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V. B. RAYMOND, M. D gross income from all sources-his salary or wages, including overtime pay and any bonus received as additional compensation. A married person having children under 18 who are working should include the earnings of such chilfaxim Block, South Paris, Me.

"If he sold any property at a profit the gain must be computed and included in gross income. If he rented any prop-erty to other persons, the total rents received in the year must be ascertained, Where Poor Eyes and taken for taxes paid on rented property; the necessary minor repairs, fire insurance, any interest he may have paid on mortgage, and a reasonable allowance for annual wear and tear of the rented property. The balance is included

"Interest on bank deposits, whether withdrawn or added to his bank balances, income. Bond interest received during the year must also be included, except where interest on municipal, county or Red Cedar and Spruce Clapstate bonds. Interest on United States wards, New Brunswick Cedar | Bonds need not be included by the ordinary bond holder who purchased small Shingles, North Carolina Pine, amounts. Holders of large amounts of L berty bonds, however, should ask their bankers to write to my office for Flooring and Sheathing, Paroid Roofing, Wall Board,

LUMBER OF ALL KINDS and must be included in the gross fig-ures, although the law does not impose South Paris. - Maine. lomestic corporations.
"A person buying and selling merchan

the following basis: First, ascertain the gross sales or total cash receipts. Then add together the inventory at the beginning of the year and the purchases of goods for resale. From this latter sum subtract the inventory of goods on hand at the year's end, and the result is the cost of goods sold. This cost, plus hrough conduct of the business, is to Planing, Sawing and Job Work.

> "A professional man arrives at h sional income by ascertaining the otal of fees for services and deducting herefrom all expenses connected with

Jean Sherburne Murkland "A farmer must figure up all income products during the year, whether such Voice Culture and Art of Singing produce was raised on the farm or pur-based and resold. He is allowed to deduct from this total his expenses of the year connected with the planting, cultilive stock. He is not allowed to depurchasing stock for resale; but when such stock is sold its cost is to be deducted from sale price in ascertaining the gain to be included in his return of inprior to 1917 cannot be deducted as in the case just cited, if such cost was included in the deduction made in the

of farm produce consumed by himself and family. But in cases where he ex-changes produce for merchandise, gro-ceries, etc., the market value of the arti-

les received in exchange must be in-"All other items of income arising

We can provide you dry hard

there are certain deductions allowable

What Was Your Income Last Year?

READ THIS AND GET READY TO FILE A BETURN. THE GOVERNMENT DEMANDS

"The big Income Tax Drive of 1919 in now under way, and every preparation is being made to handle the largest collection in the history of Income Tax."
"I am not waiting for the final passage of the new Revenue Bill by Congress,"
and Collector Sath W. Longe "roor for Crawling Cheese and Moving Flour Among samples of food-stuffs recently received by the Maine Agricultural said Collector Seth W. Jones, "nor for the new regulations and blank forms to be issued. To get this big tax in and get it accurate and complete, I urge that we all begin now."

"The income tax obligations imposed by the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station for investigation have been mite-infested flour. The flour looks quite ordinary until one examines it more closely, when it is seen that it is thoroughly impregnated with the dead and living bodies of mites.

look "dusty" or grayish because of the

and get on the grocer's hands and irritat-

the "grocer's itch." They are a good

These nuisances are not bona fide in

presence of dead mites and their excreta in the food. To most people this is dis-

The sooner manure is spread on the

Woods, Director.

over food-stuffs in the grocery

example of an all-round nuisance.

by the old laws, as well as the measure The species has been found to be similar now in Congress, consist of two distinct operations. One is, to file return or statement of all items of income and items of deductions allowable by law, and to do this withing the analysis of horizons. and to do this within the period named in the law. The other is, to pay the tax,

if any is due.

"Neither of these obligations can be met without a careful review of income and expenditure for the tax year. That is the big job right now.

Is the big job right now. law, I will have the proper return forms distributed throughout the District, and

distributed throughout the District, and everybody will be informed of the date when sworn return must be filed. "Meanwhile, there is no need of delaying the preparation of figures. Anything that Congress does now will not affect the amount of a person's earnings for 1918. Let us avoid the belated

browing together of figures that may hit or miss. Guesses cannot be accepted as the basis of taxation. "The year 1918 was a banner year for salaries and wages, and the high war prices brought unusual profits to the average small tradesman and to the farmer. The opinion in Washington is that a million citizens and residents will

"All signs indicate that the income tax this year will reach nearly every working man and woman. Not all will have to pay the tax, but nearly all will

South Paris, : Maine who earned \$1000 or over during the year 1918, to sharpen his pencil and figure out how he stands.

be deducted from the gross sales, and the result is the net earnings of the busi-

value, provided the land is level, or if hilly not frozen. So much is to be gained by early application under the conditions, and farmers have sometimes been after making without limitations of conditions, that much loss of fertilizer has year connected with the planting, culti-vation, harvesting and marketing of the crop, or the care, feeding and marketing of live stock. He is not allowed to deter flowing to the streams during a winter thaw is a sure indication of this waste of the most soluble and valuable parts of the manure. If however, ma-nure is spread on hilly land long enough before freezing for rain to carry the The cost price of stock bought soluble parts into the soil, almost no waste occurs. And the same is true on light snow, if the ground underneath is not frozen. But it should be borne in ear of purchase. "The farmer is not required to include ing in winter, when teams are not busy, is not sufficient to offset the loss from n his income tax computation the value washing on frozen, billy ground, pro-

vided the manure can be kept under cover, or even well tramped on an open consumption of milk in that city has in-creased twenty per cent and of butter-milk fifty per cent. To satisfy the demand for more milk it was necessary to

during the year through personal service, business or trade, through use of property or money, should be added into the gains for 1918.

"Everybody wants to know what income is averaged. bring milk from greater distances come is exempt from tax. Very few formerly.

be legally disregarded in figuring up his 1918 income. Gifts and bequests can be eliminated; also proceeds of life insurance received by the beneficiary of an insured person. A person who cashed in an endowment policy need report as income only that portion which exceeds the iotal of the premiums he neid in all. the total of the premiums he paid in all years on that policy. Annuities are not taxable, unless the person received in the year payments which represent, work norses and farm work wagons. The theory of depreciation, in connection with the Income Tax, is that wear and tear caused by use in earning income years and the represent the pear payments which represent, that income The materials are the property of the Fitted Dry Wood, \$10.00 a cord. the year payments which represent, the year payments which represent that the property year that the property suffering of the number of years that the property year payments which property years that the property year that the p

in 1918 to organizations operating exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific



The Prison Camp at Courtral. and died a hero's death.

sects, for they have eight legs and differ been a civil prison of some kind before in several other ways from their sixthe war, was located right in the heart legged cousins. They are exceedingly small; in fact, so minute that several a pin and bence their presence is unsus pected until they occur in such immense numbers that they are noticeable. In appearance they resemble very much the ticks which occur on dogs and cattle and the mite which is common in and about the key in the lock and I was admitpoultry houses. Like the latter they ted. We passed through the archway ncrease with great rapidity so that in a and directly into a courtyard, on which short time from original discovery they faced all of the prison buildings, the are found in enormous numbers. They are also frequently found in situations for which there seems to be little explassessed by some of them. After hatch ing from the egg the young mites scram-ble over the material which happens to be their food and soon begin laying eggs by scores. Some of the young mites, however, do not begin laying eggs so selves and lay quiet until some future time when a mouse, cat, house-fly, cockroach, or other pantry visitor ventures no worse than in that particular cell.

is more plenty or of better quality. The mite now resumes his feeding and gives rise to other generations of mites, which in this manner that the mite accom- agined how I looked attired in a Britplishes migration to other places and ish uniform and a bright red cap. ocalities rather than by flying, for the Wherever I was taken my outfit mites never have wings.

From the foregoing discussion of the habits of these pests it is seen that it is particularly difficult to get rid of them when I arrived at prison that day I were this con and as I was taken my outlet aroused considerable curiosity among the Belgians and German soldiers. When I arrived at prison that day I were this con and as I was taken my outlet aroused considerable curiosity among the some kind of pickled meat, but that happened very seldom. We also received a third of a loaf of dormant. Infested parts of cheese and into the courtyard, my overcoat coverbams and other meats can be cut away and thoroughly brushed off, but unless this is thoroughly done eggs may be left which, hatching later, may cause trouble. Feed and flour mills and grain elevators are protected against mites by the same methods of heating the materials as is used against insects. Where practicable storehouses and pantries should be thor-oughly cleaned and then fumigated over night by burning sulphur at the rate of but was never allowed to wear it on the walks we took. I either went bareheaded or borrowed a cap from some two pounds per 1000 cubic feet of space. This method is generally effective against

the eggs, the mites and the dorman forms, and is less dangerous and less expensive than other methods of fumigation and is equally as effective. In undertaken the infested food is frequent

known in which the mites were the cause of alimentary troubles.-Chas. D. the truth were known he would much

than against her. land after being made the greater is its I found that most of the prisoners remained at Courtral only two or three days. From there they were invariably taken to prisons in the interior of Germany.

don't know, but this rule was not followed in my case. I remained there

one of the interpreters, but he didn't

couldn't call on him.

carried on, and it was a wonderful haps all of this was better than no excitement at all, for prison life soon

there are certain deductions allowable by law. All interest paid on personal indebtedness and all taxes paid during the year are deductible, except Federal for the prevention of cruelty to oblide or aducation purposes, and to societies or education purposes, and to societies or education.

One of the hardest things I had to enduction for the prevention of cruelty to children for the prevention of education.

After the total of all income is found, another chance to fly, and I used to sit by the hour watching the power chance of such another chance to fly, and I used to sit by the hour watching the prevention of the enduction.

If the prev ecame very monotonous.

ind from that time on I had no further rouble with "cooties" or other visiors of the same kind.

anything but prison cards, writing was out of the question; and as we had no reading matter to speak of, reading was nil. We had nothing to do to pass away the time, so consequently ards became our only diversion, for There wasn't very much money as a rule in circulation, and I think for once

in my life I held most of that, not due to any particular ability on my part

in the game, but I happened to have

several hundred francs in my pockets

when shot down. But we held a lottery that was watched without quite such intense interest as that. The frawing was always held the day before was as much speculation as to who would win the prize as if it had been the finest treasure in the world. The great prize was one-third of a loaf of bread. Through some arrangement, which I never quite figured out, it happened that among the eight or ten officers who were there with me, there was always one-third of a loaf of bread over. There was just one way of getting that bread, and that was to draw lots. Consequently that was what started the lottery. I believe if a man had ever been inclined to cheat he would have been sorely tempted in this instance, but the game was played absolutely square, and if a man had been caught cheating the chances are that he would have been shunned by the

win the prize twice. One man-and I think he was the three successive days, but it was well for him that his luck deserted him on the fourth day, for he probably would have been handled rather roughly by the rest of the crowd, who were growng suspicious. But we handled the drawing ourselves and knew there was nothing crooked about it, so he was

in prison. I was fortunate enough to

being small and very hard, they were used as the stakes in many a game. But the interest in these little games was as keen as if the stakes had been piles of money instead of two or three half-starved pears. No man was ever so reckless, however, in all the betting as to wager his own rations.

By the most scheming and sacrificing I ever did in my life I managed to hoard two pieces of bread (grudgingly spared at the time from my daily rations), but I was preparing for the day when I should escape-if I ever should. It was not a sacrifice easily made either, but instead of eating bread I ate pears until I finally got one piece We also received a third of a loaf of was as heavy as a brick, black and again, I saved the other piece from that day's allowance, and in days to come I had cause to credit myself fully for the foresight.

Whenever a new prisoner came in and his German hosts had satisfied themselves as to his life history and taken down all the details—that is all he would give them-he was immediately surrounded by his fellow prisoners, who were eager for any bit of news or information he could possibly give them, and as a rule he was glad to tell us, because, if he had been in the hands of the Huns for any length of time, he had seen very few English officers.

The conditions of this prison were bad enough when a man was in normally good health, but it was barbarous to subject a wounded soldier to the hardships and discomforts of the place. However, this was the fate of a poor private we discovered there one day in terrific pain, suffering from shrapnel in his stomach and back. All of us officers asked to have him sent to a hespital, but the doctors curtly refused, saying it was against orders. So the poor creature went on suffering from day to day and was still there when I left-another victim of German cruelty.

At one time in this prison camp there were a French marine, a French flying officer, two Belgian soldiers, and of the United Kingdom one from Canada, two from England, three from Ireland, a couple from Scotland, one from Wales, man from South Africa, one from Algeria, and a New Zealander, the latter being from my own squadron, a man whom I thought had been killed, and he was equally surprised when brought into the prison to find me there. In addition there were a Chimaman and myself from the U. S. A. It was quite a cosmopolitan group,

saw me and I was never allowed to "Sure, and we have every nation that's worth mentioning, including the darn Germans with us whites." Of course this was not translated to the Germans, nor was it even spoken in their hearing, or we probably would not have had quite so cosmopolitan a bunch. Each man in the prison was ready to uphold his native country in any argument that could possibly be started, and it goes without saying that I never took a back seat in any of them with my praise for America, with the Capaance with such things as "cootles" and dian and Chinaman chiming in on my other unwelcome visitors is very limside. But they were friendly arguments; we were all in the same boat and that was no place for quarreling.

Every other morning, the weather allowing, we were taken to a large swimming pool and were allowed to have a bath. There were two pools, one for the German officers and one for the men. Although we were officers, we had to use the pool occupied by the men. While we were in swimming a German guard with a rifle across his knees sat at each corner of the pool and watched us closely as we dressed and undressed. English interpreters accompanied us on all of these trips, so at no time could we talk without their knowing what was

prison for any purpose they always streets evidently to give the populace an idea that they were getting lots of prisoners. The German soldiers we passed on these occasions and sneers.

