STRIKE FROM THE REEL OR HAND?—"The strike must be made with sufficient force and no more. If insufficient, the hook will not penetrate far enough to hold the fish in its subsequent struggles, and if the force is excessive the gut will break at its weakest point, and leave the fly and possibly one or more strands

of gut in the trout's jaws. The Angler should acquire the habit of striking from the reel, i. e., without holding the line in the hand. Many old fishermen prefer holding the line when striking, but it is likely to result in a breakage of the gut."—F. M. Halford, The Dry-Fly Man's Handbook. "Personally I never 'strike from the reel' because less control is had over the line, likewise the fish."—Charles Zibeon Southard. Trout Fly-Fishing in America. I favor Mr Halford's method—"strike from the reel"—in fly-fishing and in weak-fish fishing with light tackle. In heavy bait fishing, Mr. Southard's strike with the "hand-held line" suits me.

STRIKING AND HOOKING.—Nothing is more difficult to learn about fly-fishing than the art of striking or hooking the game.

SHADOWLESS ANGLING.—Never let your shadow fall upon the angling water. Keep the sun in front of you.

CALMNESS IN ANGLING.—Don't hurry a large fish. Subdue him as far from you as possible.

NOTES FROM ALL AROUND

Elijah Grover Hall of Bingham, a retired lumberman, was a recent visitor at the State House and left with Frank H. Sterling, clerk of the state board of assessors, with instructions that he turn it over to the state museum, a fine specimen of asbestos rock. This specimen was taken from Township 3, Range 5, Bingham's Kennebec river, belonging to the estate of J. Manchester

Haynes. There are miles of this asbestos rock in this township and so far as known it is the only bed in the state.

Leroy D. Moulton, the popular head clerk at the Palmouth Hotel, Portland, has been elected Exalted Ruler of the Portland Lodge of Elks. Mr. Moulton also holds the position of the president of the National Greeters' Association of America to which he was elected last year. Mr. Moulton has a wide circle of friends and is universally popular.

One of the young lady clerks in the State House, who recently found a dead mouse in her desk, is also trying for a bounty, although she is making a friend to the real work. The case as it now stands is to prove that the wild thing was legally killed, in open time. Suspicion has been aroused that the creature was illegally snared by the girl in her department and the friend is doubtful of collecting. Other friends have suggested that it be donated to the State Museum.

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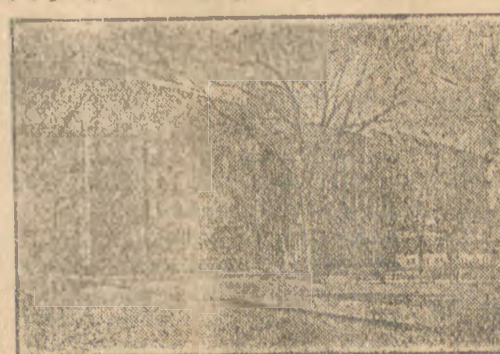
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A Tale of the Canadian Border

Written for Maine Woods, By Bruce Stewart

(Continued from last week.)

The girl shivered. "Philip, you don't know our Commission; they are just men, but hard men. You have disobeyed the laws many times, and they will show you no mercy. You must go."

But the Indian was obdurate. Once again the man and the girl, chessmen in the hands of Fate, found their positions reversed. The girl begged him to escape, the Indian insisted on staying. In the end he won, and the girl found she would not have been content to have it otherwise.

"I will go back at once for the rest of the pack," he said, "and as soon as you are able we will go the Commissioners and settle matters in some way. I will be back by this time tomorrow night."

He bent over her for a moment, turning her face up to his, then moved noiselessly to the window and out through it into the night.

Chapter VI.

THE SETTLEMENT.

Marcia sat in the big chair after Lamonte had gone, looked into the glowing coals and waited for the wardens to come as she knew they would when the Indian did not return to the kitchen. She had not long to wait before there came a knock at the door and in answer to her "Come in", Johnson stepped into the room. He cast one swift glance around the room.

"Where is Lamonte?" he demanded.

"He has gone back for the pack we had to leave when I got hurt," said Marcia and braced herself for the outburst she knew would follow.

For an instant the warden was speechless, then he broke out in a torrent of upbraidings. When he had talked himself out, Marcia continued: "He will be back at this time tomorrow night, and by the

next day or the day after that we shall start for Augusta."

"Come back at this time tomorrow night! A lot he will!" stormed Johnson. "I might have known a girl would make a mess of the whole thing. No one but a fool or a woman would have trusted a word that damned outlaw said. Schollard and I ought to have taken him over at once and paid no attention to you, but it is useless to chase him now, he's half way to the Line by this time. A nice time you'll have settling this with the Old Man when you get to the Office! And Schollard and I will come in for our share, you bet! Damn the luck!" And he went out slamming the door viciously behind him.

Marcia tumbled herself into the great four-posted bed as soon as she could and never knew another thing till Mrs. Maxim called her the next morning. That worthy matron had evidently heard the whole story from Johnson and she was inclined to scold Marcia in consequence, so that Marcia did not have a pleasant time of it.

The girl would not leave her room and passed a lonely day in the big chair. In fancy she could see Lamonte tramping over the crust all those weary miles back to the scene of the accident. Once or twice a hateful little imp suggested to her that perhaps Johnson was right, perhaps the Indian was playing false and would not come back, but she would not have it so. He had kept his word to her from the first and he would not break it now.

Night came and the hours dragged even more slowly. Schollard had gone, but in the evening Johnson came to harass her again. To his accusations and upbraidings she had but one reply,—"Lamonte will be back here tonight."

"Not by a long shot, he is no fool and he won't come back here, nor this side of the Line for a while. The fellow that said there was no good Indian but a dead one knew what he was talking about, and it is a pity someone had not made Lamonte good years ago. The sooner his kind of cattle are wiped off the face of the earth the better."

Johnson settled himself in the chimney corner and sulked. It was not pleasant to think of the acid things the Commissioners would say when they learned the proceedings of the previous evening.

Ten o'clock came and no Lamonte; quarter past ten, and still he did not come. It seemed to Marcia as if she should stifle. The vibration of the half-hour stroke had not died away when the door swung noiselessly open and Lamonte walked in. He stepped wearily and lifelessly as a man that moved by sheer force of will, and without seeing the warden he crossed to Marcia, flung himself down on the rug and buried his head in her lap drawing her hands to him.

"Miss Lawson, you were right. It won't take handcuffs to get Philip Lamonte safe to Augusta this time. Goodnight." And he was gone.

How long they sat without speaking before the fire, Marcia could not have said. Mrs. Maxim, coming in to the room just before midnight to see if Marcia had everything she wished for the night, found them still as the warden had left them, the man sleeping peacefully with a half-smile on his lips and the girl's hand pressed under his cheek. Perhaps Johnson had prepared her for what she would find, at any rate Mrs. Maxim evinced no surprise, but put her hand on Marcia's head saying:

"My dear girl, you ought to have been in bed hours ago, you will tire yourself all out, and what will the doctor say if he comes tomorrow and finds you sick? Just turn this young man over to me and let me put him upstairs, he is just worn out and he will catch his death of cold sitting on the floor!"

