

Houlton's Child Welfare Week

Those who witnessed the throng of babies who were weighed, measured, and examined at the High School Building last week will agree that Houlton is doing its part in complying with the request of the U. S. government to help save 100,000 babies in the U. S. during this, the Children's Year.

Doctors and nurses were kept busy in the examining rooms during the five forenoons, and 227 children under six years of age were examined.

The exhibits in the different rooms were interesting and helpful—Babies clothing, bed, bath, toilet, toys that teach, foods and their preparation, play-pen etc. were among the exhibits. The library exhibit, consisting of pictures children should know, books children should read and magazines was well arranged by Misses Pearce and Perry and Miss Dorothy Lyons.

Miss Theresa Stuart, of State Library, Augusta, gave a fine lecture on Children's Reading, on Thursday evening, and sent three cases of books for the exhibit. The demonstrations in the afternoons from the auditorium platform, were very successful.

On Wednesday, Miss Bolstridge, bathed Baby Day on the platform, and Mrs. Murdock McKay made the baby's bed.

The preparation of modified milk by Mrs. McKay on Wednesday, and the showing of suitable meals for children from two to six years, by Miss Veta Astle, were suggestive of the right building materials in food for children.

The large illustrated poster cards sent by Dr. Bristol, who gave a fine lecture Monday night, were placed about the building in conspicuous places for the mothers to read, and emphasized the right care of children's bodies.

Rev. Father Silke on Tuesday, and Hon. Ira G. Hersey on Wednesday evenings gave splendid talks on "Obedience" and "Child Welfare."

Governor Carl E. Milliken's address on Sunday evening, gave the right start to the week's campaign. The "Story Hour" and "Playground Work" under the supervision of Mrs. S. S. Thornton, were most entertaining and helpful to children and parents.

The keynote of the "Conference" is well expressed in the verse on the tags used by Camp Fire Girls. "I pledge to be a baby's friend And everybody tell; Clean air, clean clothing and clean food He needs to keep him well."

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The orders also excluded civilians from appointment to officers training camps until further notice.

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VIOLATION OF AUTO AND TRAFFIC LAWS

There seems to be something about laws of the road, as well as those relating to the use of automobiles which officers of the law, think it is not necessary to enforce, especially in Aroostook county. Other sections of the state, they seem to look on them as violations of the law, the same as other laws, but here they in a way seem to be a dead letter.

One can go on the streets and roads of Houlton day or night and see where the laws are violated many times, and the officers who are supposed to enforce other laws pay no attention to such violations.

Glaring headlights, no rear light, running with only one number, using a dealer's license and as for the speed laws, they are nothing more or less than a joke.

Why are such laws placed on the statute books, if they are not meant to be enforced, and even if a special officer is needed to enforce these laws why is it that Houlton does not require a special officer. A short time ago a man in Houlton was taking a number of cars through to Bangor, and one of them had no registration number, as he was passing through Old Town he was spotted by a policeman, held up, and lodged in jail overnight, because he violated a law of our state. Most any man could drive a car in any of the towns in Aroostook County without any registration number on it, and never be molested.

The people who conform to the laws suffer the results of those who do not obey them. Why should a law relating to automobiles, or the use of a car on the roads be made a dead letter any more than a man disturbing the peace or getting drunk? Why should a man who uses dimmers on his headlights be subjected to the glare of headlights of the fellow who will not put them on? Why should a man driving a team be allowed to drive on the roads of our county without a light on his vehicle, and thus subject himself to a collision, and injury to someone's life?

The towns of Blaine and Mars Hill are taking up the violation of the speed law after having a number of accidents as will be seen by the following from the Mars Hill News:

The state road through these and surrounding towns are being used day and night by reckless drivers as a speedway, and the practice has become so great that the lives of the public are not worth much while going or coming over the road.

This is no hearsay—Sunday a person could see evidence enough—cars here and there along the roadside to tally disabled. In some instances the occupants received severe and perhaps fatal injuries.

Besides the practice of fast driving, these fellows will get about one-half "canned" and then open up and "let her go."

The State Automobile Inspector, Charles M. Fowler, was in town last Friday, and during the day secured the names and numbers of some of these people who have been doing things in about their own way.

In the evening in Blaine, he and the local officers, held up six cars, Saturday night and Sunday some 14 cars were again stopped and numbers and names taken by the Blaine officer. These people will be dealt with according to the law. No favors to anyone.

Fast driving should and will be stopped and so if someone is called before the court to pay a fine they will have no one to blame but themselves.

CROP CONDITIONS

The outlook for good crops this season continues to be very bright, and as the days go by the chance of any unforeseen calamity striking Aroostook is growing less.

Potatoes, even with the set back they received by the early frost, are coming along in fine shape, the bugs are doing little damage, and with the kind of weather we have had the past two weeks the tubers are forming rapidly, and last week some very fine early stock was on sale in one of the local markets.

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FILL VACANCY IN CO. COMMISSIONERS

Patrick Theriault Selected

A meeting of the Republican County committee was held in Presque Isle on Saturday to consider the vacancy in the Board of County Commissioners caused by the death of John F. Stephenson, of Wytopitlock.

Mr. Stephenson had been on the board for nearly two years, and was elected for 6 years having a little over 4 years to complete his term.

There were several candidates for the vacancy, and the committee in conversation with Gov. Milliken had the assurance that the man selected by this committee would be appointed by him for the time from now until Jan. 1, and the man selected at this time will have his name on the ballot for a term of 4 years commencing Jan. 1, to be voted for at the biennial election in September.

There were a number of candidates for the position, and after considering the claims from all parts of the county it was unanimously agreed that the name of Patrick Theriault of Lille should appear upon the ballot, and Gov. Milliken will doubtless appoint him for the rest of the calendar year of 1918, at the regular meeting of the Governor and Council this Wednesday morning.

Mr. Theriault will be no stranger to the work of the office, as he was a member of the Board, from Jan. 1912-1916, and was a valuable member in their work, like all county officers, a man familiar with the work, makes it better for all concerned.

A SOURCE OF GRATIFICATION

The following letter received by Thos. Briggs is very gratifying, not only to him but to those who have sons at the front.

"American Expeditionary Forces Headquarters Services of Supply Graves Registration Service July 2, 1918.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, A. E. F.

TO: Mr. Thomas Briggs, 18 Cleveland St., Houlton, Maine.

SUBJECT: Location of Grave. In the midst of your great sorrow, I am thankful that it has fallen to my lot, as Chief of the Graves Registration Service, to send you a message that will relieve your anxiety as to the resting place of the one whom you have given to God and the world in the colossal fight for universal freedom.

The body of your son, Chester L. Briggs, lies buried in a cemetery whose location cannot now be given you, because of military reasons, but which is duly listed in our records as Cemetery No. 233.

It is the privilege of the G. R. S. to care for the place permanently; and, while it is forbidden to transport the bodies of our dead during the continuance of war, we shall make frequent inspections and see that the grave is kept in presentable condition and so marked that its location may always be known.

The War Department is keenly interested in having the work so conscientiously done that your interests may be sacredly guarded, and I can assure you that the men of my Service have undertaken their tasks as a holy vocation.

At all times we shall feel that we are your friends and shall believe that you are helping us by your kindly thoughts and prayers, to do our duty honestly and well.

(Signed) CHARLES C. PIERCE, Major, A. Q. M., U. S. A."

DEMOCRATIC MEETING

A gathering of enthusiastic Democrats attended an informal meeting at Perkins' Hall Thursday evening, Aug. 8th, to talk over the coming campaign and arrange for the same. The meeting was arranged on short notice after it was learned that Hon. Bert McIntyre, Hon. Mr. Newbert, Hon. Leon S. Brown, candidates respectively for Governor, U. S. Senator and Congressman, would be in Houlton.

Those present listened to short addresses by the candidates. The messages they gave to the Democrats of Aroostook were full of encouragement, and they allowed that if Aroostook would do her bit in getting out the vote, and above everything else vote the straight ticket, our friends in the other party would see to it that Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Newbert and Mr. Brown and at least two county candidates would surely be elected.

Among those present were the following: Thos. V. Doherty, Chairman of the County Dem. Committee; Aaron A. Putnam, Chairman of the Town Committee; W. J. Thibodeau, Candidate for Sheriff; Clarence H. Pierce, W. C. Donnell, Simon L. White, Varney Pearce, Michael Ruzan, Geo. and Jefferson Carpenter, Henry and David Cogan, James Abernethy, Dennis Sheehan, Parker F. Gidney, Candidate for the Legislature in the Hodgdon-Amity class; C. F. Farrar, of Amity, and a number of other prominent Democrats throughout the southern part of the County.

SPECTACULAR RED CROSS PAGEANT

Houlton people remember with pleasure the elaborate pageant given last summer on the Cleveland home lawn in aid of the Red Cross by Miss Buzzell and Miss Cleveland and will be glad to know that a more elaborate program will be offered Thursday evening August 15th, of this week.

On account of the large number of tickets being sold as well as a large attendance promised from surrounding towns the pageant will be given on the beautiful and spacious Ricker Campus.

More than fifty people are in the cast and under the direction of Misses Buzzell and Cleveland it is not too much to expect that the affair will be carried out in a most successful way and in a most worthy cause.

The following is the cast: THE MAN WHO DID NOT WANT TO GO TO WAR—Marion Buzzell HIS DREAM—Justice—Doris Cochran Injustice—Elizabeth Shaw Russia—Helen Buzzell Belgian Children—Beatrice Hackett, Marion Cleveland China—Marguerite Astle France—Marion Williams, Avory Munro Cuba—Helen Buzzell Great Britain—Eva Hackett, Kathleen Hagerman Italy—Phyllis Wilson, Florence Wheaton Japan—Helen Chadwick Uncle Sam—Dorothea Stetson Soldier—Mildred Weed Sailor—Doris Buzzell Red Cross—Nurses Coal—Betty Hume Farmerettes—Lydia Rideout, Alice Berry, Helen Verxa, Gertrude McIntyre, Marion Hamilton Electricity—Marion Cleveland Victory—Helen Buzzell Peace—Ceila Hackett Spirits of Good Fellowship—Madeleine Cleveland, Lois Carroll, Leah Bamford Call of the Colors—Misses Dickison, Champion, Astle Good singing and dancing! Beautiful costumes!

The public is cordially invited to attend. If rainy, postponed, until first pleasant evening.

Mrs. Warren Skillen who has been the guest of friends in Portland returned home last week. Mrs. Don Powers, Mrs. J. S. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Powers with her mother, are spending a few days at the Powers camp at Mt. Chase. Mrs. B. S. Foye of Portland, Me., who has been in Houlton and vicinity for the past three weeks visiting her brother and other relatives, returned home Saturday. G. W. VanTassel has secured the contract for building the bridge on the State road over Hunter brook in New Lincolnton, and work will commence at once. Alton Titcomb of the U. S. Navy who is on the transport Agamemnon and has made four trips across, and who is at his home in Littleton for a furlough, was in town Monday. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kelley who have been in Houlton the past year, will regret to learn that he has resigned as sub-master of the Houlton High school and will leave Houlton.

DRAFT MEN TO GO WEDNESDAY

The following men will leave this Wednesday for service entrained for The Wentworth Institute, Boston, Mass. The first three being from the last call, and the rest from those who reached 21 after the first draft.

1917 Guy Putnam Tingley, Houlton Alfred Chandler, Mapleton Donald A. Flewelling, R. F. D. No. 2, Easton

1918 Frank Kilburn Rand, R. F. D. No. 1, Presque Isle Basil Henry Leonard, Houlton John Marshall Tiley, R. F. D. No. 1, Monticello Clarence Philips Walker, Island Falls Forest Mell McPherson, Mapleton Walter Francis Perry, Benedicta Hobart McKinley Randall, Presque Isle Perley James Day, Hodgdon Fay Elwood Parks, Westfield Fred Thomas Brewer, North Amity Chester Thomas Furlong, Ashland Leroy Stanley Adams, Linneus

UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Burns Smith of Sherman Mills, formerly of Houlton, were sorry to hear of the unfortunate accident in which she lost one eye and received other injuries.

A boy by the name of Giberson who was visiting one of the neighbors by the name of London, secured a shot gun and went over to the Smith house to play "Wild West." In doing so the gun was discharged and Mrs. Smith received the charge, striking her in the head, one shot entering the eye.

She was brought to the Aroostook hospital, where the eye was removed, and she is getting along as comfortably as could be expected.

CORNER STONE OF MASONIC BUILDING TO BE LAID

Impressive Ceremonies Conducted by Grand Lodge

The laying of the corner stone of the new Masonic building in Market Square, will take place this Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Masonic ceremonies.

The Grand Lodge will be opened in Masonic Hall, where a procession will be formed, and headed by the Houlton Band, will march to the new building where the ceremonies will be carried out with full ritualistic ceremony with the following officers:

Grand Master, Edward W. Wheeler Dep. Grand Master, Bernard Archibald Senior Grand Warden, Frank A. Peabody Junior Grand Warden, Jas. Archibald Grand Treasurer, Geo. A. Gorham Grand Secretary, Chas. B. Davis Grand Marshal, W. R. Pipes Grand Chaplain, Isaac Bagnall Senior Grand Deacon, W. S. Davidson Junior Grand Deacon, Chas. P. Barnes Senior Grand Steward, Chas. H. Fogg Junior Grand Steward, A. W. Spaulding Grand Tyler, N. Tompkins

At 6 o'clock supper will be served at Nickerson Lake, and the day will close at Masonic Hall in the evening when at the regular meeting the M. M. Degree will be conferred. From indications at this time there will be a large attendance from all parts of the county as well as Woodstock, as Masons of any lodge are cordially invited to be present and assist in this the first "Laying of the Corner Stone" of a Masonic building in Aroostook County.