The Belgian people were apparent-

home or other building which had been wrecked by bombs by our airmen our guards made us stop a moment or two while they passed sneering One of the most interesting souve-

we all tried to look our happiest, but the majority of us, I am afraid, were too sick at heart to raise a smile, even for this occasion. One of our Hun guards is shown in the picture seated at the table. I am standing directly behind him, attired in my flying tunic, which they allowed me to is the usual custom with prisoners of war. Three of the British officers shown in the picture, in the foreground, are clad in "shorts." Through all my subsequent adven-

terior Germany. Poor fellows!

strictions we were under in this prison, we did manage on one occasion to arrest of the officers as long as he was range a regular banquet. The planning which was necessary helped to pass the time.

first potato patch.

It worked out nicely. When we came to the first potato patch that afternoon, we told our guards that we of the next five minutes each of us managed to get a potato or two. Being Irish, I got six. When we got back to the prison, I

we were allowed to purchase, we easily converted into a sort of jam.

of bread ahead; and when I could a great musician. It was not very pantry and stole a loaf of bread. Most of us had saved some butter

from the day before, and we used it to fry our potatoes. By bribing one of the guards, he bought some eggs for us. They cost 25 cents aplece, but we were determined to make this banquet success, no matter what it cost. The cooking was done by the prison cook, whom, of course, we had to

weeks, I might have enjoyed it even more than I did, but it was certainly very good.

quet with him. We called on each man for a spe-

and one might have thought that we were at a drst-class club meeting. A few days after that our party was broken up and some of the men, I suppose, I shall never see again. One of the souvenirs of my adven-

ture is a check given me during this

"banquet" by Lieut, James Henry great enough to induce me to realize

There was one subject that was talked about in this prison whenever conversation lagged, and I suppose it is the same in other prisons too. What were the chances of escape Every man seemed to have a differ-

ent idea and one way, I suppose, was

about as impracticable as another. None of us ever expected to get a chance to put our ideas into execution, but it was interesting speculation, and

But we had no chance to put this idea I worked out another plan by which

chine, I could knock him senseless, jump into the machine and be over the lines before the Huns could make up their minds just what had happened. It was a fine dream, but my

which we considered. One man would nirs I have of my imprisonment at be for endeavoring to make his way right through the lines. Another thought the safest plan would be to

> The idea of making one's way to Holland, a neutral country, occurred to everyone, but the one great obstacle in that direction, we all realized, was the great barrier of barbed and electrically charged wire which guards every foot of the frontier between Belgium and Holland, and which is closely watched by the German sentries. This barrier was a three-fold affair.

It consisted first of a barbed wire wall six feet high. Six feet beyond that was a nine-foot wall of wire powerfully charged with electricity. To touch it meant electrocution. Beyond that, at a distance of six feet, was another wall of barbed wire six feet Beyond the barrier lay Holland and

liberty, but how to get there was a problem which none of us could solve and few of us ever expected to have a chance to try.

I had been in prison at Courtrai nearly three weeks when, on the morning of September 9th, I and six other officers were told that we were to be transferred to a prison camp in Ger-

One of the guards told me during the day that we were destined for a reprisal camp in Strasburg. They were sending us there to keep our airmen from bombing the place.

cause I realized that if ever the opportunity came to make my escape, such a map might be of the greatest assistance to me.

my sock underneath my legging. As I had anticipated, it later proved of the utmost value to me.

many, two other prisoners were added

prisoners and four guards. As we sat in the coach we were an

"Hope you have a nice trip!" one of them shouted sarcastically.

"Drop me a line when you get to Berlin, will you?" shouted another in

asked a third. "Remember me to your friends, wil you? You'll find plenty where you're

"You're an officer, aren't you?" asked, respectfully enough. "Yes, what of it?" he rejoined. "Well, in England," I said, "we

ride with the hogs!" Then he turned to the crowd an

hilariously. This got me pretty hot. "That would be a d-- sight better than riding with the Germans!

ered that a good joke, he didn't pass Some months later when I had the honor of telling my story to King George, he thought this incident was one of the best jokes he had ever

harder in his life. Before our train pulled out, our

of us in that car could jump at a given by surprise, we'd have a splendid chance of besting them and jumping of the train when it first slowed down, but when I passed the idea on to my comrades they turned it down. Even if the plan worked out as gloriously as I had pictured, they pointed out, the fact that so many of us had es-

caped would almost inevitably result in our recapture. The Huns would have scoured Belgium till they had got us and then we would all be shot. Perhaps they were right.

Nevertheless, I was determined that, no matter what the others decided to do, I was going to make one bid for freedom, come what might.

As we passed through village after village in Belgium and I realized that we were getting nearer and nearer to that dreaded reprisal camp, I concluded that my one and only chance of getting free before we reached it was through the window! I would have to go through that window while the train was going full speed, because if I waited until it had slowed up or stopped entirely, it would be a simple matter for the guards to overtake or

I opened the window. The guard who sat opposite me-so close that his feet touched mine and the stock of his gun which he held between his knees occasionally struck my footmade no objection, imagining no doubt that I found the car too warm or that the smoke, with which the compartment was filled, annoved me.

As I opened the window, the noise the train was making as it thundered "You're a fool if you do; you're a fool if you don't-you're a fool if you doyou're a fool if you don't"-and I said to myself "the noes have it," and closed down the window again. As soon as the window was closed,

the noise of the train naturally subsided and its speed seemed to diminish, and my plan appealed to me stronger than ever. I knew the guard in front of me didn't understand a word of English,

and so, in a quiet tone of voice, I confided to the English officer who sat next me what I had planned to do. "For God's sake, Pat, chuck it!" he urged. "Don't be a lunatic! This rail-

road is double-tracked and rock-ballasted and the other track is on your side. You stand every chance in the world of knocking your brains out against the rails, or hitting a bridge or whistling post, and if you escape those you will probably be hit by another train on the other track. You haven't one chance in a thousand to make it!" There was a good deal of logic in

what he said, but I figured that once I was in that reprisal camp I might ment as to whether Heldelberg was on | never have even one chance in a thoumaining a prisoner of war indefinitely went against my grain. I resolved to take my chance now at the risk of breaking my neck. The car was full of smoke. I looked

across at the guard. He was rather an old man, going home on leave, and he seemed to be dreaming of what was in store for him rather than paying any that he hadn't the slightest idea of what was going through my mind all

I began to cough as though my throat was badly irritated by the smoke and then I opened the window again. This time the guard looked up and showed his disapproval, but did not say any-

It was then 4 o'clock in the morning and would soon be light. I knew I had to do it right then, or never, as there would be no chance to escape in the daytime.

I had on a trench coat that I had used as a flying coat and wore my knapsack, which I had constructed sage and a pair of flying mittens. All of them had to go with me through the

between thirty and thirty-five miles an hour, and again it seemed to admonish me as it rattled along over the ties. "You're a fool if you do-you're a fool if you don't. You're a fool if you don't -you're a fool if you do. You're a fool

I waited no longer. Standing upon the bench as if to put the bag on the rack and taking hold of the rack with my left hand and a strap that hung from the top of the car with my right, I pulled myself up, shoved my feet and legs out of the window and let go. There was a prayer on my lips as I

tween my shoulders, but it over in an instant. I landed on my left side and face, burying my face in the rock ballast, cutting it open and closing my left eye, skinning my hands and shins and

straining my ankle. For a few moments I was completely knocked out, and if they shot at me through the window, in the first moments after my escape, I had no way of knowing. Of course, if they could have stopped

the train right then, they could easily have recaptured me, but at the speed it was going and in the confusion which must have followed my escape, they probably didn't stop within half of a mile from the spot where I lay. I came to within a few minutes and

when I examined myself and found no bones broken, I didn't stop to worry about my cuts and bruises, but jumped up with the idea of putting as great a distance between me and that track as ossible before daylight came. Still being dazed, I forgot all about the barbed wire fence along the right of way and ran full tilt into it. Right there I lost one of my two precious pieces of bread, which fell out of my knapsack, but I could not stop to look for it then. The one thing that was uppermost in

my mind was that for the moment ! was free, and it was up to me now to make the most of my liberty.

Continued next week

To remove black ink stains, the article should be washed immediately in



was about an hour's ride. My escort was one of the most famous flyers in the world, barring none. He was later killed in action, but I was told by an English airman who witnessed his last combat, that he fought a game battle The prison, which had evidently

of Courtral. The first building we approached was large and in front of the archway, which formed the main entrance, was a sentry box. Here we were challenged by the sentry, who knocked on the door; the guard turned windows, of course, being heavily barred. After I had given my pedigree -my name, age, address, etc.-I was shown to a cell with bars on the windows overlooking this courtyard. I was promptly told that at night we were to occupy these rooms, but I had taken account of the number of guards and the locked door outside, and concluded that my chances of getting away from some other place could be

is carried off to be dropped where food I was compelled either to go bareheaded or wear the red cap of the Bavarian whom I had shot down on that memorable day. It can be iming my uniform, all that the British officers, who happened to be sunning themselves in the courtyard, could see was the red cap. They afterwards told me they wondered who the "bug Hun" was with the bandage on his mouth. This cap I managed to keep with me,

At certain hours each day the priscourtyard, and on the first occasion of this kind I found that there were 11 adding insult to injury to call that officers imprisoned there besides my- stuff "tea," which with them is almost ly completely destroyed by the mites. It is not unusual, however, for the mites

born in Jersey City, N. J., and had meat. spent all his life in America until the beginning of 1914. Then he moved he became of military age the Huns forced him into the army. I think if

rather have been fighting for America

Whether it was because I was an American or because I was a flyer, I bar in Belgium-toothbrushes and During this period Courtral was conother little articles, all of which were American made, but whether they stantly bombed by our airmen. Not a

single day or night passed without one or more air raids. In the two weeks I was there I counted 21 of them. The town suffered a great deal of damage. Evidently our people were aware that the Germans had a lot of troops concentrated in this town and besides the headquarters staff was stationed there. The kaiser himself visited Courtral while I was in the prison, I was told by

The courtyard was not a very popular place during air raids. Several times when our airmen raided that section in the day time I went out and watched the machines and the shrapnel bursting all around; but the Germans did not crowd out there, for their own antiaircraft guns were hammerin the sky as possible, and shells were noment. Of course I watched these pattles at my own risk. Many nights from my prison window I watched with peculiar interest the air raids sight with the German searchlights playing on the sky, the "flaming onons" fired high and the burst of the antiaircraft guns, bùt rather an uncomfortable sensation when I realized that perhaps the very next minute a oomb might be dropped on the building n which I was a prisoner. But per-

From the intelligence department I room, and they all seemed very much

frightened. I jokingly remarked that it would be fine if our airmen hit the old prison-the percentage would be very satisfactory—one English officer and about ten German ones. They didn't seem to appreciate the joke, however, and, indeed, they were apparently too much alarmed at what was going on overhead to laugh even at their own jokes. Although these night raids seem to take all the starch out of the Germans while they are going on, the officers were usually as brave as lions the next day and spoke contemptuously of the raid of the night before. I saw thousands of soldiers in Cour-

rai, and although they did not imlant food, they were fairly well clothed. I do not mean to imply that conditions pointed to an early end of the war. On the contrary, from what was able to observe on that point, inless the Huns have an absolute crop failure they can, in my opinion, go on for years! The idea of our being able to win the war by starving them out strikes me as ridiculous. This is a war that must be won by fighting, and the sooner we realize that fact the sooner it will be over. Rising hour in the prison was seven

ng else. If the prisoner had the foresight to save some bread from the previous day, he had bread for breakfast also, but that never happened in my case. Sometimes we had two cups of really chicory or some cereal preparation. We had no milk or sugar. For lunch they gave us boiled sugar beets or some other vegetable, and

clock. Breakfast came at eight. This

consisted of a cup of coffee and noth-

sour. It was supposed to last us from noon one day to noon the next. Except for some soup, this was the whole Dinner came at 5:30 n. m., when we sometimes had a little jam made out of sugar beets, and a preparation called tea, which you had to shake vigorously or it settled in the bottom of the cup, and then about all you had was hot water. This "tea" was a sad blow to the Englishmen. If it hadn't oners were allowed to mingle in the been called tea they wouldn't have felt so badly about it, perhaps, but it was

a national institution. Sometimes with this meal they gave could speak all languages. One of us butter instead of jam, and once in them was a mere boy who had been a while we had some kind of canned

This comprised the usual run of eat-

ables for the day-I can eat more than with his folks to Germany, and when that for breakfast! In the days that were to come I learned that I was to fare considerably worse. We were allowed to send out and buy a few things, but as most of the prisoners were without f

> but an empty privilege. Once I took advantage of the privilege to send my shoes to a Belgian shoemaker to be half-soled. They charged me 20 marks-\$51 Once in a while a Belgian Ladies' Relief society visited the prison and brought us handkerchiefs, American soap-which sells at about \$1.50 a

were supplied by the American relief committee or not I don't know. At any rate, these gifts were mighty useful and were very much appreclated. uniform to one of these Belgian ladies as a souvenir, but a German guard

The sanitary conditions in this prison camp were excellent as a general proposition. One night, however, I discovered that I had been captured by "cooties." This was a novel experience to me and one that I would have been very willing to have missed, because in the flying corps our airdromes are a number of miles back of the lines and we have good billets and our acquaint-

go near the visitors afterwards.

When I discovered my condition, I made a holler and roused the guard, and right then I got another example of German efficiency. This guard seemed to be even more perturbed about my complaint than I

myself, evidently fearing that he would

The commandant was summoned

and I could see that he was very an-

be blamed for my condition.

vere reprimand for it. I was taken out of my cell by guard with a rifle and conducted about a quarter of a mile from the prison to an old factory building which had been converted into an elaborate fumi-gating plant. There I was given a pickle bath in some kind of solution,

and while I was absorbing it my clothes, bed clothes and whatever else

had been in my cell was being put

While I was waiting for my things

to dry-it took perhaps half an hour-

had a chance to observe about one

through another fumigating process.

hundred other victims of "cooties"-German soldiers who had become infested in the trenches. We were all
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Whenever we passed a Belgian remarks among themselves.

