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C. W. & F. L. MASON.

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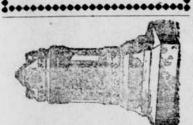
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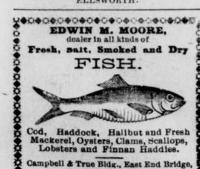


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BOSTON FERN this spring? Call at

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We always have a full line of such goods as we carry, and are always ready to fill every want, whether groceries, provisions, paints, oils or carpets and rugs. But for this week we shall pay particular attention to our seeds-in fact we shall keep well supplied right through the seed season.

IN GARDEN SEEDS we have everything.

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Our Paints, Oils and Wall Papers are giving good satisfaction this spring.

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Adum notice—Est Sherman R Downing.

"Est Henry C Wood,
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"Est Aphia E Dow.

Exc notice—Est Mary D Henry.
"Est Sarah L Tucker.
"Est Batley R Closson.
"Est Wm H Wing.
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M Gallert—Dry goods, hoots and shoes.
G A Farcher—A pothecarte.
Wiggin & Moore—A pothecartes.
A W Greely—Simmons watch chain.
H W Dunn—Cemetery work.
Elisworth Dental Parlors—Dentistry.
U L Morang—Dry goods, boots and shoes.
NORTH BROOKSVILLE:
Unas E Snow, John P Dodge—To whom

Chas E Snow, John P Dodge-To whom it

SCHEDULE OF MAILS AT ELLSWORTH POST-OFFICE. In effect October 12, 1903.

GOING EAST-7.16 a m and 6.13 p m. GOING WEST-11.56 a m, 5.56 and 9.48 p m. MAIL CLOSES AT POST-OFFICE. GOING EAST-6.30 a m and 5.30 p m. GOING WEST-11.20 a m and 5 and 9 p m.

THE AMERICAN is on sale in Ellsworth at the news stands of C. H. Leland, J. A. Thompson and H. W. Estey. Single copies, cents; subscription price \$1.50 per year in advance.

No Sunday trains.

M. Gallert's new store will be opened next Saturday.

Miss Mary A. Stockbridge is visiting friends in Bangor.

Mrs. S. A. Goodwin and Miss Ruth have returned from Boston. E. P. Spofford, of Deer Isle, was in the

city Saturday on business. The literature club met with Miss Mary F. Hopkins Monday evening.

Judge L. A. Emery, who has been holding court in Rockland, is at home. The Abraham Lincoln study club me

with Rev. S. W. Sutton Friday evening. A supper will be served at the Congre gational vestry at 6 o'clock this evening. The ladies of the Unitarian society held

a sale of cooked food at the vestry Satur-

day. Dr. George A. Phillips and wife, of Bar Harbor, were in town Saturday on busi-

Mrs. C. F. Davis, of Newport, has been the guest of her aunt, Miss Frances Grant, the past week.

Mrs. Barlow Hall is in Washington, D. C., called there by the illness of her daughter Miss Isabel.

Mrs. C. H. Closson went to Calais last Saturday, word having been received that her husband was til there.

Charles W. Campbell returned Saturday to Orono, to resume his studies at the U of M., where he is a sophomore.

Dr. Lewis Hodgkins, with his little son Norris, is in Bangor, where the lad has undergone a surgical operation. The plumbing of the addition to Sena

tor Hale's library is being done by Leighton & Davenport, of Bar Harbor. Hereafter the Methodist society will

hold its services in the Free Will Baptist church instead of in Odd Fellows ball. Rev. David Kerr preached his farewell sermon at the Baptist church Sunday evening to a large and appreciative audi-

The horse owned by Charles I. Welch did a lively turn down State and Water streets Friday, damaging the carriage to

some extent. Mrs. N. C. King entertained a whist party last Monday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs. E. F. Robinson and

Last night's rain carried off the last of Saturday's snow, but to-day winter has started in again, and snow once more

covers the ground. Herbert M. Staples has been appointed to the vacancy made by the promotion of George P. Smith as manager of the

Reliable Clothing Co. Frank E. Davis, of Boston, chief engineer of the steamer Ransom B. Fuller, of the Eastern Steamship Co., is the guest of

his sister, Mrs. E. E. Rowe. Mrs. F. W. Stanton is visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. H. J. Joy. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Bessie Joy, who has been visiting her.

The weekly rehearsal of the Elisworth fest val chorps will be held at Manning hall this evening at 7.30, instead of on

Adbertisements.

A Bargain

rack and sponge in our window? They are selling like hot cakes. Fifteen cents buys one of the sponges with the rack thrown in. Come early as we have only a limited Supply.

Have you seen the sponge

Wiggin & Moore,

DRUGGISTS.

Corner opposite postoffice.

Thursday as usual. The change is made pecause Director-in-Chief W. R. Chapman wired this morning that he could be here to-night. A full attendance is urgently requested.

Rev. H. N. Pringle, of Eastport, secretary of the civic league, will give an address at the union service at the Baptist church Sunday evening, May 1.

A farewell supper was tendered Rev David Kerr at his home Monday evening About sixty guests were present. Mr. Kerr lef: Tuesday noon for the West.

Charles E. Belletty, of Boston, spent Monday and Tuesday with his parents, C. A. Bellatty and wife. Mr. Bellatty is with the H. B. Humphrey advertising agency. The ladies' circle of the Methodist

church has been postponed from Thursday to Friday of this week. It will meet with Mrs. Edmund Hopkins, School street Whitcomb, Haynes & Co., Charles J. Treworgy and Bernard S. Jellison have

recently purchased the small coaster Lucy Elizabeth. She is expected in the rive this week. Rebecca Moore Avery, widow of Mirick Avery, who has been seriously ill from hemorrhage of the nose for several

weeks at her home on High street, is slowly recovering. T. F. Mahoney, of this city, was one o the secretaries of the third district convention held at Waterville last week when Hon. E. C. Burleigh was renomi-

nated for Congress. Assistant Superintendent F. H. Macand Frank Heath, of the Metropolitan insurance company, attended the reception given by Superintendent L. Rooney

in Bangor last Thursday. Capt. A. W. Hutchings is at home from Bangor while his vessel, the Melissa Trask, is discharging her cargo of cement. From Bangor the Trask will go to La-

moine to load staves for New York. The remains of Hazel P., the sevenyear-old daughter of Emery F. Gray and wife, of Bangor, were taken to West Ellsworth last Thursday where funeral ser-

vices were held at 2.30 in the afternoon. A special meeting of Esoteric lodge will be held in the Manning block this even ing to take action upon the death of Oliver C. Donnell, who died yesterday at East Franklin. A full attendance is

The graduation parts of the senior class of the high school have been assigned as foil w : Valedictory, Ruel Bridges; salutatory, Philip Jordan; historian, Mary Ann Campbell; prophet, Howard W

Dann, jr.

A aemogratic caucus will be held in Hancock hall Saturday evening for the purpose of electing delegates to attend ne district convention to be held in Fairfield May 6, and for such other business as may come before the caucus.

Street Commissioner Newman has bought a new road machine, from a firm n Bangor. The machine, which is up to date in every particular, will be used on the roads about the city, and the old one will be sent to Branch pond to do duty in that section.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Congrega tional church met at the parsonage yesterday afternoon with the pastor, Rev. J. M. Adams. Mrs. C. M. Hodgman and Mrs. G. P. Dutton were the readers. ca was served at 5 o'clock. The next neeting will be with the president, Mrs. L. A. Emery. Winthrop, the eighteen-months-old son

of Frederick A. Coombs and wife, of East Orange, N. J., died last Wednesday afteron actual occurrences in the daily routine
of life in a New England village. The
central figure is an outcast, whose life has day and placed in the receiving tomb at Woodbine cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. combs, who were former residents of E isworth, have the sympathy of their arge circle of friends here.

Esoteric lodge hald one of the most incresting meetings of the season at its oms last Thursday evening. The fa nous third degree was worked in a creditble manner, followed by a supper in the banquet room. Many court people were present and helped to make the evening ass pleasantly with speeches and funny stories. George B. Stuart was toast-

Assistent-Postmaster Fred H. Lord, to went to Boston last week for a rest ad medical aid, is seriously ill at the nome of his friend E. M. Gordon in Metose. His sister, Miss Agnes A. Lord, left Monday to be with him. A letter received his morning states that he is comfort ble, but very weak, although in good pirits. He will return to Elisworth as oon as he is able to travel.

What might have proved a disastrous are was prevented by the prompt action of neighbors of Capt. W. P. Woodward ast week. The family were out, with the exception of Mrs. Woodward, who was asleep on the couch. The hall lamp, which was left lighted, caught fire. The reflection was seen by neighbors, who rushed in and threw a rug over it. The damage was slight and is covered by in-

Rev. Arthur H. Coar, a former pastor of the Unitarian church in Ellsworth, but now of the Farmington Unitarian church, has been appointed superintendent of schools in that town . Mr. Coar is well fitted for the position. He is a graduate of the Harvard divinity school. Much of his education he received in the schools in Germany. During his pastorate in Elisworth he married Miss Elizabeth, daughter of the late Sullivan D. Wiggin.

The funeral of Raymond Richardson, who was drowned at Mariaville last week by the giving away of the bulkhead of by the giving away of the bulkhead of Twynham dam, was attended by a delegation of Lygonia lodge, of which the and 50 cts.

deceased was a member. The funeral was HANCOCK S. J. COURT. beld at his late home in Mariaville Thurs day. Interment was at Aurora. Mr Richardson was also a member of Red NOT A JURY TRIAL THE PAST Cross lodge, K. of P., of East Boston. He had many friends in Ellsworth who will sincerely mourn his loss.

RAISING THE RATES.

Insurance on Certain Kinds of Prop erty to be Increased.

The Hancock county insuring public will naturally be sorry to learn of another increase in insurance rates. The fact that the companies have made little or no money in Maine for several years. and added to that the Baltimore fire depleting the earnings of so many companies has brought the increase about.

The increase on mercantile buildings stocks, mills, stables, and like business property is ten per cent. There seems to be no increase contemplated on summer hotel property, although that may come

Village property in Bar Harbor under hydrant protection, that was formerly one per cent. for four years, will now be written at one per cent. for three years.

Country property that has been written at 1 per cent. for three years will now be written at 11/2 per cent. for three years.

Summer residence property outside of fire department protection will now be written at 1 20 per cent. for three years instead of 1 per cent. for three years, as beretofore.

This rate for summer property has obtained in other countles of the State for several years. It is to be hoped that this increase will only last for a comparatively short time.

MORNING FIRE.

Michael Linnehan's House Totally Destroyed.

The house on Grant street owned and occupied by Michael Linnehan was totally destroyed by fire at 3 o'clock this morning. The loss is estimated at \$2,000; nsurance, \$600. Only a few articles of furniture on the

lower floor were saved. The entire wearing apparel of the family was burned, and the two hoys-Frank and David-had a narrow escape from being suffocated. How the fire started is not known, but

that it caught in the roof is apparent from the condition of the building when the firemen arrived.

AMUSEMENT NOTES. The New York Comedy Co., featuring Miss Pauline Hammond, will open a three nights' engagement at Hancock hall Thursday evening, April 28. The com pany is an exceptionally strong one, and will present several plays new to Elisworth audiences from the following repertorie: "The Power of Gold," a strong rural comedy of the "Old Homestead' type; 'The Mexican Outlaw', a western comedy drama-filled with exciting climaxes, but not a blood and thunder pisy; "An English Cousia," a farce com-edy tu l of bright, cean fun; "From Rag-to Riches," a moral pisy, snd "Ine Circus Giri", one of the cleverest of up-to-date comedies. Between the acts headline vaudeville features will be introduced the company also carries one of the most complete moving picture machines, and many new surjects while the shown. The advance sale of seats will begin at Wiggin & Moore's drug-store to-morrow morning.

Everybody's favorite comedian, George F. Hail, will be the attraction at Hancock nall Friday evening, May 6, in "A Ragged Hero". The story of this play is founded



een wrecked by a daughter's downfall. While he is the typical tramp and in-dulges in no end of antics and witticisms dulges in no end of antics and witticisms, the serious side of the story is never lost sight of by the dramatist. He has the faculty of bobbing up just at the right moment, and his heroic deeds are an important factor in the development of the plot. He is not the comic paper type of hobo, however, but an unfortunate fellow whose domestic troubles have driven him to drink first and then to the road. He is a geoial character, not hwithstanding his a genial character, nothwithstanding his many faults. Numerous opportunities are presented by the story for thrilling scenes and exciting climaxes, and they have been fully taken advantage of.

COMING EVENTS.

Wednesday, April 20, at the Congrega-tional vestry—Supper by ladies' circle.

Thursday, April 28, Odd Fellows hall— Fair, supper and entertainment by the Daughters of Liberty. Admission to hall 10c. Supper tickets 25c.

Thursday Friday and Saturday April 20c.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Aoril 28, 29 and 30, at Hancock hall—The New York Comedy Co., supporting Pauline Hammond in repertoire. Tickets at Wiggin & Moore's. Popular prices, 10c, 20c and 30c.

EVERYTHING SETTLED OUT OF COURT-MILLIKEN' CASE WILL NOT BE TRIED-DEFENDANT DISCHARGED.

THE COURT. THE COURT.

Presiding Justice—A. M. SPEAR, Gardiner.
Clerk—John F. Knowlton.
County Attorney—B. E. Tract.
Sheriff—H. F. Wiltfoom.
Crier—Herbert T. Silsby, Aurora.
Deputies — James A. Hill, Gouldeborg;
Herbert T. Silsby, Aurora; Walter A.
Snowman, Buck-port; John Suminser, Bar
Harror; D. L. Fields, Ellsworth.
Stenographer—F. L. Hayden, Portland.
Messenger—F. E. Tilden.

Seldom, if ever, has such a quiet term of court been held in Hancock county as the one now in session at the courthouse. Up to the present time only one-jury trial has been started and that is taking up two days, having begun Tuesday morning. Previous to Tuesday Justice Spear would enter court promptly at 9.30, glance sound the room, ask what had been or would be done with cases assigned for that day, and would almost invariably receive the answer: "That case,

your honor, has been settled. The judge would take another look around, and then excuse the jury until 9 30 the next morning. He would then retire to his private office to chat and smoke with the attorneys and court officials. Occasionally a divorce case would relieve the monotony of the proceedings. Saturday the grand jury reported eighteen indictments, most of which were for the filegal sale of intoxicating liquors. Most of these, however, for old offenders who should have been dealt with last October but could not be apprehended. Only one case was found where a man sold liquor between last October and the preseut term.

Pearl Brsley was arraigned in court Saturday afternoon on an indictment charging him with the larceny of several articles of jewelry and a bicycle. He pleaded not guilty, and was held for trial. Judge Spear appointed William E. Whiting counsel for the defendant.

Monday the same story was repeated In fact, the juries did not report until 2

o'clock in the affernoon. Tuesday morning the case of Alexander C. Hagerthy and J. T. Giles vs. John P. Webber was put on. This is a rather complicated case and involves \$2,000. In 1881 when lumbering operators were

hustling the defendant contracted for the bark on a tract of land in township 39, owned by H. M. Hall and Barlow Hall. The defendant was to have all the bark he could get off the land for a period of fifteen years. It the amount peeled would not reach 120,000 cords, the owners of the land were to repay him \$2,000.

The land, which was mortgaged, changed hands several times and finally came in to the possession of the plaintiffs. In the meantime the defendant claimed he could not get the amount of bark stated above off the tract and was paid the \$2,000 as agreed. The plaintiffs claim that he (the defend-

ant) could get the bark if he bad so desired, and are now suing to recover the \$2,000. Prominent lumbermen are among the witnesses, and their testimony differs greatly in regard to the amount of bark on the place now. A competent explorer says there is not over 200 cords of merchantable bark there. A prominent lumberman says there is 1,000 cords in each of

The case occupied all day Tuesday and will take until this evening to finish it. A. W. King and J. A. Peters are counsel

for plaintiff, and L. B. Dessy, of Bar Harbor, is counsel for defendant. Court will take a recess this afternoon until Friday morning. Judge Spear will return home, and the odds and ends of the term will be taken care of by Judge

Court will probably finally adjourn

Never judge a man's knowledge by the things he says. Dr. Harry A. Pike, of 36 Main street, Bangor, will be at the Relay house, Franklin, for the

next ten days, and test all eyes free of charge. Advertisements.

Along R. F. D.

Routes

No need of running to town every time drugs, medicines and household toilet articles are needed. Order by mail. The carrier will bring in your order one day, and bring back the goods next trip. Perfectly safe. A great convenience. Many of your neighbors are buying that way of us.

G. A. PARCHER,

APOTHECARY.

Ellsworth,

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week heginning April 24.

Topic.—What Christ can do for "dark-est Africa."—Isa. xlv, 11-19. The problem before Christian missions in Africa is a tremendously great one. This can be fully realized by a glance at some of the characteristics

of the dark continent. 1. The size of the continent makes its evangelization a great problem. "Africa is ninety times the size of Great Britain, over fifty times that of France or Germany, over five and a half times that of the United States, excluding Alaska, and over three times as large as all Europe." In these facts we find one proof of the great problem before

2. The greatness of the population adds to the difficulties. According to the most recent estimates the total population of Africa is over 160,000, 000. When we remember the time and labor required to Christianize the smaller and less populated countries of the earth we have some faint idea of the seriousness of the task when from 150,000,000 to 200,000,000 of people are involved.