The building is to be 50x132, three stories high, of brick construction, made from Bangor Cast Stone, with a front of Tapestry brick and will have stores and a moving picture theatre, offices and Masonic headquarters from plans drawn by Edward J. Bolon, who will have personal supervision of the construction.

Street Floor

The building, fronting on the Square will have a very imposing appearance. On the street floor there will be two stores, 18x31, each having two entrances, one on each corner and also one from both entrances to the second floor, with a large show window in the front, while the entrance to the theatre will be in the center 10 feet wide, entering into a lobby, 10x23, in the rear of which is located the ticket office. From this, one enters the theatre 78x50 which will contain elevated seats with four boxes having capacity of 700. The stage will be 22 feet deep by 46 wide, with an orchestra pit, and picture screen, while commodious dressing rooms occupy the space under the stage. Toilets for ladies and gentlemen will be located in the basement reached by stairways from either side of the main entrance.

Second Floor

The entrance to the second and third floors is on either side of the Theatre entrance and reach the second floor on either side of the vault, which will be for the convenience of the tenants.

The offices are divided into ten suites of two and three rooms, depending upon the location. Each suite has a private toilet as well as a fireplace and closet, in addition to a public toilet. The main hall through the center of this floor will be 8 feet wide.

Third Floor

The third floor is reached from a stairway leading from the east side of the second floor landing in the center of the main corridor, third floor which has two arches on each side, the one to the left leading to the Smoking room 16x37, and Armory 13x40, which are across the front and the Banquet hall 26x40 with a convenient kitchen attached, all opening into one another with sliding doors.

Leading to the right of the main corridor is the Main Hall 44x48, while in between the Main Hall and the Smoking room and Armory are the necessary anterooms for doing the Masonic work, as well as toilets for ladies and gentlemen.

The contract for the brick and mason work has been let to J. A. Hallett, the carpenter work and decorating to Geo. McNair and the heating to Hamilton & Grant Co.

AUTO ACCIDENT

Turnkey Ed. Grant at the Houlton Jail met with an accident Sunday evening which might have been more serious than it was.

When reaching Monticello after a trip from Masardis and Ashland, he did not know about the work on the Monticello bridge, and drove his car into the abutment on the north side.

Mrs. Grant was severely cut about the face, and his daughter as well as Mr. Grant were badly shaken up. The car was also damaged.

OF IMPORTANCE TO LOCAL RED CROSS

After due consideration and considerable correspondence with the New England Division American Red Cross Southern Aroostook Chapter has come to the conclusion that hereafter no more comfort kits or knitted goods are to be given the boys leaving for camps.

In the first place: There is a great shortage of wool and it is necessary to conserve sweaters, socks and all other articles as much as possible.

Then again: It is estimated about 19 per cent of the draft men going to camps are rejected at the camps on account of physical disabilities. It is also found many of these men do not need the articles and as a result they do not receive the care they should. The men going abroad must have knitted goods and the Navy even in warm weather needs woolen articles.

The giving locally of socks, sweaters and other knitted articles by Southern Aroostook Chapter was discontinued in June, many of the workers felt that the comfort kits should be given to the boys from Southern Aroostook Chapter. It has been quite a task to secure the many needles, darners, safety-pins and other articles needed for the filling of these kits owing to the great shortage of raw materials, and the matter has been taken up with Boston relative to securing these articles in large quantities. This week a letter has been received which places a different light upon the giving of even comfort kits and after due consideration it has been decided hereafter nothing will be given out.

In order to make this matter clear and not have the citizens think we are neglecting a duty, extracts from a letter just received at local headquarters will explain the situation fully. It is in reply to a letter sent out from Houlton regarding the giving of kits.

Your letter of August 2nd, regarding comfort kits has been received. It opens up the question of policy as to the best way this matter should be handled. Unfortunately your letter expresses the sentiments that we hear from a great many people who get in to the viewpoint of the local boys. We feel that this matter should be looked at from a much larger point of view. Everyone should recognize the fact by this time that there is now, and will continue to be in the future, a scarcity of all kinds of goods, not only on account of the scarcity of raw materials, but on account of scarcity of labor. This makes us all feel that conservation of all kinds is extremely necessary, and while we are willing to admit that all the boys going to the cantonments in this country may be happy to have a bag or comfort kit, it is the opinion of those in the Quarter-master's Department of the Army and the Red Cross Field Directors, who are in every cantonment in this country and abroad, that the comfort kit is not necessary in this country. Experience has shown they are roughly treated, and contents lost here, and when the men go abroad it is necessary and customary to give them a new comfort kit.

Continuing the writer said: "I happened to be at Camp Devens yesterday and took lunch with one of the officers. He took me through the storehouse and showed me the piles of things left behind by one of the divisions which left recently for abroad. He pointed out particularly many Red Cross comfort kits and Red Cross socks. He showed me these piles and said, "For God's sake make the people stop giving these things to the boys in this country." "I explained to him we felt very strongly that the principal was wrong but that it was the local feeling in many communities which practically compelled the Red Cross to give these articles. He said "It is a great mistake, and every effort should be made to inform not only the Red Cross workers but also the people in the local communities that they are not playing the game in a patriotic way when they insist on loading the boys down with any unnecessary articles." The writer says: "This was an entirely unsolicited opinion from an Army officer, who has had a very large opportunity to see the actual situation. Every man is provided with one or two pairs of Red Cross socks before going into service abroad, and this will be continued, so long as there is wool enough in the country to warrant it. The above statement is a strong one and appeals to the patriotic duty of every Red Cross worker and should appeal to the boy himself. When the boy goes over seas he is fitted out with everything needed and his wants are well filled when ever clothing is needed."

Mrs. J. G. Potter left Monday for Bangor where she has accepted a position on the staff of the Eastern Maine Hospital at Bangor.

Miss Abena Hunt, stenographer in Mr. Burpee's office, B. & A. has returned from her vacation trip to Portland, Boston, and other places.

Mrs. Geo. W. Auber left Saturday for Boston where she will see her son, Walter, who has enlisted in the Naval aviation, and leaves shortly for Pensacola, Florida.

Mrs. W. C. Donnell and daughter, Virginia, left by auto last week, with Mrs. Nellie Perry of Presque Isle, for Darmiscotta, where they will remain for a couple of weeks.

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DOING YOUR PART?

This war is to be won not by one man or one thousand men or one million men, or one million people. It is to be won by the united efforts of the individuals of many nations.

Every American citizen has an individual duty to perform, an individual share of the responsibility. The more powerful and effective the American forces are the shorter will be the war, and the shorter the war the fewer lives lost, the greater the number of American soldiers who will return home victorious.

Every American who economizes in consumption of material, who increases production, who saves and lends savings to the Government, does something to help win the war.

PORTO RICO'S RESPONSE

The selective draft by which our army is being rapidly built up is not generally thought of as applying to our dependencies, but Porto Rico comes undeniably into the list. She has done nobly in her response. The total registered under the first draft was 104,550 between the ages of 21 and 31. The recent registration of those who have reached the age of 21 since the registration of June 25, 1917, shows a total of 11,000 on the little island. Besides volunteers many draft men have been in training in camps. Provost Marshal General Crowder recently directed the local boards in Porto Rico to proceed with the selection and preparation of 15,000 men for mobilization in addition to the 13,000 now reporting at Las Casias. The orders for the new draft have been received and the first men are to report in September and a fixed number monthly thereafter. The little island is doing its part as a loyal dependency of the United States.

TRUE COURTESY

True courtesy is "the beauty of the heart." How well it is that no class has a monopoly in this kind of beauty; that while favorable circumstances undoubtedly do render good manners more common among persons moving in higher rather than in lower spheres there should nevertheless be no positive hindrance to the poorest classes having good manners. Here is an illustration of true politeness exhibited by both classes of society. One day, in hastily turning the corners of a crooked street in the city, a young lady ran with great force against a ragged little beggar boy, and almost knocked him down. Stopping as soon as she could, she turned around and said very kindly to the boy, "I beg your pardon, my little fellow. I am very sorry that I ran against you."

The poor boy was astonished. He looked at her for a moment in surprise, and then taking off about three-quarters of a cap, he made a low bow and said, while a pleasant smile spread itself all over his face, "You can have my parding, miss, and welcome; and the next time you run agin me, you can knock me clean down and I won't say a word." After the lady had passed on he turned to his companion and said, "I say, Jim, it's the first time I ever had anybody ask my parding, and it kind o' took me off my feet."

SAD HOMES AROUND US

Into the homes all around us, in Maine and New England, and throughout the country, are falling the little telegraphic leaves that wither the hearts where they fall—the messages telling parents and friends that their lad has paid the highest price that man can give for humanity—a brave man's life. What can we say to comfort those who are left to bleed? It is their battle, and they have bravely faced the foe, hoping, praying, but ever fearing the message that has come at last. Our hearts go out to them in their grief. We know the meaning, and we know that our turn may be next. Oh, the agony of the silent, watchful hours when prayers have come to be the occasional voicing of the continuous hope that will not be denied—the living appeal for the dear one in peril! The bodies of our noble sons may

rest in the soil of France, but their souls go on triumphant, rejoicing in the part they played for human betterment.

Is it your son who died for Belgium, Serbia, Poland, Armenia, Rumania, Russia? God bless the fathers, mothers and other dear ones, who have given more than their own lives for a better world!

Has your brave boy given his life that France, Great Britain and Italy might not be swept by the Hun hordes as Belgium has been? Our hand to you in sympathy but our gratulation. Your boy stood between us and a fate as terrible as we honor him as we do our own.

Our sympathy is too deep for words, but our pride in your brave boy, who went with ours, is second only to that voiced by America's great citizen, when told of the death of his youngest son he rejoiced that "the boy could do his part."

Heart sick friend, your boy has done his part, has given his life for others. His earthly work shortened; yet life for him has just begun. Let us, in this hour, remember what he would say to you and to us if he could speak again.

CARING FOR OUR WOUNDED

Nothing is more becoming in these days of desperate fighting than the interest and energy shown by the administration in providing for the restoration of our wounded men to healthy and useful life. Not all can be perfectly healed, but it is estimated that, on the average, eight out of every ten can be returned to service within three weeks, so slight are the most of the injuries and so skillful the physicians and surgeons. The fortunate majority do not need to come home for treatment. They have the American Red Cross with them, and are cared for in hospitals at the rear or in England, and made "fit" again in the time that a voyage to America and back would take. Special hospitals are built in Britain for our wounded. The latest, in Hampshire, consisting of an old manor house with nearly ten acres of new frame buildings around it, will accommodate about 2000 men, and be in charge of Capt. F. Harper Sibley of the American Red Cross. Our boys will be in good hands.

It is the severely wounded, in need of prolonged care, who will be brought home. The ninth man of the ten, may have lost one eye, or arm, or leg, but be able ultimately to engage in a useful occupation, though incapable of further military service. Possibly the tenth man will have been so severely shocked and shattered that disablement may be not far short of complete as well as permanent. These men come out of war never to go back, and the sooner their own people care for them in their own country the better. It is to them that the government wishes to devote particular attention building their bodies up to the normal as near as possible, relieving their minds of the numbness that certain kinds of suffering may have produced, and by gentle vocational education making happy workers of those who went from us as happy warriors. All that medical and surgical science can do will be done for them. Public kindness will cheer them, and if national gratitude could heal, they would soon be made whole.

THE AMERICAN SOLDIER'S SPIRIT

Here is the chief secret of the American soldier's fighting power—his audacious and invincible self-confidence. Perhaps the others had something of this spirit; perhaps the Americans would have less of it after four years of merciless war; but there it is a force of immeasurable psychological value. They believe in their souls that they are better fighting men than the Germans, and therefore they are better; there isn't one of them who wouldn't be willing to take a chance against any German, with anything from bomb or bayonet to bare hands. They are not reticent about saying so, either, a habit which the British and French, perhaps, have found a little amusing; but this touch of swagger is just the superficial expression of a spirit that recognizes no end to a battle except victory.

But there are deeper reasons why the American soldier dominates the German. Not only does he retain his manhood when he puts on the uniform, but he is the product of a social system which makes men, not machines. He carries into war the habits of independence and self-reliance and initiative which democracy creates; he is a full rounded, up-standing man, while the German in the army is no more than a cog in a remorseless mechanism, as he is in civil life. Incidentally, the American fighting man has brought into the war an unimpaired sentiment of which his allies, intrepid as they are, are incapable.

They hate autocracy, he despises it; they consider it a monstrosity, he looks upon it as a joke. Men born and bred amid the traditions of Europe can loathe the tyranny of Kaiserism, but they cannot hold it in derision. The French can thrill the world with superb defiance. "They shall not pass!" and die superbly to make it good; but only Americans would go into battle singing "We'll can old Kaiser Hill!"

All these things to the German are incomprehensible. So much the more painful if the education he is receiving in that great open air school between the Aisne and the Marne.

AN OPPORTUNITY ACCEPTED

Every day brings surprises of some form or other to people; sometimes in the way of their work, sometimes in the way of experiences. Sometimes the simplest things produce results all unexpected. So strange and yet so much a part of the thing as to fit into the scheme of things with out a break. Especially is this true of people who now for the first time in their lives, perhaps, are taking up responsibilities that they never before assumed, and in the doing so find new and interesting conditions which they never knew existed.