Courtral is a photograph of a group of us taken in the prison courtyard The picture was made by one of the guards, who sold copies of it to those of us who were able to pay his

tures I was able to retain a print of this interesting picture, and although when I gaze at it now it only serves to increase my gratification at my ultimate escape, it fills me with regret to think that my fellow prisoners were not so fortunate. All of them by this hearts up in the prison camps of in-Despite the scanty fare and the re-

At this time there were eight of us. We decided that the principal thing we needed to make the affair a success was potatoes, and I conceived a plan to get them. Every other afternoon they took us for a walk in the country, and it occurred to me that it would be a comparatively simple matter for us to pretend to be tired and sit down when we came to the

managed to steal a handkerchief full of sugar, which, with some apples that

We now had potatoes and fam, but no bread. It happened that the Hun who had charge of the potatoes was us some music, and while he went out to get his zither I went into the bread

When the meal was ready to serve it consisted of scrambled eggs, fried octatoes, bread and jam, and a pitcher of beer which we were allowed to buy. That was the 29th of August. Had known that it was to be the last real meal that I was to eat for many

We had cooked enough for eight, but while we were still eating, another joined us. He was an English officer who had just been brought in on a stretcher. For seven days, he told us, he had lain in a shell hole, wounded, and he was almost famished, and we were mighty glad to share our ban-

Dickson of the Tenth Royal Irish Fusileers, a fellow prisoner. It was for 20 francs and was made payable to the order of "Mr. Pat O'Brien, 2nd Lieut." Poor Jim forgot to scratch out the "London" and substitute "Courtral" on the date line, but its value as a souvenir is just as great. When he gave it to me he had no idea that I would have an opportunity so soon afterward to cash it in person, although I am quite sure that whatever financial reverses I may be destined to meet, my want will never be

portunities might present themselves. One suggestion was that we disguise ourselves as women. "O'Brien would stand a better chance disguised as a horse!" declared another, referring to the fact that my height (I am six feet two inches) would make me more conspicuous as a woman than as a man. Another suggested that we steal a German Gotha—a type of airplane used for long-distance bombing. It is bombing London. They are manned by three men, one sitting in front with a machine gun, the pilot sitting behind him and an observer sitting in the rear with another machine gun. We figor eight of us could make our escape in a single machine. They have two motors of very high horse power, fly very high and make wonderful speed.

chance was not to come that way.

swim some river that crossed the lines.

Mine came sooner than I expected.

CHAPTER VI.

He explained that the English carried German officers on hospital ships for a similar purpose and he excused the German practice of torpedoing these vessels on the score that they also carried munitions! When I pointed out to him that France would hardly be sending munitions to England, he lost interest in the argument Some days before, I had made up my mind that it would be a very good thing to get hold of a map of Germany, which I knew was in the possession of one of the German interpreters, be-

With the idea of stealing this map, accordingly, a lieutenant and I got in front of this interpreter's window one day and engaged in a very hot arguand forth so vigorously that the German came out of his room, map in hand, to settle it. After the matter was entirely settled to our satisfac-

I watched where he put the map. When, therefore, I learned that I was on my way to Germany, I realized that it was more important than ever for me to get that map, and with the help of my friend, we got the interpreter another, and while he was gone I confiscated the map from the book in which he kept it and concealed it in

I got it none too soon, for half an hour later we were on our way to thing. Ghent. Our party consisted of five British officers and one French officer. At Ghent, where we had to wait for several hours for another train to take us direct to the prison camp in Ger-

to our party. In the interval we were locked in a room at a hotel, a guard sitting at the door with a rifle on his knee. It would have done my heart good for the rest two pieces of bread, a piece of sauof my life if I could have gotten away then and fooled that Hun-he was so

that was to convey us to Germany. It consisted of some twelve coaches, eleven of these containing troops going home on leave, and the twelfth reserved for us. We were placed in a fourth-class compartment with old, hard, wooden seats, a filthy floor and no lights save a candle placed there by a guard. There were eight of us

object of curiosity to the crowd who gathered at the station.

"When shall we see you again?"

going!" shouted another. The German officers made no efflort to repress the crowd, in fact, they joined in the general laughter which followed every sally. I called to a German officer who wa passing our windew.

your officers who are prisoners ri first class. Can't you fix it so that can be similarly treated, or least transferred to second-class compa-"If I had my way," he replied, "you

told them of my request and how h had answered me, and they all laughe I yelled after him, but if he consid-

heard. I don't believe he ever laughed

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Notes from the Legislature.

Budget hearings have been continued during the past week before the appropriations committee and the governor and conneil, and have been attended by many of the members who are generally interested, as well as by those who are particularly interested in the various subjects by reason of their committee Representatives of many state institutions for the care of different classes of dependents, insane, etc., have appeared and presented their respective ishes. It is interesting to note that there is not one of these institutions, whether a strictly state institution or one which is receiving state aid, but what finds it "absolutely necessary" to have a large appropriation for new buildings of some kind or other. There are also of course certain other buildings which ought to be built, but these are some which are "absolutely necessary." Also it is absolutely necessary that there should be a considerable increase in the appropriations for maintenance, in view of conditions. Absolute necessity has been the prevailing note in the week's hearings.

Also each of these institutions for the care of dependents and defectives of various sorts needs an increase because of an expected, contemplated, or certain increase of population in the near future. It is in a way refreshing to note that the only institution reporting a low population is the state prison, which now has only 175, but the officials base their estimates on an average of 210 to 225 in

It is still evident that the problem which will cause the legislators the most gray hairs is to find a way to get between an endurable tax rate and the "absolute necessities" of expenditures. There is at present a decided feeling that strict economy must be practiced, the difficulty being to harmonize this with the unescapable demands on the state.

Economy also is at present indicated in the attitude on the matter of salaries. e is hardly a state official feels he ought to have an increase of one. He is hauling peeled maple How it will work out finally can it single, loading it on the cars. not be told, but at present the general feeling is that there will be no lack of material to fill the offices at the presen compensation, and the committee on salaries has been informally instructed to "keep the iid on."

Besides the budget hearings which have been the most important sessions of the week, the regular work of the winter is beginning to take form. Bills, resolves and proposed constitutional amendments are being dumped into the hopper, but on the whole in less quantity than usual at this period in the session Which is to some degree encouraging. as it points toward a shorter session and less tinkering of the statutes

Only a few measures of direct local the week. One of these is the bill to annex the town of Grafton to the town of Newry. The bill to repeal the charter of the town of Grafton was already in, and the two bills go to the committee on towns, and will be heard together.

Representative George H. Bean of Minot has introduced a resolve for state aid in the improvement of the road leading from the railroad station at West on Greenwood Hill in Hebron. It pro-

Minot to the Western Maine Sanatorium returned to their home. Mr. Manley is vides for the expenditure by the state of \$5000 for each of the years 1919 and Resolves in favor of Gould's Academy, Bethel, the Rumford Hospital Association, and Thaddens Cross of Norway, are

among the measures presented Friday. It is understood that a bill repealing the street railway franchise of the Ox-ford Electric Co. will be presented this and plenty of courage he is coming out week. This bill is prepared by the com-

chasing the Blaine mansion or some on the road. other suitable place as a governor's residence, in view of the fact that it is necessary for the governor to reside in Augus ta during his term of office. Representative Chellis of Porter has

presented an act changing the name of Sand Pond in Denmark to Walden Pond. A resolve in favor of Joann P. Libby of Locke's Mills has been presented by Mr. Swift of Greenwood. A resolve authorizing the purchase by

the state, when published, of a history of Norway by Charles F. Whitman, has been presented by Mr. Forbes of Paris. Mr. Sweatt of Andover has presented a resolve in favor of lighting the narrows between Upper and Lower Richardson

The report of the Committee on County Estimates was made last week. The estimated expenditures of Oxford County for the years 1919 and 1920 are \$136,000. Only Androscoggin, Cumberland, Kennebec, Penobscot and York are larger.

Among measures of general interest introduced are: An act permitting to elect their road commissioners if they so vote. An act providing that in cases where the school authorities refuse to transpor

scholars, an appeal may be taken to the Judge of Probate, whose decision shall An act providing for district (not coun

ty) almhouses, to take the place of the ent town farms. Districts are to be ormed of less than 20,000 inhabitants. This measure is reported to have a much stronger favorable sentiment than have some similar measures which have failed

legislature established a good precedent last week. The first committee report, and the only one for the week. was "ought not to pass," and the judici-ary committee, at its meeting Thursday, held a three-minute session and voted

"ought not to pass" on each of four measures scheduled for hearing. The hearing on the two bills relating to the town of Grafton is to be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon of this 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon of this week. Of the two bills, one would repeal the charter of the town of Grafton, and the other would annex the town to Newry.

Mrs. Abbie Boynton is dangerously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Bickford, Fryeburg road.

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Fred Dodge, of Bridgton, recently called on the Burnham-Morrill seed corn by called on the Burnham-Morrill seed corn.

Because of its real musical beauty, Eurico Caruso has accepted with delight the dedication of Giovanni Romilli's latest song, written to the words of Tennyson's poem, "Break, Break." Mr. Romilli, who is well known in Brunswick as Romilli Johnson, Bowdoin 1906, is warmly remembered in Brunswick both for the pleasure his music gave during his college days and for the two appearances in concert since his return from singing opera in Italy. For a young composer Sig, Romilli is publishing quite rapidly, and his music is noted for the nunsual singing quality of its melodies.

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## THE OXFORD BEARS

THE DOINGS OF THE WEEK IN ALL SECTIONS OF THE COUNTY:

Paris Hill.

Services at Paris Hill Baptist church every inday at 10:45. Sunday School at 12. Sunday ening service at 7:30. Thursday evening ayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Brent F. Ross, who has been a gunne in the Canadian Heavy Artillery during the war, was the guest of his brother, Glenn Ross, at H. L. Scribner's recently. Mr. Ross will now take a civilian job in

The local Red Cross organization com-menced last week to hold all-day sessions for work every Wednesday instead of the one afternoon and one evening meeting

The hard rain of Thursday night and part of Friday settled the snow and left the roads rather rough and icy, but did not destroy them for the use of runners. The Sanshine Club will meet with Mre Mand Andrews on Thursday of this week, Jan. 30 It is hoped all the memers can be present.

The Boston papers of the 24th inst. anounced the death of Mrs. S. E. Reeves. widow of Thomas Reeves. Mrs. Reeves will be remembered as a summer visitor at Paris Hill a decade ago. For thirteen years she has given a most genial hospiality to many friends at 20 Fenno street, Roxbury District of Boston. Since 1912 Miss P. N. Andrews, formerly of this village, has shared the home with Mrs.

Reeves and Miss Irma Bixby. There will be a dance in Academy Hall Saturday evening of this week. Music by Shaw, plane and drums. Dancing at

The Red Cross will meet Wednesday lady is requested to bring her lunch with cup and saucer for coffee, which will be urnished. There is quite an amount of work ahead and it is hoped to get the best of it by holding all day sessions for the present. The workers have found it leasant to be together at luncheon and certainly the work accomplished is much

Fred W. Shaw has made some change in the landscape by cutting the large trees on the wood-lot south of U. H. Heald's orchard and apple house on the west side of the road between this village and South Paris. The ash logs are sauled to the Tubbs snow-shoe factory t Norway and the others to the Kenney mill at South Paris. One hemlock tree cut last Saturday scaled over a thousand

A party made up of Carroll I. Hooper A. A. Jenkins and Charles B. Andrews of this village and J. E. Wilkinson of Boston made a very successful fishing trip to Moose Pond last week, bringing nome a large number of pickerel caught by fishing through the ice.

PARTRIDGE DISTRICT. William Mason has sold his hay lton Wheeler.

William Harlow is getting his ice. Wilma G. Mason has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. James L. Barrett, and ber grandmother's, Mrs. I Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cole spent a very

leasant evening at Mr. and Mrs. W. S

Mrs. James L. Barrett spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mason recently. Will Harlow has finished hauling wood for William Mason.

Ralph Field is working in the wood for Mr. Penley.

Laten butchered a cow for C. D. Conner Wednesday. He sold it to Will

Arthur Cross swapped the horse he bought with Alerton Dow for a larger Will Grover is hauling pulp. His boy, Edgar, hauled a load with his colt—the mallest team and driver on the road. Bethel with both horses. Their son, Ray, rode his pony. Wherever he stopped in the village the boys and girls gathered to

see and pet the little pony when he would Mrs. Arthur D. Bean and Estelle Bean went to Bethel Thursday and took din-ner with their sister, Mrs. Cora Sawin. Herbert Bean and son Bertie came They walked into Hunt's Corner. Notwithstanding all the teams on the road,

one overtook them. Mr. and Mrs. Isalah Hazelton spen Monday with their daughter, Mrs. L. J Mrs. Kiersted went to see the doctor, Monday, with a bad throat. He said she

Cloudy and damp weather with but little sunshine and that mostly in our bearts and hid from the world. George Manley of Hyde Park, Mass. and his wife, who have been boarding at Abel Andrews the past few weeks, have

mail clerk on the railroad. He has held the position about twenty years. Your correspondent was given a happ urprise last evening when his son, H. I. Bean, and grandson, Herbert R. Bean, who has just got his discharge and re-

turned from the battlefield in France came in. He was severely wounded which was thought at first would be better than first thought possible. Friday there was a snow and rain storm and at noon it began freezing fast. It now looks as though we shall see

to investigate the desirability of pur- some rough roads. No teams are seen The Beans returned to Lewiston Sat urday. H. R. says he is going to take up his father's trade for the present, earpentering. Elbridge Bird has been cutting up H G. McNally's woodpile at the door with

CLARK DISTRICT.

Lester Allen is at home sick.
Lillian and Rose McAllister and Irene
Briggs called on Rills Marston Monday. Leon Kimball is cutting ice on Papoo

Pond for Will Fiske. Charles Marston is cutting timber an wamping roads.

Charles Morey and his mother spent Saturday evening at Charles Marston's. Carrol Lewis is working at Henry Dur-

Rilla Marston is very busy sewing. She is making men's and boys' pants.