3. The character of the people, the moral, social and political conditions in "darkest Africa," form the most difficult feature of the problem of Africa's salvation. Extent of territory and size of population are after all small factors if the people and conditions are favorable. But, alas, in Africa, as nowhere else, are they most unfavorable. Six different races are distinguishable—the negro, Fulah, Bantu, Hottentot, Semite and Hamite, the last two occupying the whole of morthern Africa. Outside of Christianity. Mohammedanism and heathenism prevail. Slavery and polygamy abound among the native tribes. The moral sense of the people is of the very lowest order. The continent has been partitioned among the European nations-England, France, Germany, Portugal, Italy and Spain. Nor has this political supremacy been alto gether for good. While it opens the doors of the country to the missionaries and affords them absolute protection, yet the introduction of rum and firearms has been the cause of incalculable harm. The Christian people of the world should demand that their governments protect those over whom they rule from danger and harm and cease placing within their reach that which causes their greatest destruction. The moral sense of a nation that can send a missionary and a barrel of rum on the same vessel to a people like those of Africa needs to be toned up, and the people of such nations hould demand that commercialism should not stand in the way of the moral and spiritual, physical and mental elevation of any people the world over. This done, and the cause of missions everywhere would receive such an impetus as it has scarcely ever received. The picture of Africa is a truly dark

one. Can Christ do anything for the dark continent? Most assuredly He can. He is the Light of the World and came to dispel its darkness. What He has done is a proof of what He can do. Civilizations in the main as low as those of Africa have been uplifted by gospel of Christ. Heathenism never prevailed under fouler conditions than it did in the Roman empire in the early Christian centuries, yet Christ conquered it. The native races of Europe, though stronger physically and mentally than the native Africans, were yet savage and heathen, in some cases offering human sacrifices to their But the world knows what Christ did for these races. The middle ages were conspicuous for their moral spiritual darkness, vet Christ them to a most glorious light. Africa itself has felt the to a. Over fifty missionary societies are at work on the dark continent, and in time, under the blessing of God, the gospel will reach every nation and tribe, and bring them out of the darkness of sin and superstition into the glorious light of the Christ, the Light of the World.

BIBLE READINGS Ps. ii, 1-12; lxxii, 8-15; Isa. xxxv, 1-7; Mi, 7-10; Matt. v, 14-16; xxviii, 19, 20; Acts i, 1-11; viii, 26-40; Rom. x,

14. 15; Rev. xxii. 17.

Rev. C. H. Hubbell, field secretary of the Ohio Christian Endeavor union, travels 17,000 miles a year in that state in the interest of the cause. Ohio has set for itself the inspiring task of securing 400 new societies before the state convention at Akron. Ohio's recipe for the tenth increase cam-

Our course will be WON if each will start ONE NEW society.

A Trio of Items.

In place of the usual evangelistic services for the winter Rev. J. F. Ber ry, pastor of the Fort Street Congrega ional church, Detroit, has organized his Endeavor society into praying bands, which will hold cottage prayer meetings throughout the parish.

The Portland (Me.) Christian Endeavor union is considering the question of securing a public fountain as a memo rial to Neal Dow and presenting it te the city of Portland. The state union heartily approves of this and promise co-operation in the work.

There are in America six Christian Endeavorers from the famous society in the Okayama orphanage of Japan, the institution established by that Japa-nese George Muller, Mr. Ishii. These six boys are pluckily earning their own support by rough work on the railroad and are trying to live up to the ideals of Christian Endeavor.

Mutual Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE".

its Motto: "Helpful and Hopeful."

The purposes of this column are succinetly stated in the title and motto-it is for the mutua nest, and alms to be helpful and hopeful Being for the common good, it is for the com mon use-a public servant, a purveyor of in formation and suggestion, a medium for the in terchange of ideas. In this capacity it solicit terchange of ideas. In this capacity it sounces communications, and its success depends largely on the support given it in this respect. Communications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permission. Communications will be subject to approval or rejection by the editor of the column, but now will be rejected without good reason. Address all communications to

THE AMERICAN, Ellsworth, Me.

Comfort one another, For the way is growing dreary, The feet are often weary, And the heart is very sad There is heavy burden bearing, When it seems that none are caring, And we half forget that ever we were glad. - Margaret E. Sangster

> It grows in fruitfulness
> As grows the gentle shower; What comfort it may bring For a kind word every day Makes pleasant all the year. Something each day -a deed Of kindness and of good, To link in closer bonds All human brotherhood Oh, thus the heavenly will We all may do white here, For a good deed every day Makes blessed all the year.

> > -Southern Churchman

nething each day-a word,

We cannot know its power;

Dear Friends: Is there any one so busy be or she cannot find time for one-even one-kind deed in a day? And if you should have time for two, why that would be seven hundred and thirty little kindsesses; now multiply that by all the readers of the M. B. column and the result would be-beyond my computation. The class in arithmetic is dismissed.

Dear Aunt Madge and the Column:

I should have written you before, but my nachine for making time gave out just as I signed my name to my last letter and had to be sent to the manufactory for repairs.

I want to thank the sisters who have given

me consolation by owning that they can't always keep house by rule. As for me, I don't see how it is possible. One may firmly resolve to do certain things at certain times, and never allow work to get behind, but what do such resolves amount to when sickness comes, unexpected company, accidents, the hundred and one things daily occurring to upset the best laid

plans? For me I would rather make a pleasant home than be a perfect housekeeper. I think it was "Aunt Maria" who described some one as a 'perfect housekeeper" but no "home-maker The influence of home, whether for good or evil, is everlasting; occasional disorder in its ap-pointments, a matter of small moment.

I am glad to be able to say that much of the work spoken of in my last letter is nicely done and off my mind, some mending, knitting, and much making are accomplished. I have made some calls, a visit, swept up the "caterpillars" of lint many times, and written dozens of letters, but I haven't made any battenburg or teneriffe lace, though the time for that may be waiting just "around the corner". And that reminds me of a quotation :

"Not by appointment do we meet Delight and

They heed not our expectancy; But round some corner on the streets of life They on a sudden clasp us with a smile."

"Aunt Maria," the part of my letter telling the part that told you what to use for a chang in flavoring ples, and instead of telling us, in effect, that you were born making that particu lar kind of crust, you should have gone to making apple pies, and told us how you liked the different things we told you to put into them

Then, Aunt Madge, did you notice how un blushingly she told us she had "two Adams" to mend for? Can it be possible she hasn't heard of the misfortunes of Mr Smoot?

Now a word as to the punctuation of my last letter, and I will try to come to a "full stop" in tts Divine Master and has responded to this one. I rather quarreled with the punctua tion of that in places. I don't know whether left out the marks intended, or the composite tried to improve on those used, and I called "May" a treasure instead of "treasurer" plainly.

I think the question: "How shall we mak our column more interesting?" has answered itself this winter by the increased interest of the writers for it, and greater promptness in writing

Now that busier days are before us, let us no forget this duty, and let us hear from those who haven't written for a long time. We miss their letters. Esther.

Your letter came in a most seasonable time, "Esther." Thank you sincerely for it. And I agree with you that the column -or rather the contributors to it-have answered the question of how to make it interesting themselves. That is excellent that you quote about "home makers' "perfect housekeepers", and it versus reminds me that in a charming letter (personal) I received a few days ago from a particular friend of the column and of myself, though she has never yet been to my home-she said she did not doubt that I was a "model housekeeper". "Esther," how easilylyou could undecleve her!

"Melissa" sent me a fine cook-book arranged and published by the ladies' aid

Professional Cards.

DR. BUNKER.

OF BAR HARBOR, wishes to announce that hereafter he will give special attention to the treatment of diseases of the

Eye, Nose, Throat and Ear. Office equipped with all the modern to

ments and appliances for the examination and treatment of these diseases.

Easy access to Bar Harbor hospital, where patients receive the best of care at reasonable

F. F. SIMONTON, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

- - MANNING BLOCK OFFICES. Residence, No. 9 Hancock St. TELEPHONE.

Abbertisements.



Mrs. Elizabeth H. Thompson, of Lillydale, N.Y., Grand Worthy Wise Templar, and Member of W.C.T.U., tells how she recovered by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I am one of the many of your grateful friends who have been cured through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and who can to-day thank you for the fine health I enjoy. When I was thirty-five years old, I suffered severe backache and frequent bearing down pains: if fact, I had bearing-down pains; in fact, I had womb trouble. I was very anxious to get well, and reading of the cures your Compound had made, I decided to try it. I took only six bottles, but it built me up and cured me entirely of my troubles.

"My family and relatives were naturally as gratified as I was. My niece had heart trouble and nervous prostration, and was considered incurable. She took your Vegetable Com-pound and it cured her in a short time and she became well and strong, and her home to her great joy and her hus band's delight was blessed with a baby I know of a number of others who have been cured of different kinds of female trouble, and am satisfied that your Compound is the best medicine for sick women." — MRS. ELIZABETH H. THOMPSON, Box 105, Lillydale, N.Y. \$5000 forfeit if original of above letter providentianess cannot be produced.

society of the Windsor Congregational church, of Windsor, Mass., and sold for the benefit of the society. I have intended try the following recipe which "Melissa" cal'ed my attention to, but will copy it here so that some of you may make use of it:

SALMON LOAF-One can salmon, butter size of an egg, 6 rolled crackers, 1 egg well beaten, salt and pepper. Mix crackers and butter with enough hot water to motsten them, add egg and soning, shred the salmon and mix ali to gether, wrap in a cloth and place on top of your boiling potatoes, cook twenty minutes, serve with drawn butter sauce.

SAUCE FOR SALMON LOAF-Beat 1/2 cup butter and 3 teaspoons of flour to a cream, pour over this 1 pint of boiling water, set on fire and heat but do not boll, add salt if needed.

I shall try this soon. I want to say to "C", of Mass., that she little realizes the interest that has been taken in the manufacture of "apple sauce cake". I have at idea that in this vicinity the number of loaves made would be nearly a hundred, and the unanimous verdict is that it is very nice.

With best wishes for the success of you all in house-cleaning when the "weather AUNT MADGE.

IMAGINATION.

Instances Showing How It Has Made

The domination of imagination over the normal exercise of the faculties is no new idea. Samuel Rogers suffered from a violent cold from the effects of what he believed to be an open window at his back, which in reality was closed. An instance of this known to the medical faculty is more strange still. Two men stayed at a house in which an immate had died of cholera One man placed in the room in which the patient had died was in ignorance of what had occurred. He slept well and was no worse. The other, wrong ly told that the room in which he slep was that in which the cholera patient had died, spent a night of mental agony and in the morning was actually found to be suffering from this com-

plaint. He died of cholera. A similar instance was mentioned the other day by a friend of the writer. Two London men stayed in the country at a house where scarlet fever was reported. One, an unimaginative healthy minded fellow, awoke all right in the morning. The other, a nervousensitive man, was very ill-had not slept and had broken out into a terrirash which both declared to be scarlet fever. A wire to a London medical man was dispatched, and by the first train he hurried down. supposed fever patient proved to have no fever at all beyond an imaginary one. As a fact, there was no scarlet fever in the house, the case had been wrongly diagnosed, and the frightened visitor had tortured himself into a vio lent rash, all without cause.-St. James Gazette.

You cannot sell shoddy for all wool thirty-two inches for a yard, thirty quarts for a bushel, or domestic for imported goods; you cannot cheat your employer o time or service or by not giving the best that is in you without compromising with

"What are you snorting at?" demanded the first seal. "O! these doctors are so ridiculous," replied the second seal glancing over an old newspaper he had ound on the ice. "Here's one in an interview in this paper who says it's foolbardy to go into the water after a hearty meal. How else does he suppose we'd get it?"

Humors come to the surface in the spring as in no other season. They don't run themselves all off that way, however, but mostly remain in the system. Hood's Sarsaparilla removes them, wards off danger, makes good health sure.—Advi

A CASE OF BLACKMAIL

[Original.]

Young Mrs. Varian while shopping left her bag, containing her purse and two letters-the one recently received. the other to be posted-on the counter. After awhile she came hurrying back. The salesman, a young man of very unprepossessing appearance. clothes had been renovated and cleaned to the point of respectability required by his employers, declared that he had not seen it, whereupon Mrs. Varian threatened to send to the office and have him searched.

"If you do you will bring suspicion on me and," he hesitated, then cast a piercing glance at the lady, "perhaps yourself.

Mrs. Varian paled. She remembered the letters.

"Madam," said the salesman in low tone, "when and where can I see you?"

She cast a withering glance at him, then gave her address, adding: "Tonight at 11. Come to the basement. How much shall I have ready?"

"Two thousand dollars." The lady's heart sank within her, for she knew she could not raise such a sum. But she went away without further effort to regain her property or to reduce the amount of the blackmail.

About 5 o'clock that afternoon a flashily dressed man stopped at the counter and while examining some silks looked up at the salesman with a surprised expression and asked, "Are you George Perks?"

"I am. "I'm Johnny Denico. I come from

the same town as you." Perks permitted Mr. Denico to claim acquaintance without protest, listening to what evidence he had as to his really being what he represented, listening without even a yes or no. When Denico concluded, "I'm alone in town; come and have a dinner with me,' Perks saw something tangible. He hadn't had a good dinner for years, and as Denico was willing to pay for one he was perfectly willing to trust to his professions till it was over. Elther the man had made a mistake or was trying to "do" him. After dinner he would break away.

At 6 o'clock Denico came back, the clerks swarmed out, and the two newly made friends were in the throng. Denico led the way to a restaurant, ordered a good dinner and while they were waiting for it concluded that it would be pleasanter to have a private room, which was secured. When Perks was well filled, Denico began to beat about the bush in a proposition he said he had to make, but at last came out plain:

"To tell the truth, George, this prosperity of mine is dependent upon a little game I'm playing. I've got a scheme for getting in people by a very ingenious advertisement, the real meaning of which is thinly conceal-

ed. Now I want a man". "That's your game, is it?" interrupt-"I knew from the first by your looks that you were no acquaintance of mine and that you were either going to bunko me or wanted me to join you in some confidence game. Mr. Denico-if that's your name-you've given me a first rate dinner, and on that account I'll not put the police on your track, but I want to tell you that I'm an honest man, working for a first class concern, and can't be tempted."

Perks drained his glass and, rising, took his hat from a book. Then turning he said: "Good evening, Mr. Denico. The next time you try to 'do' a man you'd better light on one that

can't see through a milistone.' "Sit down," said Denico, with a sud-

den change of manner and tone. Perks took fright at once and sprang for the door. Before he could open it he felt Denico's hand on his collar and the cold muzzle of a revolver pressed against his neck. Denico led him back to his seat and crammed him into it. Then he locked the door, put the key in his pocket and resumed his seat.

"I've failed to fool you as I hoped. I don't like my present method, It's dangerous, especially in this case. But I won't use that thing," putting the revolver in his pocket. "It's noisy. I'll try this." And he drew ten inches of polished steel from his breast pocket, the point of which made Perks shudder.

"This morning a lady left her bag at your counter. I don't believe you have dared leave it there. I made sure of you from the time you left the store, and I believe you have it on your per-

"I haven't" said Perks, trembling "I rolled it up in a bundle of silk goods. The wrapper girl found it and sent it to the office." "With everything in it?"

"You lie! Turn your pockets inside out."

Perks hesitated a moment, then, realizing that he was cornered, took two letters from his inside pocket and threw them on the table. Denico seized them eagerly, looked at the addresses, then smiled complacently. Stepping to the door, he unlocked it and held it open for Perks to pass out, helping him with a kick that nearly broke his spine.

The next morning he who had passed under the name of Denico stood with Mrs. Varian in her sitting room before an open log fire.

"There are our letters," he said. "Why all women who are indiscreet instead of a very few don't get caught I don't know. The way women carry their belongings would wreck a man every day of his life." She seized the letters and threw them

in the flame "That's the end of letter writing" she said. "Hereafter we'll talk what we have to say."

LESTER DILLON.

ELLSWORTH MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY, April 20, 1904. A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds, and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall

weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushes of potatoes good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds

in good order and it for shipping, is 60 pounds; of applies, 44 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and it for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, ruin-baga turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye and indian meal, 30 pounds; of paranips, 40 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 22 pounds, or even measure as by agreement. The prices quoted below are the retail prices at Ellsworth. Farmers can easily reckon from these what they are likely to receive in trade or eash for their products.

Country Produce.

Dairy
Cheese.
Best factory (new) per b
Eggs.
Eggs have taken a drop. The supply is good.
Fresh laid, per doz
Poultry.
Chickens

Turnips, B Beets, B Cabbare, Carrots, B Beans—per qt— Yellow-eye Pea, 08 04 10 50 25 Sweet potatoes, & Lettuce, Spinach, pk Ceiery,

25 Oranges, doz 12 Lemons doz Groceries.

Lumber and Building Materials. Lumber and Building Materials.

Lumber-per M—

Hemlock, 13-814

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Hemlock boards, 18-914

Spruce, 16-920

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Spruce, No. f, 50-940

Plne, 20-925

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Extra pine, 25-93

Matched pine, 20-925

Extra pine, 50-940

Laths-per M—

Cedar, 27-5

Hemlock, 20-94

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Hemlock, 20-94

" extra one, 16-9

Cement, per cask 15-9

" No. i, 12-5

Lime, per cask 20-94

" scoots, 7-5

Brick, per M 7-811

White lead, pr h. 05-96-18

Provisions. Pork, B.
Steak, B.
Chop,
Pigs' feet
Ham, per
Shoulder,
Bases Fresh Fish

Flour, Grain and Feed. Oats, bu
Oats, bu
Shorts—bag—1.15 #1 25
Mixed reed, bag
1 25 #1 30
Mixed reed, bag 1.60 Flour-per bbl-5 75 67 00 Corn, 100 h bag Corn meal, bag Cracked corn, Middlings, bag Cotton seed meal,

HEAT AND MOTION.

Gluten meal.

HEAT AND MOTION.

Various Theories About the Connection Between These Agents.

The idea that heat is a kind of motion was entertained by Plato, who makes Socrates say: "For heat and fire which generate and sustain other things are themselves begotten by impact and friction, but this is motion. Are not these the origin of fire?"

Bacon defined heat to be "a motion acting in its strife upon the smaller particles of bodies." Newton, Boyle and Hooke considered heat to be motion. Locke described it as "a very brisk agitation of the insensible parts of the objects which produces to us that sensation from whence we denominate the object hot; so what in our sensation is heat in the object is nothing but motion. This appears by the way heat is produced, for we see that the rubbing of a brass nail upon a board will make it very hot."