In her motherly way she hustled Lamonte away to the upper regions of the roomy farm-house and came back to put Marcia to bed.

Marcia woke early the next morning and lay in the depths of Mrs.

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SANDY RIVER & RANGELEY LAKES RAILROAD TIME TABLE

In Effect, December 13, 1915.

FARMINGTON Passenger Trains leave Farmington for Phillips, Rangeley and Bigelow at 8:15 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.

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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 for Strong at 12:50 P. M., and for Bigelow at 2:38 P. M.

KINGFIELD Mixed Train leaves for Bigelow at 7:45 A. M., Passenger train leaves for Bigelow at 2:53 P. M., Mixed train arrives from Bigelow at 11:30 A. M., and passenger train arrives from Bigelow at 4:50 P. M. Passenger train leaves for Farmington at 12:30.

BIGELOW Mixed train arrives from Kingfield at 9:15 A. M., and departs for Kingfield and Farmington at 10:00 A. M. Passenger train arrives from Farmington at 3:43 P. M., and departs for Kingfield at 4:00 P. M.

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Maxim's feather-bed waiting for the household to begin to stir. Her ankle pained her severely and she hoped that the doctor, who had failed to make his appearance the day before, would come during the morning. Mrs. Maxim soon came with the kindlings, built the fire, and when the room was warm once more helped Marcia up. In answer to the girl's questions she told her that Johnson had already left and that Lamonte had not yet come down. Even as they talked there was a knock at the door and he entered. Mrs. Maxim greeted him civilly although it was easy to see that she still regarded him as a black sheep who would have to have many bleacings before he assumed even a neutral tint to her eyes, and telling them she would call when breakfast was ready she went back to the kitchen.

Lamonte carried Marcia out to breakfast and then back to her room where the jovial old doctor found them when he came just before dinner. He had seen the wardens and heard all that they could tell him. He declared that, in spite of the rough treatment she had given it, the ankle was doing well and that if Marcia would not use it in walking she might start for home on the next day. When Marcia asked for his bill he would give none.

"I had a friend once—you look much like her. She died in '63 when I was down with Grant." He kissed Marcia as he might have

a daughter and turning held out his hand to Lamonte.

"Three days ago, Mr. Lamonte, I would have agreed with anyone who said you were an outlaw and a scoundrel without a particle of good in you. I guess we old duffers who judge men by a statute book made a mistake, though, and this little girl has opened our eyes to the fact that there is some good in everyone if we unlock the right door. Next time you and the 'Special Warden' come to this part of Maine I shall expect you to call on me."

After the doctor had gone, Marcia and Lamonte spent the day talking, there was so much to say, so many tangles to unravel, and plans to make. Lamonte easily explained how it happened Marcia had not known him at first. The nickname "Le Loup" had been given him by some of the lumber camps and used as an alias to confuse the wardens. Both Sandy and Pierre as well as Mrs. Vashaw had used it on that fateful evening and seeing that Marcia did not connect him with Lamonte save as a fellow preacher, he had continued the deception fearing that a disclosure of his real identity would lessen his chances of winning Marcia's confidence. The fact that the descriptions of Lamonte given by the various wardens did not tally, and were more or less highly colored tended to make it more easy for him to carry out the idea, as, also, did the fact that the Chairman had spoken of him as a Canadian, not as

an Indian.

Fearlessly the outlaw spoke of the pending meeting with the Commission and its outcome, but the girl was not so confident as he. She had had experience with the Commission, realized more fully than her companion the magnitude of his offense as it appeared to them, and was fearful of the action they might take. She wrote a long letter to the Commission telling them that Lamonte was coming to headquarters of his own free will, and that they would reach the office sometime during the next few days, and carefully refraining from going into details. This she sent to mail by Mr. Maxim and knew that it would reach the office at least a few hours before she did. The fact that he had given himself up would be one point in his favor, albeit a trifle in comparison with his other actions. Something of her forebodings she tried to impart to Lamonte, loathe to let his air-castles reach perfection only to be shattered by the decree of the officials, but the Indian would not allow it.

"At worst, Mam'selle," he said, "they can but imprison me for a few months and what are a few months when we have all the rest of life? Since you can forgive the crime you can forgive the punishment also, can you not, Mam'selle? And I—I am not afraid of anything, save that I shall lose you. You are quite sure that nothing will make any difference Mam'selle?"

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THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1916.

TRAGEDY AT STATE MUSEUM

A tragedy was discovered Friday morning in the State Museum, one of the occupants of a tank in the aquarium having lost its life through violence. The victim was Mr. Chub and the destroyer of his life—in fact the murderer—was Mr. Cusk. The latter is in close confinement and his fate is as yet undecided.

It has been noticed for some time that some of the fish in this tank, sort of a happy family tank, containing the cusk, white and yellow perch, sunfish, hornpouts, chubs, etc., have been disappearing. A close watch was kept but no clue could be found, so that the matter became a genuine mystery. Watch was even kept in the night, but no outsider was found netting, or hooking the fish.

Mr. Chub was a pretty fish, noticeable for his good looks and cleanliness, in fact, he had become quite a favorite with the Museum force and the regular visitors. When he was looked for Friday morning he could not be found, but after a while a visitor noticed about an inch of a fish protruding from the mouth of Mr. Cusk and the mystery was solved. Cusk had murdered Chub and, cannibal that he is, was devouring him.

By 4 o'clock in the afternoon nothing but the tips of the tail of poor Chub was visible and the 18-inch murderer was as stupid as though he had been taking "dope." A big crowd of visitors during the day watched the gradual disappearance of the 7-inch chub down the 18-inch monster's throat.

NORWAY FISH AND GAME ASSOCIATION.

The Norway Fish and Game Association is doing a fine work for the town and through its efforts over a million fish have been procured from the state and U. S. government and turned loose with the result that the fishing has been very much improved and is attracting more and more fishermen to the town each year increasing the revenue of the town.

There have been added 100 members since the first of the year, fully paid up to May 1st, 1917. Many of these are non-resident members and every citizen of the town who has the interest of the lake at heart can join by paying one dollar to R. F. Seavey at the Bear's Tavern.

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Fly Rod's Note Book

BY FLY ROD

St. Helena's House,
89 Union Park St.,

Boston, April 11, 1916.

"Where is Fly Rod?" I'll answer the question by saying, I have for the past few weeks been most pleasantly located here, have met and been delightfully entertained by many friends who plan to spend summer days at the Rangeleys, and as spring has come and the anglers are talking of the fishing and all asking, "When is the ice going out of the Rangeley Lakes?" I shall go back to Maine on the evening of Easter Sunday and be able to report fisherman's luck later.

The weather for March was like "down home" and it was amusing to see the streets of Boston looking about like the "carry" between Oquossoc and Mooselookmeguntic Lakes, and where they could find so many old sleighs, pungs and sleds was a puzzle to me. Then amid the snow blowing a gale the automobiles were making their way in all directions.