Mr. Hersey and Dade McKeen went to

Lawrence Littlebale, who has been up the line on warden business, reports but little snow in the woods above here for the time of year. It makes hard work for the two sled teams, on account of ton, gave an entertainment Friday even

the roughness of the roads. Newell Littlehale, who has been laid up with a bad foot, is now on the gain.
Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Cameron bave gone into the woods at Errol to work for Don-

Mrs. J. F. Hart has gone to Lewiston with her little son for medical treatment He has been out of health for severe

Mrs. Jennie Butterfield, and son Caroll, are spending the winter at S. M. Dargin's. Mr. Dargin is in very poor

Rev. Frank P. Dresser of Lewiston reached at the Baptist church Sundays

Jan. 19 and 26. The officers of Nezinscot Lodge, I. O. O. F., were installed Saturday evening, Jan. 18, by District Deputy G. M. Harry Harlow assisted by Ralph Pierce of Blake

Nezinscot History Club met with Mr. E. Warren Tuesday afternoon. Buckfield Literary Club met at the home of Mrs. A. L. Newton Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Cynthia Tilton read a fine paper on Scotland and Mrs. C. M. Irish one on French History. A letter from Miss Grace Russell, a former teach er here, who is now employed in the War Department at Washington, was read, and was of much interest. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Warren have been

guests of relatives in Auburn for a few Luther Irish's horse ran away Monday. damaging the pung considerably, but no

one injured.

Red Cross met Wednesday afternoon for work on refugee garments, and nex Wednesday will have an all-day meeting for work. Mrs. C. S. Childs, Mrs. L. M. Buck and Florence Childs were in Lewiston

Thursday. Ray Keene, Allie White, Wilbur Wa Warren Buck, Allen Purkis, Arthur ren, Warren Buck, Allen Purkis, Arthu Cobb, Howard Irish and Harold Steven arrived home from Camp Devens this week with honorable discharges. This makes nearly all the Buckfield boys home except a few who are still over

Mrs. Maude Bates returned Thursday after several weeks here with per parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bridg-Mrs. F. W. Record has taken the littl

son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Grover C Bridgham. Word was received Friday morning by J. C. Withington of the death of his younger brother Donald at the home of his elster, Mrs. Austin Hyde, at Keokuk,

Iowa. Mr. Withington has been ill fo quite a long time, his trouble developing rom being kicked in the stomach by mule. The body will be brought here Monday, and a service held at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of J. C. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen have been i

Portland a few days this week.

E. E. Conant has been with his broth er Harry in Strong for a few days. C. C. Tuttle, for the past two years superintendent of the Buckfield, Sumner and Hebron school district, expects to give up his position and go to France s a member of the teaching force to be sent across for instruction of soldiers.

Bryant's Pond. Another book has recently been place before the public by our former townsman, George Allan England. The new volume has the title, "Keep Off the Grass." Mr. England's headquarters this winter are in the vicinity of Portland, where Miss Isabella England, his

daughter, is attending school. The ice men are busy, and many thousand cakes have been stored the pas week of good clear blocks. Fraternal Lodge, K. of P., have re ently placed in their lodge room a Pease

layer piano. Edna Brown, a graduate of the 1918 class of Woodstock High, is teaching in Walker's Mills, Bethel. with Mr. Homer Crooker, principal. Mrs.

Crooker is employed as an assistant in French and Ancient History. Nelson Cole has moved from the Farrar house to one of the tenements over Elbridge Crooker has been unable for several weeks to attend to his road busi

ness on account of nervous trouble. He s now able to be on the street again. Russell Adams, who was gassed in Ochis regiment. The second week of the winter term of

he high school opened with a registration of forty pupils.

It was decided at a meeting of the ed itors of the Eureka, the high school paper, to publish only one issue this year

instead of two as originally planned. The paper will be much larger than formerly and will contain several cuts and much new material. The editors for the present year are:

Editor-in-Chief-Eleanor Jordan.
Assistant Editor—Stanley Bartlett.
Alnmni Editor—Lewis Tirrell.
Local Editor—Annie Cross.
Girls' Athletic—Thelms Farnum.
Boys' Athletic—Raeburn Hathaway.
Business Manager—Lloyd Hathaway.
Asst. Business Manager—Manafield Packard.
Exchange Editor—Cariton Lapham.
Freshman Editor—Marguerite Dudley.
Sophomore Editor—Ida Powers.
Junior Editor—Charles E. Noyes.
Senior Editor—Homer Farnum. There were no sessions of the village chools Friday because of the storm.

ing the epidemic of influenza the school right, justice, loyalty and all the essenday has been lengthened in the high tials that adorn and embellish humanity ng the epidemic of influenza the school chool. There are now two sessions intead of one. An innovation is to be tried in the high chool building this week. Hot cocoa or savagery, treachery, duplicity, and only

apils remain in the building during the The high school basketball team, with Prin. Crooker, left Saturday noon for Andover, where they played the high school team Saturday evening. The fol-R. Hathaway, Homer Farnum, Mgr. Carl-

ton Lapham, Edwin Perham, Charles Noyes and Roydon Billings. Next Roy Wardwell sawed wood with his Wednesday evening the team plays at mechanic Falls and on Saturday, Feb. 1, plays Andover High here.

The Sunday School has been reorgan-ized with two classes for adults, one for cholars, also one for the small children A teachers' training course under Pro-fessor Marriner meets every Thursday

Mrs. Merton Rawson entertaine riends on her birthday the 16th. Mrs. Charles Cummings made the birthday

Professor and Mrs. Field got back Wednesday evening from Vermont, Norway Menday, and had four work horses shod, and took back a large load of hay.

Wednesday evening from Vermont, where they were called by his father's illness. Mr. Field passed away Satur-

day, and the funeral was Tuesday of this The Ladies' Circle met with Mrs. How ard Glover Tuesday. Edwin Whitney, an impersonator from he White Entertainment Bureau, Bos

ing. Mr. Whitney has been here several times before and was greatly enjoyed. a day recently Some very fine ice is being harvested

East Bethel. Farmers are selling potatoes and other roduce at Rumford Falls. There is much sickness in the family Mr. Walter Brinck caused by the

Mr. Porter Farwell, Ceylon Kimbal and others are selling cord wood delivered at Bethel village. Mrs. Lucetta Bean has been spending

ham, Mass., to spend several weeks with the family of her son, Mr. A. H. Bartlett. Miss Edna Bartlett is assisting in the store of Miss Blanch Russell, Hanover. Misses Blanch and Eva Russell, of Hanover, were recent guests of Mrs. Car-

The Boy Scouts have recently shipped the papers which they collected and received \$65 net for the Red Cross.

The Scout officials and troop com Jan. 18, by District Deputy G. M. Harry
Harlow assisted by Ralph Pierce of Blake
Lodge, Turner. An oyster supper was
served after the installation. The officers
are: mittee are making arrangements fo

Mrs. Lendall Yates remains very poorly and her sister, Mrs. Ralph Richardson of Norway, is with her.

Mrs. James P. Curtis and daughter Ella and E. D. Curtis were in Lewiston his farm out from the village. last Monday. Mrs. Curtis had a small chicken bone removed from her throa

by Dr. Webber, which she got in her ill, as was all his family, throat the Wednesday previous and had and is able to work again.

suffered much from during the interMrs. Daisy Philbrook h vening days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stilwell pleasantly entertained the Good Will Society Wed-

needay evening.

Tuesday evening the officers of Onward Rebekah Lodge were installed by
District Deputy-President Mrs. Gertrude
Libby and the following suite: Mrs.
Hosmer, D. D. G. M.; Mrs. Brett, Grand
Universalist society. Warden: Mrs. Kimball, Grand Secretary Mrs. Bartlett, Grand Treasurer; Mrs.

Coster, Grand I. G., and were as follows N. G.—Minnie Day.
V. G.—Birdie Swan.
R. Sec.—Leona Ridion.
Fin. Sec.—Juliaetta Curtis.
Treas.—Ethel Ponley.
R. S. N. G.—Mabel Ricker.
L. S. N. G.—Mabel Ricker.
L. S. V. G.—Ina Martin.
L. S. V. G.—Nettle Swan.
Warden—Phila Mayhew.
Con.—Al Ge Penley. Con.—Al oe Penley. Chap.—Winnie Ridion. I. G.—Edna Emery. O. G.—Myrtle Dean.

An oyster supper was served. The remains of Mrs. Cora S. Millett were brought here Wednesday and the funeral service held at the Universalist burch. Rev. J. H. Little, pastor of the Bethel Universalist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. H. A. Markley, pastor of the church. The bearers were her sons. Interment in West Paris ceme-

TRAP CORNER. Mrs. Emily Field has gone to Bath t keep house for her brother, B. D. Joy Mr. Joy came to accompany her to Bath Ansel Swift is stopping at A. R. Tuell's Henry Briggs went to Mechanic Fall Vednesday, Jan. 22, as substitute on the

basket ball team. Mrs. E. A. Deane is still quite sick, al though it is thought she is slightly Mrs. Robbins, who has been at C. Briggs during the sickness of severa members of the family, has returned to her home in Redding.

Quite a rainstorm, Jan. 24, for th time of year. Recent letters from Keith J. Field, U S. N., state that he is feeling fine and still in New York, although he expects to sail at any time.

North Buckfield. Washington Heald attended the poul ry show at Portland the past week. Harold Stevens, Wilber Warren and

Warren Buck have received their dis charge, and returned home from Camp did plece of work. The features are bevens Thursday. Miss Gertie George of Hebron is visit ing her sister, Mrs. Clyde Keene. George and Stanley Hart are stopping with their mother, Mrs. Charles Tucker, for the winter, and attending school in his subject had done, untaught and falo, N. Y. Mrs. Etsel Smith is quite sick at this

writing. Mrs. Florence Warren and son James were week-end guests of her sister. Mrs Linn DeCoster of Turner. Sanford Conant and family were Sun day guests at Lester Ricker's

There was a dance at Mountain Grange Pleasant Pond Grange, West Sumner will be guests of Mountain Grange Feb I. State Overseer John Abbott will give

G. A. Yeaton of Norway and M. D. Jones of Orono were at E. M. Holmes Mrs. C. M. Keene and Mrs. Herber Smith were recent guests of Mrs. Keene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. George,

It is estimated that about one hundre cords of pulp and cord wood, logs, birch bolts, lumber, etc., come into the

daily, and the streets are lined with Station agent F. W. Palmer and wife are away on a vacation in New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Connecticu One son holds a fine position in a railroa office in New Haven, another has a good position in an office at the South station

It is said that two or three highly re spected families in the place are contemplating moving away this spring, much to the regret of many, as they are worthy, useful people, and will be much Roosevelt-Kaiser Wilhelm. Was there

ever so great a disparity between two human beings? A veritable antithesis! The antipodes in life, honor, character Roosevelt, the exemplification of honor —in brief, with the deepest significance of the word—a MAN! Kaiser Wilhelm, the real embodiment of dishonor, wrong, offee will be on sale to those students skilled in vile arts and cruel designs for those at their lunch there. It is thought those who differ from him. In brief, a who eat their lunch there. It is thought those who differ from him. In brief, a that the cost will not be over two or brute in the form of man. What a conthree cents per cup. About forty five trast! "I have seen the wicked in great power spreading himself like a green bay tree, yet he passed away and lo, he was not."-Ps. 37.

Mrs. Luville Buck, who has been car

ing for Mrs. Lois Cobb, has gone to care for another patient. Mrs. Henry Cobb was a recent visito Mrs. Dennis Parlin is keeping the Hill school with afternoon sessions at her

Hattie Hollis has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont flora Leslie's. Mrs. Grace Estes and brother, Billy

Rumford Point. Henry Davenport and Austin Steams f Paris Hill have exchanged colts.
Clarence Bucknam is working in the mill at West Sumper. Albert Davenport is working for Gu

On Friday, Jan. 10th, a fire occurred in Mr. and Mrs. John Heald's home. that a spark was blown from the stove upon bedding and ignited.

Wm. A. Barrows Relief Corps held an

ll-day meeting Saturday, Jan. 18th, for The saw mill and stripping machine are running full time. Academy.
Winelow Bisbee, age 72 years, passed away Jan. 14th at his home in West Sumner, after a long illness. Rev. How-ard A. Markley of West Paris officiated at his funeral Friday at 2 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bonney are rejoicng over the birth of a son.

Seven boys four have seen active service in France, and the other three are regretbins' farm, are baving a hard time. The ting that they were not sent across. husband and wife are both sick with influenza, and their baby, about a year old, has died with it.

I. A. Andrews has been hauling hay from North Waterford. Mr. Andrews Mrs. Gladys Burnell Cartret, South Hiram. Olive G. Cook, South Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall went

Central railroad. The line runs twelve

niles from the camp to the town of An-

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eased portions.

West Paris Jan. 21 for the day.

M. M. Thurston had an extended busiess trip last week, going to Andover ardson Lake, one of the Rangeley group Ernestine Philbrook went back to Bates College the first of last week. The college was late in opening on ac

College, Lewiston, Thursday. She had the switchboard in the office of the Andover Telephone Company, a sublicens of the New England Company. From ust recovered from the "flu." C. C. Bryant is having his pine out Hal Stanley, who has been Rumford. From this telephone many emergency calls have originated during the ten years since the station was es-tablished. It has been the means of pine on the C. C. Bryant place, has been ill, as was all his family, but is better

Mrs. Daisy Philbrook has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Stearns in Ketchum. Harry Jordan was ill nearly all last

Thursday evening Mrs. L. C. Bates Miss Mary True will spend to will entertained her Sunday School class, the at Bethel Inn, while Dr. and Mrs. Games and music were Gebring are away in California for the Frank Flint is working for Harry by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Pol-son from the Blood and healing the dis-

Miss Alberta Stearns visited her fath ar. A. J. Stearns, at Grafton last week. The Eastern Star Lodge had a meetin last Wednesday evening and chose their officers. It is the first meeting of any kind since we have been closed on account of the flu.