There is in mind one lady who has changed from a woman centered upon herself, with wide interests to be sure but social in nature and circling about her own little group of friends, who has gone right into a certain kind of war work with all the energy and vim which made her such a delightful playmate when she was playing with life. She has assumed a line of work that has called her out of the city where she has lived, a big city with diversions on every hand, into the actually country districts, where long distances between homes and isolated spots where those homes are planted make it seem the exact antithesis of all she has been accustomed to. With her big car and a fresh group of friends each day for companions she has been ranging the interior of her state, and every day she comes home fired with new enthusiasm, not only for her work, but for the people she meets in these strange to her environments. "My friends are laughing at me all the time," she says. "Every call I make I come back to the car and say, 'Oh, I have found such a delightful woman in there; she didn't accept all I put upon her, but she was perfectly delightful just the same; so wise, and well read, and she was so good to me; to tell me what I wanted to know and explain about things. Why, I never had any idea there were such splendid people in the country.' I went to one place today, where it seemed miles away from anywhere else; the woman was way down in a field, gathering raspberries, when I got there and I had to walk down to find her. Really, it seemed the most lonely place in the world though the farm was a good one and well cared for. When I found her she was the most charming woman, so big and broad and had read such a lot and knew so much more about this work than I did that I really felt ashamed to try to talk with her. I never had an idea such people existed in the country."

Now, then, can't you see what this work is doing for that splendid young woman, who only needed just some such impetus to put her into the harness of service for others? Never again will she be the same woman; always she will have better understanding of her sister women in less fortunate worldly circumstances perhaps, but after all second to none in breadth of vision, in reading and in living, and all that goes to make up a well rounded life. It is a fact these days that the line that formerly existed between the country and the city is wiped out; new margins are created, new barriers only of wilful ignorance or of acute poverty. The woman in the country is not now a country-woman, she is more like a resident in the suburban district of her nearest city. Telephones, postal service, automobiles, have changed the whole world over for her, and the woman in the country today, given a certain amount of natural intelligence and desire for right living and most of them possess these things, can compare to her own advantage with her city sister.

The woman in the country now has all the advantages of civilization that her sister in the city possesses, and she uses it to much better advantage. She reads, instead of skimming over headlines; she studies, and thinks; in the quiet of her home, a thing her city sister seldom finds time to do; she is able from her very isolation to take time for intensive study, instead of spreading herself over a multiplicity of amusements, engagements, and frivolities, and the results are in her favor.

Before this new rule concerning zone postage went into effect, the woman in the country was enjoying a privilege of reading and good reading at small cost that no woman ever enjoyed before. The amount of harm the new arrangements will do to her is yet to be estimated. Of course it is hoped that she will make her desire to ride over the increase of postage and subscriptions and keep on with her favorite books, but time must show that. However, there is no reason for lack of knowledge for country women now, as there used to be, when the weekly paper brought by some neighbor from the distant town and passed from farm to farm was the chief source of all wisdom in the farmhouse. That time is passed forever we feel sure; and only personal distaste for things good can make the country woman less well posted than her city sister. To go back to our little lady, "Why I find these women so up-to-date, so brimming with big ideas and new thoughts, that they fairly shame me into going home and reading up myself."

Youth and age have too little sympathy with each other. If the young would remember that they may be old, and the old remember that they have been young, the world would be happier.

Did you ever realize that nothing on earth can smile but a human being. Gems may flash reflected light but what is a diamond flash? A face that cannot smile is like a bud that cannot blossom, and dies on the stalk.

How sad is he who can never go back to his childhood without a shudder. Who can never recall a period when his life was filled with sweet and simple satisfaction. When a kind and loving mother read aloud to the family the Home Circle department from the columns of this paper.

Some one has said: "If one of our boys hesitated as long in going over the top as some people do in buying Liberty Bonds or War Savings Stamps, he would be court-martialed and shot for cowardice. And if the same punishment were meted out to non-combatants for financial cowardice an awful lot of people would be shot at dawn."

Do you know how many books are in the Bible? Let us tell you one good way to remember, so as never to forget. First write down the word "Old Testament." Now how many let-

ters are in the word "Old"? Three. How many in the word "Testament"? Nine. Put three and nine together and you will have 29, the number of books in the Old Testament. Next write down the words "New Testament." There are also in "New" and "Testament" three and nine letters. Now multiply 3 by 9 and you have 27, the number of books in the New Testament. Of course by adding 29 and 27 you have 56, the number of books in the Bible. Any boy or girl who will read this over twice will never forget how many books are in the Bible.

MAY BE GERMAN BLUFF

Officials of the Food Administration point out that it is unwise to put too much faith in news of food riots in Austria and Germany which emanate from the enemy whose censorship is not prone to admit the publication of news which would give the Allied world a true idea of the state of affairs in Hunland. Germany before spread stories to lure the Allied people into believing that she is on her last legs. German propaganda of this kind was responsible for a lot of pacifist talk in England. We must not

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Advertisement for Miss a Day. Large text: "Miss a Day 1 A DOSE". Text below: "by sickness and you lose your pay or the benefits resulting from a full day's work. Usually the ordinary illness that compels you to lay off can be prevented if you so get the right kind of medicine. Thousands of New England people have for years depended upon the genuine 'M. P.' Atwood Medicine to keep them from getting sick through endless eating, taking cold, sluggish condition of the liver and bowels, and tendency to rheumatism. A quick relief for constipation. Keep your bowels in daily active condition and you'll seldom get sick. Remember only ONE CENT a dose, 50 cents for a 60-dose bottle of the genuine 'M. P.' made only by the L. F. McLaughlin Co., Portland, Me."

Advertisement for Lee Puncture Proof Tires. Text: "Why worry about tires, equip your car with Lee Puncture Proof Tires. We carry them in all sizes to fit all cars. Let us show you the advantages of this remarkable tire."

Advertisement for Berry & Benn. Text: "Berry & Benn Ford Sales and Service Banger Street Houlton, Maine".

permit these stories to lull the United States into relaxing for a moment its effort to produce and save every last ounce of food for our Army and the Allies. It is true that Food will Win the War. It is even truer that the lack of it will cost defeat.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

Advertisement for W. S. S. War Savings Stamps. Text: "BUY W. S. S. WAR SAVINGS STAMPS ISSUED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. AND WIN THE WAR".

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Congregational
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Preaching service 10.30 A. M.
Sunday School following A. M. service.
Evening Song Service 7.30 P. M.
Weekly Prayer Meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30.

First Baptist

Court St.
Rev. Henry C. Speed, pastor.
10.30 morning worship with sermon.
12.00 Bible School with classes for men and women.
7.00 gospel song service and sermon.
8.00 Aftermeeting.
Tuesday evening at 7.30 mid-week prayer service.
Friday at 7.30 choir rehearsal at church.

First Presbyterian

Cor. High and Military Sts.
Rev. A. M. Thompson, pastor.
Morning service at 10.30.
S. S. at 11.45.
Junior C. E. Society at 2.30 P. M.
Senior C. E. Society at 6.30 P. M.
Evening service last Sabbath of each month at 7.30.
Prayer meetings Tuesday evening at 7.45.
Service at Foxcroft Church each Sabbath at 3 P. M.

Free Baptist

Rev. Mr. Jenkins, Pastor.
Morning service at 10.30 A. M.
Sunday school at 12.00 M.
Young People's meeting 6.00 P. M.
Evening service at 7.00 P. M.
Special music by choir.
Choir practice Monday nights.
All are cordially invited to come and hear the Rev. Mr. Jenkins.
Tuesday night church prayer and praise Service.

Methodist Episcopal

Military St.
Rev. Thomas Whiteside, Pastor.
Public worship at 10.30 a. m.
The Sunday School at noon has organized classes for men and women.
Junior League meeting and class for preparatory members at 3.00 p. m.
Epworth League meeting at 6.45 p. m.
Praise and Preaching at 7.30.
Prof. J. H. Lindsay, organist and choir master.
Prayer meeting at 7.30 Tuesday evening.

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Rev. H. Scott Smith, Rector in Charge.
Sundays
Holy Communion at 8 A. M. also after Morning Prayer on the 1st Sunday in the month.
Morning Prayer and sermon 10.30.
Evening Prayer and sermon 7.30.
Sunday School after morning service.
Holy Days
Holy Communion at 8.00 A. M.

WAR TIME RECIPES

Prepared by Prof. Frances R. Freeman, Home Economics Director, United States Food Administration, Oregon, Maine.

Halibut with Mexican Sauce:
6 slices of halibut
2 tablespoons corn flour
2 teaspoons salt
2 tablespoons fat
1 teaspoon Worcestershire
1 1/2 cups water
Dredge halibut with corn flour and salt. Melt fat in baking dish and brown slices of halibut on top of stove. Pour water and Worcestershire over fish and bake in a moderate oven 35 minutes. Then pour Mexican sauce over fish, bake 15 minutes and serve.

Mexican Sauce
2 cups tomato
1 tablespoon grated onion
3 tablespoons corn flour
2 teaspoons salt
1/4 cup cold water
1 chopped green or red pepper
Bring tomatoes and onion to boiling point. Mix corn flour and salt with cold water and add to tomatoes, stirring constantly; add pepper and pour over fish.

Creamed Fish and Potatoes A La Cape Cod
3 tablespoons fat
4 tablespoons corn flour
2 cups milk
1 cup cold diced potatoes
1 cup flaked cooked codfish
Melt fat in saucepan, add corn flour, salt and pepper, remove from the fire. Add milk, return to the fire, and boil. Add potatoes and codfish, mix thoroughly and serve at once.

Jellied Salmon Loaf with Nippy Sauce
2 tablespoons gelatin
1/2 cup cold water
2 cups boiling water
1 cup cooked peas
1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
Juice of 1 lemon
1 can salmon
Add cold water to gelatin, and after allowing to stand 5 minutes to soften, add the boiling water and stir until gelatin has dissolved. Add salt, pepper, and lemon. Pour into a loaf-pan or mold which has been wet in cold water. After mixture begins to thicken, add flaked salmon and peas. Put in a cold place for several hours until firm. Serve cold with nippy sauce.

Nippy Sauce
1/2 cup whipping cream
2 tablespoons horseradish
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon paprika
1 tablespoon vinegar
Beat the cream until stiff, add horseradish, salt, pepper and vinegar very

slowly so that mixture does not curdle. This sauce should be served immediately after making.

Baked Fish Armenian Style
3 ripe tomatoes or
5 tablespoons stewed tomatoes
2 onions
3 pounds fish meat
1/2 bunch mint
Salt and pepper
1 cup beef fat or oil
1 cup water

Place the tomatoes and sliced onion in layers in the baking dish. Lay the skinned and boned carp in the dish and cover with a second layer of sliced onion and tomato. Sprinkle the finely chipped mint, salt and pepper over the top. Pour over this the melted fat or oil, add water, and bake in a hot oven at least half an hour or until the fish is tender.

Potato Fish Loaf
1 pint mashed potato
1 cup chopped cooked fish
2 teaspoons salt
2 eggs
1/2 teaspoon pepper
1/2 cup milk
2 tablespoons fat

Beat the entire mixture together and place in greased baking dish; set in a second pan containing hot water and bake in the oven until firm. Serve with tomato sauce.

Fish Salad
Cut lengthwise three or four green sweet peppers, remove the seeds and set away to chill. Discard all skin and bones from any cold boiled fish and pick apart into suitable sized pieces for salad. Season it with salt and pepper as needed, and sprinkle the fish with enough mayonnaise to cover it well. Fill the peppers with this mixture, letting it fall in lightly, and garnish the top of each with a slice of hard cooked egg.

HEALTH NOTES

No deaths from smallpox, but one hundred forty-seven deaths from measles is Maine's record for 1917 according to the State Department of Health. These figures point to an interesting moral in that they show the lessening of the smallpox peril under lessening restrictive measures and also show the seriousness of a disease that is usually treated as of small consequence. Measles is very often more than a "natural children's disease" which must be taken early and so be done with." Measles is more apt to be fatal in young children than in older ones. It leads to more serious consequences in young children. It causes or predisposes patients to other sickness. More than one case of pneumonia, bronchitis and other related diseases has its start in the "mild attack" of measles. The day is coming, says the State Department, when the public will realize that this disease is distinctly preventable and that its nature is in fact so serious that every effort must be made to prevent its occurrence.

Keep Cool

We will have some hot weather even in 1918 thinks the State Department of Health. In a recent bulletin the Department points out the necessity of keeping cool in this hot weather, but of the more pressing necessity of keeping well. It calls attention to the many cases of heat prostration which occur during very hot spells. Many of these cases are due rather to conditions of bodily weakness, to overeating, nervous exhaustion and intemperance than to the heat alone.

Milk and Disease

Dirty milk is often a great poison because it may contain germs of various diseases, according to the State Department of Health. Such milk frequently causes septic sore throat, scarlet fever, diphtheria, typhoid fever, diarrhoea, tuberculosis and other diseases. Children need fresh clean milk. In the year of the child welfare campaign which is part of the great national effort to win the war and to make the world safe for democracy after the war is over, every effort is being made by the authorities and should be made by the individual to guarantee pure milk to every baby in America.