But a quick change has come and spring is here, the parks green, and it seemed to me as if hundreds were out in the public gardens yesterday, and all over the park the birds were feeding from the crumbs brought to them by their friends. Dame Nature surely can rush her spring work and when she gets busy in the Rangeleys there will be something doing.

I had the pleasure of dining with the Marbles at their fine winter home in Brookline last week. Mr. and Mrs. Marble had recently received cards announcing the marriage of a well-known New Yorker, who for years has been a great favorite among the Rangeley Lake House guests, Mr. Thomas Henry Bauchle, Jr., who was married to Mrs. Olga Townsend Cutler the first of March, and many readers of the Maine Woods extend congratulations to the young couple whose home is now at 110 Riverside Drive, New York City, and who hope for the pleasure of meeting them at the Rangeleys this season.

Mr. Marble said "it is safe to predict the ice will go out sometime in the month of May", and with a big crew of workmen they will arrive at the Rangeley Lake House on the 15th of this month and it will be a busy place until the hotel opens June 1st. The buildings are all to be newly painted this spring and a number of bath rooms were added last fall, and other improvements made. At this early date more applications from old and would-be new patrons have been received than ever before.

"We can not go to Europe and want to come to Maine" seems to be the general information given, and it is safe to say there will be such a rush of travel to the Nation's Play Ground this year as never before, and there need be no fear of overcrowding Maine.

In Portland I met Capt. and Mrs. Ed Coburn, who spent the winter there, but the first of April the Captain went back to Middle Dam to rush work on improvements, as bath rooms are to be put into all the cabins, also into the hotel this spring and for the June fishing most of the camps are already engaged.

The Captain has purchased a new passenger automobile to use on the carry to Sunday Cove, and now that the tourists have learned they can go this route to the Balsams at Dixville Notch, then through the White Mountains or to Quebec and Montreal, hundreds will come and go this way while touring the Rangeleys.

Cupid has surely made several hits among the charming young folks who come to the lakes as has been reported from time to time this winter, and from Capt. Coburn I learned of the marriage of a number of their guests, J. Ramsey Van Roden to Miss Gertrude Gummy of Philadelphia. Also Lloyd B. Salt to Miss Katharine Taft of Brookline, Mass.

It now looks as if the next candidate for Republican President will be Associate Chief Justice Hughes of Washington, D. C., ex-governor of New York. It will be remembered that Judge Hughes and family spent last season at the Gilman cottage on the shore of Rangeley Lake. The

family were greatly pleased with their summer there, and almost daily the judge could be seen on the golf course, as he was very fond of the game. As the family have in the past spent each summer at a different place, I understand they have arranged to go to the Rocky Mountains in the West this year, and I have not learned who will be the fortunate party to occupy the attractive cottage on the shore of Rangeley Lake during the summer of 1916.

Now if one thinks the Maine Woods is not read by more sportsmen and tourists who go to Maine, than any other and all other papers, that tell of the fishing, hunting and hotel guests, I am very sure I can prove to them their mistake.

Now I want to start a discussion, not about woman's rights, or the suffrage question. I am not one who wants to vote, for I have far too much faith in the men. Let them run the political ship, but do let the women learn to run the home to make it so attractive, to cook such a good dinner the men will vote for the candidate they hear the most talked of at the dinner table, of his fine qualities of honor and uprightness and the "best men for the right office" will then be elected.

The discussion I would like to see taken up in the columns of the Maine Woods before the fish stories can be told is the license question. Now don't be shocked, I don't mean what is called the "Maine license law" that has been proved a perfect farce, taking thousands of dollars out of Maine, and making the express company stock go up in the market.

I mean the "resident license law", a law that all loyal citizens of our state would be glad to have enacted the coming winter. Why, think of the many thousands of Maine people who are taking out a license for their automobile this spring they think it a pleasure to pay their greenbacks to run a "little Ford", a Maxwell or any automobile over the hills, through the woods along the smooth state roads, and now why not pay a greenback of the smallest denomination to enjoy the sport of fishing from our lakes, or shooting the game in our forest? We are proud of the sportsmen and tourists who annually leave not thousands, but millions of dollars in Maine, and why should not we as citizens of the good old Pine Tree State gladly pay into our State treasury something for our own fish and game when every dollar would be spent in protecting and increasing the fish and game of Maine?

I think our wise law-makers and the members of the Maine Sportsman's Fish and Game Association will agree with me when I say we want, and need and should have "a resident license law."

What do others think regarding the matter? I should be very glad if the honorable chairman of our Fish and Game Commission would give his idea on the subject for the benefit of the readers of the Maine Woods.

Fly Rod.

MR. STANLEY OFFERS NAVY DEPARTMENT USE OF INVENTIONS.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stanley were in Lewiston last week. Mr. Stanley offers the Navy department the use of his remarkable power inventions without charge so far as his rights as an inventor are concerned. The Navy department is now considering his proposition and is to make special examination of the invention. Mr. Stanley is now developing his high pressure steam plant as motor power for lines of street railway and within a few weeks cars propelled by his steam invention will be tested out. Railroad men are greatly interested. It is predicted that the new power will create an epoch in rapid transit on lines now electrically impelled. His power will take little room in cars; will develop in emergency upwards of 150 horsepower, and 40 horsepower constant on a 600 pound pressure, using low grade kerosene, now costing six cents a gallon, as fuel. The

Navy department thinks there are possibilities in Mr. Stanley's inventions which may promote development of efficiency in the American navy. Mr. Stanley tells the Navy department that he has nothing to sell; that he wants no government contracts. The Secretary of the Navy is much impressed by an offer unique and not often reproduced by those who are knocking at the doors of the various government departments. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley left the city on Wednesday, and will go to Squirrel Island about the 20th of May to make ready for the vacation season.

TRAPSHOOTING TOURNAMENTS

Many Competitions in May for "The Sport Alluring."

ONE HUNDRED and twenty-five trapshooting tournaments—the greatest number ever registered in any one month since the birth of the Interstate Association for the Encouragement of Trapshooting—will take

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In the 35 tournaments registered during the months of March and April there was but one State championship. During the month of May there will be 15 State championship tournaments and one sectional championship. Kentucky, which was out of the fold last year, is back again, so that every State will be represented by its champion in the Amateur Championship shoot in St. Louis, in August. Woolfolk Henderson is most likely to be the representative of the Blue Grass State, and if he is the winner of the amateur championship will have to do as well as Newcomb did last year to carry away the title, maybe a shade better.



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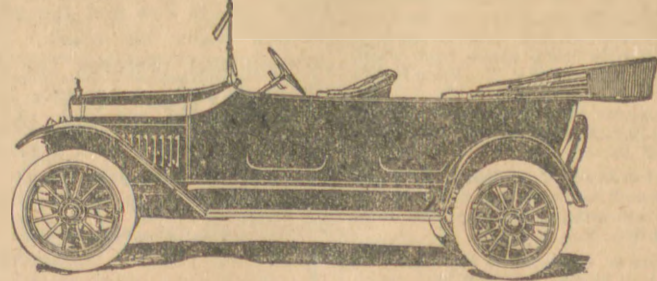
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WOMAN GETS FIRST SALMON

Miss Jeannette Sullivan Lucky Fish-erwoman at Bangor Salmon Pool; Fish to President.