Mrs. Herman Mason has had quite serious sickness. She fell and hurt he back some time ago and neuralgia set in so it took quite a while to get over She is much better now and attends ber work.

Andover. Arthur Noble has returned from Camp Dr. Matthews is boarding at Hote and Lucene Smith starte

Wednesday of last week for Elkhart.

Ind., where they will visit their uncl Gladys Howard, who has been visiting ber sister, Mrs. Guy Akers, of Weston Mass., has returned home. The Testimony of South Paris People Milton Crossman is working in the Mr and Mrs V. A. Thurston were Rumford Tuesday.

About the State.

The public soon finds out when mis-representations are made, and merit South Paris people appreciate morit, and many months ago local citizens pub-Every sale by a druggist or store-keep er of paregoric, Bateman's drops, sooth licly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills; they ing syrups, or cordials containing nardo so still. Would a citizen make the cotic drugs in quantities too low to make statement which follows unless conthem subject to the Harrison drug act vinced that the article was just as repwould have to be registered as the sales resented? Below is testimony such as f poisons are now recorded, according the sufferer from kidney ills is looking to a provision of the new Revenue bill preparing to enforce. Dealers' records "I was troubled at different times will have to show the name of the purrheumatic pains and I felt as if my kidchaser, the date, quantity bought, an neys needed attention. Doan's Kidney

Pills greatly relieved me and I have been Modelled in blue wax, a head of Genfeeling much better since." eral John J. Pershing, the work of Mason Shaw of East Eddington, aged 11 years, is, so many who have seen much beautiful art and statuary say, a splen benefit in my case. and the entire head shows spirit and in spiration on the part of the general's ask for a kidney remedy-get Doan's young admirer, who before he took the commander of the Yanks in France for Kidney Pills-the same that Mr. Schoff had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Bufalone, many pieces which prove his

It has been announced by Rev. Ashley
A. Smith pastor of the First Universalist
church of Bangor, that a friend of the
church had pledged a considerable sum
to be used for the purchase of chimes
for the belfry of the church. Mr. Smith
said that he might have to solicit a portion of the purchase fund for the chimes
tion of the purchase of the church, but

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FRANK L. WILSON, Oxford, Me.
January 21st, 1919.

4-6 from the parishioners of the church, but that the gift mentioned would undoubtedly mean the installation in the very It is understood that Mrs. James Adams has made to the pastor an offer of a gift which will make these chimes possible. nowhere in this section are there chimes of this kind and it is understood that

the cost will be about \$7000. Andrew Croswell of Farmington Falls recently celebrated his 91st birthday, a family dinner being held in honor of the occasion and some of the neighbors gathering in the evening to play cards with the old gentleman who retains his interest and liking for that pastime, which he learned in '49 when a miner. He was born in Farmington Falls, was educated in the local schools, was a 49'er, remaining in California and the Sandwich Islands for eight years. He returned home on a visit and soon settled in Minnesota. He mar-ried Miss Elizabeth Rich of Dixmont. He went home in the early 60's and remain-Thomas, the business, established in 1816, continuing now by members of the family. He is well and hearty, taking great interest in local and national events and taking an active part in garden and home

Maine's Youngest Governor. Gov. Milliken, who recently celebrated his 40th birthday, is not the youngest Governor Maine has had, as many have supposed. Albion K. Parris of Paris has that distinction. He was chosen Chief Executive in 1821, when he was 33. Four times be was re-elected and he could have been governor the sixth time, but he declined the honor. He retired after serving more terms than any other man who has occupied the position and was but 38 at the time of retirement. In singular contrast was Enoch Linwas elected to succeed Maine's youngest Governor. Other Governor's who were nder 40 when they were elected were Robert F. Dunlap of Brunswick in 1834, Edward Kent of Bangor in 1838 and 1842, John W. Dana of Fryeburg in 1847, Gen. Joshua L. Chamberlain of Brunswick in 1867, Selden Connor of Portland in 1876

Daniel F. Davis of Corinth in 1880. The Oldest Woman in Maine. Aunt Mary Goddard, the oldest person in Maine, died in Brunswick, Jan. 23. She would have been 109 on March 10. house in Brunswick next to Durham, with her niece, Mrs. Jennie D. Cox, until Mrs. Cox's death about a year ago, and since then with Mrs. Cox's step-daughters, Hattle and Marion. In spite of her years Mrs. Goddard has enjoyed good health until three days be-

fore her death, when she contracted a cold, after which she failed rapidly. She leaves no nearer relatives than nieces An old fashloned Friends' funeral was held from the Quaker meeting house in

Durbam, Mrs. Goddard for a great many ears preached regularly in this meeting Proud of Its Number.

The little town of Upton with only 306 persons, 76 only of whom are adult males, is very proud of its contribution who answered their call with the deter nination of seeing a victorious end are Eshburn Oscar and Perry Wendall Judkins, Dana Grover Brooks, Lester Earl Lane, Otis Lee Abbott, Albert W.

old, has died with it.

North Stoneham.

Pearl Weymouth, who has been hauling timber for M. E. Allen, lamed one of his horses and he has gone back to North Waterford.

Once a year the Gorham Normal School sends information regarding the whereabouts of recent graduates. It has recently issued a circular giving the towns in which 1917 graduates are teaching. The following are located in Oxford County:

The Casualty List. Leon A. Dunn, Byron. (Previously reported alseing in action.)

Chauseur Arthur B. Manning, North Wate SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Clyde W. Abbott, Enmford, Maine.

An Outpost Telephone Station. One of the most isolated pay stations the Bell system in New England is located at a camp on the shore of Rich-

Several teams for in northern Oxford County. This tele-phone is more than thirty miles from the nearest station at Rumford, on the Maine hauling long lumber from the Millett lot to An easy one turn

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PROBATE NOTICES. To all persons interested in eastern the hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDEMED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper published at South Paris, in said Cosniy, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of February, A. D. 1919, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Cyrus L. Durgin late of Porter, deceased;

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petition for the appointment of James E. Chap man or some other suitable person as adminis-trator of the estate of said deceased presented by Philip S. Durgin, son and heir. Mary C. Parsons late of Paris, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Oscar W. Parsons as executor of the same to act without bond as provided in said will presented by said Oscar W. Parsons, the executor therein named.

Betsey H. Trask late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Richard W. Trask as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will presented by said Richard W. Trask, the executor therein named. Frank W. Goodrich late of Hebron,

ceased; petition for an allowance out of personal estate presented by Lillian I. Goodrich, widow. Elizabeth C. Wiley late of Lovell, deceased; inal account presented for allowance by C. K. hapman, executor. Lawrence M. and Gertrude D. Tibbets of Greenwood, minor children of Charles Tib-bets late of Greenwood, deceased; petition that Dana S. Williams or some other suitable person Marjorie W. Heald of Lovell, minor; peti-ion for license to sell and convey real estate resented by Ira Heald, guardian.

Olive W. Hammond of Buckfield, minor; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Edward E. Hammond, guardian, Harriet E. Blake late of Dixfield, deceased; nal account presented for allowance by Henry , Smith, trustee. Ceylon Day late of Lovell, deceased; first and final account presented for allowance by Waldo N. Seavey, administrator. ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court.
A true copy—attest:

ALBERT D. PARK, Register. Legislative Notices. "ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the time for the reception of petitions and bills for private and special legislation be limited to Friday, January 31, 1919, and that all such petitions and bills presented after that date be referred to the next Legislature; that the clerk of the House cause copies of this order to be published in all the daily and weekly papers in the State until and including Thursday, January 30th, next.

ary 30th, next. House of Representatives. Jan. 16, 1919. Read and passed. Sent up for concurrence. Clyde R. Chapman, Clerk. In Senate Chamber. Jan. 17, 1919.

Read and passed in Concurrence
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Men's 12 inch Leather Top, no heel, regular price \$6.50, now 5.00. Men's 12 inch Leather Top, no heel, Black and Red, were \$5.50, now 4.25 Men's 10 inch Leather Top, no heel, Red Rubbers, Black top, regular price \$5.50, now 4.00. Men's 10 inch Leather Top, white rubber, regular price \$5.50, now 4-25. Men's 10 inch Leather Top, no heel, Ribbed, regular price \$4.50, now

Men's 12 inch Leather Top, regular price \$6.50, now 5.00.

Men's 14 and 16 inch Leather Top, regular price \$6.50, now 5.00.

Men's 8 inch Leather Top, no heel, ribbed, regular price \$4.00, now 3.00. Boys' 8 inch Leather Top, no heel, Red Rubber, Black Top, regular price \$3.50, now 2.75.

Boys' 8 inch Leather Top, Red Rubber, Black Top, heel, regular price Boys' 8 inch Leather Top, Snag Proof, regular price \$3.25, now 2.50. Boys' 8 inch Leather Top, heel, regular price \$3.00, now 2.25. Youth's 8 inch Leather Top, Snag Proof, regular price \$3.00,

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# SOUTH PARIS.

John H. Cuskley of Minot was in town

Hon. H. H. Hastings of Bethel was in land Poultry Show. own Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Park were in ortland one day last week.

New toll and long distance phone rates seat into effect Tuesday at midnight. Hon. W. H. Eastman of Sumner was attendance at probate court Tuesday. The postponed Universalist parish

neeting will be held this (Monday) even-Osman K. Clifford has returned to his imbering operations near Livermore

Capt. Fred C. Tribou and Miss Rena Tribon were in Bucksport a few days

Mrs. Henry McKenney, who has been nown several weeks, has returned to her home in Kingfield. Mrs. Hattle Gould, who has been visging at Mechanic Falls, returned to

South Paris Thursday morning. will of Portland were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stuart. Sheriff Harry D. Cole has appointed

Hall of Canton as deputy, also Broest S. Bennett of Wilson's Mills. The Delta Alphas of the Deering Menorlal Church met with Mrs. Harold Cole on Pine Street Thursday evening. E. P. Greckett made an exhibit of Ught Brahma Bantams at the Maine State Poultry Show in Portland last

Mrs. Harold Fletcher was selected on maquerade ball in Norway Wednesday present.

g Greenwood, has returned to her home The annual meeting of the Paris Pub-

ic Library Association will be held at the Library Rooms on Saturday, Feb. 1, The yearly bonus of the Paris Manu-

ficturing Company was paid the operators last week by General Manager George R. Morton.

Freeland Witham has gone to Boston consult a medical specialist. William E. Chase, a trained nurse of Mechanic Falls, formerly of Paris, has gone with

It is reported that one of Paris' sons Norway on skis, a distance of some 20 to sew. All are cordially invited. niles, in about an hour one day last Chester Record and George Bennett

tave leased the Wilson Walker garage elected: corner of Main and Cottage Streets, Norway, and will open it as a paint shop for Mrs. Charles W. Bowker and George

Bennett were among the prize winners at the masquerade ball at Norway Wednesday evening. They wore rustic cos-

George Dresser, who has been undergoing treatment at the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston, for some little time, returned to his home Wed-The Ladies' Union of the Universalist

Church will meet with Mrs. H. R. Carter, Western Avenue, on Wednesday aftertoon to sew. Ladies please bring thim-

eld in Augusta last week, Hon. Alton . Wheeler was chosen a member of the State Board of Managers. The January term of Probate Court

Tuesday was a busy session. There were three petitions for administrators fled, 21 administrators appointed, seven wills filed and three wills allowed. Mrs. Rose Clark Witham has succeed-

sd Miss Helen M. Barnes as teacher in Evening at Home." the fifth and seventh grades school. Miss Agnes Fuller taught the first week The Euterpean Club met at the home

Miss Nellie Jackson Tuesday evening. the club for the remainder of the season on account of interruptions occasioned oy "flu," and to use the same programs make him of special value to the con-

The Seneca Club will meet with Mrs. J. G. Littlefield this (Monday) evening ierved. It will be seen that the meeting scalled at an earlier hour than usual. Members will please take notice of the het. The program will be that designed

sted in the news that George Allen line was, as he says, "near enough."

England, who spent a winter in this vilage not many years ago, has written another novel, "Keep Off the Grass," which ill be published this month. Mr. England is spending this winter in Portland, where his daughter Isabelle is attending

Two men about town last week were with rising the price. That was done in that historic time when "the cow jumped over the moon." In so doing she left the price-list on the horns of that lunar orb and they had not been able to get it

The State Federal Food Administralon, including of course the local food administrators, will go out of existence next Friday, according to announce-ment made last week by State Food Administrator Leon S. Merrill of Orono. This will include the demobilization of searly 1000 voluntary food conservation workers. The state establishment inhided organizations in 15 countles and 32 county chairmen and vice-chairmen, and 871 town hairman and vice-chairmen.

After the civil war, returning soldiers brought into this locality, as into every other, a disease for which there has never been a polite name discovered; and cervermin, also nameless in polite lociety. Speculation has been rife whether similar visitations would follow he present war. Entomologists from the Department of Agriculture working in cooperation with the war department have found that the modern laundry as

which contains New England's National Guard contribution to overseas forces, including many of our own and Norway their part in getting the grange work locinding many of our own and Norway boys. The total casualties given number 11,355 men; 1,730 officers and men

The officers of Min were killed; 3,624 wounded severely; \$819 wounded slightly; 3,363 gassed; \$33 missing; and 136 taken prisoners. The division captured 3,148 Germans The division captured 3,148 Germans including 61 officers; and took part in the battles of Apremont, Seicheprey, Pilere, Xiyaas, Marie Control of the capture of the captur ry (second battle of the Marne). St. Mihiel and north of Verdun, extended over a period of nine months from Feb. 6, 1918. The Yankee division was in service in the frankee. service in the front lines approximately teren mouths. The men were in the front line trenches brigaded with the french at Chemin Des Dames from Feb. 6 to March 21; at La Heine and to June 28; at Chateau-Thierry, July 10 to 25; at 3t. Miblel, Sept. 3 to Oct. 8, and north of Verdun from Oct. 18 to Nov. 14.