Many scientific men have held heat to be matter, and in spite of Rumford's vigorous exposition of its fallacy this matterial theory held its ground until

vigorous exposition of its fallacy this material theory held its ground until comparatively recent date, when Sir H. Davy took up the subject and by his experiments proved conclusively that this view is unsound.

Causeway of Bending Pillars.

Nature has hewn many upright pillars from the rock at various prehistoric periods, but so far as is known she has completed but one group of bending pillars. The causeway at Staffa, in Scotland, is after this original design. The stone shafts rise perpendicularly to a height of fifty or sixty feet, when they curve inward in a long, sweeping line at once graceful and massive. In some places a perfect Roman arch has been formed in this way. The formations are so symmetrical as to suggest the hand of the

Mrs. Subbubs-I see by the papers that that big fire was started by "spontaneous combustion." Mr. Subbubs-Well? Mrs. Scbbubs-I was just thinking how nice it would be if we could only buy some of it for use in the furnace in the cellar.

"Don't be too quick to strike another, my boy," said the kindly old man, who had interrupted the fight. "Always count ten before you do it and then-" "Yeh," replied the boy, contemptuously, "an' den it'il be de referee dat'il be count-in' ten on you."

W. C. C. H. Column.

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[The editor invites secretaries of local unions the W. C. T. U. In Hancock county, and of the w. c. at the manager county, and white ribboners generally, to contribute to this column reports of meetings or items that will be of interest to workers in other parts of the county. We would like this to be a live column. out it needs some effort on the part of W.C. T. U. women to make it so. It is a column of the making, not ours, and will be what they mak it. Items and communications should be should and are, of course, subject to approval of the cellior.]

SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

Winter Harbor having invited the Hancock county W. C. T. U. convention to hold its seventeenth annual session there, date to be announced later, white ribboners should be up and doing.

Local superintendents, get ready your reports, and forward at once to your county officers.

Mrs. Bertha Robbins, Center superintendent of homes for the homeless, especially requests that all work done in that line be reported to her.

The corresponding secretary, Mrs. Rubic Tracy, of Winter Harbor, will be expecting items of work done by each union to be sent her very soon. Let the key note, war against resubmission, echo along the line, and all loyal temperance advocates work together for the best convention yet held in Hancock county.

Your county president, bearing the beavy cross of affliction, has, I trust, received sympathy and aid from each union. Yours for the right, J. M. MASON, recording secretary,

"Say," asked the customer with the warped face, "is salleylic acid good for rheumatism?" "Some of our physicians recommend it," said the druggest. "Give me a quarter's worth." He got his medicine and went away. A month later he came back. "Do you remember." he said, "you sold me some salfeytic acid

Hancock Co. W. C. T. H.

something now to cure the salicylic acid." Abbertisements.

a few weeks ago, for rheumatism?" "Yes.

How did it work?" "Well, it knocked

out the rheumatism, but I've got to have

NO REST, NO SLEEP. How Energy and Ambition are Killed.

Vitality and Health Destroyed by Wakeful Nights.

Strong and Steady Nerves a Necessity. To Neglect Them Means Certain

Ruin. Dr. Greene's Nervura Gives

Strength and Vigor. How many thousands to-day suffer from receplessness caused by nervous weakness. It is one of the incidents of American life, and you who read these lines are no doubt one of the great throng. After the day is done and when its cares ought to cease, you wish that they might fold their tents like the Arabs and as silently steal away. When night has drawn her sable curtains and all nature seems in repose, your weary eyelids long for that tired nature's sweet-restorer, baimy sleep. What would you not give for the rest you had in ciden times? But it is denied you. The long hours are full of weakness and weariness, and the coming day brings only headache and heartache, impaired strength and exhausted nerves as you drag through its duties.

vere, Mass., says:—
"Early in the spring of 1900 I was taken
with an attack of nervous prostration. I
became so weak and nervous that I was
not able to leave the bed. I could not became so weak and nervous that I was not able to leave the bed. I could not sleep without taking a sleeping powder. I got so thin and weak I thought I would never recover. I tried three different doctors but did not get any better; in fact, I was getting worse. One day my sister brought me a bottle of Nervura and I began taking it. Before I had finished taking the first bottle I began to sleep well and that terrible nervousness disappeared, and by the time I had taken four bottles I was entirely cured and about my business again, which is that of collector. I still take Nervura occasionally when I feel a little out of sorts, and take great pleasure in recommending it to my friends. You are welcome to print this testimonial, and I thank you heartly for the good that Nervura has done for me."

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This grand restorative for the nerves, Dr. Greene's Nervura, does not contain a particle of anything injurious, and can be given to restless and sleepess intants, nervous children or the most delicate invalid with absolute assurance of beneficial results. Dr. Greene, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., the most successful physicalin in caring nervous and chronic diseases, discovered it, and he can be consulted free of charge, personally or by letter.

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REPUBLICANS MEET.

ALLEN, LITTLEFIELD, BURLEIGH AND POWERS RENOMINATED.

STATE CONVENTION AT PORTLAND JUDGE CHASE'S BRILLIANT SPEECH -THE DELEGATES.

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A republican State convention to elect delegates to the national convention to be held in Chicago in June, and to nominate presidential electors, and the various district conventions were held last week. The first district convention at Portland

on Thursday renominated Hon. Amos L. Allen; the second district at Lawiston on Wednesday renominated Hon. Charles E. Littlefield, the third district at Waterville on the same day renomied Hon. Edwin C. Burleigh, and the fourth district at Bangor, also on Wednes-day, renominated Hop. Liewellyn Powers. The utmost harmony prevatled at all these gatherings. The nominations were all by acclamation.

THIRD DISTRICT DELEGATES.

At the third district convention the following were elected delegates to the national convention: A. G. Blunt, of Skowhegan; Elmer P. Spofford, of Deer Isle; alternates, W. H. Davis, of Bar Harbor; Byron Boyd, of Augusta.

John Suminsby, of Bar Harbor, was reelected a member of the district committee.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

The State convention assembled Portland on Thursday. It was called to order by Hon. F. M. Simpson, of Bangor, chairman of the State committee. After prayer by Rev. Raymond Calkins, of Portland, the chair announced the following temporary organization: Chairman, E. E. Chase, of Bluebill; secretaries, William H. Dow, of Portland, E. H. Kelley, of Brewer, John M. S. Hunter, of Farmington, Elliott C. Dill, of Augusts, F. H. Winslow, of Rockland, and William E. Lewis, of Cherryfield.

Judge Chase addressed the convention

Mr. Chairman, Gentlemen of the Convention: It is an honor which any man must appreciate to be selected to preside over the deliberations of a convention of the representatives of the 50,000 Maine republicans, who have never but ence falled from the birth of the party to this day to return a safe plurality for republican policies, republican candidates, and republican principles. I assure you, gentlemen, that I deeply appreciate the honor conferred upon me by your action, and I thank you for it.

It is now just fifty years, a full half century, since a little band of whigs, free-sollers and anti Nebraska democrats met it Strong, Franklin cou ty. Maine, to protest against the further ex-tension of slavery. This was one of the first, if not the very first, convention of the republi-can party ever held in this country.

The honor of holding the first convention has been claimed by Maine and Michigan alike, and recently by one or two other states. The facts are in dispute, but certain it is that these con-ventions were held just fifty years ago, and the dispute as to the honor only involves the ques-

tion of a few days.

It seems to me altogether fitting and proper apon this occasion, which marks the haif century of the birth of our party, to give an acnt of our stewardship, to briefly review the past, consider the present and contemplate the future. It required courage and fortitude to eppose the slave power in those days, as the oldest delegates here can well remember. fathers, gentlemen, stood for free soil, free schools, free labor, free men and Fremont. They never did stand, and if their honored souls were here to way they never would stand, for free sliver, free trade, free riot and free rum.

During these fifty years the republican party has never stood for a single measure or princtple, except those which have been forever setsted and settled right, but is to-day an active,

living issue, equal rights, sound money, protec-tion, reciprocity and an honest ballot. The democratic party during these fifty years has never stood for a single measure or princi-ple but that is to-day as dead as Julius Cæ-ar, state rights, the right of property in man, payment of the national debt in irredeemable paper currency, free sliver and free trade. A part of these principles were shot to death by our fathers under the leadership of Abraham Lincoin, and the others have been buried by our ballots in every presidential campaign, save one, since Grant, under the leadersmy Garfield, Blaine, Harrison and McKinley. Garfield, Blaine, Harrison and McKinley.

I have said but one; I say it advisedly. we did not seat Mr. Blaine in 1884, it has been conclusive'y proved that he was honestly We lost New York, upon which de pended the result in 1884 by about 1,000 votes, but a few years afterwards the democratic boss of Coney Island, John Y. McKane, was tried, convicted and sentenced to the penitentlary for a long term of years for dumping into the ballot boxes, at that and other elections at that time, whatever democratic ballots the exi gencies of the party demanded. It is now an for Gen. Butler in New York that year were Cleveland.

Fifty years ago, then, the republican party was born. Its mission was a noble one. In its carly years liberty and freedom were its watchwords; in later years its watchwords have been progress, prosperity and success. Its early defeats and successes are remembered by the older delegates here. How well its mission has been accomplished, statistics, which I do not

been accomplished, statistics, which I do not propose to detail at lengt:, will show. Taking the reins of government in 1861, under the leadership of the lamented Lincoln, it found the treasury bankrupt, our bonds, bearing 7 8-10 per cent. principal and interest payable in coin, were selling for eighty eight cents on a dollar, with a few purchasers, the outgoing administra tion of Mr. Buchanan having but a few days before paid 12 per cent. for money, on the credit of the government, with which to close its upfortunate career. It met with, and successfully suppressed, the greatest rebellion of the world's history; it inaugurated and devised great prin-ciples of finance, of reconstruction, of resumption, of reciprocity, of protection, for which w stand to-day. It assumed a national debt in 1865 of over \$1,800,000,000 and reduced it in twenty five years to less than \$503,000,000, and lessened during the time the rate of interest from 7 3-10 per cent. to 2% per cent.

During its supremacy the valuation of the country has increased from \$16,000,000,000 in 1860 to \$128,000,000,000 in 1903, and the population from 31,000,000 in 1860 to 84,000,000 in 1900. In 1870 the deposits in the savings hanks of the country were \$149,000,000 and area. banks of the country were \$149,000,000, an average of \$4.75 per capita. In 193 these deposits amounted to \$2,900,000,000, an average per capita of \$36.51. The increase in Maine is more phe-aomenal still. In 1860 the savings bank de-posits in Maine were \$1,466,000, an average per

As a family medicine which will meet so many emergencies, we consider Brown's Instant Re-lief leads.

Our government bonds bearing 2 per cent. Our government bonds bearing 2 per cent.
which represent more than half our national
debt of about \$300,000,00, are to-day selling in
the markets of the world at a premium of 5 per
cent.

The next four years were long ones, the long-

I have never been able to understand how an intelligent man, living in New England, and especially in Maine, can be a democrat. It cannot be on account of any pride in the past achieve-ments of his party. Show me a single great national measure devised and carried out by the republican party during the past fifty years, under the provisions of which our population has treoled, and our wealth increased eight-fold which has not been opposed by the democratic party, in Congress and out, with all the venom that party possesses; show me a single constructive measure devised by the democratic party during these flf y years, and I will admit that my political affiliations have been a mis-

What is their party history during these past fifty years? In 1856 they applauded and adopted as a part of their political creed a decision of the democratic supreme court that the colored man had no rights that a white man was bound to respect. In 1860 the dominant wing of the party, dominant then and dominant to-day, and with the aid of their alies of Tam many Hall, dangerous, joined in an attempt to disrupt this government.

The democratic secretary of the navy scatterred our ships wherever winds blew and water was found to float them, where they could not be used in an emergency. The democratic sec-retary of war scattered our armies over this broad land, where they could not be used to put down recellion. They inaugurated and maintained for four years the greatest rebellion the world has ever known. For three years they product or industry, and practically free trade hurled back our defeated army on to Washing.

\$75,000,000, an average of \$108.15 for every man.

Carlisle, threatened to pay our maturing obligations in silver. Our bonds at once came back

Since the democratic administration of Mr. est since the war. They were full of changes leveland, the total bank deposits of the United and experiences which were impressive and Cleveland, the total bank deposits of the Uni ed and experiences which were impressive and States have increased from \$4,900,000,000 in 1835 instructive, but expensive. All kinds of busito more than \$9,509,000,000 in 1903. These figures are without parallel or approach in the sacrificed, capital was despoiled of its earnings, financial, commercial and industrial bi-tory of the world.

All kinds of nustiness was seriously disturbed, investments were sacrificed, capital was despoiled of its earnings, and labor succumbed to the wasting blasts of the great change by which industry was cheated of its just reward. The democratic party had been for years assailing the tariff because some men became rich under its operations and others poor. The four years of democratic con-trol cured all that and the prescription proved quite as effective on the poor as on the rich, for

it involved all in a common loss.

Everything suffered but the republican cause; everything was blighted but republican principles; they alone escaped the mildew which set tled upon everything else. The fires in the fur naces went out, the wheels of the mills ceased to turn, the splodles ceased to spin, the sound of the factory whistle and the beli were no longer heard, and those who were not financially rulned established soup-houses, to which the la-boring man and his family flocked in rags.

The democratic party was in control after a campaign of profuse and glittering promises, but it signally failed to redeem a single promise it had made to the people. One promise it made was faithfully kept. It was not made in the platform or by its orators on the stump, but it was made by implication when Grover Cleveand appointed a southern democrat as secretar; of the interior. That promise was at once fulfilled, by the suspension, without cause, without a hearing, of the pensions of thousands of de serving Union soldiers.

They passed the Wilson tariff bill, which their own President refused to sign, because it was too much of a protective measure, and we then found out what tariff for revenue really meant. It meant protection for nearly every southern

ton, and made the streams of Virginia rivers of blood. They shot down in cold blood our sol The democratic party, having issued \$262,000,000

the democratic secretary of the treasury. Mr. Rough Riders up the hill at San Juan - Theodory Roosevelt, who has been tested and tried, and never found wanting, but in all things and always worthy of the confidence and admirat of the American people.

The facts are numistakable. The republican party found the finances of the country disorganized and organized them. It found the nation's credit prostrate, and raised it to a point above that of any other country. It found American Industries undeveloped and built them up by protection until the United States is Industrially independent, and the American workingmen the best paid in the world. Republicanism found the nation weak, and

made it strong; found it poor, and made it rich; found it stagnant and dishonored, and made it prosperous and great, the leader in the world's civilization, the champion of human progress and freedom, the hope and stroughold of the oppress d of every race. It carried the flag through four years of darkest war that this good country of ours, that our homes our institutions might be perpetuated.

The republican party, gentlemen, takes no tep backward. In its lexicon the word re. trogression has no place. No task which promises benefit to the people is too stc pendous no obstacle, however apparently insurmount able, can permanently r tard it. It seeks no victory except by the arbitration of an honest ballot, and so long as we cling to our time honored principles, our cause will | never go Gentlemen, the chair awaits the pleasure of

The temporary organization was made permanent, and the following candidates for presidential electors were nominated: Waldo Pettingill, of Rumford Falls, and F. A. Wilson, of Bangor; electors-atlarge; Robert MacArthur, of Biddeford, Fred K Harris, of Boothbay Harbor, Fred G. Kinsman, of Augusta, and Joseph

B. Peaks, of Dover. The convention warmly endorsed the Roosevelt administration, and named the following delegates-at-large to attend the national convention that will renominate the gailant rough rider President: Frederic E. Boothby, Portland, Edwin Riley, Livermore Falls, Gov. John F. Hill, Augusta, and F. M. Simpson, Bangor.

The Yellow Peril.

The yellow peril is a bogie which has terrorized timid states men for the last half century, and which has been the stock property of Russia ever since she began her policy of aggrandisement and aggression in the far East, says A. Maurice Low in the Forum. Asia, Europe and America lived in daily dread of the yellow peril-in mortal terror that the vellow man of the far East was to be to the nineteenth and twentieth centuries what the Goths and Huns were to the fifth and submerge Europe, and that another Attila would arise and, for the wrongs inflicted upon his people, scourge Christendom with sword and flame.

When Japan made war on China, for a moment the world stood aghast, fearing that the floodgates of the yellow dam were at last to be opened, and that the yellow race was to show its power when aroused. China with her millions, was to subjugate Japan; on those millions Japan could make no more impression than a wave in impotent fury lashing ja sea-girt rock.

The war was fought, and the yellow peril was found to be of no more sub stantial reality than the baseless fabric of dream. China, instead of being powertul, was powerless; Japan, instead of posing as the champion of the yellow race against the white, displayed the moderation of wisdom and the commercial acumen of the most modern and highly civilized of all white people.

When China lay in her grasp, and when the Liano-Tung Peninsula, with its stronghold, Port Arthur, rightly belonged to her by the fruits of victory, Japan only demanded absolute equality and freedom of trade for the whole world-not any special privileges for herself, such privileges as Russia and Germany have since asserted, but the right of all nations to compete on level

It is as absurd to talk of the solidarity of Japanese, Chinese, and all the Asiatic races as it is to imagine a social amalga-China may be brought to modern condiions under the political tutelage of Japan, and, if so, Japan will have earned the thanks of all the world, and will have immeasurably advanced the cause of civilization; but beyond that Japan can-

not go. Russia, with her short-sighted policy, the same policy that she pursues in her domestic affairs, does not appear to comprehend that the yellow peril is a menace to the world only so long as there are millions of human beings sunk in the very lowest depths of barbarism, to whom life means nothing, and who are simply a chemical mass, capable of being fired or fused whenever the right element is brought into conjunction.

A Boxer uprising is always possible in China, Rebellion and revolution are dangers never to be overlooked. The remedy for this is civilization. If the Chinese through Japanese or other influence can be lifted in the scale, instead of threatening civilization they may become a factor in the general advancement of the world. Russia's peril is the discontent and the ignorance of her people. If her people were enlightened, if they were better educated, if they were as intelligent, in short, as the masses of the people of the United States, the Russian government to-day would no more fear rebellion and revolution at home than the United States had cause to fear it when six years ago she went to war with Spain.