Health Contagious

"Health is as contagious as smallpox," says the State Department of Health in a bulletin issued this week. "Besides, there is no quarantine for health. Have you ever noticed how much influence a live, healthy, vigorous man or woman has on his or her neighbors. Health creates an interest in itself. People want to be like a healthy person. If you want to serve your neighbors, your state, your nation, one of the first things to do is to be healthy. Then, too, it is much more fun to be well."

Silence is Dangerous

"Come down out of the clouds and know the truth" is the advice of one health officer in regard to the venereal disease menace. The false modesty and unnecessary caution which have veiled the facts about these contagious and highly dangerous diseases have stood in the way of all progress in eradicating them, according to the State Department of Health.

SUMMER COLDS rapidly reduce human strength and illness is easily contracted, but Scott's Emulsion will promptly relieve the cold and rebuild your strength to prevent sickness. SCOTT & BOWNE BLOOMFIELD, N. J.

The facts, while disagreeable will, when they are generally known and appreciated, aid materially in curbing the menace.

The statement has recently been made that while our army is the healthiest army in the world, yet at all times there are in the hospitals, more men suffering from venereal diseases alone than the same sized army in battle line has from wounds. Yet it must be remembered that our army is more healthy than the rest of the nation.

Today the national government has asked American citizens to fight this menace as a war measure. Our struggle for efficiency demands that we heed the request. Our duty to the men who will whip the Hun compels us to act.

Parents to Blame

"Parents are primarily to blame for the poor teeth of thousands of Americans," says the State Department of Health. The failure of many men to qualify for the army on account of bad teeth has opened the eyes of the nation to the great need of universal care in protecting the teeth. The regular use of the toothbrush once or twice a day should be insisted on in the case of every child. Later suffering, expense and poor health can thus be prevented.

YANKEES YEARN FOR FRIED EGGS

Cooks in the Y. M. C. A. huts in France and England, when they hear "The Yanks Are Coming" on their march, pile high their kitchens with eggs and leave standing orders with the nearby poultry farms to forward additional supplies as soon as the hens again leave the nests.

The cooks make these hasty preparatory moves because they have a full knowledge of the fact that when on furlough the American soldier's fancy turns to thoughts of eggs, generally "fried both sides." Whether foreign fighting or change of air has brought it on, the French and English people do not attempt to explain, but they are sure the boys from "Over Here" all have it a seemingly unappeasable hunger for fried eggs.

For instance, according to information furnished by the National War Work Council Y. M. C. A. northeastern department, which has headquarters in the little building, Mrs. Nannie Stroud, a cook in a Y. M. C. A. hut in Liverpool, fried 1236 eggs on both sides for American soldiers in one 10-hour day.

"They always say 'fried eggs' and then add a pause 'both sides,'" she said in discussing the likes and dislikes of American soldiers. "That 'both sides' is the heart-breaking thing. It means standing by a hot fire nearly twice as long, but those men like 'both sides' so they must have them."

"Next to eggs fried both sides," she continued, "they want baked beans, then ham sandwiches and buns. The liking for other foods seem to be pretty well distributed. They ask for apple pie, but soon learn that we cannot provide it. One boy was a little provoked that we did not have mince pie. He said it was a funny eating place that we did not have mince pie. After I told him that in England we have mince pie only around Christmas time, and do not have it at all now, he smiled and said: 'I forgot all about the war. It looked so homelike in here!'"

Fred B. Warren, the hut secretary, formerly manager of a glove factory

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA AND PEPTIRON

Conditions that are both scrofulous and anemic are very common. Many persons whose faces are "broken out," cheeks are pale, and nerves are weak, suffer from them. There is an effective, economical remedy in the combination of Hood's Sarsaparilla and Peptiron, one taken before eating and the other after. In these medicines taken in this way the best substances for the blood and nerves are brought together.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE Whereas Amos Lee, of Weston, County of Aroostook, State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated December 17th, 1916, and recorded in the Aroostook County Registry Book 295, Page 46, conveyed to Dutton F. Gilpatrick a certain lot or parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situate in Weston aforesaid and described as follows: to wit, being the North part of lot number twenty-three (23), formerly in the town of Bancroft, according to the survey and plan of William Butterfield, being same premises conveyed to Dutton F. Gilpatrick by Horace Magoon. Also one other lot consisting of one acre formerly a part of the above lot, being same conveyed to said Gilpatrick by Charles Tebeau. And whereas the said Dutton F. Gilpatrick by his deed of assignment dated January 20th, 1917, and recorded in the Aroostook Registry of Deeds Vol. 295, Page 91, sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed unto Edgar B. Putnam said mortgage deed, the notes, debt and claim thereby secured, and all his right, title and interest by virtue of said mortgage in and to the real estate therein described: And whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken: Now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof I, the said Edgar B. Putnam, claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

Dated at Danforth, Me., August 1st, 1918. EDGAR B. PUTNAM.

in Johnston, N. Y., imparts the information that the English people are having a hard time prevailing upon the "lean" soldiers to take up the drinking habit. He says:

"Coffee is the popular drink with Americans. Cocoa is second, with malted milk third. The English workers wanted to insist upon our men drinking tea, but the boys would have none or very little of it. They quickly adopted, however, the afternoon tea habit of eating at 4.30 o'clock. Our men are always ready to eat.

The same demand for "fried eggs—both sides," exists at Eeche, but, the great Y. M. C. A. centre in London; at Crystal Palace, Havre, another Y. M. C. A. hut, and at centres throughout France.

An innovation was recently tried out at Eeche, but, Pancakes, American style, were added to the menu. The demand was so great that they had to be taken off the menu. None are served during the regular meal hours, but in spite of this, thousands of pancakes, with syrup, are served daily between meals.

The Americans can get a banquet in the Y. M. C. A. huts in England for the price of a lunch in the country. Fried eggs, for instance, cost the soldiers 9 cents, while even the American "one-arms" charge 29 cents for them. Meats a considerable amount of which are shipped to England from this country, are served there at much less than the local retail prices per pound.

MILITARY INFORMATION BUREAU

The Military Information Bureau established several weeks ago by Brig. General George McL. Prosson, the Adjutant General, for the convenience of soldiers and sailors and their relatives, is proving a valuable adjunct to the military machinery of the State. The Bureau has now been in operation long enough to demonstrate its value to anxious mothers, wives, and sweethearts. All receive courteous and prompt answers to their inquiries, if it is not possible for the Bureau to furnish the information desired, the correspondent is referred to an authentic source for it.

Miss G. A. Gerald, formerly of Benton, who has had a broad experience

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas, Fred J. Fleming, of Oxbow Plantation, in the County of Aroostook and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed, dated October 23rd, 1911, and recorded in Vol. 259, Page 32 of the Aroostook Registry of deeds, did give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto William T. Libby and Isaac O. Libby, both of said Plantation, a certain piece of Real Estate, situated in said Oxbow Plantation, being a part of Lot numbered Five (5), bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the North side of the Aroostook Road, Twenty (20) rods West of Eva Howe's line, thence Northerly Sixteen (16) rods, thence Westerly Ten (10) rods, thence Southerly Sixteen (16) rods to said road, thence Easterly Ten (10) rods to place of beginning, and whereas said William T. Libby and Isaac O. Libby, for a valuable consideration paid to them by Will M. Jenkins, late of Masardis in said County, deceased, in his lifetime, sold said mortgage, and the debt thereby secured to said Jenkins and made an assignment thereof, dated May 31st, 1913, recorded in Vol. 248, Page 108 of said Registry, and because of an error in said assignment, said William T. Libby and Isaac O. Libby, by their assignment dated July 18th, 1918, and recorded in Vol. 308, Page 170 of said Registry, did make another assignment thereof, and sell and convey said mortgage, and debt to Maude F. Jenkins, as administratrix of the estate of said Will M. Jenkins, deceased, and whereas said Maude F. Jenkins, as administratrix aforesaid, by her assignment, dated July 22nd, 1918, and recorded in Vol. 308, Page 170 of said Registry, did sell, assign and convey to me, the undersigned, George W. Jenkins, said mortgage and the debt thereby secured and all right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid premises therein described, acquired under and by virtue of said mortgage, and whereas the condition of said mortgage is broken, now therefore by reason of the breach thereof, I, said George W. Jenkins, claim a foreclosure thereof and give this notice for the purpose of foreclosing it.

GEORGE W. JENKINS, By his attorneys, Putnam & Putnam Houlton, Maine, August 3rd, 1918.

in the Adjutant General's office under Gen. A. B. Farnham. Gen. Elliott of the Adjutant General's office as well as Gen. George M. B. Loring, is proving to be exactly the right person to meet the public in this difficult position. Her duties not only include the solving of many puzzles and the answering of a large mass of correspondence, but during each day she has personal interviews with anxious relatives who have turned to the State's military authorities for news of loved ones, light on allotment and insurance problems or verification of rumors and reports of good or evil tenor from overseas.

The inquiries not only concern such subjects, but the great, and little understood, question of who is entitled to fly a service flag, where it should be placed and the position of the star or stars thereon has been answered many times.

How, when and where to hang Old Glory is another question that is constantly coming up for decision.

General Prosson is endeavoring to make it plain to all citizens of the State that the Bureau is for their use, that especial attention and study will be given to all questions and inquiries from the relatives of men in the service and that if the Bureau cannot furnish the information promptly and accurately, the inquirer will be put in touch with the officials who can.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Ephraim L. Rediker of Woodland, in the county of Aroostook and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated December 1, 1916, and recorded in the Aroostook Registry of Deeds in Vol. 280, Page 112, conveyed to Houlton Savings Bank, a certain tract or parcel of land in said Woodland, described in said mortgage as follows, to wit: "Sixty (60) acres off of the east end of lot No. one hundred and three (103) Alfred's survey of said Woodland, excepting thirty (30) acres previously conveyed to Amanda Jordan from the south end of sixty acres, more particularly bounded as follows: Beginning at the S. E. corner of said Lot No. 103, and on the east line of said Lot No. 103, forty (40) rods, thence westerly and parallel with the south line of said Lot, five (5) rods; thence northerly and parallel with the east line of said Lot, forty-three (43) rods; thence westerly and parallel with the south line of said lot and northerly parallel with the east line of said lot to the north line of said lot the two latter bounds to be at such distances as that following the north line of said lot to the N. E. corner of said lot and thence the east line of said lot to the point begun at will, leave thirty (30) acres in the north-easterly end of said lot."

Now, therefore, the condition of said mortgage is broken, by reason whereof said Houlton Savings Bank claims a foreclosure of the same, and gives this notice for that purpose. Houlton, Maine, August 2, 1918. HOULTON SAVINGS BANK, By its Attorneys, Archbalds, 332 332

SAVES DOCTOR'S BILLS Keep it in the house—use at first signs of colds or coughs. It penetrates, soothes and heals. The best family remedy. No Allergic No Opium. Ballard's Golden Oil in For sale by all drug and general stores

CLARION ALL-FUEL RANGES have fire boxes, flues, ovens, correctly proportioned for right results with any fuel that is available. The test of forty-four years has proven Clarions dependable. Made in the good old-fashioned way with personal supervision in every department, equipped with every modern advantage, Clarions offer you remarkable service. Established 1939 WOOD & BISHOP CO. BANGOR, MAINE HAMILTON & GRANT, DEALERS, HOULTON

Use Your Land RIGHT It will repay you a thousand times Now is the time to do your Fall plowing, and it needs to be done right. We have the right sort of implements that you need for all purposes. The John Deere Two-Way Sulky Plow For hillside or level land makes farm work easy. We handle a full line of the celebrated Syracuse Hand Plows of every description. Give us a call James S. Peabody HOULTON, MAINE

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Miss Louise McLoon is visiting relatives in Rockland for a few weeks. Special line of class school suits for boys, made to measure, two prices only, \$22 and \$27. C. B. Esters, the Main St. Tailor.

Frank O'Brien of the Post Office force is enjoying his annual vacation. C. W. Starkey has just installed a motor in his market for grinding bone, hamburger steak, etc.

Miss Helen Somerville went to Bangor on Friday where she will visit relatives.

The man on the Water Wagon is satisfied if he is drinking Maple Spring water.

Mrs. P. C. Newbegin and daughter, Mildred, returned Saturday from a trip to Boston.

Auto and Driving Glasses at Osgood's.

Mrs. E. C. Alexander left Friday to join her husband, who is in Bar Harbor on his annual vacation.

Have Osgood remake your Rings or other Jewelry to suit your idea.

John Watson was in Bangor last week to attend a meeting of the Directors of the B. & A. R. R.

Every slice cut just right by Starkey's automatic meat slicer.

Mrs. Riddon of Portland arrived by auto last week and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Powers.

Starkey's meat slicer just puts the finishing touch on smoked beef, bacon, etc.

Miss Fannie Mulherrin of Boston, is the guest of her mother, on Pleasant street, for her annual vacation.

This season of the year is when one enjoys drinking Maple Spring Water. Its good for the health. Leave your orders at the TIMES Office.

Mrs. Savage and two children of Portland, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter T. French on Water St.

Meet "Minnie" at the Houlton Fair. Stylish custom made shirts big line of new patterns to select from at C. B. Esters.

The laying of the Corner stone of the new Masonic building will take place this Wednesday afternoon.

Start right. Buy an Osgood Hand-Made wedding ring.

The many friends of H. J. Hatheway of Forest City, will regret to learn that he had an ill turn last week.

If you want a hair cut, call at the barber shop; if a saw cut, call at the Saw dentist shop.

Christian Science services held each Sunday at 11 A. M. Smeck Hall, Aug. 18th. Subject: "Soul." All are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dyer and child went to Portland by auto last week, where they will visit at their former home.