J. P. Tolman of Portland was in town

P. H. Anderson of Portland was George Johnson has received his dis harge from Camp Devens.

Dana S. Williams, Esq., of Lewiston was in town Tuesday. Hon. E. E. Hastings of Fryeburg was in attendance at Probate Court Tuesday. G. W. Haskell received first prize on his Barred Plymouth Rocks at the Port-

Ray Russell will appear in the Norway wrestling bout at the Opera House this He is pitted against Gough of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence G. Morton have

gone to Crystal, N. H., for the remainde A masquerade sociable will be held in the High School building Friday even-ing, Jan. 31. All come and mask. Punch and crackers will be on sale. Admission

Prof. John S. Carver of Auburn, formerly principal of the South Paris High School, has been elected principal of the Camden High School.

A regular meeting of Hamlin Temple Pythian Sisters, will be held Tuesday evening. Following the meeting there will be a rehearsal for the installation. All officers elect will please be present.

Rev. C. Wellington Rogers will give an address at the Grange Hall, West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and son on Lincoln's Birthday, Feb. 12. It will be a Roosevelt Memorial Address. The Eolian Quartet, of this village, will fur-

Mrs. Geo. R. Morton was at South Windbam two days last week to see her new grandson, born on the 21st to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Soule. The boy was born on his father's birthday, and has Lieut, and Mrs. Arthur K. Underwood

have been visiting Mrs. Underwood's father, Mr. L. L. Mason. Lieut. Underwood has just received his discharge from the army. They left Saturday for the committee to award prizes at the Boston, where they will remain for the

Sergeant Robert W. Wheeler has re-ceived his discharge from Camp Devens Mrs. Sabrina Jackson, who has been sisting the family of G. W. Richardson and returned home the first of last week He has been overseas with the Medical ioned near Paris, and had occasion to visit that great city several times.

> The heavy rain of Friday coverted the treets into sloppy thoroughfares and all the low places in adjoining fields into ponds; and the freeze of Friday night made the first a hubbly path for either human or animal feet and the second a skating rink.

The annual business meeting of the Baptist Ladies' Aid will be an all-day meeting next Thursday at the home o Mrs. L. C. Morton. A covered dish din-ner will be served. Please bring food

At the annual meeting of the Ladles Juion of the Universalist Church, Wednesday, the following officers were

Pres.—Mrs. Charles W. Burgess. Vice Pres.—Mr. Carroll Edwards. Sec.—Mrs. Howard R. Carter. Treas.—Mrs. Ernest F. Shaw. Asst. Treas.—Mrs. Verne Aldrich.

Dr. J. G. Littlefield has been taking a well-earned vacation in Boston during the past week. This is as he says the first time he has been out of town for a year and a half. During that time he has been through three severe epidemics, and quite a portion of the time be has been the only physician in the place.

Mrs. Phebe Edgecomb of Myrtle Street slipped and fell on the ice Friday night, and suffered an injury to her back so severe that she was taken to Dr. Trufant's hospital at Norway for treatment and will have to remain there probably for a week, perhaps longer. It is hoped At the annual meeting of the Maine that the injury will prove to be nothing Children's Home Society, which was worse than a sprain.

> A supper and entertainment will be given by the Ladies' Union of the Universalist Church, February 4th, for the benefit of the young ladies' quartet which furnish music for the church. The quartet consists of Misses Evelyn Wight, Emma West, Beryl Silver and Gladys Hatch. The entertainment will consis of a supper and a musical entitled, "An

Lieut. Gilbert Swett of Winchester, of the term because of sickness in the Wishm household.

Mass., was here a few days last week to visit his grandfather, Jacob Nichols. Lieut. Swett has been a pilot in the aviation service, and was on the Italian front for some months. He has been distwas voted to cancel the meetings of charged from the service, and will take position with the Texas Oil Co., where his knowledge of French and Italian will

America from "over there" only a few days ago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and ford County jail during the year 1918: William S. Abbott, who landed in the first contingents called in Massachusetts, where he was employed, and had been in France about six months. During the last of that period he was north Residents of South Paris may be inter- of Verdun, and while never on the front

The following officers of Mount Pleas-ant Rebekah Lodge were elected Friday

N. G.—Emma E. Park.
V. G.—Inez E. Hollis.
Rec. Sec.—Gertrude Curtis.
Fin. Sec.—Cora M. Twitchell.
Treas.—Helen L. Briggs.
Trustees—Lizzie W. Millett, Elmer R. Briggs.
Hattle M. Leach.

the other said they had nothing to do with rising the name of the man and they were said they had nothing to do with rising the name of th

J. Mellen Cummings has completed his engagement with the Grand Trunk Railway and returned to his former employment of preventing his saw blade from rusting. Mell's rule for preventing rust is to keep the saw so busy that i just don't get the opportunity. the past year he has sawed one hundred and seventy odd cords of wood and nearly five hundred cords in the past three years, which is "going some" for any young man; and Mell don't claim to be in the colt class either.

The annual meeting of the Sunbeam Class of Deering Memorial Church was held with Mrs. Eva Ordway Jan. 25. The following officers were chosen for

the ensuing year: Pres.—Marion Ames. Vice-Pres.—Methyl Edwards. Sec.—Cathleen Small. Treas.—Arline MacDonald.

The class voted to hold its annual banquet Friday evening, Jan. 31, in the church parlor and invite as guests of the evening, Rev. and Mrs. D. F. Faulkner and the superintendent, Dr. C. L. Buck,

Paris Grange will hold an all-day meet ng next Saturday, Feb. 1. It is planned tical means of destroying "cooties" and the one that was to be held Jan. 4. The usual processes of the army laundry forencon and the Victory Dinner will be is methods of disinfection and disinsec-tion, so that fear of such visitations are groundless. The people of South Paris may be interested in statistics given out by government concerning the 26th Division which contains New England's National

The officers of Mt. Mica Lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F., were installed by D. D. G. M. Edward J. Sharon and suite of Nor-



Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Mason spent the week-end in Portland. Alton Bonney has received his dis-Ernest Nason underwent a slight sur-

gical operaion at his home on High street Thursday. Mrs. Louise Briggs has returned from Portland after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Emma Gibbs.

Mrs. Alta Rankin and Miss Rva Walker were in Portland Friday and Saturday. Miss Walker was a delegate to the Home Missionary meeting held at the St. Lawrence Congregational Church.

Sergeant Don Wight has received his discharge from the United States Engineers, and is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Frank Barrows. Mr. Wight has been over seas for more than a year. He was sent back to Camp Humphreys, Va., where he was discharged.

Justice Albert M. Spear of Gardiner will preside at the February term of Supreme Judicial Court, which opens at South Paris on the 4th of the month. The grand jurors were summoned he October term of court, which was not eld, and as they are drawn for a year's service, they will be organized at thi term. A new list of traverse jurors has been summoned, and the two lists are as

GRAND JURORS.
Clarence S. Alley, Hartford.
Elmer B. Austin, Buckfield.
Frank R. Bartlett, Bethel.
Charles H. Brett, Oxford.
Aldana Brooks, Upton.
Eben E. Chapman, Parls.
George L. Cushman, Woodstock.
Charles W. Farrington, Fryeburg.
Stuart W. Goodwin, Norway.
Wilson M. Morse, Waterford.
Herbert Moulton, Hiram.
Bernard E. Patterson, Canton.
Frank Perkins, Andover.
Lesile H. Poor, Brownfield.
H. O. Virgin, Mexico.
Mertice L. Walton, Dixfield.
Everett Wentworth, Porter.
A. D. Woodreau, Rumford.

TRAVERSE JURORS. GRAND JURORS.

TRAVERSE JURORS.
Fred C. Alexander, Denmark.
Ralph A. Bacon, Paris.
Charles O. Barrows, Stow.
W. M. Chandler, Sumnar.
Eugene B. Davis, Rumford.
George R. Davis, Woodstock.
Perien Dudley, Buckfield.
Fred L. Kdwards, Bethel.
John C. Files, Sr., Stoneham.
Ivory L. Harmon, Canton.
Frank E. Holmes, Porter.
Fred D. Hosmer, Norway.
John F. Howard, Waterford.
Almon F. Johnson, Brownfield.
Chester H. Lane, Paris.
M. A. LeBaron, Lovell.
Noah McDonald, Fryeburg.
Llewellyn W. Ramsell, Bethel.
S. W. Richards, Andover.
Clarence H. Robinson, Peru.
Albert N. Rowè, Oxford.
Frederick W. Smith, Dixfield.
Eugene N. Swott, Norway.
John B. Tardiff, Rumford.
Wallace D. Wadsworth, Hiram.
F. E. Woodward Mayleo. TRAVERSE JURORS

Wallace D. Wadsworth, Hiram. F. E. Woodward, Mexico. Congregational Church Meeting. At the annual meeting of the First Congregational Church Parish the folwing officers and committees were

Moderator—W. L. Gray. Clerk—I. O. Barrows. Collector and Treasurer—M. O. Bolster. Committee on Ministerial Supply—M. V. B ter, T. S. Baraes. Prudential Committee—A. W. Walker, E.

It is reported that one of Paris' sons
If Finland traveled from Bridgton to without being solicited. Come prepared to sew. All are cordially invited.

It is reported that one of Paris' sons or will be served. Please bring food without being solicited. Come prepared and Mrs. W. L. Gray. Committee to Revise By-laws—W. L. Gray, C. W. Rogers, I. O. Barrows. A vote of thanks was extended N. D. Bolster for his 34 years of faithful service

as clerk. C. W. Rogers, L. L. Mason, Richard Rogers, Merton Clifford, Irving Barrows and Sherman Oliver were voted members of the parish. It was voted to assess no pew tax of rentals for the ensuing year. This means practically free pews. Regular pew hold-

ers will, however, retain their sittings as usual, and others will be assigned on request to the usher or to members of the prudential committee. At the Congregational Church meeting Wednesday evening the following officers were elected for the year 1919:

Jackson. Clerk—E. L. Greene. Church Treas.—E. N. Haskell. Benevolent Com.—Mrs. Ella A. Wight, Mrs. Alta Rankin, Mrs. Lydia Rounds. The following officers of the Sunday

Supt.—C. H. Howard. Asst. Supt.—T. S. Barnes. Sec.—W. P. Maxim. Librarian—H. F. Muzzy. Sec.—W. Librarian.—H. F. Muzzy.
Librarian.—H. F. Muzzy.
Treas.—E. N. Haskell.
Supt. Home Dept.—Mrs. Sarah Chute.
Supt. Cradle Roll.—Mrs. E. L. Greene.
Supt. Primary Dept.—Miss Nellie M. Jackson
Supt. Primary Dept.—Miss Nellie M. Jackson
Evacutive Committee.—Mrs. J. S. Wright, A

The Y. P. S. C. E. officers follow: Pres.—Miss Helen M. Barnes.
Vice Pres.—Miss Ethel Hardy.
Sec.—Albert Rogers.
Treas.—Miss Maxine Bennett.
Cor. Sec.—Ruth Bolster.
Chairman Lookout Committee—Miss Bertha

light. Chairman Prayer Meeting Committee-Mrs. ora Muzzy Chairman Missionary Committee-Mrs. Eva Chairman Social Committee-Miss Buth Bol-

ster. Chairman Flower Committee—Arthur Witham. Supt. of Junior Endeavor Society—Mrs. Har-riet E. Barnes. Record of Jail Prisoners. From the annual report of Sheriff Har-

ry D. Cole, the Democrat gives the record

Number of prisoners in jail ing court.
Committed for year 1918.
Number of prisoners females.
Committed for intoxication.
Selling 1 quor.
Assault.

Breaking, entering and larceny. Poor debtors
Desertion
Keeping house of ill-fame.
For want of ball.
Non-payment of fines.
Safe keeping by officers and no return made dmitted to ball.
entenced to 1 month or less.
entenced to 2 months.
entenced to 3 months.

tenced to 1 year ... hegan stenced to Industrial School, Hollowell. Eighteenth Annual Report.

The 18th annual report of the Oxford County Telephone and Telegraph Company has been issued for the year ending Dec. 31, 1918. Pres.—Charles S. Dudley, South Paris. Gen. Man.—W. H. Lurvey, Buckfield. Clerk—W. H. Eastman, East Sumner. Treas.—Edith C. Bradford, Buckfield. Directors: The officers of the company are:

Directors:
Charles S. Dudley, South Paris.
W. H. Lurvey, Buckfield.
W. H. Eastman, East Sumner.
B. H. Bisbee, East Sumner.
A. E. Cole, Buckfield.
Jefferson Farrar, West Sumner.
W. J. Ricker, Turner.

The company did a business 87,335,58 for the fractional part 1918 covered in the report, \$6,649.14 of bich were for tolls and rentals. Divi ends of \$635.28 were declared. The company has 386 miles of wir and 632 telephone instruments installed. This with other property belonging the company amounts to \$32,201.96.

South Paris Water Supply. Hon. Charles W. Bowker has receive

the following letter from the State De-partment of Health: AUGUSTA, MAINE, Jan. 9, 1919. South Paris Village Corporation Water Works, South Paris, Maine.

Analysis of the winter sample of water from your public water supply which came to hand on January 7 shows this water to be in normal condition for this eason of the year. The water is free from all evidence which would point to its contact with sewage pollution. In its present condi-tion it is a safe and satisfactory drinking

Very truly yours, H. D. EVANS, Director. Methodist Sunday School. The following officers of the Methodist unday School, South Paris, have been elected for the ensuing year:

Sec.—Elmer R. Briggs.
Treas.—E. O. Millott.
Missionary Treas.—Mrs. Helen L. Briggs.
Librarian—S. C. Ordway.
Supt. Primary Dept.—Mrs. Mildred Cole.
Supt. Junior Dept.—Mrs. James Millett.
Supt. Young People's Dept.—T. M. Davis.
Supt. Home Dept.—Mrs. Lucy Edwards.
Supt. Cradle Roll—Mrs. Myrtle Richardson. For a mild, easy action of the bowels, tr. Doan's Regulets, a modern laxative. So at all stores. Death Still Busy.

LTHOUGH THE NUMBER IS LESS THAT IN THE PAST THREE WEEKS.