The honor of capturing the first salmon at the Bangor pool comes to a Bangor woman this year, Miss Jeannette M. Sullivan of 377 Hancock street, who took it at about 4.30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. This is an honor not unknown to Miss Sullivan, as she has taken the first fish more than once before this year.

Michael Flanagan of 34 Pearl street, a skillful and experienced fisherman, took the second salmon, shortly after the first was captured. Both salmon were small compared with some fish captured at the pool—the first one last year weighed 10 pounds and the largest 24½ pounds. However, the fish were handsome and in most places outside of Bangor would be considered big.

They were purchased by Gallagher's Market, State street, and it is understood that they will be sent to President Wilson by Bangor Democrats.

FIRST PENOBSCOT SALMON

Bangor, Me., April 6.—The first Penobscot salmon of the season were landed today at the Bangor Pool, Timothy Sullivan and William Flanagan, veteran Pool fishermen, being the lucky ones. The fish were small, weighing 6½ and 7 pounds, but considered fine for eating. Both were purchased by a club of prominent local Democrats, the price said to be \$2 a pound, and were shipped tonight to President Wilson, with the compliments of the Bangor Democracy.

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MUSKRAT PUTS UP FIGHT

Police Officer Arthur Saburan of Biddeford had a tough fight with a muskrat which he encountered on Main street. The officer won out with the aid of his club and the body of Mr. Muskrat has been on exhibition at the police station.

The officer when he first saw the muskrat thought it was a puppy that had wandered away from home and was going to pick him up and take him to the station. When he got close to the animal the officer was surprised to see it turn and start to attack him and it did not take him long to discover that he was up against something different from a puppy. Officer Saburan pulled his club and went after the rodent and it required some little effort on the part of the guardian of the law to conquer the muskrat.

"SUCKERS AND SEBAGO"

Suckers and Sebago, two distinct substances which, according to the opinion of the majority of the members of the Cumberland County Anglers' Association, do not mix well, were once again discussed at the meeting held in the Falmouth hotel recently, says the Portland Press. This old matter, almost as old as fishing itself, is finally, it seems, nearing termination, for it was voted at the meeting last evening that the commissioners of inland fish and game will be asked if it will be advisable to ask permits for netting suckers from the tributaries of Sebago lake for market purposes. It is believed by many of the anglers

that the suckers prey upon the lake salmon and thus decrease to a great extent the most important food fish which the lake affords. By netting the suckers in large quantities for market purposes the anglers hope that the pest may be eliminated.

It was further voted that an effort will be made to have that section of the law which permits dip netting for smelts from the tributaries of Sebago lake for sale repealed. Dipping for personal use will not be discontinued if their plans materialize.

THE BOB CAT BOUNTY APPROPRIATION EXHAUSTED.

The appropriation for bounties on bob cats has been exhausted, it was announced Thursday at the department of inland fisheries and game. As there are likely to be many more claims come in for such bounties it is probable that at the next meeting of the Governor and Council the department will request that some further revenue be provided for the payment of such bounties.

The department Thursday morning received a box in the mail containing 20 bob cat tails, which were sent in by George M. Coffin, treasurer of the town of Columbia. A statement from Mr. Coffin said that 10 of these tails for which reward was sought were sent in by Allison Worcester and 10 by A. L. Tarbutt. The payment of the bounty upon these 20 tails will completely exhaust the balance remaining of the appropriation and \$4 besides.

LITTLE ALBINOS HOLD THEIR OWN

Homesickness or the strain and shock of the long trip from Caribou proved too much for the 5-year-old

albino salmon which was put into a tank at the State Museum late Thursday afternoon and one of the 4-year-olds very quickly followed suit. Curator Thomas James says he is doubtful if many fish of that size can stand the tumbling about and shaking up of such a long journey. The younger and smaller fish which came in the same shipment are lively and will probably survive.

The two little 11-months-old albinos about whom much anxiety was felt Thursday night as to their ability to hold their own with the much larger and stronger siblings and smelts with which they are domiciled opened their eyes cheerfully to the earlier visitors and appeared as much satisfied with their new home as the older inhabitants.

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IN THE GREAT NORTH WOODS

(Continued from page three)

"Quite sure, Phillip," said the girl and ruffled the black head in her lap.

"What will your people say? Will your family consent to your going back with me? I have no one to say I shall do this or that," he shrugged his shoulders, "but you, what will your mother and father and all your people say?"

"It makes no difference," replied Marcia. "I shall be sorry if they are not pleased, if they are angry, but my life is mine to live, not theirs and 'Whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge; thy people shall be my people,'" she quoted softly.

The fourth day after Marcia came to the Maxim farm-house, Mr. Maxim carried them to the nearest station and they started on their way to the Capitol. Mrs. Maxim gave Marcia a kiss as she said goodbye.

"My girls died when they were babies," she said, "and my boys have grown up and left us. I wish that you might have stayed longer, and I hope you will not forget us."

Marcia assured her that she should always remember them and the days she had been with them, Mr. Maxim clucked to the horses, and the farm-house was soon left behind.

Some forty-eight hours later Marcia and Lamonte stood in the Commissioners' office and the Chairman rose to greet them.

Briefly Marcia gave an account of her trip, of Mrs. Vashaw's treachery, her stay at Le Loup's camp, the journey out, and the meeting with Schollard and Johnson. She touched but lightly on her own relations with Lamonte, gave her report with as little personal feeling as one of the regular wardens, and made no plea for leniency.

When she had done, the Chairman turned to the Indian. For an hour he cross-questioned him sharply and bit by bit got a full account of Lamonte's poaching. The questioning over, he sat thoughtful in his chair.

Marcia could hear plainly the tread of feet in the rotunda above, the buzz of the cars in the street, and the burr of a telephone bell in a distant office. It seemed to her that the Chairman would never speak. Lamonte stood with folded arms, waiting.

Several minutes passed before the Chairman spoke.

"My associates on this Commission left this matter in my hands to settle after we received Miss Lawson's letter. Your case is one of the worst we have ever had to deal with. You have repeatedly broken the game laws of this State and defied the officers. You have been a source of no little expense to this Commission as well as a thorn in the flesh to us. You yourself say that you do not know how many deer and moose you have killed illegally. If we were to prosecute you on each count that we know of it would take your lifetime to settle the account; of course that is impossible, no court would stand for it. But it is the wish of this Commission that your case be

made an example, a warning to other poachers less notorious than yourself."

He paused. Marcia's heart was in her throat, but Lamonte showed no sign of excitement or uneasiness. The cold, incisive voice of the Chairman began again:

"Just this last effort to take you has been costly. Miss Lawson has not yet sent in her itemized bill of expenses, but the reward alone was five hundred dollars, and you can judge by that how highly we value your powers of destruction. We do not wish to be extreme in our punishment, nor on the other hand do we wish to be too lenient. We will say that a fine of seven hundred dollars and your oath never to set foot again on the soil of Maine will settle the matter. Do you accept the terms?"