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honest. It is impossible to be dishonest and not stand condemned before the par of conscience. No matter how slight the departure from truth or integrity, no matter how trifling the deception or untruth-truthfulness (if any deception or un and not stand condemned before the bar Then the trouble began. The business interestable the strenuous, yet sensible, the estable confidence, the money centres became demoralized and distrustful, the expenditures of the government exceeded its revenues, and strength of the first strength of the

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THE undersigned hereby gives notice that has contracted with the city of Eliswort for the support of the poor, during the ensuing year, and has made ample provision for their support. He therefore forbids all persons from furnishing supplies to any pauper on his account, as without his written order he will pay for no goods so furnished. HARRY S. JONES.



HON. EDWIN C. BURLEIGH, OF AUGUSTA.

Renominated for member of Congress by acclamation at the third district convention held at Waterville April 13.

death thousands of our prisoners of war.

In 1864, notwithstanding the rebellion was crumbling to a close, notwith-tanding the glorious victory of Meade at Getty-burg, of Grant for all our ills, the free and unlimited coinage at Vicksburg and Chattanooga, of the great march of the Army of the Potomac from the Rapidan, through the Wilderness, to the James and Petersburg, of the successes of Sheridan in the Shenandoah, of the unprecedented march of Sherman from Atlanta to the sea, they declared that the wariwas a failure; that peace should be made with the South on any terms, and they

tation of having been a traitor.
In 1868 they declared that the ared that the national debt should be paid in irredeemable paper currency, that the reconstruction acts and the thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the constitution, which abolished slavery and gave citizenship to the negroes, should be repealed, and they nominated on that platform the "bit terest copperhead" in the country, Horatio

In 1872 they nominated as their candidate a life-long republican, one of the fathers of pro than the mints of the country for the free coin tection, in the person of Horace Greeley, and they declared that these same reconstruction acts and amendments to the constitution should

In 1876 they "blossomed out" as a great reform party. "Tilden and reform," you all re-remember the cry, and they closed their cam paigned by an effort, on the part of a nephew of Mr. Tilden and the democratic national committee, to bribe the republican electors in three

Failing to bribe the republican electors, they disputed the constitutional right of the vice-president to count the electoral votes, threatened war, and proposed an electoral commis-sion which should count the votes. This proposition was supported by nine-tenths of the democratic senators and representatives in Congress, and opposed by three fifths of all the republicans, and when this electoral commission decided in favor of Mr. Hayes, they cried fraud, and for four years they addressed one of the most upright Presidents this country has ever had as "His Fraudulency".

In '880, they nominated a brave and successful Union general, who had declared that the tarriff was a local issue, on a platform that meant anything or nothing as you please to read it, except a declaration that the republicans had stolen the Presidency in 1876.

In 1884, nothing else being left to them, they came out as a free trade party, under an alias of tariff for revenue, and they conducted a campaign noted for nothing but vituperation and these methods succeeded in defeating one of the greatest men this country has ever pro | United States Senate in this generation?

From 1884 to 1892 they cried tarriff for reve nue. They declared that "the republican policy of protection was for the benefit of the few to the injury of the many". They talked about a fifty years, and to-day, have made it in actual, taxed breakfast table and a taxed dinner pail, and they finally succeeded in convincing a ma
We are on the eve of another presidential jority of the voters of the country that the protective tariff was a robbery, and, for the first

Then the trouble began. The business inter- yet diplomatic, the strenuous, yet sensible, the

diers who had surrendered, and starved to in bonds to meet the expenses of the govern death thousands of our prisoners of war. our business interests and driven the laboring

the appreciation of the value of gold, and Mr. Bryan, who still clings to the doctrine, told the people that "a crown of thorns could not be pressed down on the brow of labor", that "markind could not be crucified on a cross of gold" and the voters who could be no longer deceived by their votes, reminded the "Boy Orator of the nominated on that platform an unsuccessful by their votes, reminded the "Boy Orator of the Union general, who had not escaped the imputhat the victim of Calvary's stupendous tragedy sold and betrayed for thirty pieces of silver. and the stench of treachery clings to it yet.

What has the republican party been doing these past ten years? All the time constructive, all the time progressive, always legislating fo the interest of the whole country, "still doing business at the old stand."

William McKinley said: It is better to open the mills of the country to the American laborer age of the silver of the world," and so his election we opened them. He said that "the American laborer demanded an honest dollar and a chance to earn it", and that since 1897 the

What part has Maine had in the legislation fo the past fifty years, under the provisions o which our population has trebled and our wealth increased eight-fold? In the last generation no great national measure was placed on our statute books without the aid and states manship and constructive ability of Hamlin and

of the republican party in this generation hav been placed there had not Thomas B. Reed, of whose memory this beautiful city has every

What might be the condition of the business interests of the country to-day had not Nelson Dingley had the ability to construct a reasonab

made chairman of the Senate committee has not been surpassed by any member of the

sailor and the moose, are more than a motto of an emblem. The word "Dirigo" means some thing, and our delegation in Congress the pas

campaign, and we are fortunate that we know who our leader will be. He will be no "dark time since the war, succeeded in controlling all horse"; he will be no unknown, untried man. three departments of the government.

of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1. They said that our troubles were caused by

the republican party has given them.

Fessenden and Morrill and Blaine.
How would the great constructive measures

reason to be proud, had the courage to count quorum?

tariff bill? How could our merchant marine and ship building interests have survived the assaults the have been made upon them, had not our junior senator, William P. Frye, been their steady champion for the rty-five years? Where would our country have been in its war with Spain had not our senior senator, Eugene Hale, been naval affairs twenty years ago, when we had hardly a modern warship in our navy, whose integrity, conservatism and ability "to do slander, shot guns and tissue ballots, and by things" for his country, his State and his people,

The pine tree, gentlemen, and the farmer, the

speak de truth under all circumstances?" said Plodding Pete. "Of course not," replied Meandering Mike. "It 'ud sound foolish for a man to keep sayin' guilty as indicted every time he was brought into court."

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STATE OF MAINE.



A PROCLAMATION.

Maine first became a State, with the advice and consent of the executive council, I hereby ap-

Thursday, the Twenty-First Day of April,

FAST DAY.

Upon this day let all unnecessary labor be mapended, and in deference to this time-hon-ored custom instituted by our forefathers, let it be appropriately observed by all the people of the State.

Given at the Executive Chamber at Augusta, this fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-eighth.

JOHN F. HILL. BYRON BOYD, Secretary of State.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1904.

This week's edition of The American is

2,600 copies.

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For Sheriff.

Howard F. Whitcomb, sheriff of Hancock county, is a candidate for renomination at the coming republican county convention.

Mr. Whitcomb, desirous of making supply. his intention clear, has issued the following:

In answer to numerous and repeated inquiries, and to prevent any misunderstanding, I deem it proper thus publicly to state that I shall be a candidate at the next republican county convention for a renomination as sheriff of the

I have earnestly endeavored faithfully and impartially to perform all the duties of that office, civil and criminal, and I believe to the satisfaction of those who know the difficulties and obstacles in the way.

I hope for your kind approval and support

If honored by a renomination and election, I pledge myself to renewed exertion in fulfilling all the duties of the office, and believe that, with the experience thus far gained, I can accomplisstill more. Howard F. Whitcomb. Ellsworth, April 19, 1904.

Mr. Whitcomb is serving his second term as sheriff of this county, having been elected first in 1900, and re-

elected in 1902. His letter is brief, clear and forceful, and removes whatever doubt may have existed as to whether or not he is to be a candidate for renomination.

Judge E. E. Chase, of Bluehill, who presided at the republican State convention in Portland last week, made an admirable opening address. This address in full may be found on page 3 of this issue, together with a summary of the proceedings of the various conventions held last week.

While nobody supposed he wouldn't be renominated, everybody who knows the genial Judge William P. Whitehouse is glad to observe that Gov. Hill has reappointed him a justice of the supreme judicial court of

Maine's population is rapidly nearing the three-fourths of a million mark. Maj. Howe, chief clerk in the labor department, figures it out at The government census bureau gave Maine 702,875 on June 1,

A million for Bluehill? That's lots

be used to develope Bluehill's abandoned copper mines if-ah, that little, great big word-if the plans of a certain big syndicate succeed. Here's hoping they will.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

Henry L. Tapley, of Bouchill Bay light station, killed two wild geese at one shot Saturday, April 2, from a gonning skiff propelled by his brother Herbert.

John R. Shuman, the veteran republican worker of Great Pond-No. 33-demonstrated his loyalty last week in a remarkable manner. He was a delegate to the district convention at Waterville. He couldn't find a conveyance to get him to Bangor in season for a certain train, so he footed it to Esst Holden, some twentyodd miles, and reached the station just in season to get the last train that would get him to Waterville in season for the convention. Mr. Shuman is postmaster at Great Pond, and was elected plantation clerk last month.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM JAMES. William James, a respected citizen of Ellsworth, died of pneumonia, April 13, at the home of George R. Campbell on Pleasant street, where he had made it his home for some years past. He was eighty-

Mr. James was an industrious farmer, and a man of sturdy and upright character. He had many friends who sincerely mourn his death.

Some three years after the death of his first wife, who was Mary J. Austin, he moved from North Elisworth to Elisworth. He became a buyer of cattle for the firm of Campbell & True.

His second wife was Miss Lucy A. Tinker, and they lived on the well-known Jesse Dutton farm at Grant's corner, after it came into Campbell & True's possession, and managed it for them as long as they ran it.

He then went to West Tremont, his wife's home, but not being contented there, he returned to Elisworth two

He leaves a widow, a sister-Mrs. Charles Austin; three nephews-Charles, Frank and Fred James, of North Elisworth, and one niece-Mrs. Alexander Bonsey, of Ellsworth.

The funeral was held last Friday, Rev. J. M. Adams officiating. Interment was at North Ellsworth.

Elisha F. Baker, whose death on April 12, at the age of seventy-five years, was briefly alluded to in last week's paper, was a man of exemplary life, and his death is sincerely mourned by a wide circle of acquaintances.

His wife died several years ago. He is survived by five daughters-Mrs. William Rogers, of Stoneham, Mass., Mrs. Marshall A. Rogers, of Orrington; Misses Carrie F. and Harriet E., of this city, and Miss Ida, of Boston. He leaves one brother, Horace, of Malden, Mass., and one sister, Mrs. Jane Payne, of Brewer.

The funeral was held last Thursday, Rev. David Kerr officiating. Interment at Woodbine cemetery.

The pall-bearers were Roscoe Holmes John Frazier, Ferd. Wardwell and Peter Starkey.

Hancock Co. Fish Hatcheries.

On March 23, 25,000 salmon eggs from the Craig's brook hatchery at Orland were shipped away, 20,000 going to Laconia, N. H., 2000 to the New York squarium, and 3,000 to the Pennsylvania state commission.

The sum of \$15,000 is an item in the sundry civil appropriation bill to be used at the Green Lake batchery for the construction of a pipe line from Rocky pond, and for other improvements to the water

Stave Mill Burned.

The stave mill in Ocis owned and operated by Frank Fitts, of this city. burned to the ground Friday. The loss is estimated at \$3,000, with no insurance.

The mill, although in Otis, was situated near Green lake and did a thriving business. It employed about fifteen bands. Mr. Fitts says he will rebuild the mill at once, so that few if any of the men will be out of employment

O. C. Donnell Dead.

EAST FRANKLIN, April 19 (special)-O. C. Donnell, a highly-respected citizen of this town, died this morning of pneamonia and a weak heart.

He was a member of Esoteric fodge, F. and A. M., of Ellsworth, and will be buried with masonic honors Thursday at

Appointments by Governor. Associate justice supreme judicial court -William P. Whitehouse, of Augusta.

Inland fish and game warden-Walter

Inland fish and game warden—Walter R. Butler, of Bluehill.
Fish warden—Samuel P. Cousins, East Lamoine; Frank M. Trundy, Stonington. The governor has named the delegates from Maine to the good roads congress to be held during the exposition at St. Louis this summer. Among them are Dr. R. L. Grindle, of Mt. Desert.

CHURCH NOTES.

CONGREGATIONAL,

Rev. J. M. Adams, pastor. Friday, April 22-Prayer meeting. Sunday, April 24— Morning service 0.30. Sunday school at 11.45 a. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. J. P. Simonton, pastor. Friday, April 22-Prayer meeting. Sunday, April 24—Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 11 45.; preaching at 7 p. m. Trenton—Preaching Sunday at 2.30 p. m

UNION CONG'L, ELLSWORTH FALLS Sunday, April 24-Sunday school at Prayer meeting Sunday evening at 7.30.

BAPTIST. Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Sunday, April 24—Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 11 45. Junior C. E. at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 p. m.

UNITABIAN. Rev. S. W. Sutton, pastor. of money, but that's what is about to Sunday school at 11.45 a. m.

FROM BAR HARBOR.

Call Foom Big Fire - Gym. Stunts-Liquor Seizure.

BAR HARBOR, April 18 (special)—At 5 clock Tuesday morning West street was visited by a fire which did considerable damage to three buildings. When discovered the flames had gained great headway, and it looked like a tough job for the firemen, and so it proved.

The buildings damaged were the house on the north side of the street owned by Stephen S. Bunker, the large storage shed owned by George L. Wescott, and the building which contained the furnace and boiler used in operating the grain mill of Nickerson, Spratt & Greely.

The roof and rear wall of the Bunker building were pretty badly burned, and the interior flooded with water. Considerable furniture which Mr. Bunker had stored in the building was ruined. The loss on the building, which reached into the hundreds, will probably be covered by the insurance of \$1,000.

Nickerson, Spratt & Greely estimate their loss at some \$300 or \$400, fully covered by insurance.

Mr. Wescott's shed was gutted, and that together with the materials destroyed and damaged will amount to something like \$700 or \$800, on which there

The second and third floors of the Bunker building were occupied by the families of George Tracy and James Hatt, who succeeded in saving most of their furniture, although some of it was badly damage.

The first floor is rented to H. A. Perry for a fish market. Mr. Perry had not however, opened the market and his loss is slight.

In the boiler building of Nickerson Spratt & Greely were stored about a dozen barrels of kerosene, and the floor was saturated with oil. The barrels were badly scorched, and considerable oil was

it is not known how or where the fire caught.

Fortunately there was no wind; otherwise a serious conflagration would doubtless have ensued.

Thursday evening of last week two teams from the high school held an athletic meet at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium to raise money for the high school track team which will go to Orono in May to complete in the interscholastic track events.

A good-sized audience was present, and the contests evoked lots of enthusiasm. The two teams were made up as follows: Team No. 1-John Evans, captain; Bert Young, Frank Richards, W. Hill, Carl Team No. 2-Elmer Cleaves, Cleaves. captain; Leonard Wakefield, William Newman, Carl Reynolds, Warren Shaw.

The fifteen-yard dash was won by Evans, Elmer Cleaves, second; running high jump, won by Evans, Elmer Cleaves, second, 4 ft. 91/2 in ; pole vault, won by Elmer Cleaves, seven feet, six inches; spring-board jump, won by Elmer Cleaves.

Exhibition of bar work by Arthur Pray; shot-put won by William Newman; run ning broad jump won by Evans, Young, second; 15 ft. 6 in.; three standing broad jumps won by Evans, Young second; relay race won by Capt. Cleaves' team.

The list of events closed with basket ball game between the first and second midd er teams. One 15 minute hal! was played and the game resulted in a tle; score 2 to 2.

Wednesday evening, April 13. Deputy Sheriff Asron S. Bunker and Perry Rich received a tip that quite a quantity of liquor might be found in the stable of a well-known business man, and upon visiting the piece the officers found sixty quart bottles of whiskey, 120 pint bottles, and 140 balf-pint bottles.

The liquor was libelied. The owner is unknown.

Of late it has become a popular scheme with the liquor-dealers to store their goods in buildings owned or occupied by

Patents have recently been issued to the following Maine inventors: Emery Andrews (deceased), P. L. and H. E. Andrews executors) Kennebunk, roving car; W. A. Tainish, Portland, suspensory ban-

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Trenton, Me., April 4, 1904. oughly in the merit of Hyomei, that he guarantees to return the money if he guarantees to return the money if it fails. This is certainly the strongest evidence he can give of his faith in the Hyomei treatment. It enables any one to use Hyomei without risk of spending money for nothing.

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acres land, 1½ story house, stable, carriage house, henners; good water in house and out doors. Good place for summer rustication. Apply to M. D. Cook, Lamoine, Me. PARM of the late Kilburn islandell, near Brimmer's Bridge; \$2acres; well wo ded; good smildings. Apply to A. H. Cantiels, Ellsworth Falls.

Special Motices.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Long Pond Water Company will be held at the office of Hotel Cleaves, as Sullivan, Hancock county, Msine, on Wednesday, May 4, a. a. 1961, at nine o'clock and thirty minutes in the 'orevoon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors, clerk and treasurer of said company, and acting upon any other business which may properly come before said meeting.

Charlis P. Simpson,

Clerk of said Company.

Dated April 20, 1964.

To All Whom it May Concern: This is to give notice that on the date herein below stated the undersigned ceased to be a member of Rainbow Grange Store Company in every way, and from that date was not entitled to share in any of the profits of the company, or liable for any of the debts of the company.

Jan 1. 1894. Mas. Chas. J. Douglass.

North Brooksville, March 30, 1904.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION. THE spring examination of teachers of Treuton, will be held at the schoolhouse in district No. 5, Saturday, April 23, at 8a. m. D. B. ALLEY.

TAX DEEDS NOTICE is hereby given that all property now holden by the town of Treaton by tax deeds, will be sold at public sale at Evergreen hall, in said town, on Wednesday, May 5, 1904, at 10 c'clock in the forencon.

By order of selectmen,
MARK HAYNES, Treasurer.

Trenton, March 17, 1904.