Now is the time to list your rooms with the Houlton Information Bureau, which assigns board and rooms. Do not have a room in your house this Fair which is not taken. Let us have your name. We can fill them for you. Please state price of lodging and board if it can be furnished. Telephone 9, E. B. Leighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Quimby of Portland reached Houlton by auto, Friday, and were gladly welcomed by their friends.

In order to make the coming Fair a success the people of Houlton will have to open up their homes to the public more this year than they have in years past. In the past we have had to turn many people away on account of lack of room. Now as we are planning to make this coming Fair the Best Ever, we also want our accommodations for the people the Best Ever. If you have only one room to let do not fail to list it with E. B. Leighton, Tel. 9.

Jas. Archibald, Bernard Archibald and Nathaniel Tompkins went to Presque Isle Saturday to attend a meeting of the Republican county committee, to fill the vacancy on the board of county commissions.

List your rooms early this year, for the Fair, giving prices of lodging and if board can be furnished please state this fact when you list your rooms.

Kelley's orchestra of Bar Harbor, will run a public dance at Crescent Park, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Aug. 28-29.

"Minnie" the wonder of the age will be at the Houlton Fair.

CHILD WELFARE WEEK

digestion, and more simple food should be given.

"Indigestion, dirt, and flies are the chief causes of cholera infantum."

"The child's stomach should not be given adult food. Feed simply after first year, on milk, cereals, twice-baked bread, broths, lightly cooked eggs, prunes, orange juice."

"Every mother should nurse her baby if possible. If mother cannot nurse her baby, modified cow's milk should be the only food given the first year."

Do not give the baby tastes of adult food, and so make him dissatisfied with his wholesome, simple diet.

"Dress baby simply, for COMFORT. Give baby plenty of water and fresh air."

"Do not jiggle and bounce and show off your child. Keep him quiet, if you do not wish him to be nervous."

"Baby should sleep in a quiet, darkened place, with plenty of fresh air, and mouth closed."

"Keep nasal passages clean and open."

"Do not allow bright light to shine in baby's eyes."

"Nursing mother should keep cheerful and rested."

DRAFT LIST CLASS OF 1918

District No. 1, County of Aroostook, State of Maine

List of names of registrants of the class of June, 1918, whose Registration Cards are in the possession of this Local Board, in the order of their liability for military service, as determined by this Local Board, as required by the Rules and Regulations.

- 1 James Fraser Keegan, Easton
2 Delmore Tidd, St. Benedict St.
3 Ernest Carl Taylor, Westfield
4 Thomas W. Fumikam,
5 Edward Wm. Hogan, Houlton
6 Alonzo Henry Tuck, Mapleton
7 Geo. Henry King, Houlton
8 Norris Ethian Smith, Houlton
9 Lester Leonard Laine, Mars Hill
10 Montford Lewis, Presque Isle
11 Geo. Arthur Hoyt, Monticello
12 Carl Enoch McCaughlin, Westfield
13 William Raymond, Houlton
14 Leroy Stanley Adams, Limestone
15 Chester Thomas Furbush, Ashland
16 James Fred Walker, Houlton
17 Fred Thomas Brewer, Cary
18 Fay Edward Parks, Westfield
19 James Albert, Houlton
20 Levi Benjamin Knowles, Presque Isle
21 Percy James Day, Houlton
22 Van Arden Thayer, Houlton
23 William Leonard Ingraham, Houlton
24 Don Harden Shaw, Westfield
25 Percy Clifford Clark, Easton
26 Franklin McDonald, Presque Isle
27 Earl Lawrence Nasson, Monticello
28 Harold Delbert Niles, Westfield
29 Hollis Joseph Adams, Limestone
30 Aubrey Eugene Goodlaw, Masardis
31 Percy David Welch, Easton
32 Wendell A. Little, Limestone
33 Jerome E. Gauthier, Benfield
34 Felix McKinnis, Mars Hill
35 Nelson A. Wadsworth, Houlton
36 Jarvis Clinton Worden, Houlton
37 Harold C. Simpson, Mars Hill
38 Robert M. Goodale, Presque Isle
39 Harold John Nevers, Houlton
40 Walter P. Perry, Houlton
41 Lewis P. Sprague, Easton
42 Percat Melville Thompson, Mapleton
43 Earl Murray Hall, Houlton
44 James Edward, Island Falls
45 Geo. Willard Perry, Presque Isle
46 Fay Linwood Shannon, Sherman Mills
47 George Sylvester, Washburn
48 Harold Carter, Presque Isle
49 Morton Granville Reed, Wytopitock
50 Floyd Goodrich, Houlton
51 Norman Edgar Scott, Houlton
52 Chas. Fred Lunt, Mapleton
53 Gilbert Edmund Carey, Houlton
54 Walter Charles Carson, Island Falls
55 Fred Ansel Tarbell, Smyrna Mills
56 Frank Sato, Ashland
57 Ward Almond Moores, Houlton
58 Alton Francis Carroll, Houlton
59 Percy L. Carmichael, Monticello
60 Arthur Raymond Cummings, Houlton
61 Frank Faulkner, Monticello
62 Vaughn Gerald Bates, Smyrna Mills
63 Lewis Gordon, Easton
64 John Marshall Tilley, Monticello
65 Richard Eldon Smith, Griswold
66 Norman Wood, Westfield
67 Henry Leonard, Newburyport
68 Ernest A. Sathard, Presque Isle
69 Eugene Hebe Tuley, Blaine
70 Gerald Patrick Griffin, Calais
71 Irving James Howland, Island Falls
72 Saul Plavin, Island Falls
73 Don Lemuel McCrum, Mars Hill
74 Thomas Leroy Graham, Presque Isle
75 Harry Manfred Ames, North Bangor
76 Arthur Frank Thomas, Oakland
77 Louis William Hoag, Houlton
78 Myer Alexander Hamer, Houlton
79 Melvin Miles Quimby, Bangor
80 George Yie, Presque Isle
81 Leonard Eugene McNair, Houlton
82 Vernon Augusta Smith, Oakland
83 Arthur Leroy Sawyer, Presque Isle
84 Charles E. Mason, Houlton
85 Earl Frank Smith, Carleton
86 Stanley Patrick Smith, Easton
87 Roy Thibault, Oakland
88 Frank Kilburn Rand, Presque Isle
89 Francis Floyd Seaman, Houlton
90 Alton Bernard, Houlton
91 Wilford William Harris, Houlton
92 Guy Milton Marshall, Island Falls
93 William Henry Duchon, Houlton
94 Harry Bliss Hatfield, New Limerick
95 Floyd Lincoln Libby, Mars Hill
96 Thomas Earle Everett, Presque Isle
97 Alphonse Goussard, Harvey Sidling
98 Clyde Benson, Mars Hill
99 Charles Columbus Scribner, Island Falls
100 Norman Lorenzo Chase, Westfield
101 Vernon Fred Sherrard, Presque Isle
102 Theodore Harold Berry, Houlton
103 Wayman George Gickey, Blaine
104 William Shaw Fletcher, Mars Hill
105 Charles Eddie Carter, Houlton
106 Frank Everett Batchelder, Houlton
107 Thos. Theodore Maloney, Easton
108 Guard Wingate Weeks, Houlton
109 Cecil M. Packard, Bridgewater
110 Elmer James Green, Presque Isle
111 Winfield Albert Whorton, Mars Hill
112 Harry Albert Hunt, Monticello
113 Linwood Ambruse Adams, Monticello
114 Percy Lincoln Troffey, Westfield
115 James H. Lynch, New Limerick
116 Maurice A. O'Donnell, Houlton
117 Llewellyn McLaughlin, Weston
118 Albert Forline, North Bangor
119 Alphonse Lovejoy, Griswold
120 Harley Robert Shaw, Houlton
121 Addie Barbry, Ashland
122 Lloyd Leslie Wright, Ashland
123 Ashton Ray Bartley, Westfield
124 Lawrence Pomroy, Presque Isle
125 Bennett Inceburn Gould, Golden Bridge
126 Joseph Dickinson, Houlton
127 Judson Miller, Presque Isle
128 Thos. Joseph Shortier, Presque Isle
129 Walter Adams Cone, Houlton
130 Cecil Eugene Grant, Houlton
131 Charles Beaulier, Sheridan
132 Manuel Horn Snow, Masardis
133 Ansel Leo Bruce, Houlton
134 John Atherton, Houlton
135 Olin Fortier, Houlton
136 Burnham Emery Sewall, Houlton
137 Gerald M. Kelly Hews, Ashland
138 Harry Edwin Gooding, Presque Isle
139 Ernest Walter Verill, Ashland
140 John Billing Shaw, Mars Hill
141 Wallace Gardfield Frost, Westfield
142 Lester Wilson Boles, Limestone
143 Llewellyn Ross, Houlton
144 Earl Oswald Brown, Mars Hill
145 Frederick Phillips, New London, Conn.
146 Henry Charles, North Bangor
147 Howard Cecil McInch, Bridgewater
148 Harry Cecil Smith, Houlton
149 Charles Ira Whitehead, Island Falls
150 Walter Estuan Higgins, Oakland
151 Edward Donahue, New Limerick
152 Vinal Easley Orser, Hayesville
153 Calvin Parker Moran, Golden Bridge
154 Albert Crawford, Houlton
155 Louis Wade, Presque Isle
156 Edward Eaton, Ashland
157 Harry E. Lewin, Houlton
158 Grover William Lee, North Bangor
159 James P. Clark, Ashland
160 Frank Richard Burlock, Houlton
161 Frank Orr, Hayesville
162 Harry James Monahan, Howe Brook
163 Gussie Beaulier, Sheridan
164 Fred William York, Ashland
165 James Theriault, Ashland
166 John Sterling Allen, Presque Isle
167 Fred Henry Powers, Presque Isle
168 Gerald F. Rand, Wytopitock
169 Frank Lawrence Desmond, Houlton
170 Clair Alton Carter, Ashland
171 Harvey Eliza Estabrooks, Houlton
172 Dennis Augustus Murphy, Benfield
200 Guy Emery Brown, New Limerick
201 William George McCall, Houlton
202 Earl Bell, Mars Hill
203 Lorena Edw. O'Brien, Presque Isle
204 Forest Irving Dwyer, Weston
205 John Dudley Moores, Houlton
206 Harvey Leonard Moran, Island Falls

BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE

In the matter of Harry R. Willett, Debtor.

To the Hon. Clarence Hale, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

HARRY R. WILLETT, of Carleton in the County of Aroostook, and State of Maine, in said District respectfully represents that on the 8th day of August 1918, he was adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has since that time, sold, conveyed and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of Court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays, That he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts, excepting the estate under said bankruptcy Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 14th day of August A. D. 1918.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON

District of Maine, Northern Division, ss. On the 14th day of August A. D. 1918, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

Ordered by the Court, That a hearing be had upon the same on the 20th day of September A. D. 1918 before said Court at Bangor in said District, Northern Division, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Houlton Times, a newspaper printed in said District, Northern Division, and that all known creditors and other persons, in interest, may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further Ordered by the Court, That the Deputy Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Clarence Hale, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Bangor in the Northern Division of said District, on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1918.

(L. S.) WILLIAM M. WARREN, Deputy Clerk. A true copy of petition and order thereon. Attest: WILLIAM M. WARREN, Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE

We hereby give notice to the Republican and Democratic Town Committees and all others interested that we will be in session at our office on Thursday evening, Aug. 15, 1918, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of correcting the list of the voters of the Town of Houlton.

FRANK A. PEABODY, HOWARD WEBB, ROBT. M. LAWLIS, Selectmen of Houlton.



To expect to pay a high price for talc perfumed with an odor that cost thousands of dollars to produce would be natural. But to be able to obtain such a superb perfume at a low price is a delightful surprise. This surprise awaits you in the Talc perfumed with Jonteel—the New Odor of Twenty-six Flowers.

HATHWAY DRUG COMPANY S. L. White, Mgr. "THE RECALL STORE"

Be sure and see "Minnie" at the Houlton Fair.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEER WRITES: The kidneys are not working properly, backaches, stiff joints, rheumatic pains and suffering, gout, George McLain, Turtle Lake, N. D. writes: "I am a locomotive engineer. I had a bad pain in my back and my bladder action was very irregular. I took Foley Kidney Pills and was relieved in a couple of days."



WILL OPEN SEPT. 9 YOUR FUTURE is what you make it. If you are ambitious, you can make it a SUCCESS by taking a course of study with us. Write or phone. O. A. HODGINS, Prin., Houlton, Me.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and thoughtfulness during the illness of my wife, daughter and sister. A. E. PENNILETON, EMERSON STONE & FAMILY

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their many kind and thoughtful acts during our recent sorrow, also for the many beautiful flowers. S. D. THOMPSON, ELAHEDA E. THOMPSON, ESQ.