"No," said the outlaw, "I do not."

The Chairman did not seem surprised. "Very well," he said, "The alternative is a fine of one thousand dollars and in default of payment we shall prosecute which is equivalent to a jail sentence."

"Commissioner," began Marcia quietly. The Chairman swung around in his pivot chair so suddenly that she jumped. "It is because I belong in the State of Maine that this man will not swear never to set foot in this State again; he will not put a bar between himself and my people. My expenses have been less than twenty dollars,—I did not pay Mrs. Vashaw and I do not think she will try to collect of the State under the circumstances. I waive my right to the reward for I did not arrest Philip Lamonte nor bring him here. In fact if I had had my way he would have gone back free to his home. Since the reward is not claimed, can you not make the terms of settlement less—less severe?"

"You hear what Miss Lawson says?" said the Commissioner in the same tone he had used throughout the interview. "In view of the fact that she waives the right to the reward we will call the fine one thousand dollars, half to be paid and the other half suspended during good behavior. Will you agree to that?"

"Yes." And from his pocket Lamonte pulled a billbook and counted out upon the Chairman's desk five hundred dollars in Canadian bank notes.

As the Chairman re-counted them he said sarcastically, "I suppose you got this for game you slaughtered on our side of the Line?"

"Part of it, Monsieur," was the cool reply.

The worst was over, the interview at an end. Even the friends of the Chairman,—and he had many in spite of what his enemies said to the contrary,—even his friends called him a hard man. Just as he construed justness, but hard. Two people there are who, if you ask them, will tell you that the hardness is only on the outer surface and that the bluff old Commissioner is at heart as gentle as the envious would have you believe he is hard, for as Lamonte and Marcia rose to leave the office, he put his hand on the former's shoulder for a moment and swung him about.

"Young man," and as he spoke the twinkle came into his eyes, "as I said, you have played fox-and-geese with our game and have given us a devil of a chase after you; I could forgive you all that,—you are not the only one who has smashed our laws,—but I'll be damned if I can forgive you for stealing the only warden we have on the force that can manage you! If ever you run amuck again we shall have to call out the State Militia!"

"I shall never run amuck," as you say, again, Monsieur, for Mamselle will still be the 'Special Warden' on the Border," was the breed's reply.

And before the door closed behind them, they heard the Chairman clucking to himself.

(THE END.)

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Browning makes Fra Lippo Lippi say: "If you get simple beauty and naught else you get about the best thing God invents, and you'll find the rest within yourself when you return him thanks." It seems to me that if we substitute for beauty, true ideals, the quotation applies most aptly to our view of the purpose of education. If you get true ideals and naught else, you get about the best thing God invents.—Exchange.

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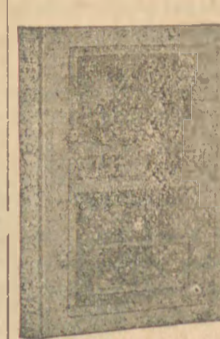
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MILITARY RIFLE SHOOTING. Part I.

Military Rifle Shooting is increasing rapidly in the United States at present, especially among civilians, owing to the fact that large numbers of Clubs have been organized to take advantage of the Government's generous offer of Krag rifles.

The military rifle used by the United States Government at present is the model 1903 Springfield rifle chambered for the Model 1906 cartridge. It is a bolt action rifle, that is, a repeating action which works by means of a bolt on the right side which is lifted up and pulled back to eject the empty shell, and pushed forward and turned down again to feed in a new cartridge and lock the action. The magazine is a box underneath the bolt in which the cartridges are placed, either one at a time or from a clip, the clip being a brass strip which holds five cartridges by the grooves in their heads. When the action is pulled back, the extractor yanks the cartridge out of the chamber and as it reaches the rear position is kicked out of the action by the ejector. The bolt, in going forward, scrapes a new cartridge from the top of the magazine and pushes it ahead of it into the chamber.

The rifle is fitted with a 24-inch barrel and weighs about 8 1/4 lbs. The front sight is simply a flat piece placed edgewise to the line of sight. The rear sight is made with a little ladder which folds up. On this ladder is a slide in which is a peep hole which the shooter lines up with the front sight and the bull's-eye.

Military shooting is done at ranges from 200 yds. up to 1,000 yds. and occasionally 1,200 yds., and the ladder is necessary to move the slide up and down to change the elevation for these different ranges. In long range rifle shooting, the wind has considerable effect on the bullet, and it is necessary to move the sight sidewise to correct for this, consequently the sight is so made that it can be moved sidewise by means of a milled wheel, and this is called the "wind gauge" although the name is really a misnomer, as it does not gauge the wind. It simply permits changing the sight sidewise to correct for errors caused by the wind.

The Springfield rifle is regularly furnished to the army and National Guard has a leather sling strap which when used properly is of great assistance in shooting at the various ranges. The trigger pull on military rifles must be possible to lift three pounds on the trigger when the arm is cocked without releasing the hammer. The Model 1906 Government cartridge has a bullet which is .30 caliber, that is, 3/10th of an inch in diameter, is pointed, and weighs 150 grains. When it leaves the muzzle of the rifle it has a velocity of 2,700 ft. per second. The cartridge is, of course, loaded with smokeless powder.

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der. The Model 1903 Springfield rifle is certainly not to be sneered at—it is better than most all of the foreign military rifles, only one or two coming anywhere near equalling it. It is by no means perfect, however, but it is comforting to feel that we have such a fine military rifle.

The Krag-Jorgensen rifle of which the Government has a large number, in a great many ways to the Springfield in a great many ways to the Springfield rifle except that it has a longer barrel and the magazine loads from the side, one at a time. It cannot be loaded with a clip. It is a bolt action somewhat similar to the Springfield. A large number of these rifles have been issued to civilian rifle clubs in various parts of the country and good results have been recorded. The Krag rifle is by no means equal to the new Springfield, however, especially at the longer ranges.

Next week in Part II, I will talk about the targets in use and the rules governing Military Shooting.

J. J. C., Middletown, Conn.

1. Is there any law against carrying a revolver in a holster in Connecticut while out walking in the woods?

Ans. Write to the Attorney General, State of Connecticut, and he will explain the law on the subject to you.

2. Can a game warden claim you are carrying a concealed weapon?

Ans. It is obviously impossible for anybody—game warden or otherwise—to claim that you are carrying concealed weapons, if it is a revolver in a holster in plain sight.

3. Will a .22 extra long fit in a rifle bored for .22 long rifle cartridge—single shot?

Ans. Ordinarily it will, but what is the use of doing it? The .22 extra long is no more accurate than the .22 long rifle and the difference in power is not worth bothering with.

4. Are .22 long rifle hollow points as accurate as the regular bullets?

Ans. For all practical purposes they are just as accurate.

5. I read of a boy who caught a large amount of fur-bearing animals with a certain kind of bait. Please let me know through your magazine if this is lawful in this State. I understand it isn't.