SPECIAL NOTICE. O not trespass in Cuniculocus Park. I demand protection to life and property from the county of Hancock, the State of Maine, and the United States of America.

Many C. Fretz Austin.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is herebyby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name of Haslem & Buzzell was on the sixth day of February, a. d. 1904, dissolved by mutual consent of the undersigned, being the individual members of said partnership.

A. K. HASLAM.

HOWARD R. BUZZELL.

Waltham, Feb. 12, 1904.

Gallert's New Store

Saturday, April 23.

In venturing into this new business, we have tried, and think we have succeeded in gathering a superior, larger, finer and better stock of

Boots and Shoes

than has ever been offered by dealers in this city. We have gathered goods which are up-to-date, stylish, of good quality and moderate ln price. We offer to the trade a full and complete line of

Men's, Boys' and Youth's Shoes, Women's, Misses' and Children's Shoes

Prices ranging from the cheapest to the best.

On the better grades of shoes and Oxfords for women, we carry and have in stock all widths-A, B, C, D and E; and in men's widths-3, 4 and 5. Something never before attempted by any other dealer in this city. Every shoe in our store is different from those offered by any other dealer-goods which we control and have exclusive sale on them.

IN WOMEN'S BOOTS

we offer as a leader to introduce to our trade, Women's Lace and Oxfords at \$1.50, which are better, both in style and quality, than you were in the habit of paying \$2 for.

At \$2 we offer better boots than are usually sold for \$2.50. Our leader in fine shoes,

The Celebrated Patrician,

Prices \$3.50 and \$4

for boots in either lace or button. In widths from A to E; all styles, all kinds of leather, different kinds of lasts and the most stylish boots

Patrician Oxfords at \$3 and \$3.50, in all styles and all widths. We are running a still higher grade of women's boots and Oxfords, the celebrated Edwin C. Burt make of New York. Prices on these

are \$3.50, \$4 to \$5. The lines combined, the Patrician and Burt, make two of the strongest lines of boots and Oxfords ever shown by any dealer in Maine. The Burt Shoe has been sold by all dealers in the large cities for forty years and appeals successfully to those who wear fine footwear.

The Patrician is undoubtedly the most stylish shoe ever manufactured, and, for the price, cannot be beaten. It has become world-famous owing to its superiority in style, fit and service. In Men's, Boys' and Youths', for low and medium-priced shoes, we are selling goods manufactured by the Union Shoe Co., of Ellsworth. Prices on these range from \$1 to \$2. The Union Shoe Co. is a home industry, and as they are selling their goods in every state in the

shoes made by the Union Shoe Co. that we sell helps our men and women who are employed there by giving them so much more work. Special lines of Boys', Misses' and Children's School Shoes. Durability and moderate prices are the prominent features in this depart-

Union, we thought it best in order to help a home industry and help

our laboring class, to offer this line to our customers. Every pair of

IN Men's Fine Footwear

we offer what we think are the best make of shoes in America.

the celebrated Curtis Shoe. These goods are \$3.50 and \$5 per pair. We hope you will patronize our new shoe store as liberally as you have our dry goods store. We are making every effort to satisfy you. The day of ill-fitting and homely footwear is past. From our assortment you have plenty of styles to choose from and once you have given us a trial you will notice the difference between what you have worn

and what you are getting from us. We are not neglecting our dry goods business. We have made bigger preparations in our old business than ever. Everything more stylish and up-to-date than ever. We will op-n, Saturday, April 23, a new line of Jackets, Rain Coats, Walking and Dress Suits, Walking

and Dress Skirts, also Wash Skirts and Waists. Our carpet department is full of new goods. Besides Carpetings, Mattings, Oil Cloths and Linoleums, we are showing a full line of Carpet Rugs, Art Squares, Lace and Mull Curtains. Entirely new line of

M. GALLERT.

colored Madras Curtains, Portieres, Couch Covers and Table Covers.

Special Notices. COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

Hancock ss.:—April 16, 1904.

W E. the undersigned, h ving been duly appointed by the Hon. O. P. Cunningham, ju.ge of probate for said county, commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the creditors of Suilivan Dunbam, late of Orland, in said county, deceased, whose estate has been represented insolvent, hereby give public notice agreeably to the order of said judge of probate that six months from and after the fifth day of April. 1904, have been allowed to said creditors to present and prove their claims; and that we will attend to the service assigned us at the office of T. H. Smith, in Bucksport, in said county, on the 22d day of June. 1904, and on the 5th day of October, 1904, at ten of the clock in the forencom of each of said days.

GUY W. MCALISTER. Commissioners.

Calvin O. Page.

NOTICE.

UNTIL title is established to undivided half of my property in Lamoine, cutting wood, camping, boating, fishing, or taking possession in any way is forbidden.

By order of MARY C. FRETZ AUSTIN.

To All Whom it May Concern: To All Whom it May Concern:

THIS is to give notice that on the date below stated the undersigned ceased to be members of Rainbow Grange Store Co. in every way, and from that date were not entitled to share in any of the profits of the company or liable for any debts of the company.

Chas. E. Snow.
Jan'y 1, 1894.

North Brooksville, April 13, 1904.

Megat Metters.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament and codicil thereto of William H. Wing, late of Cas ine, in the county of Hancock, deceased, no, bonds being required by the terms of said will. 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.

April 5, 1904.

Executrix.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Mary H. Moore, late of Ellsworth, in the county of Hancock, deceased, no bonds being required by the terms of said will. 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.

April 5, 1904.

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April 5, 1904.

Legal Notices

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Sherman R. Downing, law of Sorrento, in the county of Hancoca, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to presse the same for settlement, and all indebte thereto are requested to make payment insendiately.

April 5, 1904.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Henry C. Wood, late of Surry, in the county of Hancock, 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.

April 5, 1904. MARY E. WOOD.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Aphia E. Dow, late of Surry, in the county of Hanook, 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.

April 5, 1904.

Charles M. Coulter.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Mary D. Henry, late of Brooksville, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demants against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

April 5, 1904. CHARLES H. PHEKIMS.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice the he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Sarah L. Tucker, late of Crasberry Isles, in the county of Hancock, deceased, no bonds being required by the terms of said will. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are cestred to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

April 5, 1904. EDWARD P. TUCKER.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of Balley R. Closson, late of Sedgwick, in the county of Hancock, 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.

April 5, 1904.

SARAH J. CLOSSON.

HEALTH

is the Most Important

In buying food-products, several things are to be thought of—i. e., Economy, Results, Easy Handling, Reliability, but the most important is Health.

Health means everything. In buying clothes, shoes, hats, furniture, etc., if the buyer is deceived and gets an imitation the only harm is loss of money. In buying food-products, if imitations are supplied, there is not only a loss of money, but perhaps an injury to health—which is beyond price.

Remember these facts when buying baking powder.

ROYAL **BAKING POWDER**

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FROM BUCKSPORT.

Rare Fish Caught-Activity Among Vessels-October Club Election. A pipe-fish, rarely seen in these waters. was caught in a smelt-net on Verona bridge Monday.

Alveh Dorr has launched his sloop, the Lizzie Maud, and will make a shore-fishing trip this week.

Capt. and Mrs. Peter McCaulder, Miss McCaulder and Capt. E. A. Leland arrived from Boston Friday.

MissiAlice Forsyth has returned to her studies at Mt. Holyoke, after spending the Easter recess here with her parents. The schooners Julia Baker and Omaha

which wintered here, have gone to Baugor to begin the business of the season. Josh Robinson, the well-known base-

ball player, has gone to Worcester, where he will be given a try-out by the local

Capt. Charles Cushing has recently purchased a fine naph ba launch, adding one more to the considerable fleet now in

Rev. Robert Sutcliffe left for his new charge in Rockland on Saturday. Rev. F. L. Hayward preached in the Eim street church on Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Reuter has arrived from Westerly, R. I, to make her home here, where her husband is employed as foreman in the Moses conservatories.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are planning for a grand time-concert,

E. M. C. S. athletic association course wil be given in Emery hall on the 21st. programme will be given by Miss Elsie Livermore, reader and monologuist.

Rev. J. M. Traumer, of Lubec, is the new Methodist minister to succeed Rev. Robert Sutcliffe. Rev. Mr Traumer and family are expected during the coming week, and he will preach his first sermon here next

The death of Hannah, widow of Dr. Charles F. Ware, occurred in South Orrington on Sunday. The funeral was held on Wednesday at her former home on Middle street. Rev. William Forsyth officiated. Among those present from out of town were her grandchildren, Mrs. Mildred Ladd, of Allston, Mass., and Edward Ware, of Brockton.

At the annual meeting of the October club or Friday the following officers were elected: Mrs. George Blodgett, president; Mrs. R. B. Stover, vice-president; Mrs. Flora Croxford, secretary; Miss Edna Bright, treasurer. A fine programme was given in connection with the business meeting, the talent including Messrs. Ellingwood, Carver, McCreedy, Harris and Luce, Mrs. Godfrey, Mrs. Ellingwood, Miss Stone and Miss Gatchell.

Beware of Cintments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo, O. combains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get ghan's orchestra, of Elisworth, will furnish the music.

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The next and last entertainment in the Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.

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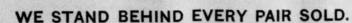
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The Best Shoe for the price in the World.

LaFRANCE SHOES FOR WOMEN,

\$3.00.

Better than most ladies' shoes sold at \$3.50.



MORANG

COUNTY NEWS.

Mrs. Jennie Harding is at Bass Harbor. Montell D. Gott has bought the sloop Blue Fish of Capt. Nick Medina.

Capt. Nick Medina has purchased the sloop Gracie Lee of Capt. Will Harding. Schooner Minquas, Capt. Duffy, is at

Black island, to load stone for New York. Mrs. Clara Phillips, of Southwest Harbor, visited her parents Dennis Driscoll

Arrived at Black island, April 15, the chooner Perfect, Capt. Thompson, with coal for Black Island Granite Co.

William P. Harding was here for a short time last week. He is lobstering with Capt. Will Trussell, of Cranberry Isles.

Mrs. Edwin M. Joyce, and daughter Bessie, who have been with Mrs. Philip Moore, will return to Atlantic this week. The schooner Samuel Hart, of Thomas-

ton, Capt. Maloney, loaded with 23,000 paving blocks at Black island granite quarry for New York, and sailed the 15th.

NORTH SEDGWICK.

Mrs. Elia Towers is home from Boston. Miss Beulah Thurston is teaching in Bluebill.

The teachers meet at No. 1 April 30. Maria Thompson is president. Lincoln Closson, who has been ill with

the measles, now has the pneumonia and is dangerously ill. Mrs. R. C. Abbott and Mrs. Rose Herrick, of South Bluehill, spent Tuesday

Mrs. Fannie Anderson, Mrs. Carrie Closson and Mrs. Lucy Pert, who have been ill with the measles, are recovering.

Town school commenced April 18. The eachers are: No. 1, Minnie Gray; No. 2, Mamie Sperry, of Bluebill; No. 3, Flora Bowden; No. 4, Cora Hanscom; No. 5, Minnie Clement; No. 6, Mildred Wessel; No. 7, Maria Thompson; No. 8, Phebe Durgan; No. 9, Inez Page.

WALTHAM.

Miss Goldie Lawrie is at work for Ste

The dance at Fox's hall was enjoyed by all who attended.

Alvah Haslem has been appointed su pervisor of schools.

Philip Giles has gone on the river to to work for H. B. Moore.

Companion court Sunbeam will have card party Saturday evening.

Harold Jordan and Henry Braley have gone to Long Island to work.

The many friends of Malhon Wilbur and wife sympathize with them in the death of their infant sou.

SOMESVILLE.

Mrs. Lewis Somes entertained the sew ing circle April 13.

H. G. Somes who has been employed at Clark's Island, is home.

Mrs. I. T. Ober entertained a party o friends at her home Wednesday evening. Dr. R. L. Grindle attended the republican State convention at Porland last

The library society had a sale of icecream and cake in the library last Saturday evening. April 18.

WEST EDEN.

Mrs. D. W. McKey has been quite ill

with the grip, but is out again. Freeman Smith has moved on the farm

R. W. Haynes recently purchased a bandsome pair of roan horses in Bangor. Nathan Richardson and wife went to returned last Friday.

OCEANVILLE.

Lobster fishermen report fish scarce.

Swan's Island parties are building a weir on Colony's bar.

Capt. G. B. Hatch and James E. Morey are painting Mrs. E. M. Lane's house. Road-Commissioner Hatch is hauting stone chips and clam shells on the road Sections of road built a year ago in this

way proved a success. April 18.

LAMOINE.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at the of George Meader and wife, Saturday evening, April 9, when Miss Alice Myrtle Whittaker was married to Cornelius H. Springer, of Trenton. The ceremony was performed by A. G. Blake, esq., of Brooklin, in the presence of near relatives of the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Springer will reside in Trenton. April 20.

EASTBROOK.

Mrs. J. R. Butler has been ill the past

Sylvester Bunker cut his thumb badly ast week while sawing wood with a gasoline engine.

Norman E., little son of Malhon Wilbur and wife, died April 16, of pneumonia. They have the sympathy of their many

April 18.

EAST LAMOINE.

Harry Higgins and wife, who have been employed in Franklin, are at home. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are receiving ongratulations on the advent of a son,

born April 6. John Davis has moved into the Hopkin cottage, and Mrs. McNider has moved into the Alanson Googins house.

A man who can't talk and will talk should be muzzled.

COUNTY NEWS.

NORTH DEER ISLE.

Elmer Hardy has gone to Beve-ly to go as steward of the yacht Nautilus.

Capt. S. H. Hardy, of Little Deer Isle, has gone as juryman to Elisworth.

Edward Thompson has gone to New York to join the steam yacht Riviera with Capt. Charles Small.

Miss Helen Weed has returned from Quissett, Mass., where she has been all winter with her sister. A silver watch, which was sold by tick-

ets at Waiter Webster's store last week, was won by Emery Ellis. Capt. "Jack" Stinson has gone to Boston to take a launch, which he has built the

The ice left Eggemoggin reach April 10. frozen in there all winter, left April 12 for Red Beach to load with plaster for New

Mrs. Eben Hinckley, of Sedgwick, was guest of Mrs. Samuel Lowe April 11, on her return from Stonington, where she had been with her son Benjamin, who died of pneumonia there April 4.

Andrew Knight went to Camden Monday where he will join the yacht Daydream. Parker Eaton left home this week for New York where he has a position on the yacht Surf. Burton Haskell has gone to Boston as engineer of the schooner William Downes. April 18.

NORTH CASTINE.

Mrs. Lucy Mixer has gone to Camden to

visit her daughter Cora who is ill. C. M. Leach and wife have returned from Pittsfield, where they went to attend

conference. Miss Annie E. Leach, who teache Portland, is spending her vacation in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Charles F. Wardwell left last week to join the yacht Idelia in command of Capt. S. J. Treworgy, of Surry.

Capt. Percy Wardwell leaves to-day to take command of the schooner Pearl, which will be used for bay coasting.

Capt. Ross Conner is here from Gloucester, Mass., with the William Pickering, which, after some repairs, will be used in the coasting trade.

Miss Helen F. Dunber has returned to her school in Chelsea, Mass., after spending the Easter recess with her parents. Samuel Dunbar and wife.

"Variety is the very spice of life." One day comes the report that a neighbor has a large mess of dandelion greens for din ner; the next day the jingling of sleigh belis greets our ears.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Harley Donnell is in poor health.

April 18.

The year old babe of Enos Stover and wife is very iil.

Calvin Donnell, one of Franklin's most highly respected citizens, is seriously iil with pneumonia. F. E. Blaisdell has returned to Bar Harbor to resume his work cutting stone,

which he left to attend court in Ellsworth as grand juryman. George Patten, of Sullivan Center, and F. A. Patten, of East Sullivan, visited their brother, J. H. Patten, one day last

Mrs. J. E. Dunn and daughter Miss Clara visited our school last week. It is taught by Mrs. Dunn's sister, Miss Cas-

salena Springer. April 18. WEST BROOKSVILLE.

Miss Nins Lord is visiting her parents, Isaiah Lord and wife. Albert Wilson is employed on the Mt.

Desert for the season. Miss C. W. Tapley, teacher in Malden,

Clarence and Harry Austin and Melvin Ladd left Monday for Northeast Harbor. Fred D. Jones, of Belfast, spent Sunday at his home here. In conversation with M. P. Woodcock, of Belfast, Mr. Woodcock said that fifty years ago, April 14, he went into the woods to get out timber for a vessel; while there it commenced to snow and by morning there were two feet

of snow on the ground.

CENTER.

School began this week, taught by Josie

Billings. Mrs. Lena Butler, who has been very

ill, is slowly improving. Orville Burtlett spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Lois Bartlett.

Sylvia Higgins has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. H. P. Robbins, at Southwest Harbor. W. J. Harper is doing quite a business

shipping boiled clams to Thorndike & Hix, Rockland. April 18.

EAST ORLAND.

Miss Maggie Robertson is visiting in George Snow is shingling and painting

Mrs. Maud Churchill; Dorr visited her mother the past week. Alamoosook grange will celebrate its

first anniversary to-night. W. D. Leach and wife have moved into their cottage near the mills. Mrs. T. F. Mason is home from a two-

veeks' visit in Massachusetts. Rhodick Dunbar and Harvey Snow were in Ellsworth a few days the past week, the guests of H. M. Leach.

MARINE LIST.

Hancock County Ports.

WEST SULLIVAN—Ar Apr 18, soh Morris
Elliot, Winchester Sld Apr 18, sehs Mary Augusta, stone; Har-rest Home, stone for Boston

Miss Mabel Maddocks is home from Bar Harbor for a few weeks. Fred Witham and family have moved

into the George Jordan house on the Waltham road. Leonard Jordan has gone to Dennysville

where he has employment as filer in the mill of Bass & Dowst.

Mrs. Lynwood Sargent and children, of Gouldsboro, are visiting Mrs. Sargent's sister here, Mrs. Coarles M. Witham.