NOTICE Whereas my wife, Phoebe Cyr, having left my bed and board without just cause, I hereby warn all persons against trusting her on my account as I shall pay no bills of her contracting after this date. PETER CYR, Houlton, Me., Aug. 5, 1918.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Household Furnishings For Sale—Inquire at 17 Park St., or Tel. 59-12. 132

Wanted a Young Man or Boy For store work. Apply F. W. Woolworth Store. 133

For Sale—House and lot on Elm St., Apply to Mrs. F. R. Smith, Tel. 417-2. 11

Rooms to Let No. 12 Kelleran Street, three minutes walk to the Square. References required. 134

Farm to Rent, 1/2 Miles From Littleton Sta., 111 acres, 100 cleared. For particulars inquire of Mrs. Arthur Bell at 58 Military St., Tel. 255W. 822P

For Sale or To Let—Berry House Court Street, hot and cold water, fine bath room, furnace, set tubs, electric lights, sewerage, large stable and garden. Possession given Sept. 1st. E. L. Cleveland. 11

Men Wanted—If you are unemployed or not working on Government work your services are required to make ammunition for the U. S. Government, by the United States Cartridge Company, Lowell, Mass. Call or write the above address or our Maine Representative, Mr. L. P. Church, 90 Main Street, Bangor, Maine. 828

Hotel Help Wanted 50 Women and Girls for best year round hotels, all kinds of work for best summer hotels, waitresses, chamber maids, kitchen, dish and laundry, chef pastry and all round cooks, bell boys and kitchen men. For hotel positions apply always to Maine Hotel Agency, 90 Main St., Established 28 years, Bangor, Me. Inclose stamp for reply.

When you come to the Houlton Fair see "Minnie"

CLASSIFIED ADS

Wanted at the Aroostook Hospital, a second girl. Apply at once to Miss Bolstridge, Matron. 135

A Furnished Room to Let, heated and lighted. Opp. Monument Park. Inquire of Mrs. Mary E. Stuart, Military St. 231t

Comfortably Furnished Rooms For rent, only two minutes walk to Market Square. Apply to C. G. Lunt, TIMES Office. 136

For Sale—7/5 acres of the Steve Osborne farm on the west side of the Houlton—Presque Isle road in Littleton. James Archibald, Admr. 137

Before you purchase a Farm or House be sure to call on C. O. Grant, Real Estate Agent, Market Sq., and examine his fine list of desirable properties. 138

For Sale—The Augusta E. Chadwick homestead, on corner Park and Fair streets, including house, barn, and the corner lot, about one acre in all. Jas. Archibald, Executor. 139

Notice—Bank Book No. 475 of the Savings Dept. of the Houlton Trust Co. is reported lost, and application has been made for a duplicate to be issued. Houlton Trust Co., Houlton, Me., July 20th, 1918. 331

Farm For Sale—160 Acres, 43 Acres tillage, excellent potato land, good wood lot, good buildings, 2 1/2 miles to village and railroad. Price only \$3500. A rare bargain, for sale by L. H. Brooks, Real Est. Agent, South Paris, Me. 140

Teachers Wanted—with or without experience. Good salaries. No charge whatever unless position is secured. Write at once for registration blank. The H. W. Mann Teachers Agency, 53 Court Street, Auburn, Maine. 232

Houlton's Big Fair. You are invited to HOULTON'S BIG FAIR Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday AUGUST 27, 28, 29, 30, 1918. \$5,000 in Purses \$5,000 in Premiums Midway Bigger, Livelier Than Ever Free Entertainment for all every afternoon and evening in front of the Grand Stand. The best attractions that money can buy. Balloon Ascension By Prof. Harold D. Cates each day, with a number of parachute drops. 3 Big, New and Novel FREE VAUDEVILLE ACTS Each afternoon and evening. Nobody should miss this High Class Vaudeville. Tuesday, Aug. 27 will be Patriotic Day, on this day there will be Special Music and Special Acts in commemoration of this great day. Thursday, Aug. 29 New Brunswick Day and Confetti Night. This day there will be something doing every minute for our friends from across the border. Wednesday, Aug. 28 is Merchants' Day. This day the merchants will close their places of business at 12 noon. There will be Special Racing features for this day. Friday, Aug. 30 Army and Navy Day. All Army and Navy Boys will be admitted free during this day. BASE BALL GAME \$5000 In Purses Real Horse Racing \$5000 In Purses Houlton has the finest Track in Maine. You are able to see from the Grand Stand every movement of the races without even rising from your seat. No obstacle to obstruct your view and no uncomfortable seats. Surrounded with the finest of Nature's scenery. Stake Races Class Races 2:13 Trot and Pace Stake, closed 2:11 Class Trot and Pace 2:16 " " " " " " " " 2:18 " " " " " " " " 2:20 " " " " " " " " 2:22 " " " " " " " " 2:20 " " " " " " " " 2:25 " " " " " " " " 2:30 " " " " " " " " 2:40 " " " " " " " " 2:25 Trot 3 year old Trot Music by Several Bands Fireworks Wednesday and Thursday Evening Calvalcade—There will be a calvalcade of premium stock and other features at 10 o'clock the last day of the Fair. Music by Calais Band. Come and see the Blue Ribbon Winners on Grand Parade. Dancing on Elevated Floor, afternoon and evening. Illuminated by numerous electric lights. Admission to the Park Information Bureau Admission to Park Monday, Preparation Day 25c at Leighton & Feeley's and at Secretary's Office, Fair Grounds Admission to Park 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th days 50c Tickets On sale at Fox Bros. and at the entrance to grounds. Season Ticket \$2.00 Children, Monday 10c Children 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th days 25c Children 1st, 2nd and 3rd evenings 10c Admission to Grand Stand 25c Admission to Grand Stand evenings Free Autos and Carriages Free No return checks after 1 o'clock in the afternoon The Coming Event Everybody is Going

OF LOCAL INTEREST

E. H. Blake and Dr. Nealley of Bangor were at the Snell House on Friday. Clarence A. Powers of Maple Grove was in town Friday on business. Mrs. Edmund Mercer spent a few days last week with friends in Caribou. Harold Ireland of the John Watson & Co., is enjoying his annual vacation. H. Drummond Foss Esq., of Washburn, was in town Thursday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mills and Mrs. Lee Cleveland left here Friday for a trip to Boston. Frank Hughes who is a seaman in the Navy arrived here Saturday on a short furlough. Robt. Hawkes of the A. H. Fogg Co. has resumed his duties after enjoying a vacation of two weeks. Mrs. Frank M. Hume went to Van Buren, Friday, to visit her sister, Mrs. H. K. Bradbury, for a few days. Rev. H. Scott Smith, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, was in Winn, Sunday, where he held services. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Eaton of Calais were in town Wednesday making the trip by auto, on their way to Fredericton. Capt. Gregory Cassidy of the U. S. Army, located at Camp Devens, arrived home Saturday for a short leave of absence. The town is visited every day now with draftees of the class of 1918 who come to Houlton for examination in Dist. No. 1. Harry Wilson who is located at Camp Devens is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson for a ten-day furlough. Miss Rose Donovan of the TIMES Publishing Co., left Monday for Portland where she will visit relatives for a couple of weeks. Willis H. Hunt of California and Horace Chase of New Haven were the guests over Sunday of Mrs. Don A. H. Powers on Main St. Larry Carroll and James Wilson who enlisted in the Navy recently, left Wednesday for Newport, where they will report for duty. The attention of our readers is called to the ad of Joe Bernstein who will have his second anniversary sale and offers many bargains. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Thompson of Bangor, with a party of friends were in town by auto last week on their return from a trip to Halifax. Miss Margaret Wilkins who graduated from Colby in June with high honors, has accepted a position in Hampstead, N. H. where she will teach Mathematics, French and Chemistry. Miss Ernestine Davis, Asst. Treas. of the Houlton Savings Bank, returned last week from a three week's vacation in St. Andrews, N. B. with friends. Merton Brown Esq., one of the prominent young lawyers of Boston is in town for a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown on Court street. Hon. Ira G. Hersey was in Piscataquis County last week where he attended a meeting of prominent men of the county in the interests of the Republican party. Mr. A. K. Stetson went to Pittsfield last week, where he met Mrs. Stetson, and after a few days visit at the Power's farm, they enjoyed an auto trip to Portland and other places. The many Houlton friends of Louis J. Freedman who is a Lieutenant in N. A. now in France, will be interested to know that he is recovering from a minor surgical operation, which confined him to a hospital for a few weeks. Prof. and Mrs. A. M. Thomas of Farmington arrived in town Thursday by auto, and are guests of Mrs. James McCready for a couple of weeks, after an absence of 15 years, receiving a welcome from their many friends. Prof. Thomas was principal of Ricker for a number of years. Hon. Columbus Hayford, of Presque Isle, states in the Star-Herald that in all the years he has lived in Aroostook he never has seen the crops looking so well at this time of the year as now. The wheat is strong, well filled and in a week's more time will be out of all danger of being injured in any way. The potato fields are absolutely perfect. Nature and man's labor and ingenuity have done wonders this year to make Aroostook bear out well her name, The Garden of Maine.

O. S. Maxell of Orient was in town on business Monday. Hon. Beecher Putnam left Monday for a few days at Shin Pond. Mr. and Mrs. Moody Gerow spent Sunday with friends in Littleton. Lawrence Iott son of Mrs. Phoebe Iott, arrived home Monday on a furlough. Mrs. Hector Carpenter left Saturday for Augusta, where she will spend her vacation. Miss Geneva Donovan has accepted a position in O. M. Smith's book store. Thos. S. Bridges Esq. of Danforth, was in town Monday, on legal business. Mrs. Moses Burpee is visiting friends in New Brunswick for a few weeks. Mrs. H. B. Jervis returned Saturday from a short visit with friends in Presque Isle. Miss Annie Peabody of Portland is spending her vacation with her mother on Water St. Mrs. Jas. A. McGill of Caribou, was the guest of Miss Julia Speer a few days last week. Miss Ethel Jenks and Miss Ethel Titcomb left Monday for a two weeks outing at Mattagamonk. Rev. Fred Brazier of Ashland conducted the services at the Church of the Good Shepherd on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall returned last week by auto from an extended trip to the southern part of the state. Mrs. Harry Little of Davidson, who has been spending a few weeks in town with relatives, returned home on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John P. Perry of Middleboro, Mass., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. B. E. Anderson, on Park Ave. Mrs. Collins of Lewiston who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lumbert for the past month, returned home Saturday. Chief of Police Hogan took charge of a car, Saturday, which was being driven by man who was under the influence of liquor. Emmons Robinson, one of Houlton's prominent musicians, has received an offer from the Kiltie band to play with them for the remainder of the season, but did not accept it. Miss Dorothy Mann, who has been in Boston since her school closed, returned home last week to remain with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Mann for the rest of the summer. Mr. O. P. Hackett, who has made his home in Houlton for a number of years, has accepted a position with the B. & A. R. R. at Derby and has moved there with his family. How does it happen that a man from Presque Isle who was sentenced to 30 days in county jail on July 29, is allowed to return to Presque Isle on Aug. 12, after being discharged? Fred Pond who for the past few years has been conducting a harness shop at Mars Hill, left Tuesday for Bangor to take up work for the Government in the Parkhurst factory. Hon. Lewis A. Burchleigh of Augusta was in town Monday for a few hours, motoring down from Stockholm where he had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Quimby. He left on the afternoon train for home. Two men from the southern part of the county were arrested in Presque Isle one morning last week at 2.30 A. M., one for driving his car while under the influence of liquor, and then it was discovered that they were smuggling rum from the northern border. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. White accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Shaw, left Saturday by auto for the northern part of the county, where Mrs. White has business in connection with the Woman's Committee of the Fourth Liberty Loan. They will spend Sunday at Cooper's camps at Eagle Lake. The State Board of Charities and Corrections extends to all prospective members of the legislature, county commissioners, overseers of the poor and interested citizens a cordial invitation to attend a conference to be held for the purpose of discussing and determining the provisions of a bill to be recommended to the next legislature, providing for county or district almshouses, at the Court House, in Houlton, on Wednesday, Sept. 25.

NOT TO BE IGNORED
The kidneys are as important to good health as the heart, lungs, stomach or any organ in the body. Lame back, swollen joints, sore muscles, rheumatic aches and pains, are most often signals of kidney trouble. Foley Kidney Pills give relief to kidney trouble sufferers. They banish bladder irregularities.
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S. H. Hussey Esq., of Blaine, was in town Saturday by auto on business. W. A. Purinton and wife spent the week end at Portage, guests at the Orcutt camps. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Allen of Columbia Falls, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gibson. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Starrett left Tuesday morning for Rockland, Me., where they will spend their vacation. James C. Madigan who enlisted in the U. S. Navy, left Tuesday afternoon for Boston, where he is to report for duty. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Murray have received word from their son, Leo Murray, that he has arrived safely overseas. Miss Eoline Porter, who has been visiting friends in Haverhill, Mass., for the past six weeks, has returned home. Mrs. Hazen Chandler and daughter, Florence, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Mooers at Ashland for a few weeks. Mrs. Roy Niles went to Fairfield, Me. Tuesday, to visit her husband who is taking treatment in the Sanatorium in that town. Chief of Police Hogan who is taking his vacation, left Tuesday for an auto trip to Bangor accompanied by his wife and family. Joseph Wingate, salesman at the Boston Shoe Store, is on his annual vacation and is visiting down state around his former home. The funeral of John Mack who lived in West Hodgdon took place on Tuesday morning from St. Mary's Catholic Church. Rev. Fr. Silke officiating. M. E. Murphy, who has been doing some special electrical work in Ashland for Geo. Mooers, has gone to Ft. Kent where he will do work for the Fort Kent Electric Company for a few weeks. The annual Field Day of the Woman's Federated Clubs will take place Thursday, Aug. 15, at Crescent Park, a picnic dinner will be served at 12 o'clock noon, all members are requested to bring baskets.