Ans. It is permissible.

6. From my own experiments I have found Lesmok the best rifle powder. Do you agree with me?

Ans. Lesmok or semi-smokeless is best.

A. J. B., Tampa, Fla.

I have been an interested reader for some time of your information columns, and I would like very much to ask you a question. I am considering the purchase of a Savage 250-3000 rifle, but I have heard that the high pressure developed in the cartridges have a tendency to deform the brass shells, causing jamming, and that the pressures finally distort the barrel of the rifle, causing inaccurate shooting in a short time. Will you please tell me whether there are other defects in the arm which might influence my choice?

Ans. Disregarding various small differences between different makes of firearms and ammunition, no American manufacturers would put out a rifle which would act as you describe. While some rifles are of course better than other rifles, the "Made in America" rifles are, at the very least, serviceable.

P. G. G., Utica, New York.

1. I am thinking of buying an Iver Johnson revolver. Which do you consider the better, hammer or hammerless?

Ans. I would recommend the hammer model.

2. Which is the safer? Ans. They are both safe.

3. Are they as accurate as a Smith & Wesson revolver?

Ans. It would not be fair to answer a question of this kind.

4. Would a .44 gauge shotgun be heavy enough for rabbit and partridge?

Ans. At very short ranges, yes.

5. Would a ball cartridge of the same caliber (.44) be heavy enough for deer?

Ans. No.

E. H. M., Marlboro, N. H.

How far outside of the city would a person living in Pittsburgh, Pa., have to go to be able to hunt small game (rabbits)?

Ans. I suggest that you write to W. P. White, 199 Meade Street, Wilkesburg, Pa.

2. Would I be allowed to carry a gun in a holster at my belt while fishing in this State (New Hampshire)?

Ans. Your regular hardware dealer is probably familiar with the law.

J. H. M., Buffalo, New York.

1. Do you consider a Savage 1905 .22 caliber bolt action single shot a good rifle for shooting crows and chicken-hawks up to 85 or 100 yds.?

Ans. The .22 long rifle cartridge is satisfactory in any of the good rifles for shooting such game up to the range you mention.

2. Do you consider this good shooting? A friend of mine shot two crows from a fence post at 25 yds., using a Model 1906 Harrington & Richardson pocket revolver, long rifle cartridges. The friend in question did not think much of it, but I thought it required quite a little skill to do it.

Ans. Very good.

3. Will you give me the velocity and energy of the .32 short and long at muzzle? Do you consider these as accurate as the .22 shorts and long rifles?

Ans. The muzzle velocity of the .32 short is 990 ft. per second, muzzle velocity of the .32 long, 1,170 ft. per second. They are not as accurate as the .22 short and long rifle cartridges, although the difference is not very great.

4. How would the .25 caliber Standard hand-operated or trombone action be for woodchucks up to 125 yds.? Is this arm to be classed with Stevens, Remington, Savage and Winchester?

Ans. The Standard is no longer made.

5. Would you use 3/4 drams of powder and 1 1/2 oz. No. 1 shot in Stevens Single, price \$7.50, in a double barrel Lefever, price \$25?

Ans. If it is black powder, it is safe.

6. Is the Hamilton .22 good for snaphooting at from 20 to 30 ft., using shorts, Lesmok?

Ans. This is a question for you to decide. Ask somebody who owns one.

7. What will happen to a rifle designed to shoot .22 shorts and longs if long rifles are used?

Ans. Nothing would happen except that you would not get a great amount of accuracy and the cartridges could be placed in the chamber only with great difficulty.

G. C. Z., Glenbrook, Conn.

I would like to ask your opinion in regard to a gun I bought recently. It is a bolt action repeater, the cart-

ridge chamber being under the barrel. By lifting up the bolt, the hammer is ready for action. By pulling the bolt back the empty shell is extracted and by pushing the bolt forward, the second cartridge is in place to be fired. The empty shell is thrown out through the top. The diameter at muzzle is approximately 7-16 of an inch, and I was told that it shoots a .41 caliber Swiss bullet. On one side is written "V Sauerbrey in Basel 5684." Will you please tell me more about this gun through the columns of Target Tips and Hunting Helps? I would like to advertise it for sale, as there is absolutely no big game around here and very little small game.

Ans. The rifle is made in Basel, Switzerland, and shoots the .41 Swiss rim fire cartridge. It is practically obsolete at the present time. I doubt if you could get enough for it to pay for the advertisement. When compared with modern firearms, it is hardly suitable for any kind of shooting.

Alfred P. Lane

AUGUSTA WILL HAVE SILVER FOX FARM.

Plans are now under way for a Silver Black Fox farm in Augusta. The Skowhegan fox farm stock has been purchased by Augusta men, who now own three pairs of high grade foxes and the plans are to move the entire farm to Augusta. All three pairs of the foxes at Skowhegan have mated, and a fine lot of pups are expected very soon.

It is the intention of the company to stock the farm with about 10 pairs of foxes during the coming summer, and they will have on the farm nothing but the very highest grade stock, what are known as standard bred pedigreed foxes.

The company is to start the building of the new ranch as soon as the frost is out of the ground, and intend to have a model and thoroughly up-to-date fox farm. The men who are connected with this new enterprise know the fox business very thoroughly, one of them having been in the business for the past 10 years and having become independently rich through the sale of foxes for breeding purposes and skins from these animals.

Fox ranches are starting up all over the country and there are several here in Maine, all of which are on a sound footing and since the United States government has investigated the industry and issued an extensive bulletin speaking of its merits, more interest has been centered in the enterprise. The names of the men engaged in this work are not to be published at present, being withheld at their request.

HOW TO CLEAN YOUR GUN

There are two methods used for cleaning a gun barrel. The first is the hot water treatment, but it should only be used if your supply of powder solvent is exhausted and you are far from a store. Boiling water is an excellent solvent for the harmful ingredients of fouling. When poured down your barrel, it removes acids that may be present and carries away the various residues which are obviously more soluble in water than in oil. The hot water treatment, however, is very dirty and inconvenient when carried out on a small scale, and has the objection of not, as a rule, being available immediately after shooting, and unless you are careful to protect your stock and fore-end, you may injure these wood parts. If possible, you should secure a good lubricant solvent and rust preventive. A small rag well saturated with an oily, non-corrosive mixture of this sort, pulled through the rifling again and again, will keep

your arm in prime condition, if used after each day's shooting. One very simple and effective way to clean your comparatively new arm is to moisten the interior of the barrel by blowing through and rubbing out with soft rags. The process should be continued until the rags come out perfectly clean—then oil thoroughly. All arms should be cleaned within two hours after shooting. No gun should be set aside or placed in the gun rack until thoroughly cleaned.

LAND OF STRANGE CONTRADICTIONS

Our Oxbow Correspondent on the Briny Deep.