The ladies' sewing circle holds its annual meeting on Thursday of this week most good from them at the home of Mrs. A. W. Ellis, at which as combined in the new time officers for the ensuing year will be

NORTH ELLSWORTH. Anna Googins, who has been employed

John Conary, of Surry, is visiting his ousin, Artelle McGown.

Mrs. Mary Moore, who has been with Howard McGown and wife, has gone to Brewer.

are visiting Mr. King's mother, Mrs. Francis McGown. Rev. Nelson Hadeen and wife have re turned to their home here. Mr. Hadeen

George King, wife and family, of Eden,

has been preaching in Portland for the last two years. He will continue to preach there, going Saturday and returning Monday.

LAKEWOOD.

R. H. Young, of Haucock, was here last week buying fur.

John Nevells, of Bar Harbor, spent Sunday with relatives here.

The burning of the mill at Green Lake, owned by Frank Fitts, turned several men here out of employment.

On account of the weather, the meeting of the baseball team, which was to be held April 7, was postponed until Saturday evening, April 16. The meeting resulted in the election of the following officers: Captain, Howard Rollins; man ager, Martin Garland; secretary, Harry Rollins; treasurer, Charles O. Garland.

MOUTH OF THE RIVER.

Miss Lenore Pratt is teaching at No. 8 Capt. John Ray has gone to Cranberry sies with a load of wood for W. L. Remick.

The ladies' aid society presented Miss Vina Ray with a pretty ring for services as organist for the past eighteen months. The society met with Mrs. Ida Alley April 14.

WEST ELLSWORTH. Charles Stackpote is quite ill at the home of his foster parents.

Mrs. Neilie Meader is visiting her husband's mother, Mrs. Amanda Meader. Stephen Floyd has returned from Michigan, where he has been at work the past

BORN. FROST—At Mt Desert, April 13, to Mr and Mrs Melvin-R Frost, a daughter. GILES—At Amherst, April 16, to Mr and Mrs Edmund R Giles, a son.

GILLEY-At Mt Desert, April 13, to Mr and Mrs Pedrick Gilley, twin daughters. EACH-At Penob-cot, April 17, to Mr and Mrs. M.O. Leach, a daughter. PRAY-At Bar Harbor, April 15, to Mr and Mrs Arthur Pray, a son.

YOUNG-At Sedgwick, April 5, to Mr and Mrs John W Young, a son. [Ralph Austin]

MARRIED. EATON-ZOLL-At Los Angeles, Cal, March 9
Miss Vinnie M Eaton, of Brooklin, to Herman
W Zoll, of Los Angeles.

PRESCOTT—PERT—At Sedgwick, April 16, by Rev E S Drew, Mrs Neille J Prescott to Harold G Pert, both of Sedgwick.

BLAISDELL-At Franklin, April 8, C Mon tague Blaisdell, aged 58 years, 3 months, 13 CLOSSON-At Sedgwick, April 18, A Lincoln Closson, aged 39 years, 8 months, 20 days. CLOSSON—At Sedgwick, April 18, A Lincoln Closson, aged 39 years, 8 months, 20 days.

COOMBS—At East Orange, N J, April 13, Winthrop, Infant son of Mr and Mrs Frederick A Coombs, formerly of Elisworth, aged 18 months.

Commencing Saturday, April 2, 1904, Steamer and Saturdays at sam, for Seal Harbor, Northern Suthwest Harbor and Stoning 18 months.

DONNELL—At Franklin, April 19, Oliver C Donneil, aged 66 years, 2 months, 16 days. HERRICK—At Bluehill, April 15, Clara Alice Herrick, aged 5 months, 4 days.

JAMES-At Ellsworth, April 13, William James aged 85 years. RAYNES-At Deer Isle, April 16, Mrs Elizabeth E Raynes, aged 74 years. ROBERTSON-At Bluehill, April 16, Mrs Abbie 8 Robertson, aged 45 years, 4 months, 7 days. SAWYER-At Bar Harbor, April 12, John W Sawyer, formerly of Orland, aged 59 years, 8 months, 7 dexe

Sawyer, former months, 7 days. WILBUR-At Waltham, April 16, Norman, son of Mr and Mrs Mahlon Wilbur, aged 1 year, 3 months, 26 days.

Advertisements.



Impure blood always shows somewhere. If the skin, then boils, pimples, rashes. If the nerves, then neuralgia, nerv-ousness, depression. If the

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stomach, then dyspepsia, biliousness, loss of appetite. Your doctor knows the remedy, used for 60 years. arning from the Cuban war, I was a wreck. My blood was bad, and my was gone. But a few bottles of Ayer's arilla completely cured me."

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which are pleasant to take, agreeable to the stomach, and readily assimilated by the most delicate

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Cure anemia from whatever cause; ironize the blood, give healthy color to pale cheeks, lips and ears, create an appetite, aid digestion, steady the nerves, and promote refreshing sleep.

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COUNTY NEWS.

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GREAT POND.

J. F. Haynes lost a valuable horse re

Guy Patterson is to build an addition to

his camp beside Long pond. Henry Folsom, a former resident, died April 5, of the grip after two days' illness Clyde Laughtin, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is improving. His wife

me from Lowell last week. Everett Williams, who died at the home of Ezra Williams, April 5, was buried from the church Friday at 10 a. m. Miss Carland conducted the funeral services There were beautiful flowers. deceased leaves three sisters-Mrs. Wilson, of Belfast, Misses Viola and Mildred, o Benton, and two brothers-Frank and Mugene, of Fairfield. His uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gates Chick, of Clifton, his

Mr. Clarry was operated on at the Bangor hospital on Wednesday. The physicians hoped the trouble was a tumor of the stomach which could be removed, but find a cancer, and could only place it so that the patient could be more comfortable for a while. His wife and daughter accompanied him to Bangor, and will remain at the home of his sister until Mr. Clarry can be removed. Much sympathy is expressed for the family.

mearest relatives, were at the funeral.

OTTER CREEK.

Greeley Walls is slowly improving. Charles Richardson is painting in Ells-

worth for a week or two. Andrew Davis, who has been on the sick Mat for two weeks, is still quite iil.

Mrs. Linda R'chardson has gone to Bar Marbor for a few days' visit to Mrs Walter Dunham.

Miss Coombs went to Bar Harbor Fri to spend Sunday with her friend, Miss Icaphene Brewer.

The aid society wishes to thank Isaac Tripp for a fine communion table which he presented to the church a short time

Miss Marion Liscomb is ill with typhoid fever at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Bracy, who is caring for her. She is attended by Dr. Averill, of Bar Harbor.

Veszie Young and wife entertained a party at the hall Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the aid society. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

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NORTH SULLIVAN.

Mrs. Onais Springer is in poor health. C. H. Abbott and wife are visiting relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Simon Bunker, of Tunk Pond, is visiting Mrs. O. C. Havey.

Hollis Blaisdell was in town last week, having been called home by the death of his father, Charles M. Blaisdell, at East

Julia Moon, wife of Charles Brinton. whose death occurred at her home in Bar Marbor, was buried at Hancock Tuesday. Mr. Green, of the Episcopal church, efficiating. She had long been in poor health and her death was due to consump tion. She leaves beside her husband, two sisters and one brother to mourn her loss. Mrs. Brinton was a resident of this town until about three years ago, since which Many friends here will fondly cherish her

April 18.

WEST SULLIVAN.

Miss Mary Mattocks returned from s two weeks' stay at Bar Harbor Saturday. Capt. Enos Bickford, of Winter Harbor has taken command of the tug Phillips Eaton for the season.

Herbert Jellison and wife have returned from an extended visit in Eastbrook, and Mrs. Jellison is again employed at H. H. Havey's.

The girls' basket ball teams played their first public game at Milton hall Friday evening. It resulted in a victory for

the North Sullivan team. Schools opened this week with the following teachers: Grammar, Andy P. Havey; intermediate, Miss Florence Pease; primary, Miss Josie Urann.

LITTLE DEER ISLE. Louis Shepherd is on the sick list.

Miss Sadie L. Eston will leave Wednes day for Castine.

Supt. Coombs visited the schools here last Thursday.

Mr. Thomas, of Belfast, was here on business last week.

Capt. Grant Eston was in Rockland last

week on business.

Capt. S. G. Hutebinson arrived home

Sunday from New York.

Capt. S. H. Hardy and H. H. Billings went to Ellsworth Monday as jurymen. The steamer Cimbria broke her way

through the Reach April 8, it being the first boat of the season. April 12.

In reply to inquiries we have pleasure in amounting that Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is the the solid preparation of that admirable remedy in that it cleanses and heals membranes affected by masal catarrh. There is no drying er sneezing. The Liquid Cream Balm is dapted to use by patients who have trouble in Inhaling through the nose and prefer spraying. The price, including spraying tube, is 75 cents. Sold by druggists or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warron Street, New York.

COUNTY NEWS.

EAST SULLIVAN. Eugene Hanna has recently made a trip

to Boston. The first morning service at the church will be on Sunday, May 1.

Doyle & Havey are sawing long and short lumber. The Sinclairs are sawing shingles.

Alfred Hackett, a veteran of the Civit var, is seriously ill at his home; also Henry Sinclair at the home of his son.

Schools commence this morning, with Miss Margaret Dunbar at Sullivan Centre, Miss Bernice Smith, Harland district. Mr. Hackett died this morning. He

leaves a widow, who was Miss Mattie Johnson, youngest daughter of the late Abner Pettee has returned from a pleas-

nt visit in Boston and New Hampshire. Stephen Pettee accompanied him, but remains in Boston.

The ice quietly departed last Wednes day so far as we know without a sigh or tear from the village. This morning a vessel is sailing up the bay.

Elmer Hanna has been an invalid all winter with rheumatism, and he appreciates the kindness of his neighbors who so quickly prepared his year's wood.

The ladies' aid of the Harlan district have elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Lena Whalen; vice-president, Mrs. Emma Pettee; treasurer, Mrs. Emma Haskell; secretary, Mrs. Margaret Martin. The immediate object of the society is to build an iron fence around Birch Tree cemetery. The society will have a sale and serve ice-cream and cake in about two weeks. Those outside the mystic circle have

often wondered why the grangers kept such late hours; it has at last been dem-Friday night or Saturday morning the first to pass by the blacksmith shop of Ed. Guptill throught it all in flames; the lock was burst, a tub of water handy and Dallas Hanna with s are extinguisher taken from the store, the flames were soon put out. A hole was burned through the floor, it having caught from the forge. Neither fire extinguisher, nor Dallas Hanna nor a tub of water would have been effective had not the discovery been made just at that time, and no doubt both store and shop would have been destroyed before an alarm could be given. Long live the grange

April 18. WEST TREMONT.

Miss Kate P. Clark is visiting relatives

Andrew Martin has gone to Bangor to work in a saw mill.

Mrs. W. D. Walls and children returned to Seal Cove this week.

George W. Davis expects to move to Prospect Harbor this week.

Mrs. Zulma S. Clark is visiting ber daughter, Mrs. L. W. Rumill.

Mrs. Alfred Higgins spent Sunday with ber daughter, Mrs. Will Trask.

There was an ice-cream supper and con-

cert at the church Wednesday evening. Miss Geneva Latty has gone to Sullivan

to visit her sister, Mrs. Mellie Robertson. Capt. Albion Murphy, who has been away all winter, is home on a short vacation

Capt. Willard Rich has gone to Isles boro to take charge of his vessel, the Maggie Mulvey.

Rev. A. P. Thompson will move to his new charge at Smyrna Mills April 20. All

Mrs. Lucy James has returned from Ellsworth, where she went to attend the

funeral of her husband. L. W. Rumill and F. W. Lunt attended the republican conventions at Waterville

and Portland last week. Miss Gertrude H. Lunt has opened a branch millinery at Southwest Harbor in

A. E. Farnsworth's store. School begins April 18, the grammar taught by Miss Knowles, the primary by Miss Myra Powers, of Seal Cove.

The W. T. I. S. met at the church Friday evening to tack a comfortable as a wedding present for their pastor, Rev. A. P. Thompson.

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CRANBERRY ISLES.

Arthur Joy has bought the sloop Bubble The artesian well is bored to the depth of ninety fest.

Daniel Ladd, of Town Hill, is making his annual visit bere.

Edward Hamor, of Eden, has been visiting relatives and friends here.

Augustus Spofford will move Baker's Island this week to Fish Point. Schooners S. L. Foster and Rozella are being put in readiness for the season's fishing.

Alfred Ladd, who has been very ill since his return from Hebron academy, is recovering.

Capt. Leonard J. Spurling arrived last week in schooner Nickerson which he has just purchased.

Capt. Etwood Spurling, in his new yacht Louise A., arrived yesterday from Friendship where the boat was built.

It was with feelings of sadness that the many friends here of Ambrose Bourget learned of his sudden death from paraly-

The new schooner Elva L. Spurling arrived to-day with 30,000 pounds of fresh fish, it being the first fare caught this

Capt. Willis E. Bunker and wife will leave for Boothbay Thursday to be at the launching of his new schooner, the Rena A. Percy.

Schools commence today in four dis-

will teach in district No. 2. Rev. C. N. Davie is still away, and there are no church services in town. Mr.

White, of Seal Harbor, has preached one Sunday during his absent

Capt. S. N. Bulger is at home on account of sore eyes. He was obliged to leave the vessel in New York, where he has been keeping ship for several months.

Mrc. Millard Spuriling has returned from the Maine general hospital at Portland, where she had been for five weeks for appendicitis. She is gradually gain-Her mother, Mrs. Clara Rice, eccompanied her and remained with her until her return home.

William P. Preble celebrated his ninety third birthday April 6, it being also the forty-ninth birthday of Capt. Willia E. Bunker. He and his wife took dinner with Mr. Preble, and the American flag waved for the entire day in honor to the

April 12.

SULLIVAN. Mrs. A. S. Cummings returned from her

Dwight Braman, an owner of Sullivan Harbor property, was in town last week. Miss Margaret Dunbar has gone to the

summer. Rev. Mr. Barnard bas been returned to this charge, and presched the first sermon of the year Sunday afternoon at the

Center where she is to teach the coming

Mrs. Stan Wilson, who has been spendng a few weeks in Cambridge with the Bennises, returned last Thursday secompanied by Miss Bessie Simpson, who has een visiting Mrs. Phillips Eaton, in Portland.

Miss Helen M. Smith, of the Bar Harbor Record, entertained a large house party at her newly renovated home at Sullivan Harbor on the 16th and 17th. The guests were from Bar Harbor, who greatly enjoyed her hospitality. April 19.

DEDHAM.

Miss Emma Crockett has gone to Isle au

Miss Ethel Rowe and Miss Stella Sweet re teaching in Lubec.

Mrs. J. F. Cowing is with her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Tracy, of Hancock. Lee Fogg and wife, of Hull's Cove,

visited Frank Fogg a few days ago. Onzo Marena and wife, who have been n town several weeks, have returned to

Mrs. Maggie Maynard, Miss Beulab Gray and J. Henry Wharff have been ill enough to call a doctor the past week, but

are now recovering. Emery O good, C. E. and Frank John son have returned home from Maxwell, N. B, where they have been employed during

the winter making last blocks. Oscar Anderson, employed by Frank Rows in cutting pulp wood last Saturday, cut a deep gash in his leg just below the knee. He has gone to the hospital at Old

April 12. ASHVILLE.

Miss Bernice Smith began school in the Harlan district to-day. Mrs. L zzie Carr is spending a week

with friends in Gouldsboro. School began this morning taught by

Jerome B. Clark, of West Gouldsboro. Hiram Preble is on the sick list, and his daughter Mary is said to have typhoid

The weir fishermen have moved to their respective islands-Elwood and Wvite Hammond to Leewards, E. E. Bragdon to

Sheldrake, John Carpenter to Ash Point. Capt. O. P. Bragdon has been poorly the past week, and his absence was noticeable in the Sunday school of which he has been superintendent so many years. Carrol

Clark substituted acceptably. April 18.

SOUTH BLUEHILL.

Miss Flora Day has gone to Sedgwick to

work in the factory. Miss Florence Candage, of East Bluebill.

visited friends here recently. Miss Mertie Cooper, of Seal Cove, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. Eston. Naomi, wife of Frank Candage, died April 8. She leaves a husband, one son

and one grandson and a large circle of friends to mourn her loss. April 13.

Abbertisements.

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BROOKLIN. Miss E. A. Mayo left for Boston Thurs-

day on a business trip. Will Gott, of Bass Harbor, was in tow

ast week calling on old friends. B. O. Dollard has rented the Friend

store for his undertaking business. A ten-cent supper will be held at Odc Fellows' ball Friday evening, April 22,

Rev. J. P. Simonton, of Ellsworth, wil deliver the Memorial Day address here. Farther Lights society held a pleasant social in the chapel Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Rachel Wells is home from Provi dence, R. I., where she has spent the win John and Ward Freethey left Thursday

for New York, where they will join thei Mrs. Augusta Staples is home from Rockland, where she has been the guest

of her son. Charles Johnston, wife and daughte left for Meirose, Mass., Thursday, where Mrs. Johnston's parents reside.

Herman W. Zoll, of Los Angeles, Cal. and Miss Vinnie M. Eaton, of Brooklin were married at Los Angeles March 9. Capt. G. W. Herrick and Mark L. Dodge

attended the republican district convention at Waterville, and the State convention at Portland. Rev. E. S. Drew of Sedgwick, bas accepted the call of the Baptist church

here to become its pastor. He will enter

upon his duties here May 1. At the regular meeting of the Center Harbor Rebekah lodge, April 15, jewelwere presented to three pest noble grands, Mrs. A. W. Bridges, Mrs. Beile Blake and Mrs. T. C. Stanley. E. H. Bridges, degree captain, was presented with a sash. An appropriate presentations speech was

made by Isaac Mayo. UNE FEMME.

PROSPECT HARBOR. Miss Julia Guptill spent Sunday at her

Rev. Wallace Cutter left for his new

charge in Cutler on Friday. Mrs. Lula Bunker goes to Corea to-day to teach. She will have an assistant.