CHARLES D. CORDWELL. Charles D. Cordwell of South Paris passed away at the home of his daugh-ter, Mrs. Merton C. Titus, in Portland

Mr. Cordwell was born in Greenwoo 8 years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cordwell. He was one of four children, the other three being William Cordwell of Andover, Atwood Cordwell of Madison, and Carrie Cordwell, who died some twenty years ago and was the wife of

About 38 years ago Mr. Cordwell man ried Emma Jackson of Greenwood and to them were born four children: Bert D. Cordwell, South Paris; Mattie E, the married Merton C. Titus and liver in Portland; Izora E., who married Gar-field Williams and died some three years ago; and Vera, wife of George B. Stone He married a second wife, who was

Maggie Glover. Lodge of Odd Fellows, South Paris, also of the New England Order of Protection. Thursday. The funeral was held at the Universalist church, Rev. Chester Gore Miller officiating.

MRS. GERTRUDE L. RUSSELL. The death of Mrs. Gertrude L. Russel ccurred Wednesday night at the home of her niece, Mrs. Virgil Dunn, in the northern part of Norway. She was 56 years old. Mrs. Russell has been in failing health for several years, and while spending a few weeks with her niece, Mrs. Dunn, she suffered a shock of paralysis. She rapidly failed until the end

Mrs. Russell was born in Norway at the old Upton homestead at Nobles Corner, which was settled by her ancestors, they being among the very first to settle in Norway. She was the daughter of Uriah and Isannah Upton, and was born March 30, 1852. She spent her girlhood on the old farm, attending the free high school at Swift's Corner. February 9 1883, she married William Murray Rus-sell of Washburn, who came to Norway when a young man. For two years they lived in Norway and then moved to West Auburn, where they made their home

for twelve years. They then moved to Millinockett, where they stayed three years, and then returned to Mrs. Russell's girlhood home and bought a farm near the old Upton homestead. They lived there until about two years ago, when they moved to the village and built a home on Elm street. She was a devoted member of the Con-

Mrs. Russell is survived by four daugh ters, Olive, wife of Harold Babcock whose bome is in Springfield, Mo., for nerly of Lewiston; Ada, wife of Walter F. Tubbs; Jeanette, wife of Roy F. Tubbs, and Florence, all of whom live in Norway; Joseph A. Upton of Tulare Lake, Cal., and one sister, Minnie Leona Up-

WALTER DAVID STURTEVANT.

Walter David Sturtevant was born at Bethel July 3, 1898. The family have lived in Colebrook, N. H., for the past seven years. With the call for volunteers Walter was one of the first to offer his services to his country. He enlisted June 21, 1917, and went to Fort Ethan Allen, and was there till September 1, he was sent to Westfield, and on the last of September he sailed with Co. E, 10 Regiment, 52 Brigade, 26 Division, d arrived at Liverpool, Eng., October 10. He was in training for a short time in Vermont. The company which Mr. before going to France. He was in active Andrews is connected with employs 800 service from February, 1918, till July 18, men and 357 horses. They are getting when he was severely wounded in his out 100,000 cords of pulp wood. right arm as he went over the top at Chauteau Thierry. He was taken to North Carolina, where he has been on base hospital November 18, and in Au. government war construction work durgust he was transferred to Newport News, Va., and from there to U.S.A.

He was home on a furlough November 27, returning December 5. Tuesday morning, January 4, 1919, his parents received word from the hospital that at the annual meeting in Portland last Walter was seriously ill, and Mr. Sturtevant started at once, but did not arrive until after his son had died. The body was brought to Colebrook, and funeral services held at the Congregational church, Rev. Fred Bannister officiating. Eighteen of the returned soldier boys escorted the body to the cemetery.

MRS. CLARA C. BONNEY. Mrs. Clara C. Bonney died at Mechanic

liam and Lovisa (Gurney) Cobb, an old has been in several important engagefamily of Hebron. She was the widow ments in which the 26th Division took of Henry Bonney. When her husband part. vas alive they carried on a farm in Heoron, but when he died, the widow, with her mother, moved to Mechanic Falls, where she has since made her home. She was an estimable lady, and was about 75 years old. She leaves a brother, Frank H. Cobb,

who lived with her. MRS. FRANCES A. SWAN. Mrs. Frances A. Swan, wife of Amrose Swan, died at her home in Buckfield Jan. 13., aged 69 years. The funeral was Thursday, the 16th, attended by Rev. Chester Gore Miller, and the burial was at Riverside Cemetery, South Paris.

Mrs. Swan left three daughters, Mrs. Millard Stevens of Auburn, Mrs. Manley Bessey of Hebron, and Mrs. Verrill, who A Norway Boy in Corn Contest. In a very close race for the Sweeptakes prize, given by the State of Maine Agricultural and Industrial League, Clifford Bailey of New Sharon won \$100.00 for making the best record in a contest Mrs. J. B. Robinson of Oxford, to Richof sweet corn growing, among young

farmers 19-21 years inclusive. This contest which has been conducted by the club department of the University of Maine, Agricultural Extension Service, is a new departure in Maine Agriculture. It has been productive of much good. Accurate figures of costs have been kept and a study of a good exhibit has been made by the competi-tors. It has also helped to do its share in food production.

A very close second to Bailey is Leon ard Doughty of Norway. Others who for the beautiful flowers. qualified as County Champions placed as

Lewis Berry, Livermore Falls. Chester Bean, Mt. Vernon. Merl Thorp, Raymond.

Bailey's record shows a production of 4983 pounds of cut corn for the acre with a profit of \$183.24. The totals of all contestants reporting are 85277 lbs of cut corn with a profit of \$2245.66. averaging \$70.17 per acre. This is the product of 32 acres cultivated by the

A Norway Boy Wins Scholarship. Five boys have proven their ability as Sweet Corn growers, leading all other members of the Boys' Sweet Corn Clubs of the state. These scholarships were offered for the third time by the Maine Canners' Association.

The winners of the scholarships are:
William L. Russell, East Gray, \$100.00

Clarence Titcomb, Farmington, Blisworth Carville, North Leeds, J. Leslie Willett, Norway, Hazen Ayer, Union, It is the second consecutive year that Russell has won the first position. The same is also true of Titcomb. These boys have had a battle the past two years; previous to that time Titcomb had shown his superiority by capturing the first money. Willett had also won a place years ago.

sisted us in our re and for the beautiful floral tributes, espe-cially the Mason Manufacturing Company and the Odd Fellows.

BERT CORDWELL. MRS. M. C. TITUS.

Oxford Pomona Grange.

Allen's Foot Ease, the antiseptic powder and get rest and comfort for tired, aching, swollen mona Grange will be held with Franklin Grange at Bryant's Pond February 4.

Snake into Your Shoes

CASTORIA for infants and Children.

Signature

Signature

Of Castorian Signat

NORWAY.

the head of Main Street Friday night and broke her right wrist. The fracture was promptly reduced, and is doing as well as could be expected, and is not

very painful.

A resolve was presented to the state legislature by Representative Arthur E. Forbes authorizing the state to purchase Miss Deborah Rowe is at Dr. A. A.
Cobb's hospital in Auburn.
Private Floyd Haskell has received his lischarge from the service and has ar-

rived home from Spartanburg, S. C. Private Russell H. Betbell has received his discharge from the service and has returned from Camp Upton. He is suf-fering from a wound in the knee by be-log hit by a motor cycle.

The engagement of Ensign Arthur B.
Favor of the United States Navy and a resident of Brockton, Mass., to Miss Hazel S. Kirkpatrick of Philadelphia is announced. Ensign Favor is a son of Henry Favor, a native of Norway, and

well known in town.

Ralph Jacobs, United States Navy, has been spending a short furlough in town. Norway's vital statistics show the fol-Mr. Cordwell had worked for the Paris lowing figures: births, males 33, females Manufacturing Company about 25 years.

31, in all 64; marriages 36; deaths in town 63, and reported from other towns Fred S. Brown attended the meeting

of the Maine Retail Dry Goods Association in Waterville on Tuesday last week The association listened to a talk on th oming season's styles and fabrics by W. H. Montgomery of New York.

It is reported from Washington tha when the national guard and national

army organizations have been disbanded their battle flags will be given into the custody of the states from which a majority of the men forming the organizations came. That being the case the battle flags of the 103d United States Infantry, which was formed very largely from the old Second Maine Infantry, o which Company D of Norway was a unit will be given into the custody of the State of Maine. The following officers of the Universal

ist parish have been elected: Clerk—Frank E. DeCoster.
Parish Committee—W. Maford Mann, Charles
G. Blake, George H. Cullinan.
Treasurer—James N. Favor.
Collector—Frank E. DeCoster.
Music Com.—Mrs. Frank Kimball, Mrs. Clarence H. Downing and Mrs. S. A. Danforth.
Local committee on national movement—G.
Leon Curtis, Stephen B. Cummings, James N.
Favor, Stuart W. Goodwin and Donald B.
Partridge.

The following officers of Mt. Hope Rebekah Lodge have been installed by Mrs. Gertrude Libby and staff:

N. G.—Mrs. Harriet Brown.
Sec.—Mrs. Eva M. Kimball.
Treas.—Mrs. Hattle M. Sawyer.
W.—Mrs. Della McAllister.
Con.—Mrs. Grace B. Bennett.
Chap.—Mrs. Laura F. Brown.
R. S. N. G.—Mrs. Gertrude M. Hosmer.
L. S. N. G.—Mrs. Eldora Brett.
I. G.—Mrs. Gladys W. Bich.
O. G.—G. Julian Brown.
Hop. Bestrand G. McIntira has

Hon. Bertrand G. McIntire has been in Springfield, Mass., attending the meeting of the Federal Land Bank. Up to December first, business in the shape of bonds paid to farmers was upward of \$6,000,000. Loans asked for and in pro-cess of delivery, \$15,000,000. In Maine over \$1,000,000 has been asked for, and three-fourths of a million has been paid to farmers. There are fifteen associations in Maine given certain territory, the secretaries of which make the loans using the district federal bank as a

source of supply.

Eugene E. Andrews, manager of outside operations of the Connecticut Valley Lumber Company, was in town Tuesday to close a deal involving a tract of 900 acres of forest at Pittsburg, Vt. The winter has been ideal for lumbering ing the past two years.
Dr. A. W. Easton of the Naval Medical

Reserves stationed at Hingham, Mass., was at home a few days last week. Vivian W. Hills was elected a trustee of the State Association of Optometrists News was received in Norway last week of the death of Mrs. Lloyd G. Bal-

four, which occurred at Attleboro, Mass., of pneumonia. She had spent several summer seasons at Lake Pennessee-wassee. Mrs. Balfour was a talented musician and entertainer. The burial was at Indianapolis, Ind., in which city she was born Nov. 22, 1888. Lewey M. Cox, Co. D, 103d Infantry, has been discharged from Camp Devens and has arrived in town. He entered the Federal Service April 13, 1917, and

There will be a wrestling bout at the Opera House this evening.

Work on installing the new electric
pump at the Norway Water Power Stawater. There is seven feet of water in

the basement of the station, which is usually dry at this time of year. The Masquerade Ball at the Opera House Wednesday evening was one of the finest ever given in the village. The costumes were striking and original, embracing all kinds of personalities. More than 100 couples danced, and standing room in the gallery was sold out early in the evening. Music was furnished by the Æolian Orchestra, Grace Dean director and violin, Roy Edwards cornet, Harold Anderson piano, George Soper

Samuel Klain of Fort Leavitt was home on a furlough last week.
Sergeant Elden D. Hall, Co. C, 317th
Field Signal Battalion, has been cited for bravery in repairing telephone lines under shell fire.

The engagement of Miss Leotine Bear The en for bravery in repairing telephone lines trice Robinson, daughter of Mr. and

ard Jordan Stiles of Pittsburg, Pa., formerly of Norway, is announce The following officers of Oxford Lodge Ark Mariners, No. 1, have been elected Ven. Pat.—George F. Hathaway.
A. Master—W. S. Cordwell.
A. Mate—Arthur W. Easton.
Treas.—Lee M. Smith.
Sec.—Frank J. Cook.

Card of Thanks. We wish to thank our neighbors and riends for all kindnesses shown us during our late bereavement, and especially MR. AND MRS. AUGUST CUMMINGS. The Stevens Pharmacy

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale and sickly. For pure blood, sound digestion, use Burdock Blood Bitters. \$1.25 at all stores.

Born. In Pittsburg, Mass., Jan. 26, to the wife of Harlow D. Adkins, a son. In West Sumner, Jan., to the wife of Owen Bonney, a son. In East Hebron, Jan. 14, to the wife of Shirley Tirrell, a daughter.
In Mexico, Jan. 10, to the wife of Arthur

In East Brownfield, Jan. 18, Mrs. Lillian Han mon of Brownfield to Augustus Colby of Der mark.
In Rumford, Jan. 15, Freeland A. Dunning of Rumford and Miss Edna Rose Wade of Free-

In Newport News, Va., Jan. 5, Waiter David Sturtevant, formerly of Bethel, aged 20 years, 6 months, 2 days.
In Chicago, Ill., Jan. 16, Albert E. Shephard, formerly of Grover Hill, Bethel, aged 22 years, 8 months, 28 days.
In Denmark, Jan. 14, Frank G. Kenison, aged about 64 years. oys have had a battle the past two
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ad shown his superiority by capturing the first money. Willett had also
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The property of Howensel, Jan. 16, Frank G. Renison, aged
about 64 years. In Rezar Falls, Jan. 5, Cyrus L. Durgin,
formerly of Brownfield.
In Norway, Jan. 23, Mrs. Murray Russell, aged
65 years, 9 months, 22 days.
In Becknield, Jan. 18, Mrs. Frances A. Swan,
wife of Ambrose Swan, aged 69 years, 17 days.
In Portiand, Jan. 11, Charles D. Cordwell,
formerly of Bouth Paris, aged 58 years.

formerly of South Paris, aged 38 years.

In Mexico, Jan. 12, Joseph Reil.