JOHN F. STEPHENSON
The death of County Commissioner John F. Stephenson of Wypitlock, occurred last Wednesday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary E. Fenno in Bangor after being in poor health for the past six months, at the age of 56 years. Mr. Stephenson was well known in Houlton. He was a lumberman, carrying on most of his business in Wypitlock, well liked and held in high esteem by a host of friends who will learn with sorrow of his death. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Cecelia Heaslip of Lynn, Mass., Mrs. Rachel P. Pendexter of Boston and Mrs. Mary E. Fenno of Bangor; a niece, Mrs. Walter Willey of Bangor, and a nephew, Charles A. Fenno, who is in the service and is at present stationed in South Carolina.

William Sharon, the popular Fred-erickton driver arrived in Houlton Monday, where he will handle the horses of P. Doherty the remainder of the season. Mr. Doherty's horses are cutting some figure on the Aroostook circuit this summer, and a hard campaign is marked out for them on the Fair circuits. Mr. Sharon's ability displayed in handling the speedy ones is well known and the Doherty stable is in for greater winnings.

MRS. PERCY PENNINGTON
The many friends of Mrs. Grace Pennington, daughter of Emerson Stone, were pained to learn of her death on Saturday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Vail, on Grove Street, at the age of 25. Mrs. Pennington has lived in Houlton for a number of years, and was a graduate of Houlton High School, and had many friends. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and a two weeks old baby, also a father and three brothers, Earl, Arnold and Cecil. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. E. C. Jenkins officiating.

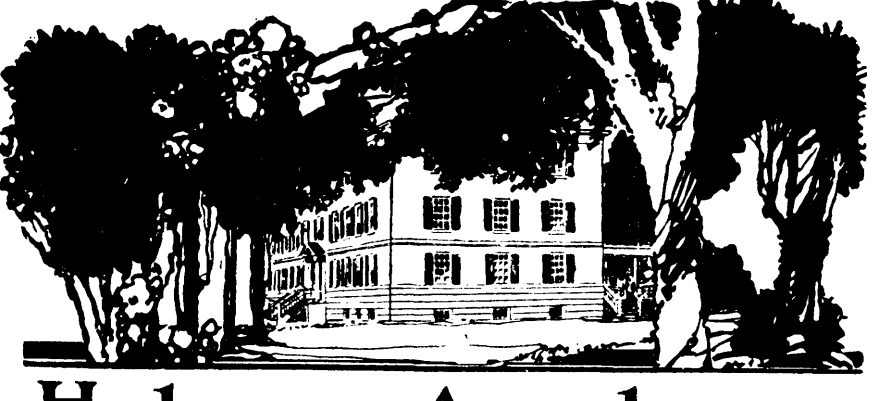
HOULTON'S FAIR
Secty. Saunders and the others who are connected with the Houlton Agricultural society are busy making preparations for the annual fair, which takes place Aug. 27, continuing four days. Visitors and exhibitors will find many changes in the grounds. The loss of the large stable has necessitated building new sheds, which will not only give much more room for exhibition purposes, but have improved the looks of the grounds. The Grandstand has been shingled, and the track, which is the fastest in this section of the state has been kept in perfect condition. Entries in the live stock department show a large number of entries of blooded stock from all parts of the state, and the large number of exhibits of vegetables and other things indicate the best show that has ever been given in Houlton. The midway and the other attractions cannot fail to be interesting to all those who attend.

WILLIAM SHARON
The many friends of William Sharon, the popular Fred-erickton driver, were pleased to learn of his arrival in Houlton Monday. He will handle the horses of P. Doherty the remainder of the season.

SALVATION ARMY
Captain and Mrs. Farmer Officers in Charge
8.00 P. M. Monday, Salvation Meeting
8.00 P. M. Wednesday, Holiness Meeting
8.00 P. M. Saturday, Gospel Meeting

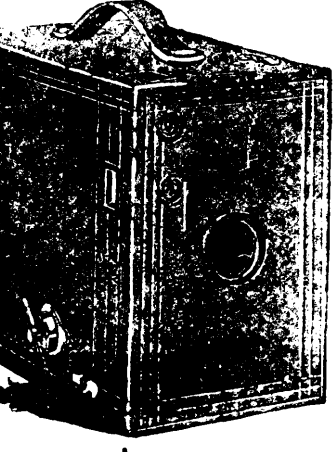
1.30 P. M. Sunday, Sunday School
3.00 P. M. Sunday, Praise Service
HUSBAND AND WIFE
Mrs. Frank P. Wood, Box 18, R. F. D., Morrill, Me., writes: "Foley Kidney Pills help me so much. My husband also has received much benefit from them. He was so lame he could not stand over and now he feels no pain." Lame back, sore muscles, stiff joints, rheumatic aches and pains quickly conquered by Foley Kidney Pills.
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SECOND BIG Anniversary Sale

August 17th to August 24th

THE first day of our annual sale will be on Saturday, August 17th. This is the second grand annual sale we have had and we wish to impress upon you that it will be a "REAL SALE". We do not believe in these so called sales every week or every month, but our policy is to have a big Anniversary Sale each year. We are going to close out all our summer merchandise regardless of market prices. We want to give you real values and all we ask is a visit to the store to convince you, you do not have to purchase. After this sale our Fall line of Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts, Waists and Furs will be ready for your inspection.

Look These Values Over

They Will Not Be Equalled Elsewhere

For the Children

We have on hand a complete assortment of Coats, sizes ranging from 2 to 14 years. These Coats will be sold at exactly one-half the regular price. We will close out our summer line of children's white and colored dresses at prices ranging from **45c to \$2.69**. The regular prices on these dresses are from 69c to \$4.50. Do not fail to get one or more for your little girl. Sizes 2 to 14.

Children's Stockings to be sold for **25c** per pair. Value 35 and 39c. Colors black and tan only.

A limited supply of Children's underwear will also be put on sale. Our line of Bonnets and Hats for Children and infants will be almost given away.

Coats and Suits

We have on hand about 15 Coats and about 18 Suits that were priced from \$14.50 to \$30.00. We are prepared to close these garments out at sale prices of **\$8.98 to \$22.50**. Colors Navy, Black, Khaki and Clay.

Lingerie and Ribbed Underwear

We have not space to quote prices on our beautiful line of Lingerie and Ribbed Underwear, but all our petticoats, gowns, combinations, envelope chemises, slips, drawers and corset covers will be put out at a big discount on regular prices.

Barmon's Electric Brand Housedresses All Adjustab'e Features

The best House Dress in the market today is Barmon's Electric Brand Adjustable Dress, of which we have the sole agency for this town. The special features attached to this garment are the adjustable waist, the adjustable hem, the extra arm shields the adjustable collar and the extra pieces attached for mending. These dresses are guaranteed to give satisfaction and the prices during this sale only will be **98c to \$2**. Regular prices are \$1.29 to \$2.50 each.

Waists

We feel sure that our line of Silk and Georgette Crepe Waists cannot be excelled in this town and during this sale we will offer them to you at the following prices:

Georgette Crepe, regular value \$5.98, Sale price **\$5.00**
Georgette Crepe, regular value \$4.50, Sale price **3.45**
Crepe de Chene, regular value \$5.98, Sale price **5.00**
Crepe de Chene, regular value \$4.50, Sale price **3.45**

We will also have on sale a lot of China and Tub Silk Waists in solid colors and stripes at Value \$2.25 **\$1.89**

Our \$2.98 Voiles will be sold for **\$2.19**

The \$2.25 Voiles will be sold for **\$1.89**

One lot of special priced Voiles at **\$1.00**

Silk and Wool Sweaters

We have only a few wool sweaters left, but these will be closed out at prices ranging from **\$8.50 to \$13.00**. Values **\$2.75 to \$6.75** up to \$25.00 will be closed out from **\$6.75 to \$16.50**

These are great values and don't fail to get one. All colors and sizes

Dresses

About 20 Silk and Taffeta Dresses in all colors will be sold at prices of **\$8.50 to \$16.75**

We have a few summer wash dresses in LINENE and Voiles, which will be sold for half prices.

American Lady Corsets

To the ladies who wish to wear a comfortable corset and one that will give satisfaction in every detail, we wish to recommend our AMERICAN LADY CORSET. The standard price on these corsets is from \$1.50 up, but for this sale only we will break this rule and for every pair purchased we will allow a **20%** discount. We have about 15 different styles front and back laced. Your style is sure to be here.

Ferris Corset Waists for Misses & Children, prices **\$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.**

Wash Skirts

About 150 Wash Skirts in solid colors and stripes, also novelty patterns in materials consisting of linenes, gabardines, pique, cotton and velvet corduroy, will be sold out at low prices. Value \$1.00 to \$6.50. Sale price **85c to \$4.98**

Our Cloth Skirts, regular value \$3.98 to \$9.90 will be sold for **\$2.48 to \$7.50**

All colors, sizes and material.

Raincoats

25% DISCOUNT

Now is the time to get a Raincoat and this sale will save you several dollars if you purchase one here. We have a complete line of colors, sizes and styles, so remember 25 cts. off of every dollar when you buy.

Auto and Bathing Caps

Reduced so low in price that every one can afford to get one.

Middy Blouses and Smocks

About 100 Middy Blouses will be placed on sale, regular prices \$1.19 and \$1.25. SALE PRICE, each **89c**

Silk Underskirts

Taffetas, Jersey Tops and Heather-blooms will be a feature at the sale. Prices **\$3.25 to \$5.00**
Value \$3.98 to \$7.50.

In addition to the above we will place on sale a full line of Kimonos, House Aprons, Breakfast Sets, Gloves Neckwear, Umbrellas, Taffeta and Velvet Ribbons in all colors, Notions, Towels and other items too numerous to mention.



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WAR, THE NATIONAL INDUSTRY OF PRUSSIA

It is essential to proper conclusions on what course must be taken with Germany by the Allied nations...

There is absolutely no doubt that this commercial enslavement of the world is the desire and the purpose of Germany...

It should carefully calculate its own strength and the strength of its neighbors, and when it is ready it should attack on any pretext...

When it has gained territory in this fashion, it should subject the population of the conquered territory to the strictest laws of military service...

This is not only the German doctrine; it is the German practice. In this way, and no other, modern Germany has been built up...

War Heretofore Profitable to Germany

Consider only the last two German wars. How, in the face of these, can it be proved to any German that war is not the most profitable of adventures?

How then can it be maintained that war is not good business? If you say so to any Prussian, he thinks you are talking like a child.

Germany Planned This Terrible War for Profit

The present war, then, is in the direct line of succession to these former wars: it was planned by Germany, elaborately and deliberately planned, on a calculation of the profits to be derived from operations on a large scale.

These are the brutal robbers with whom the grovelling pacifists of our times wish us to negotiate.

Until very recently Germany expected to win this war, make the beaten nations pay all expenses and enormous indemnities besides, and thence on to dominate the world with a military rule of iron.

She had already prepared, after that, to dominate in a commercial way as well, and every detail of operation and of enveloping aggression in this commercial war had been mapped out and specifically provided for...

Ralph W. Page, in the World's Work, gives a digest of an extraordinary book which has been circulated throughout the leading industrial world of Germany.

Has Schemed Conquest of World's Trade by Force After War

Just as Bernhart set down "with brutal frankness and in exhaustive detail precisely what Germany intended to do with her army and just how she proposed to do it..."

It is no less brutal and filled with frightfulness than the military plan, which was deliberately arranged beforehand and has been carried out.

And taking for granted, which Germany has done until quite recently, that the end of the war would find her dictating peace terms to her enemies, rules are laid down for the Government of the business of every other nation...

Every one of the enemy countries, and that practically includes the whole world, is to have "its future commercial treaties with Germany written in blood." That is, briefly, having abjectly surrendered to Germany, every nation shall guarantee that all its commercial resources shall be laid under a fast and hard bondage to Germany...

Secret of Her Peace Plans The book, which evidently has been accepted by German officials as the basis of their peace proceedings, is the

most amazing exposition of arrogant, arbitrary, commercial rule-or-ruin frightfulness ever planned, and is equalled in brazen use of inhuman force only by her prearranged military program of outrage, prostitution, devastation and enslavement...

There is absolutely no doubt that this commercial enslavement of the world is the desire and the purpose of Germany, and that if she won the war, the program already outlined would be carried out also to the letter...

Dismemberment of Germany Only Permanent Cure

There is but one way to meet in a race of people, such inborn, brutal lust for spoils, booty and power. It can be permanently cured only by dismemberment of the nation, in its very soul and marrow guilty of it.

A Contract Which Would Cripple the Country's Credit

It is to be hoped that the appeal of railway investors through the Warfield Committee against the present form of contract put forward by Government representatives, will be headed by Mr. McAdoo and the President. It does not make for public confidence, to have the spirit of the understanding under which the railroads were taken over by the Government, diluted by provisions since introduced...

The fact that the railroad executives have mainly consented to the terms of the contract in its present form, is of little importance.

Railway executives, as a class, do not hold as investments, much if any, of the stock of the roads they represent, and they have not been reliable champions or dependable representatives of the real interests of the investors in the past.

The effect upon the whole country's credit, of a contract with the Government of railroad securities, is a thing especially to be avoided at this time, not only in the investors interest but in very other.

The President's Assurance

Fifty million people in this country are interested in railroad investments. The stability of insurance companies and savings banks depends largely upon the safety of railroads as investments. That safety would be jeopardized by a narrow-minded, misguided, and unjust endeavor to twist the terms of the contract away from the original meaning conveyed by President Wilson's proclamation and statement of December 26, 1917...