Mrs. Belinda Noonan is home from Nashua, N. H., where she spent the winter

Rev. Mr. Bromley, the newly-appointed pastor to the Methodist church, preached unday morning. Dr. and Mrs. Larrabee and E. W. Cleav and wife dined on Sunday with R. D.

Guptill and wife in Gouldsboro. Halcyon assembly of P. S. worked the initiatory degree on Tuesday evening, and received two applicants into membership. Business is brisk at the South End. A

building a new wharf at the sardine factory. Capt. S. O. Moore and Charles Blance are home from Waterville and Portland where they went as delegates to the repub-

steam pile-driver has arrived to be used in

The V. I. society has suspended its weekly meetings. It met for the last time with Mrs. E. D. Chase on Wednesday. The attendance and entertainment were

up to the usual standard. April 18. OTIS.

Sadie Tibbetts is home from Lawrence,

Benjamin Perry, of Bangor, is at W. W. Howard Kincaid has gone to Elisworth,

where he has employment The infant daughter of Lowell Watts and wife died last Tuesday.

Granville Jelison had a chopping bee last Friday with a party in the evening. eorge Warren visite d his daughter. Mrs. William H. True, of Ellsworth, Friday and Saturday.

The town is building a schoolhouse in district No. 2 on the lot kindly presented by George Jordan, where the eld one Leo Blaisdell went to Scarboro last

week, where he has employment. He was accompanied by his uncle Alfred and little daughter. George Jordan has a sheep which has

beaten all records this year; she gave birth last week to four handsome and healthy lambs. Mrs. Martha Blaisdell returned to O d Orchard the 18th. She has faithfully

filled her place as nurse here for some months, and all regret her departure. April 18.

WEST BROOKSVILLE. Sewall D. Tapley has been appointed

Miss Clara Tapley is at home from Malden, Mass., for a short vacation. A. Willis Grindle, of Haverbill, Mass. is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. George H.

road commissioner.

Tapley. Capt. George W. Blodgett and Joseph H. Tapley made a business trip to Bangor

Schooner Mopang, Capt. Frank Perkins, is at Negro island, wood loaded, bound to the westward. Mrs. Thomas S. Tapley has gone to

West Tremont, where she will join her husband, Dr. Tapley. Mrs. Lloyd G. Barnes, who has passed two weeks with her parents, N. A. Hawes and wife, left for her home in Andover April 14.

Georgie Stevens is here from New Lon-

don, Cons., after eight months' absence. He will spend the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Stevens. April 18. TOMSON

SOUTH DEER ISLE.

portion of his foot afflicted with gan-

Fred Robbins came home from Boston last week for a short vacation. Capt. Benjamin F. Warren, who had a

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grene removed several months ago, has far recovered as to be able on Friday ear by.

Capt. S. N. Hendrick who has been pending the winter in Boston, is home. There was no service in the Methodist

nurch on Sunday afternoon, the pastor, tev. Mr. Jackson, being at conference. April 16.

BASS HARBOR. Mrs. Eva Benson, who has been quite ill,

Miss Cora Berry, who has been ill, is reovering. Miss Violet Gott gave a pit party Tues-

Capt. Albion Murphy, of West Tremont, pent Sunday here. Joseph Atwood, of Brewer, has opened

lay evening.

is store for the season. Mrs. Lewis Holmes has gone away to the hospital for treatment.

Miss Helen Jackson entertained a party of girls Thursday evening. Mrs. McRae has had a piazza built

across the front of her house. Mrs. Julia Gott, of Southwest Harbor is visiting her brother, L. J. Norwood.

Mrs. Maynard Torrey is spending a few

days at her former home in Bucksport. Schools begin to-day. The teachers here are Miss Louise McIntire, west side gram mar; Miss Myra Wilson, west side primary; Miss Clara Alien, McKinley; Mies Neva Lawn at the head of the harbo April 18. X. Y. Z.

GOULDSBORO.

Walter Beers, of Vanceboro, is visiting

his sister, Mrs. Mabel Campbell. Mrs. Carrie Rice and little son, of Sullivan, are at Mrs. Rice's old home here.

Enoch Newman and wife went last

Monday to North Sullivan, where they have taken charge of Dunbar Bros. boarding house. B. T. Sowle, of Ellsworth, with his son Maurice, of the U.S.S. Otympia, who is

home on a short furlough, spent Friday with relatives here. Rev. Waltace Cutter, who has been pastor here for the past two years, has

gone to Cutler, his new pastorate. All were sorry to have him go. April 18

FRANKLIN.

The people of Franklin are specially favored in having a visit from Miss Alice H. Moore, State organizer Maine W. C. T. U. Sanday, April 24. Being an excellent speaker Miss Moore well represents the noble work. She will speak in the Baptist church in the morning at 11 o'clock and at the Methodist church at 2 in the afternoon. In the evening there will be a union meeting at the Baptist church, at 7 o'clock for which special music is arranged. It is specially desirable that the ladies give Miss Moore their cordin support at all the services. All voters will do well to hear what may be said on

SEAWALL. Benjamin Dolliver is in poor health, and keeps his bed the greater part of the time. School began Monday, taught by Miss Anderson. She will board at Lillian

One day last week William Dolliver eaught ninety barbor pollock in Ship Harbor. James Fernald went to Portland Mon

day on the Southwest Harbor postoffice robbery case. April 18.

BLUEHILL FALLS. Cecil Gray has joined the order of Amerlean Mechanics at Bluebill. Capt. Hugh Duffy has started the

chooner Minques for her season's work.

Some of our young people have gone to work in the clam factory in South Bluehiii. Irving Candage and Brooks Gray spent a few days in Orland and Bucksport last week.

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bute's Thursday.

HANCOCK POINT. C. A. Penney has returned from Bangor. A. M. Carter and Joe Tuffts are on the

road with a sawing machine.

SUBSTITUTE.

Allen Crabtree has rented his cottage to President Hyde, of Bowdoin college. The Ephraim Crabtree place has been sold to Dr. Thalberg, of Vassar college. Howard Ball and son were here last week. He has rented his house to Chester

WEST HANCOCK. Little Sylvia Marshall is still very ill. There was a chopping match at Herbert

Miss Amy Brown has been visiting relatives in Franklin. Irving McFarland and wife made short visit to friends in Franklin

Miss Wilma Googins, of Ashville, has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Rose Young, during the week. April 18.

SARGENTVILLE.

Mrs. Harold Youge is still very low with slight hope of recovery. Mrs. Arthur Sargent is saddened by the

leath of an uncle in Bangor. Mrs. Lou L. Perkies is in Prospect visiting her sister, Mrs Jennie Dockham, Edith Eaton, who has been spending the winter with her aunt in Boston, is

After a grand struggle through the lee on Friday, the Cimbria reached the wharf here, where she was met with cheers.

All here were pained to hear of the teath of two of Brooksville's oldest citizens, Groves Walker and Bolly Bickford. With the help of the cutter Seminole.

which passed through the Reach Satur-

day, the ice is about gone. The Reach has been closed since Jan. 14. The last man to cross on the ice did so on April 6. The Sunday school held its Easter concert on Sunday evening. The children did themselves credit. It must have been pleasure for those who isbored so hard for and with them. The chapel was beautifully decorated. The altar was a bower

of plants and flowers. Rev. E. S. Drew speke touchingly, it being his last Sunday bere, which all regret. April 12. Mrs. Harold Young is still very low.

The chapet circle met with Mrs. Angle

menced at the Main Lake Ice Co's, works,

Dority last Thursday. Miss Carris Jordan is spending the week with Miss Eva Grindle of the Lynmore. The work of loading vessels has com-

Steven Leach, of Kingman, was in town this week visiting his mother and his brother Irving. If it were a little warmer, it would

and Juliette on their regular trips.

some and is with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Sargent.

April 18. MINTURN.

Harvey Bridges, who has been quite ill, is improving. F. N. Johnson arrived yesterday with his new gasoline boat.

his sister, Mrs. Johnson, for a few days. Mrs. George Stewart, from the north part of the island, is visiting her daugh-

ers, Mrs. Dave Bridges, Mrs. Harvey

Bridges and Mrs. Annie Saddier.

April 14. Make Your Pouttry Pay. The possiry keeper who keeps a few hens, as vell as the one who keeps many, is anxious to derive as much profit from them as possible. Many things aid or hinder in that desire. Sick fowls are unprofitable fowls. Fowls should be warmly housed and should have as temperance and anti-resubmission in the much range as possible for exercise, but the feeding. For over 30 years successful poultry alsers have fed Shertdan's Powder at all times of year, and have realized handsome increase in their profits Fed once a day, with the regular feed, it aids digestion, makes healthy fowls, and furnishes just the chemical elements needed to produce eggs in the laying hen, and to develop and ma-

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really seem like spring with the Cimbria Mrs. Clara Cispp, who has been spend-

ng the winter with her sons in Boston, is

Charles M. Smith, wife and little daughter, of Rockport, have been visiting

••••••• A KERRY COWARD

By M. Louise Cummins

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Mike Carney sat loosely on a heap of slag during the last two minutes of the noon hour, the empty dinner pail which hung from his locked fingers swinging backward and forward rhythmically between his knees.

His blue eyes, looking straight ahead, held that blending of guilelessness and mysticism which is the birthright of a religious people. Down to the end of his short nose Mike's face might have been a fit study of a afteenth century monk, but his mouth belied all that, apparently having been formed for no ason on earth but to whistle an Irish tig, and the sight of it thus engaged was sufficient to cure one forever of the idea that life was dull.

At present his lips puckered more than once, but only a lone note, which seemed to have gone astray from the rest of the tune, issued from them. Something began to grow in his eyes, burning away their mysticism and revealing a substratum of quicksliver.

"'Tisn't fair, be gob!" He stood up and faced the brick wall opposite, as though it was the president of the wire works himself.

"'Tis chances enough the workin'man has to take anyhow"-

His voice stopped as if broken. Cringed into himself, he sank back on the sing, torn between the conviction that "'twas fair" and the Irishman's inherent abhorrence of "informing."

"An' sure, where'd be the use?" he sollloquized, his mental attitude seeming to descend despondently with his "Don't they know 'tis done, an' every day too?"

But an hour later when the foreman ordered him to replace a large belt from a shafting to a countershaft while the machinery was in motion Carney looked him quietly in the eyes and refused.

His glance had measured the danger first. It was a particularly ugly job, crammed near the ceiling, compared to which the belt he had replaced that morning was as child's play.

"You'll not do it?" "Not while she's running I'll not do

The foreman's strong young hands closed and unclosed at his sides. He was ten years the Irishman's junior, with his record still to make. The eyes which answered Mike's narrowed to points of steel. For a moment the two men regarded each other with a peculiarly still, flat look.

"You Kerry coward!" The measured words were like the hiss of escaping steel scalding the Irishman's face. All the fighting blood of his race showed in the one unloosed shaft of blue light that leaped from his eyes. Like a felled log the foreman went down.

Very quietly Mike picked up his belongings and left the shop. Not even the certainty that he had lost his job and the beating thought of five small mouths at home to be fed could quell the flerce satisfaction in what he had For an hour he walked, hugging it savagely to his breast. Then, as he ascended the steps of his tenement, it seemed suddenly to ooze out at his finger tips. Nora's eyes, while she stood on the small plazza hanging out clothes, were as mirrors from which all the grim, bare facts attendant on being "out of a job" looked back at him with cruel distinctness.

Margaret Hartman leaned her arms on the table and looked across the silver and cut glass at her husband. Het white face and wide open eyes still held the tremulousness of one who had recently been in the darkness of a great fear.

"But the man," Hartman said, fingering his glass. "I wish you had found out his name, Constance.'

"I know, dear; but, Henry" - her hand went to her heart: Hartman felt reproached as he watched the added pallor of her face-"oh, it was all so sudden, so awful, those mad horses with the trailing harness and wrecked carriage, the fearful recklessness of it as they came down the street! And then when baby left Anna and came toddling unconsciously across to where I sat on the piazza"-

"There, dear, don't go over it any more." Hartman came around the table and put his hand on his wife's shoulder.

"The man," she went on after a pause, "has been hanging about here lately. I have fancled sometimes that he wished to speak to you or me. When I had baby safely in my arms I looked at him-he had the kindlest blue eyes and saw that he was very white. But when I asked him if he had been hurt he said no, only a bit of a bruise where the shaft grazed his shoulder. It was the quickness and coolness with which he did it, Henry, that stunned me. And no sooner had he grabbed baby than his mouth puckered in the funniest way, and he sauntered up to me whistling an Irish jig."

Hartman's brows drew together. "It couldn't be-of course not"-"Who, dear?"

"Carney, my little jig whistler. And that reminds me that I haven't seen him around since I got home."

The superintendent of the Leffingten wire works went quickly into his library. A moment later his wife heard him calling up his assistant by

Mike stood in the Hartmans' library two hours later. His sensitive face worked as he turned a shabby hat

round and round by the brim. "Oh, sure, 'twas nothing, ma'am.

I've got five o' thim meself at home," he said deprecatingly.

"How does it happen that you're not The superintendworking, Carney?" ent looked at him keenly.

"Well, sir, you see, 'twas this way: Meself an' Harrington had a bit of a disagreement about a belt and-a"-

Hartman's eyes held his, compelling the truth.

"Mr. Hartman, sir"-the words rushed from the Kerry coward in a chokbits doing what Harrington bid do. I'll not deny that it's hungry the childer've been sometimes since I've not had a steady job, but 'tis hungrier they'd be if I wasn't here at all, an'-I couldn't take the chanct."

"You don't have to take the chance." Hartman was pacing the floor, with hands thrust deep into his pockets, the veins on his forehead knotted. man who works under me will be asked to take chances that I would not take myself. Did Harrington discharge you for that?" He wheeled suddenly, facing Mike.

"No, sir; no, Mr. Hartman, sir. We had a few words first, an' Harrington he called me a Kerry coward, an'-I hit him a lick.'

"Did you, though?" There was relish in the superintendent's voice. "Oh, sure 'tisn't any harm I'd want

to be doin' him," Mike put in quickly; "the lad is a dacent lad enough, an' knowledgable, too; only a bit young. an', sure, that'll mend."

Hartman followed him to the door. "Come down to the works in the morning, Carney, and we'll see if we can't find something for you that'll keep the 'childer' from being hungry in future," he said genially. "As to what you did for me this afternoon-I can't speak of that yet."

Margaret Hartman pushed her husband aside and, taking Mike's hand,

raised it to her lips.
"He called you a Kerry coward," she said, with heaving breast, while Mike stood transfixed by the beauty of her tear filled eyes. "but I call you the bravest man-the bravest man-that

When Mike reached the street he stood and looked at his hand in the

"Wisha, now, to think of that!" he said reverently. "Faith, I dunno but I'm glad he called me a Kerry cow-

The Maid's Evasive Answer.

Strange as it may seem, there is a public man in this city who is blessed or cursed with a tender conscience that worries him in small matters as well as in great. Among the things that he cannot justify to himself is the bidding a servant to say that he is not at home when in reality he is inside his house. At the same time he is not able to receive the many visitors who call upon him, and his only resource was to give instructions that polite excuses should be given. Upon one occasion such instructions were given to a maid, an Irish girl gifted with the readiness and good wit of her nation.

"Then I'm to be saying, sir, that you're not at home?" the maid inquired.

"That would not be true. If any one should ask for me you must just put him off-give him some evasive answer, you know."

"I'll do it, sir, never fear," was the maid's reply. Mary was as good as

That afternoon a person of importance made his appearance and was duly sent away. The faithful maid reported the circumstance to her em-

"What did you do, Mary?" inquired the latter, with some trepidation. "Oh, I just put him off, sir, as you told me. I gave him an evasive an

"Yes, but what did you say to him?" "Oh, sure, he axed me if the boss Cornelius Springer, of Trenton. was at home, and I said to him, 'Was his grandmother a monkey?"-Philadelphia Telegraph.

Possled the Irishman.

The Rev. Robert Collyer was a blacksmith in Germantown, Pa., before he became a preacher, says Success. Once when there was little work at hand he asked a builder in his neighborhood for something to do. The latter replied that all he could give him would be a job carrying a hod.

"I'm your man," replied the black-

smith promptly. Years afterward, while an imposing edifice was being erected in Chicago for Dr. Collyer, he was standing among the beams watching the progress of the work when an Irishman came along with a hod of bricks. Dr.

Collyer spoke to him, and he paused. "This is har-rd work, sor," said the Irishman. "I know that well," answered Dr

Collyer. "In my day I've carried the hod myself."

"The Irishman stared at me an instant," said Dr. Collyer in relating the incident, "and then went on his way mumbling something that sounded sus piciously like, 'I wouldn't 'a' belaved th' parson was such a liar.'"

Swimming Boards.

Sandwich swimming boards take their name from the fact that they are used in the Sandwich Islands, and not from their shape, as might be imag ined. The contrivance is simply a large coffin shaped board, usually about five feet in length and from one to two feet in width. It is used especially for passing through the surf. In most cases the islands of the Sandwich group are of coral formation and surrounded by dangerous reefs, which make it extremely dangerous to land By clinging to his swimming board, however, the native has the advantage of being able to use all his strength is propelling himself forward.

COUNTY NEWS.

PENOBSCOT.

General satisfaction is expressed in baving Rev. F. V. Stauley returned for another year.

Hutchins' express is once more on its regular route. For the present South Later it will go through to Bluehill, as in

Penobscot captains have taken command of the following schooners for the season: Capt. W. M. Sellers, the Flora Condon: Capt. J. B. Sellers, the Mary A. McCann; Capt. C. M. Perkins, the Omaha; Capt. H. A. Davis, the Susan Stetson; Capt. Roscoe Conner, the William Pickering. Penobscot chapter No. 107, O. E. S., re-

cently organized here, will do its first work this evening. Five applications have been presented. Much interest is being manifested, all are working hard, and hope soon to have a large and fine working

The following programme was success fully rendered Thursday evening at the grange hall, under the auspices of the King's Daughters:

Plano solo.......Nina Varnum Reading—How the book agent beat the bandit,
Edith Hutchins Tableaux-Reverles of a bachelor

Tableaux-My little busband

Dialogue-Leap year in a village with one gen tleman Illustrated Song-The moon, the coon, and the

Tableau-Nine o'clock, twelve o'clock, and two o'clock Song and drill—Hail to Old Glory

April 18.