On board the good steamship Evangeline, Wed., Apr. 5, 1916. To the Editor of Maine Woods:

We set loose from the dock, under the fairest of skies, at 10 a. m., Tuesday, the 4th. inst., with a passenger list of 336 names. For the first 24 hours all hands were on deck all day and at dinner time, 6 p. m., we were obliged to have three sittings which ran till 8 o'clock. Next morning, what a change! Sittings at table were quoted at a large discount and many "threw up" their chance gladly. But your humble scribe was not numbered among them; he takes it all in at each meal and holds all he gets. On land: It's hard to keep a good man down—at sea, it's hard to keep a good meal down.

Wednesday afternoon, after a run of 375 miles, and well across the Gulf Stream, the road grew more lubbly, the ship rolled and pitched a lot, and all hands agreed that it looked squally for the second night at sea. We expect, however, to reach New York by 3 p. m. Thursday, the 6th, if all goes well.

I have written you again so soon because of the vivid contrasts between conditions in Maine, now, and the beautiful face of Nature in Bermuda today. We have lived for the last three months amidst "the litter of roses and the noise of birds," while you have been covered with snow and benumbed with cold. I dare say there is quite as much fun, and more earnest, profitable work in Maine than in Bermuda. Your crop of logs must be waiting for the ice to break and for someone to roll them into the waters. I hope to see them go, or a part of them at least.

Bermuda is a land of strange contradictions, and of unusual interest. The rule of the road is: Turn to the left. This makes left right and right wrong. No wonder some Americans, used to turning to the right, get left good and solid, and many there be who go in thereat. Again, Bermuda has no snakes, no wild animals (no shotguns nor rifles are ever heard), the birds are all very tame, no railroads of any kind, no factories nor mills, no rainy season, nor any fogs to speak of. In short, nothing to prevent complete rest and quiet enjoyment of a remarkably equable climate.

The last week of my visit in Bermuda was spent at the Colonial hotel on Queen St., a new and very fine hostelry. Mr. Bell, its manager, is a very attentive and able caretaker, and I wish to commend him and his household to your notice. I am already planning a trip to Maine for early in May. Capt. Billy Scale of Oxbow, Me., writes me to come along any time. He don't need to repeat the message—I'm on.

Yours cordially,
J. C. Hartshorne.

GOES TO MAINE FOR REST AND CHANGE

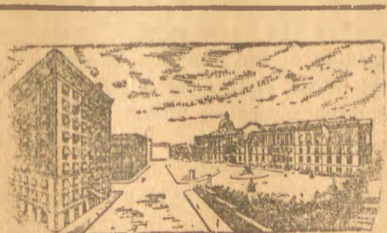
Northampton, Mass., Apr. 6, 1916. To the Editor of Maine Woods:

Enclosed you will find a money order for which credit me with another year's subscription to Maine Woods.

I may go up that way this summer on my vacation, as I think the air is fine and good scenery, though I am not much of a sport, not caring for fishing or hunting much. I go more for rest and change.

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LADIES' AID PLAN A SURPRISE

Rangeley Milliners Return From Boston With a Fine Line.

(Special Correspondence.)

Rangeley, April 12.—Mrs. Margaret Pratt has moved from the Phillbrick house on Allen street to the rent over M. D. Tibbetts' store. During the summer she will run a restaurant in her building recently occupied by Ernest Robbins.

Mrs. Etta Dill has been in Boston the past week selecting her spring line of goods. Miss Velma Tomlinson has been keeping store for her.

Wednesday afternoon at the close of the Ladies' Aid a pleasant surprise was given Mrs. H. A. Furbish whose birthday anniversary it chanced to be. A dainty lunch of sandwiches, crackers, birthday cake and tea was served. Mrs. Furbish was presented with a handsome cut glass dish in honor of the occasion. Thursday afternoon a party of the ladies enjoyed a visit with the Ladies' Aid at Oquossoc. Fourteen ladies were present and a pleasant time was enjoyed. A delicious lunch of sandwiches, assorted cake, cocoa and candy was served. The ladies made the trip to Tomlinson's teams, going down on the ice. Recently the Oquossoc ladies were guests of the local ladies.

The local Ladies' Aid have voted \$250 towards contemplated repairs on the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Hinkley and son, Montelle are visiting relatives and friends in Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garland, who have been spending the winter in Vermont, returned home Tuesday night. Mr. Garland has been employed on a log hauler at Granville, Vt., by Wyman & Sargent.

E. I. Herrick has been having a room finished off over the Main street cash store which will be occupied by Mrs. Frank Gile as a store for the sale of dry and fancy goods.

Mrs. Frances Berry is offering an unusually large stock of remnants this week, especially suitable for children's dresses, waists and aprons. Also a fine line of hembungs and laces. All goods at half price during this sale.

Mrs. Eugene Morrill returned to her home in New Hampshire Tuesday accompanied by Miss Muriel Hoar, who goes for a short visit.

Mrs. O. R. Rowe and son, Kenwood returned from Portland Friday, where

they visited during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Russell and little daughter of Phillips were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Badger.

Mrs. Wm. Boulter and little daughter returned Tuesday night from Andover, where they visited Mrs. Boulter's parents.

Ernest Robbins is now occupying his new barber shop which he recently built on the lot next to O. R. Rowe's store.

Mrs. E. P. McCard returned Saturday night from Boston, accompanied by Miss Alice Sweetser. The spring opening will be held Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David L. Quimby have closed their home on the Dead River road and gone to Kennebec to resume their duties at the Converse camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Stewart have returned after spending the past two months at Waterville and Portland.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Gile, April 6.

Eugene Soule is having his house shingled.

John Stewart was operated on for appendicitis at his home last Friday by Drs. Ross and Colby. He is reported as very comfortable at this time.

Sunday was one of the roughest days of the season. A large amount of snow fell accompanied by high winds.

J. Sherman Hoar has had his shop next to the post office wired for electric lights.

Mr. Charles Sayward of Portland was in town the past week.

The store of F. L. Marchetti presents a very attractive appearance since the new plate glass windows have been completed. Mr. Marchetti now has the best of facilities for displaying fruit and other goods.

About 35 attended the speaking contest at Strong Friday night. Heartily congratulations are extended to Don Pillsbury, who is the first boy from this town to win the cup. Last year the girls' cup was won by Miss Phyllis Robertson, Rangeley High school 1915.

Mrs. E. P. McCard and milliner will be at Stratton for the week beginning Monday, April 24, with a full line of spring and summer millinery at the store of Butts & Lisherness.

Norman Huntoon is visiting friends for a few days at Rumford.

Dr. A. M. Ross has purchased the Charles Huntoon place on Lake St.

Harwood Childs returned to his studies at Dartmouth College Tues-

day.

D. W. Toothaker of Phillips is visiting relatives in town.

The many friends of Mrs. Sedgely Ross sent her a post card shower Monday; it being her birthday.

George Kempton has purchased a Ford automobile of F. B. Colby. F. G. McKenzie has purchased the auto recently owned by Geo. Kempton.

Mrs. H. B. McCard will have charge of Mrs. McCard's shop during her absence at Stratton.

NOTICE.

I hereby forbid all persons trusting or harboring my wife, Zelpha R. Lee of Rangeley, Maine, as I shall not pay any bills contracted by her after this date.

Alex F. Lee.