In Warren, N. H., Jan. 12, Dr. Herbert M.

Howes, formerly of Mexico, aged 28 years, 15
days.

In Rumford Falls, Jan. 5, Laughlin Shea.

In Rumford, Jan. 15, Mrs. Esther Glover.

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be assured of courteous and attentive treatment that is in no

sense of the word importune. You can look and try on

clothes, and if you wish to wait till a later date, or look

elsewhere, we will part good friends. You will not be

subjected to the efforts of salesmen, in an effort to sell you

necessary to go even further than a square deal. Pro-

gressive styles, dependable fabrics and high grade tailoring

is better than "good enough"-and that is why we pin

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They will make a strong appeal to the man who

knows real value, and that real economy is gauged by

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will find plenty of clothes here; the kind

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comfortable. A large assortment for you

Sweaters, all colors,.....\$1 to \$9

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Norway

Manufacturer.

The Farmer,

has been duly appointed administrator of the cetate of JOHN N. THOMPSON, late of Dixfield, in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

GEORGE N. THOMPSON, January 21st, 1919.

48 NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of BOPERD KAHKONEN, late of Paris, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

LAURI IMMONEN, West Paris, Me January 21s', 1919.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that sheas been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of

CARLS. BRIGGS, late of Paris,
in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. ment immediately.
IDA D. BRIGGS, South Paris, Me.
January 21st, 1919.
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**Cottons and Cotton Goods** 

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40-inch Lockwood at.....24c yard 36-inch Portland at.....ge yard Bleached Cottons.

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75c values in Winter Underwear at 50c. 1 lot Summer Vests, 25c value at 15c.

Kimona Aprons and House Dresses Serge Dresses, choice in Wool Serge Dresses to close out for

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EDWARD J. BISHOP, Brownfield, Me. January 21st, 1919.

Has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of FRANK L. MASON, late of Porter, in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

John STANLEY, JR, Hiram, Maine.

January 21st, 1919.

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Few lots at special prices.

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W. H. EASTMAN. East Support Me.

w. H. EASTMAN, East Sumner, Me. January 21st, 1919. The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of CHARLES E. TOLMAN, late of Paris, in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons to the County of Oxford, deceased.

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FRANK E. SARGENT, South Hiram, Me.

January 21st, 1919

January Sale

Beginning Tuesday, Jan. 21

ity.

36-inch Lockwood at..... yard

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Chemises, all very much reduced from regular prices.

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DEAN JUDSON TOLMAN,

January 21st, 1919.

Boston, Mass.

January 21st, 1919.

SAMUEL H. EATON, late of Oxford, in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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ARTHUR A. OARVER, Winthrop, Maine.

December 17th, 1918.

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South Paris.

Chocolate. But you can have vanilla or nutmeg, or you can use half a cup of cocoanut, or a cup of raisins. We usually, as I said, use chocolate; my wife dissolving three squares of the unsweetened in not quite half a cup of boiling water, and adding it to the milk. Of course, with the whites of the eggs you make a meringue for the top of the pudding."

"And the hash?" I said eagerly.

He smiled again.



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Doctor's

fine, but not put through a meat grinder, or any other process that threatens to reduce it to a paste; each particle of meat should be separate and distinct. Then when this is chopped thoroughly, an equal amount of boiled potatoes must be added, and, if you like the flavor, a small onlon, chopped fine, or if not that, then half of a green pepper without the seeds, and a little catsup.

Mix the meat and potatoes together and sprinkle with salt, pepper and paprika. Before putting the bash into a frying pan, melt a tablespoonful of butter in the pan. If the mixture is very dry, a little milk can be added or a little stock. Stir frequently, till the mixture "The Children's Hospital of Port- fine, but not put through a meat grinder,

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indebted thereto and immediately.

ERNEST L. CARPENTER,

Welchville, Maine.

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We, the undersigned, having been duly apointed by the Honorable Addison E. Herrick, udge of Probate within and for said County, refuse to open and close with ease, take Reginal L. Cum.
County, deceased, edges.—E. E. J., North Escanaba, Mich. to estate has been represented insolvent, by give public notice agreeably to the order of Judge of Probate, that six months from fiter December 17th, A. D. 1918, have been ed said creditors to present and prove their and that we will attend to the duty as it us at the Law Office of Wright & Shaw its Paris, Maine, on Saturday, March 1st, and on Saturday, May flat, 1919, at ten of ock in the forence of each of the said HARRY M. SHAW, Commissioners. | Se bot water as you wish on them without fear of their breaking,—M. V. W., Carthage, N. Y.

HOMEMAKERS COLUMN. NEW ENGLAND NEWS

Interest From Al Sections of Yankeeland

(By Blanche Theodore.)

I had the baked apple of my life the other night in a restaurant. I know it sounds incredible, and yet it came on luscious, mellow, the slightly browned skin curling enticingly from the "meat" of the apple, which looked for all the world like flaky snow with tipy crystals of ice sprinkled over it! Sounds good, doesn't it? Online foreign to the manal Monte Cross of Phila been engaged to coach the University doesn't it? Quite foreign to the usual run of baked apples, the skin of which sometimes resembles parchment, the interior nothing which in any way pleases the palate. And this wonder apple distinctly did please the palate. The particles, which resembled tiny crystals, ware angar glazed by the cooking proof Maine baseball team next season the university athletic board announced. This will be his fourth year at Maine.

"Little Things."

were sugar, glazed by the cooking pro-cess. And it was warm; showing that, wonder of wonders, it had not been

As I ate it I thought of all the baked

apples I had eaten, not only in restau-rants, but in private homes, and I was forced to confess that even in private

homes seldom had I seen such an apple

article of food was simple and easily

prepared they took no time over it?
Wishing to see the proprietor of the restaurant, whom I knew, and remember-

ing that baked apple, I went back to that same restaurant for my dinner. I will

say nothing about that dinner, the tooth-

about the apple. "It was only when

went into several private homes and tried to eat their unpalatable baked apples, that I realized that might also be added to the list. It is only that it takes a little more time, and, if you want to be fancy for the home, a little

more material, that the majority of peo-ple do not see the possibilities of the baked apple. In a home I would core

the apple and peel it, not as I did for the

restaurant, but one-third of the way down. Then I would put it in a sauce-pan with two good tablespoonfuls of

sugar and not quite half a cup of water. This much water and sugar for each ap-

ple, for of course you will have more than one. Then I cover and cook until

tender, but not until broken. Then I take them gently from the saucepan and

put them in an open pan, like a dripping pan, pouring the syrup around them and sprinkling with granulated sugar. Then I put them in a hot oven, but I watch

hem jealously, so as to allow the sugar,

which I have sprinkled on them to glaze, and maybe to brown a trifle. Then, of course, I take them off to cool and serve. They make, I assure you, an incompara-ble dessert. In the home I would serve

cream with them; and sometimes I

nuts or raisins."

would stuff their cores with chopped

He smiled.
"My children like chocolate," he said,
"so the flavoring in my home is usually

ling.
I have had the apple!

Helpful Hints.

enclose 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Snemetal Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup. Foley Kidney Pilla and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold Everywhere. wounds sustained in the great war is probably held here by a Polish soldier, now somewhere in France, who has 153 wounds to his credit, according to Sergt. Malcolm Reed of Worcester A certificate of incorporation of

the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company, organized to take as I was eating. Was it because house-wives were careless, that because an Street Railway company, now in the Street Railway company, now in the hands of a receiver, has been filed with the secretary of state.

The Vermont Social Workers' conference in session at Montpelier voted to urge the legislature to enact a law for compulsory medical examination gravy, the unbelievably flaky mashed of children in schools. The state alotatoes, because I want to get to the ready has a law providing for such point of my story, my interview with the chef. I persuaded my friend to let me see him after the rush hours were over. And this was what he told me an examination if parents do not ob-

Service between Boston and the apropos of the "simple things that were spoiled just because of their simplicity."

"I have always said the despised by the White Star line is to be resumed about the middle of Pohymery with steamships Canopic things, like the bashes and the bread February with steamships Canopic puddings, could be made as delicious as the most complicated dessert," he said, ships had been identified with that smilingly, as I asked him rather eagerly trade many years and were taken over for war work. Among the suits entered in

supreme court at Portland is one brought by Admiral Robert E. Peary for \$7000 against Ellery D. and William D. Libby of that city. Admiral Peary asks for damages on the plea that he has been denied possession of certain property on Spring street The highest wages paid in the wool-

en industry are paid by the American Woolen Company. They range from \$12.10 per week, paid only to inexcough hung on. Some one advised Foley's Honey and Tar. I have comperienced boys and girls, to \$60 a per week for those of higher skill. These figures apply to mill operatives, and do not include department heads and overseers. It has been discovered that the re-

ceiving tomb in Mt. Pleasant cemetery in Dexter, Me., was broken into three caskets pried open and jewelry taken from the bodies of the dead. Tracks in the snow leading from the tomb were to be seen but drifting snow has partially covered them and efforts to trace them any great distance failed,

Hay is selling at \$40 a ton in Warcester, the highest price ever attained The crop last year for Worcester county was short, and the cost of most children abbor it. It cannot be made in the restaurant, as the REALLY BEST apple cannot be made, because of the lack of time. All I can really the prices up. achieve with the apple, is the perfect the prices up.

A jury in the third session, superior that can be used in the home, nor stuff court, before Judge Fessenden in senger, "may I get out and pick some Boston, returned a verdict for \$15,975 flowers?" "Afraid you won't find many ding: I soak one slice of bread about an for the plaintiff in the suit of Mrs. inch and a half thick, broken, in cold water until soft. Then I drain the water Rose S. Treanor against the Travelers Insurance Company. The suit from it, squeeze dry and crumble to bits. I scald three cups of milk, add three-quarters a cup of granulated sugar, a tablespoonful and a half of butter, a was brought upon a policy of accident insurance covering injury and death generous pinch of sait, and the yolks of to Peter C. J. Treanor. The verdict three eggs, well beaten. I pour this is the largest ever given in this state over the crumbled bread, beat well, and on an accident policy of this nature.

The Samuel M. Durgin farm on Elm Hill in Paris. Lot of growing wood and timber, some ready to be cut. This farm must be sold to settle estate. Inquire of

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Four of the crew of the United States shipping board steamship Castalia, disabled off Sable Island, were lost in the rescue of the ship's company by the steamers Bergensfjord and Wan Fijian. Fred Stone fjord and Wan Fijian. Fred Stone of Andover, N. H., John Tomacavitch of Oliphant, Pa., and Benjamin Silverman of Roxbury, Mass., died of exhaustion and Andrew Cobb of Ware Shoals, S. C., was drowned.

Mrs. Gladys C. Dunn, wife of J. Ailen Dunn, magazine and scenario writer, has been indicted by the grand jury in Pittsfield, Mass., in connection with the fatal shooting He smiled again.

"Hash is another very appetizing dish," he said, "if prepared properly. But the secret of good hash is care spelled with capital letters. Every smallof her son, J. Allen Dunn, Jr., aged 3, at the Dunn villa in Lenox last August. The exact nature of the indictment was not divulged by Dist, Atty. Elly, as Mrs. Dunn who is out on \$8000 bail, was absent when the

est piece of bone, gristle or skin must be removed from the particles of meat, or the hash will be tough, as we so often find it. Then the meat must be chopped Following a hearing before Massachusetts state board of arbitration and conciliation into strike of employes of the General Electric company in Pittsfield the board recommended that the company receive back within two weeks from all its employes who went on a strike on December 19, and that they be taken back without discrimination. Both sides were instructed to report to the board in writing at the expiration of the two weeks what progress

dry, a little milk can be added or a little stock. Stir frequently, till the mixture is heated thoroughly, and then pat down and draw to a less hot place on the range. Cook slowly until one side is a golden brown, and then fold over as you would an omelette and serve immediately. Be sure and have catsup on the table. I'll guarantee, if you follow these directions, you'll have hash you never tasted before."

And remembering the baked apple, I mentally agreed. I already felt the shameless desire for hash and bread pudding.

Bepresentative Nichols of Fitchburgh in the fit of Fitchburgh in the following has introduced a bill aimed at the "moonlight" and other "feature numbers" at dancing resorts. It provides that it shall be unlawful at any public or private dance to have the "hall, room, plazza, roof garden or other place in which the dance is held, or any stairway, ante-room or passage way connected therewith or available to dancers, darkened in whole or in part during the progress. of the dancing, or until the premee are vacated thereafter."

To Double Closet Room.—Saw a broom-handle the proper length and put up across the back of the closet about a foot from the wall. A pole a yard long will held about twenty coat-hangers, which keep the clothes in much better

Basing his opinion on the recent dismissal of Judge Dana of two of the counts in the indictment in the "fish trust" cases. Atty.—Gen, Attwill, in his annual report to the Massachusetts Legislature, declared that it seems annual report to the Massachusetts Legislature, declared that it seems which keep the clothes in much better condition than when they hung on regulation closet hooks. If waists and dresses are put upon hangers immediately after being ironed, their appearance is much improved.—K. T. C., Portland, Ore.

Legislature, declared that it seems to be finally determined that there is no criminal law in Massachusetts that forbids "combinations or conspiracies made for the purpose of monopoliting or unreasonably enspiracles made for the purpose of monopolizing or unreasonably en-To Remove Finger-Marks on Doors .-Rub finger-marks on Doors.—
Rub finger-marks on doors with a clean piece of fiannel dipped in kerosene and they will disappear. Afterward wipe them with a cloth wrung out in hot water to take away the odor of oil. This is a better plan than using sosp and water, as the oil does not destroy the paint. Kerosene will also be found excellent for cleaning varnished doors.—
Mrs. B. H., Fullerton, Md.

hencing the price of necessities of life, notwithstanding the conspiracy is extered into during the time of scarcity of food or during a public catestrophe." Mr. Attwill therefore recommends that the General Court enact a new anti-monopoly law.

Lines to Be Remembered.

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ne women are wearing these days ought

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time," replied the jovial passenger-"I've brought a packet of seeds."

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