WEST SUILIVAN.

Mrs. Bradbury Smith spent a few days

last week in Steuben, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Guptill.

The friends of Rev. Mr. Barnard, of the Methodist church, will be pleased to learn that he has returned to work in this field another year. Miss E. Beatrice Blaisdell, who has been

studying at the New England conservatory of music in Boston, is with her aunt, Mrs. George Pettingill. C. H. Abbott and wife are visiting

friends in Portland. Mr. Abbott was a delegate to the republican national convention recently held there.

Schools began Monday with Andy Havey teacher in the grammar depart-ment, Miss Florence Pease intermediate, and Miss Josie Urann, primary.

Miss Bessie Crowley, who has been with Mrs. B. B. Havey this winter, has gone to Portsmouth, N. H., to spend the spring with Mrs. Lindsay.

The house owned and occupied by Mrs. Miranda Gordon, was totally destroyed by fire Friday morning. A defective chimney is supposed to be the cause. Partially insured.

April 18 LAMOINE.

Miss Flora Stratton went to Verona Satarday to teach. Mrs. Belle Googins, of Waltham, has

been visiting relatives here. Miss Abbie Coolidge goes to Hancock this week to stay a while with her aunt, Mrs. Gideon Joy.

Mrs. Mary H. Coolidge goes to Bar Harbor to day to remain a while with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hiram Emery.

The schooner Inez N. Carver, Capt. Fred L. Hodgkins, recently made the passage from New York to Savannah in the remarkably short period of four days. Twelve hours of that time she experienced caim. The fifth day after sailing from New York the vessel was loading lumber in Savannah.

A quiet home wedding took place Saturbride, Miss Myrtie Whitaker, daughter of Stephen Whitsker, who was married to ceremony was performed by A. G. Blake, esq., of Brooklin. The bride is one of the esteemed young ladies of our community, and her friends here wish her a long and happy wedded life.

April 18. NORTH LAMOINE.

Mrs. Edith Beane is home from Portland.

Miss Inez Hagan has returned from Bangor. Coleman Hagan spent Sunday with his

parents, Ira Hagan and wife. Miss Eunice Coggins was called home from Castine last week by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Alma Coggins.

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T. sting Vitality of Seeds,

Owing to the unfavorable season of properly, and it is probable that there will be many disappointed growers during the present sesson. Prot. W. M. Munson, horticulturist to the Maine agricul tural experiment station, makes the folowing suggestions, whereby it is possible for every farmer to know just what to expect from his corn, oats, peas, clover o other crops, and to plan accordingly.

If he knows that only 50 per cent. of his corn will germinate, it is an easy matter to plant twice as much; but if he plants the usual amount, and gets only half a stand, the case is much more seri-

farm or garde , seeds can be made as follows: Place 100 seeds, taken at random from the stock which is to be planted, on a dish of sand, cover from one-half to one inch with sand, moisten and keep in a warm place, as behind the kitchen stove, until the sprouts appear. number of sprouts which appear will give an idea of the percentage which may be expected to grow.

Care should be taken that the seeds are kept moist, but not too wet. It is advisable to make more than one test, and be guided by the average results. A test of this kind is more valuable than one in which the seeds are placed in blotting paper, for seeds may sprout on paper which do not have sufficient vitality to

The Vision and Hearing of Reptiles. The best sense that reptiles have is that of sight, according to a Viennese naturalist named Werner, who has recently

alist named Werner, who has recently published the results of observations on nearly two hundred snakes, lizards, frogs, etc. But even this sense is very duil.

A crocodile can not see a man more than six times its own length away, while fish can see enly about half thoir own length. Snakes are still worse off. Some can see a quarter of their length away; while others are limited to one fifth or one-eighth. Frogs are much keener-sighted. They can tell what is going on at a distance of fifteen or twenty times their own length. Most reptiles are nearly or quite deaf; but in compensation, all, according to Werner, seem to bave a marvelous sense of the direction in which water lies. They will make a bee line for it, even when so far away that no sense known to us would help them. Werner thinks this due to some sort of attraction akin to chemical action; but he can not explain now or action; but he can not explain now or why it takes place.—Success.

Tess.—Miss Passay says she has "found an affinity" at last. What does she mean 1903 many kinds of seeds failed to mature by that? Jess-A person of the opposite sex who is interested in her.

Mrs. Jenkins-My son writes that he is the head of his class at college. Mrs. Jones -Oh the freshmen class, isn't it? Mrs. Jenkins-No, he calls it the "welter-

Micbical.

Worth a Thought.

This Statement Will Interest Scores of Ellsworth Readers.

The facts given below are worth a perusal by all who are anxious about their physical condition or are similarly situated to this resident. It is a local occurrence

and can be thoroughly investigated.

Mrs. Nahum Young (farmer), Birch Tree farm, Partridge Cove road, North Hancock, Me., says: "I had marked symptoms of kidney trouble for years and suffered a great deal from it despite the fact that I used a vast amount of medicine and doctored. Just before I went to Wiggin & Moore's drug store in E Isworth wight & Moore's drug store in E isworth for Doan's Kidney Pills I had a very sever attack. In fact my back was aching constantly, and if the twinges of pain which always occurred when I stooped or brought the least strain on the muscles of my back were not more excruciating than in some of my previous attacks, they occurred so often that they were a positive nuisance. A few days after I commenced the treatment relief followed, and a continuation for some time so strengthened my kidneys and purified them that the backache ceased. My son Ralph can just as emphatically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills."

of May, a. d. 1903, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereof if they see forenoon, and be heard thereof presented by John E. Bunker, jr., the executor therein hand.

Ambrose Bourget, late of Wit. Desert, in said county, deceased. A certain instrument of said deceased, together with petition for probate thereof, presented by Jeffle Almens Anthony (formerly Effle Almens Pendiment Anthony (formerly Effle Almens Pendimens Anthony (formerly Effle Almens Pendimens Anthony (formerly Effle Almens Pendimens Anthony (formerly for Doan's Kidney Pills I had a very se-

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STATE OF MAINE.

A CERTAIN instrument purporting to be a copy of the last will and testament and codeil of Eliza J. Whiting, late of Newton, in the county of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, deceased, and of the probate ther of in said probate court for the county of Middlesex. Commonwealth of Massachusettes, duly authenticated, having been presented to the ju ge of probate for our said county of Hancock for the purpose of being allowed, filed and recorded in the probate court of our said county of Hancock.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given to

the probate court of our said county of Hancock.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Elisworth American, a newspaper printed at Elisworth, in said county of Hancock, prior to the third day of May, a. d. 1964, that they may appear at a probate court then to be held at Eden (Bar Harbor), in and for said county of Hancock, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, against the same.

O. F. CUNNINGHAM, Judge of Probate.

A true copy of the original.

Attest:—Chas. P. Dorra, Register.

To all persons interested in either of the care.

To all persons interested in either of the es-tates hereinafter named.

cense to sell certain of the real estate of said minors.

John W. Stover, late of Bucksport, in said c unty, deceased. Petition filed by Elizabeth A. Stover, administratrix, for license to sell certain of the real estate of said deceased. Henry W. Sawyer, late of Castine, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Geo M. Warren, administrator, for license to sell certain of the real estate of said deceased.

J. Thomas Hinckley, minor, of Biuchill, in said county. Petition filed by Nahum Hinckley, guardian, for license to sell certain of the real estate of said minor.

Benjamin G. Barbour, late of Deer Isle, in

real estate of said minor.

Benjamin G. Barbour, late of Deer Isle, in said county, deceased. Second and final account of Susanna T. Barbour, executrix, filed for settlement.

John M. Hale, ir., late of Ellsworth, in said county, deceased. First and final account of Rebecca W. Hale, administratrix, filed for settlement.

John M. Hale & Co., of Fllsworth, in said county. First and final account of Rebecca W. Hale, administratrix, to close affairs of

John M. Hale & Co., of Flisworth, in said county. First and final account of Rebecca W. Hale, administratrix, to close affairs of partnership of said firm, filed for settlement. Alfred Swazey, late of Bucksport, in said county, deceased. First account of Charlotte R. Swazey, executrix, filed for settlement.

Gertrude C. Dunham, late of Amherst, in said county, deceased. First and final account of William H. Dunham, executor, filed for settlement.

Asa C. Burrill, late of Dedham, in said county, deceased. Final account of Hadley P. Burrill, administrator, filed for settlement.

Elizabeth Lane, late of Sedgwick, in said county, deceased. Final account of John F. Lane, administrator, filed for settlement.

Thomas L. Kenney, late of Dedham, in said county, deceased. Final account of George W. Patten, executor, filed for settlement.

Emma F. Hubbard, late of Bucksport, in said county, deceased. First account of William M. Hubbard, administrator, filed for settlement.

George W. Bowden, late of Bluehill, in said

said county, deceased. First account of welliam M. Hubbard, administrator, filed for settlement.

George W. Bowden, late of Bluehill, in said county, deceased. First account of Austin T. Stevens, administrator, filed for settlement.

Alfred McDonald, late of Bucksport, in said county, deceased. Third account of Isaac H. Homer, administrator, filed for settlement.

Harriet Ann Mooney, an insane person, late of Bucksport, in said county, deceased. First and last account of Isaac H. Homer, guardian, filed for settlement.

Mary M. Hatch, an insane person, of Captine, in said county. First account of John N. Gardner, guardian, filed for settlement.

Fred E. Dyer, late of Eastbrook, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Helen E. Dyer, widow, for an allowance out of the personal estate of said deceased.

John Paul Gordon, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased. Petition filed by Frank E. Blaisdell and Arno W. King, administrators, to have collateral inheritance tax assessed.

O. P. CUNNINGHAM, Judge of Said Court. Atrue copy of the original.

Attest:—Chas. P. Dorr, Register.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice the he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of William D. Porter, late of Castine, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. deceased, and given bonds as the law directs.
All persons having demands against the entate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebte thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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Haroid Smith, agent, 105 State St., Portland, Me.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice the he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth A. Joy, late of Elizabeth her decased, 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,

GEORGE W. PATTEN. mediately, March 1, 1904.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS Jennie R. Reed, of Stonington, in the county of Hancock and State of Maine, by her mortgage deed dated first day of June, a. d. 1901, and recorded in Hancock registry of deeds, book 362, page 578, conveyed to Lucy E. Russ, of said Stonington, and to her heirs and assigns forever a certain lot or parcel of land situated in said town of Stonington, bounded as follows, tewit: Beginning at the shore at a bolt in a ledge; thence northerly and westerly one hundred and eighty-five feet near a road to a bolt in a ledge; thence easterly two hundred and seventy-six feet to a bolt in a ledge; thence southerly seventy six feet to the shore; thence by said shore westerly two hundred feet to first mentioned bou d to a bolt in a stone wharf, containing one half aere, more or less, and, whereas said Lucy E. Russ, by her de d of assignment, dated September 24. a. d. 1901, and recorded in Hancock registry of deeds, book 403, page 477, Sold, assign d and conveyed to Celia Alexander, the undersigned, said mortgage and the notes thereby secured. I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage by reason of a breach of the same and give this notice for that purpose.

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COUNTY NEWS.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR

Miss Alice Carpenter, of Trenton, is risiting for a couple of weeks her grandparents, Jacob Mayo and wife.

A goodly number of our people went to Ellsworth last Wednesday to attend the hearing of the Manset Coal Co. vs. Tracy, but in lieu of a court trial the harmonious settlement of the case gave general satis-

Mrs. Bertha Robbins is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Willian Hanna, who also entertained for a few days the Seawall teacher, Miss Anderson, of Fairfield, who gave good satisfaction in her work at Center the winter term of school.

Chaney Randall has leased or purchased the small stable of Thomas Clark who was in town last week, and is having it enlarged for his livery business. May better luck follow Chaney in the future, as the recent burning of his stable was a severe loss.

Mrs. A. W. Clark, who spent the winter in Arizona, returning home April 1, evidently made the change from a warm to a cold climate a little too soon, as she has been seriously ill with a feverish grip cold for nearly three weeks, but is slowly

Miss Esther Dixon is proving a pleasant and efficient librarian in place of Mrs. O. W. Cousins, who served Tremont public library so long and faithfully, but who resigned in March to enter the store of J. T. R. Freeman as clerk. Two dozen new books have been added to the reading list.

The friends of Rev. Harry Hill and wife regret their removal to Winterport, but the edict of the Methodist rulers may not e set aside, and all will give a hearty welcome to his successor, Rev. Mr. Aldrich, whose family of six children will make the parsonage merry with youthful

April 18.

SWAN'S ISLAND.

George Titus is very ill at the Ocean

View hotel. Michael Stinson is in Ellsworth serving

as juryman. Albert Sprague has gone to Tiverton,

R. I., to go engineer on a steamer. Mrs. Micheal Stinson has returned after a few weeks' absence in Rockland with friends.

Capt. George Sprague has gone to Bar Harbor to take command of the steamer Marjorie.

H. W. Joyce and wife have returned from Florida, where they have been em-ployed the past winter.

Mrs. Mary E. Gott has returned from Pittsfield, where she attended the East Maine conference as a lay delegate.

Although Rev. J. B. Aldrich and family have been here but a few months, they have gained a large circle of friends. As there is no parsonage, it is with regret that they are obliged to leave. Mr. Ald-rich leaves the 20th to take charge of his new parish at Southwest Harbor.

COUNTY NEWS. to additional County News see other pages

SURRY.

Capts. A. C. Young and C. M. Coulter have had their houses newly painted.

D. A. Neal,of Eaton Station (Danforth), visited his sister, Mrs. J. D. McGraw, last week.

Mrs. Mary Gray met with a painful accident Tuesday night by falling upon a slippery walk near her door, spraining her wrist and fracturing the bone. Dr. The Surry coasting vessels have left pled it two seasons already.

their winter anchorage down the bay, and are busy loading and preparing for the season's work. The Lincoln, Capt. Harry Wood, was the first to get loaded and drop down the bay.

There was a very interesting Easter concert at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. The following took part: Alice Coulter, Mary Billington, Florence Mc-Graw, Iva Treworgy, Hope Joy, Myra Billington, Florence Curtis. Remarks by Capt. W. S. Treworgy.

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SOUTH SURRY.

Dr. Charles Briggs arrived Sunday morning.

The steamboat made her first trip out this morning. Capt. W. V. Coggins, of the schooner

Hazel Deil, left Bluehill for New York last Friday. Mrs. Harriet Haskell is very ill. Her grandson, Fred P. Curtis, and his wife are

caring for her. Cufford Coggins found violet buds recently large enough to bloom before the

last snow storm. Edward E. and Harvard Curtis have gone to Bar Harbor, where they hope to

find work for the summer. Flora Young came home from Elisworth last week to attend school which will begin next Monday; F. Hamilton, of

Bluehill Neck, teacher. April 18.

NORTHEAST HARBOR. Clarence and Albert McBride have returned from Boston.

Masons entertained their friends Saturday evening. Games and music were en-joyed, and refreshments were served.

A son and daughter were born to Mr. and Mrs. Pedrick Gilley last week. Mrs. Stephen Smallidge is in Lincoln

for a short time. Miss L. Grindle was called to Stoning ton last week by the iliness of the mil-liner in charge of the store which Miss Grindle has recently opened there.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs.

M. R. Frost on April 12. The anniversary service of the I. O. O. F. will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal chur h Sunday evening, April 24. Rev. J. R. Norwood will deliver the address.

The opening dance of the season will take place at Brown & Giliey's hall next Friday evening. Monaghan's orchestra, of Ellsworth, will furnish the music.

COUNTY SEWS.

BLUEBILL.

The Odd Fellows anniversary will be celebrated April 26, by a supper and entertainment.

The la ties' Congregational circle was entertained Thursday last by Mrs. R. G. Lord, Mrs. O. T. Hinckley and Mrs. A. C. Hinckley.

Edgar Stevens, of New York, has been in town on business relating to renting his house to Rev. Dr. McKay, who has occu-

Miss May Ober, who spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. Merrill, in Dorchester, Mass., has returned, and will open "Ideal Lodge" for the season.

Hon. E. E. Chase, F. P. Merrill and W. C Conary attended the republican convention at Portland. Judge Chase presided, and made a brilliant address.

The statement in last week's AMERICAN in regard to where the death of Robert Kneisel eccurred should be corrected. He died in Faulkner hospital Jamaica Plain His father, Franz Kneisel, was abroad at the time of his death. The funeral service was beld Easter Sunday at Forest Hills chapel.

James Bettel has bought out F. M. Rowe's carriage business. Harvey M. Curtis will remain in the shop, where he has been employed by Mr. Rowe for some years. Mr. Bettel has also bought the part of the building owned by John M. Snow, and rented the Fred Stevens house into which the family will move this week. April 19.

Leroy Grindle is quite ill with tonsil-

George Pert has sold his oxen to Sewall Gray, of Penobscot.

Mrs. Lura Osgood entertained a small party of friends Saturday evening. De-

licious refreshments were served. The junior O. U. A. M., of this town, is

a flourishing condition, having admitted thirty-two members during March.

Merton Emmerton seems to know some thing of the art of trapping. The past winter he has trapped six skunks, two muskrats, three foxes, one mink, and

April 18.

SEDGWICK.

Mrs. O. P. Carter has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. L. J. Sylvester and family are

home from Boston. Miss Addie F. Lufkin expects to start from Lynn, Mass., to-day to visit her mother, Mrs. O. P. Carter.

Mrs. Melinda Carter is ill with a complication of diseases. Her great age renders her recovery doubtful.

Rev. E S. Drew preached his farewell sermon last Sunday. It is a matter of regret to all, as he is a good Christian, a good Mason and a good man. April 18.

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