Rangeley, Maine, April 7, 1916.

PREPARE FOR THE FISHING SEASON.

(Continued from page one.)

however, the weather during April and May will have much to do with the number of fish taken. If those months are cold and the water warms up very gradually, the salmon do not appear to move about and feed as they do in seasons where the surface of the lake warms up quickly and the weather continues mild and warm throughout the fishing season.

"Within two or three weeks after the opening of Sebago, Cobbosseecontee and Maranacook, as well as the Belgrade chain of lakes, will be free from ice and fishing will begin there.

"About the same time the Rangeley Lakes and Moosehead Lake will also be clear and many fishermen from out of the State who are interested in this sort of angling will be found in large numbers upon these lakes.

"The Central lakes furnish excellent trout fishing, only a few salmon being taken from them each season; some of the largest and finest trout in Maine are yearly taken from the Belgrade lakes, and although salmon have been planted freely in these lakes as yet the trout seem to be much more numerous than are the salmon. On the other hand, Rangeley, which is the home of the largest brook trout which have been taken in the world, furnishes of recent years rather more salmon than trout, much to the regret of many fishermen who prefer the latter fish to their more gamey cousin, the salmon.

"Salmon were planted in the Rangeley lakes about 30 years ago, and while they were not much in evidence for eight or 10 years, they began to show up in quite large numbers about 20 years ago, and each season since then their number has gradually increased until at the present time probably more than twice as many salmon are taken in those waters than trout.

"At Moosehead Lake, which by the way is the largest fresh water lake lying wholly within the United States, fishermen may expect to land not only trout and salmon but togue, which grows to a very large size in these waters. One seldom returns from Moosehead after a spring fishing trip in any way disappointed with its results.

"Hundreds of anglers are looking forward to the coming fishing season at Grand Lake, in Washington county, which has for years past been one of the most noted landlocked salmon lakes in America. Sebago Lake, in Piscataquis county, and the Fish River region, in Aroostook county, are also favorite resorts, as well as the numerous lakes and streams in the popular Allagash, East and West Branch and Mt. Katahdin regions, many of which afford unexcelled trout fishing. There are also almost numberless lakes, ponds and streams in the famous Dead River region, and in the Jackman region, in Upper Somerset county.

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lakes, the bass fisherman finds unexcelled sport in beautiful Lake Kezar, in Oxford county, as well as in numerous smaller waters in central and western Maine.

"In addition to the lakes concerning which the above statistics have been given, and which have been specially mentioned, we have in central, eastern and southern Maine, hundreds of other lakes which are noted for their excellent fishing, but it is impossible to enumerate all of them.

"Maine is fortunate in having fine hotels and camps located on the shores of practically all of its large lakes, where the fisherman may have all the comforts and have the advantage not only of a modern table but of all modern conveniences. Courteous and capable guides are furnished and almost without exception the fisherman looks back to his spring trip with the pleasantest of memories, and not the least of those memories is the companionship of his guide, who usually is not only a good servant but a genial companion.

"After the spring trolling season ends, as it usually does in June, the waters have warmed up so that the fish begin to rise to the fly. Then comes another class of fishermen who pin their faith to this method of angling. When it comes to fly fishing, there are hundreds of lakes in Maine which afford unexcelled sport throughout the season to a very rapidly increasing class of fishermen. To one familiar with all methods of angling, there is no doubt but that the rise and whirl of a two-pound trout or salmon striking at an artificial fly will cause much more of a thrill in the fisherman's heart than can three times that size striking at a trolling bait.

"Maine's lakes are yearly visited by the most expert fly fishermen in America, and volumes have been written upon the subject of this sport.

"Although the fishing varies from season to season, the commissioners feel that the millions of fry and fingerlings planted each year in our waters are bringing forth fruit, but they also feel that fish propagation is still in its infancy, and that only when Maine can afford the services of an experienced force, who will have all planting of fish under its personal supervision, can anything like proper results be attained.

"The average citizen who applies for fish for stocking waters he is interested in is not apt to take into consideration the fact that the fry which are put out from our hatcheries in the spring are only suitable to be planted in brooks and smaller tributaries to lakes, and that if, on the other hand they are placed around the shores of the lakes they simply serve as food for the larger fish.

"It is a well-known fact that all of our game fish are cannibals and that practically all of them will eat the smaller ones of the same species. On this account trout and salmon of different ages have to be segregated in the hatcheries, and if one would watch the destruction one large trout or salmon will cause in a pool of small fry, he would no longer doubt the inadvisability of attempting to plant these small fish in any other waters than brooks and streams where plenty of opportunity is given the little fellows to conceal themselves.

"In the lakes and ponds which have non-suitable inlets, of course stocking has to be done by planting around the shores, and for this purpose hatchery fish which have been fed through the summer are much more suitable, as they have by fall attained a growth of from three to four inches, but in order to get any results from this planting it has to be done intelligently, a few fish being planted in a place and only where they may have the advantage of rocks under which to hide in case of danger.

"One trouble with the artificially raised fish is that they are tame and that until they have been in their new surroundings for some time they appear to have no fear of their many natural enemies."

Census of Inland Hunting and Fishing.

During the past few weeks, the commission, through the chief clerk, Miss Myrtle H. Hodgdon, has been making a census of all of our Maine lakes and ponds and gathering information regarding the inland fishing and hunting resorts in the State.

This has entailed a large amount of labor as the clerks of Maine's 522 towns, cities and plantations have been written to and asked to send the required reports.

It is very gratifying to note that response has been very generally made and that these statistics are now nearly completed. It is the intention of the commission, a little later, to embody them in a bulletin which would give much more complete information than ever before published regarding one of the greatest attractions and industries of our State.

FISHING TRIP TO MACKAMP

Boston, April 12, 1916.

To the Editor of Maine Woods:

On June 3, 1915, I left Boston for Trout Brook Camps, Mackamp, Me., with the intention of landing a few of those large salmon that you find at Mackamp. I arrived at that station June 4, in the afternoon where I met Mr. R. B. Walker, the proprietor of the Black Brook Camps, and the first thing I looked for was the dining room and I was not long in lightening the table of some of its good things. Mr. Walker is a fine cook.

On the morning of the 5th I had my rods all fixed up for business, and we took a boat and went out about 209 yards from camp and in a short time I had on my line a 9½ pound salmon and I am going to tell you that there was something doing for the next half hour. I had out 300 feet of line but that wasn't enough for the fighter, but I only had six or eight feet left on my reel.

He would shake his head like a wild steer every few minutes, and would come up over the water and size us up. After an hour of lively time we got that fish into the boat and he was a dandy. The spots shone on him like a brand new half dollar. Fishing was good and we caught a number of large trout that forenoon.

I stayed at Trout Brook Camps 10 days and had a fine time and good fishing. Was sorry I could not stay 10 days longer. If I can get away I am going to try it again this summer.

Yours truly,
A. J. Comming.

They have good-sized owls over in Hartford. A large brown one recently flew in at an open window in F. C. Alley's henhouse and killed eight hens before being discovered and dispatched. The spread of wings was four and a half feet.

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