Investors in railway securities may rest assured that their rights and interests will be scrupulously looked after by the Government as they could be by the directors of the several railway systems.

Immediately upon the reassembling of Congress, I shall recommend that these definite grantees be given. First, of course, that the railway properties will be maintained during the period of Federal control in as good repair and as complete equipment as when taken over by the Government; and second, that the roads shall receive a net operating income equal in each case to the average net income of the three years preceding June 30, 1917.

Director General McAdoo has steadily maintained this just attitude of the President in the various statements which he has put out on the subject. When announcing the appointment of Federal managers displacing the railroad presidents, he reiterated his intention "to give the greatest possible reassurance to the stockholders, that their just interest in the properties would be respected and that nothing would be needlessly done to have even the appearance of impairing their just rights."

The Government seeks to throw the greatest protection about the credit structure of the country, but this will be seriously jeopardized if the credit of the railroads is not safeguarded, but unduly...

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Julia B. Plourde of Silver Ridge Pl., Aroostook Co., Maine, by her mortgage deed dated Nov. 1st, 1916, and recorded in Aroostook Registry of Deeds Vol. 293, Page 257, conveyed to Malvina A. Ludgate of Lube, Maine, and the said Malvina A. Ludgate by her deed of assignment dated Jan. 19th, 1917, and recorded in said Aroostook Registry of Deeds Vol. 283, Page 248, conveyed to Houlton Trust Co. of Houlton, Maine, and the said Houlton Trust Co., by its deed of assignment dated July 16th, 1918, and recorded in said Aroostook Registry of Deeds Vol. 283, Page 416, reconveyed to said Malvina A. Ludgate the following described parcel of land situated in said Silver Ridge Pl., Aroostook Co., Maine, to wit: Lot numbered Seventeen in the second range of lots in said Silver Ridge Pl.; also a certain piece of lot numbered eighteen in range aforesaid, south of the road leading from the County road to the north line of said lot numbered seventeen including said road on lot eighteen.

And whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken; now therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof I claim a foreclosure of the said mortgage. July 29, 1918. MALVINA A. LUDGATE, By Verdi Ludgate her atty.

ruined by an attempt to put through a contract which is not in accordance with the spirit of the President's message.

Confidence Necessary to Help the Next Loan

The estimate of the railroad situation, as shown by the action of prices of railroad stock and bonds, indicates that the rank and file of investors are not impressed with the security of political control of railroads and telephone lines. They see in it a menace, unless adequate safeguards in income are guaranteed.

Lack of confidence among railway investors will surely manifest itself in apathy when the next great loan is put out. A just and liberal policy on the part of the Government in dealing with the properties which it has taken over for the period of the war, must be absolutely realized in order to keep the great industrial machine at highest level of production and prosperity in order to win the war.

A Great Army

As showing how widely distributed is the interest in the credit of railroads both by direct and indirect ownership, the following recital of how much securities are owned is illuminating:

By individuals outright, numbering over 1,000,000, owning \$10,000,000,000.

By Life Insurance Companies with 46,000,000 of policies in force representing a total of \$1,550,000,000.

By Savings Banks with 10,000,000 depositors, representing \$847,000,000.

By Fire and Marine Insurance Companies, Casualty and Surety Companies representing a total of \$649,000,000.

By benevolent associations, colleges, charitable institutions, etc., \$350,000,000.

By Trust Companies, State and National Banks, \$865,000,000.

Here is a vast army, estimated at over fifty million people nearly half of our population either direct or indirect owners of or investors in securities of the railroads of the United States and intimately concerned in whatever affects railroad credit. Properly organized, it would be a powerful constituency to appeal to, even for political purposes.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

Recently when an American was visiting one of the workshops in Belgium where 800 girls were employed to repair clothing sent by America for the refugees, one of the girls faintd. After the girl had been revived, the American asked the matron if this was a common occurrence. "Oh, yes, Monsieur," was the answer. "Over a dozen faint a day, always and sometimes many more than that."

The American looked around the room at the drawn, blue-lipped faces. Then it occurred to him to ask the girls what they had had for breakfast. His question disclosed the fact that nearly all these girls had had only a cup of Trolinole for their morning meal. This is the only beverage that can be bought in Belgium today and is an unpalatable, murky liquid made up of roasted rye.

Compare the breakfast you had this morning with the breakfast of these Belgian girls. Can you sit down again to your wholesome and satisfying morning meal without first assuring yourself that you are doing all in your power to feed those in Europe whose cause is our cause, but those suffering from this cause is so far beyond our own?

Ask yourself frankly, "What am I doing to help?" "Using less sugar, you say."

How much less? A few teaspoonfuls? Or can you measure your savings in pounds?

Be fair to those who are suffering so much for this cause, trusting that you in America will do your utmost for the same cause, even if it does mean the sacrifice of a lump of sugar or a few slices of bread a day.

Be fair to your better self that demands your best efforts in food conservation instead of your least, in order to keep your self respect.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Alfred Somerville, of Houlton, in the county of Aroostook and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated January 29, 1914, and recorded in the Aroostook Registry of Deeds in Vol. 271 Page 385, conveyed to James S. Peabody the following described real estate, situated in the South Division of said Houlton, and being a part of that part of lot numbered sixty (60) lying north and eastward of the West Branch of the Meduxnekeag Stream, viz: Beginning on the east line of said lot numbered sixty (60) at a point ten (10) rods northerly from the north side of said West Branch; thence following said east line northerly five and one half (5 1/2) rods; thence westerly at right angles with said east line twenty (20) rods; thence southerly parallel with said east line five and one half (5 1/2) rods; thence easterly to the place of beginning. And whereas the said James S. Peabody by his assignment dated January 26, 1914, and recorded in the said Registry in Vol. 283 Page 418 assigned said mortgage and the debt thereby secured to Houlton Trust Company, a corporation existing by law and having its place of business at said Houlton.

Now, therefore, the condition of said mortgage is broken, by reason whereof of the said Houlton Trust Company claims a foreclosure of the same, and gives this notice for that purpose.

Houlton, Maine, July 29, 1918. HOULTON TRUST COMPANY, By its Attorneys, Archbalds.

tion is to keep the fighters supplied with food. A multitude of interlocking-contingencies decide what commodities must be shipped overseas from season to season. At present sugar and wheat are the two outstanding essentials, although fats and beef must be kept moving too. The new rules must be accepted at home as would the command for a general advance at the front. It would be treason to hang back.

FORTUNES OF WAR

The shifting fortunes of war do not allow a general to issue in one day orders to be followed throughout a whole campaign. Herbert Hoover is really a supreme quartermaster of the whole Allied forces, combatant and non-combatant. He cannot tell today what orders will be necessary to issue next month, nor what restrictions now in force may be then safely removed. The whole American people are in the thick of a titanic fray, and the biggest job for the civilian population is to keep the fighters supplied with food.

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SURROUNDING TOWNS

MONTICELLO

Columbus Folsom of the U. S. N. is at home on a short furlough. Mrs. Clifford Sharp arrived home from New London, Conn., last week. A large number from here attended the camp meeting at Littleton, Sunday. Olin Melvin came home from Camp Devens, Saturday noon, returning Monday night.

H. L. Good and family returned Thursday from a trip by auto to St. Andrews, St. John and other places. James O. Stanley of Trenton, N. J., arrived in town Friday night, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Stanley.

Mrs. Harry Atherton and daughter, Ruth, of Washington, D. C. who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Atherton for several weeks started Wednesday on their return home.

EAST HODGDON

Mr. Warren Ertha left for Camp Devens, last Monday. Mrs. Aldon Varney was the guest of Mrs. Miles Smith, Friday.

Mrs. Carpenter of Houlton was the guest of Mrs. Maggie Finnigan the past week.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Smith last Wednesday, Aug. 7.

The Union Sunday School picnic will be held in Fred London's grove, Thursday, Aug. 22.

Mrs. Frank Duffy of Benedicta, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Maggie Finnigan, recently.

Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Bernice, were visiting at Mrs. Orrin Taylor's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reed and family were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Edward McAttee's Sunday.

Mrs. McCready and daughter of Houlton, were the guests of Mrs. Joseph Anconin the past week.

Miss Eoline Taylor was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Taylor, in Hodgdon the past week.

Mrs. R. M. Rhoda of Houlton was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Orrin Taylor, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Cecil and Miss Eva Grant were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Florence Dickinson, at Union Corner, Sunday.

Mr. John Merrill and Mrs. Delia

Campbell of Bangor, has been visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Bert Taylor's the past week.

Mrs. Ernest Turney who has been at the Aroostook Hospital returned home Friday, much improved, her friends will be pleased to know.

Mr. and Mrs. William McAttee and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McAttee, also Albe McAttee were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McAttee in Caribou Sunday.

LINNEUS

Mrs. Mabel Springer of Danforth is visiting Mrs. Geo. Adams.

Mr. Chas. Stanley has been on the sick list the past week.

Miss Dorothy Ruth is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Jones in Hodgdon this week.

Jas. Bither and family and Mrs. Eliza Bither spent Sunday with relatives in Debec.

Quite a number of the farmers are having the Lightning Rods placed on their buildings.

Miss Annie Sawyer of Houlton spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawyer.

Mrs. John Stewart and son, Harley, of Houlton spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ruth.

Little Valla and Pauline Stewart of Houlton spent several days with their aunt, Miss Willa Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Russell and Mrs. Robert Ruth spent Sunday in Haynesville and Danforth.

Miss Hilda Grant of Houlton was the guest of Mr. Henry Stewart and family Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Annie Bither of Houlton is spending two weeks here with her brother, Harry Bither and family.

Miss Glidden of Mars Hill is spending a few weeks here with her brother, Mr. Marvon Glidden, at Mrs. Glidden is still in the Aroostook Hospital.

Mrs. Michael Kervin, with her daughter, Mrs. James Henderson and children of Houlton are spending a few weeks in their cottage at North Lake.

Miss Vera Hamilton who is employed in the telephone office in Houlton, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamilton.

The Corner Church plan on having their Sabbath School picnic at Crescent Park on Thursday, Aug. 16th, and

invites the M. S. Sabbath School to join them.

Miss Dorothy Skillinger returned to her home in Danforth Sunday, after visiting her sisters, Mrs. Maurice Stewart and Mrs. Harold Russell, the past two weeks.

A farewell party was held at the home of Mr. Geo. Adams, on Monday night in honor of Roy Adams and Wilford Ruth. A number of friends from Houlton, Hodgdon and Linneus were present, and delicious refreshments were served.

LITTLETON

Rosecoe Tingley who is ill is a little better.

Miss Edith Hall is confined to the house by illness.

F. I. Tingley and family of New Limerick attended camp meeting on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lilley of Smyrna Mills are visiting at the home of his brother, E. B. Lilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Libby of Auburn, Me., were the guests of their nephew, Miles Libby on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Libby of Mars Hill were the week end guests of Mr. Libby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Libby.

Rev. H. H. Cosman and wife and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lilley spent Saturday and Sunday at Riverside campground.

The Ladies' Aid held an ice cream sale on Friday evening at the Grange Hall. The sum of \$31 was received from the sale.

L. F. Hall and family attended church in Houlton on Sunday morning and spent the remainder of the day visiting their daughter, Mrs. Joseph Hogan.

The attendance at the Camp meeting on Sunday was good. The sermons preached were instructive and helpful, the music fine and all present enjoyed the day.

The committee appointed to organize a Red Cross branch were unable to be present on Aug. 8. The branch will be organized and officers elected at our next regular meeting on Aug. 22.

CAUGHT COLD AT PALM BEACH

Southern climate is no protection against summer colds. Helen R. Saunders, 626 2nd Ave., W. Palm Beach, Fla., writes: "My severe cold on the chest was relieved by Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." This fine old family remedy can be depended upon to relieve summer colds, hay fever, asthma and croup.

THE HATHWAY DRUG CO.

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Whereas, Fred J. Fleming of Oxbow Plantation, in the County of Aroostook and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed, dated October 23rd, 1911, and recorded in Vol. 259 Page

33 of the Aroostook Registry of deeds, July 18th, 1918 and recorded in Vol. 308 Page 170 of said Registry, did give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto William T. Libby and Isaac O. Libby, both of said Plantation, a certain piece of Real Estate, situated in said Oxbow Plantation, being a part of Lot numbered Five (5), bounded and described, as follows, to wit: Beginning at the North side of the Aroostook Road, Twenty (20) rods West of Eva Howe's line, thence Northerly Sixteen (16) rods, thence Westerly Ten (10) rods, thence Southerly Sixteen (16) rods to said road, thence Easterly Ten (10) rods to place of beginning; and whereas said William T. Libby and said Isaac O. Libby, for a valuable consideration paid to them by Will M. Junkins, late of Masardis in said County, deceased, in his lifetime secured to said Junkins and made an assignment thereof, dated May 31st, 1913, recorded in Vol. 248, Page 408 of said Registry, and because of an error in said assignment, said William T. Libby and said Isaac O. Libby, by their assignment dated



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AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY Convertable Gold 6% Bonds	Aug. 1925	94	7.10%
EDISON ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING COMPANY OF BOSTON 7% Gold Notes	Aug. 1922	99 3/8	7.10%
DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY OF PITTSBURG Secured Gold 6% Notes	June 1921	96	7.50%
PUGET SOUND TRACTION, LIGHT & POWER COMPANY Mortgage Gold 7% Notes	June 1921	98	7.75%
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Races

TUESDAY

2:15 Trot & Pace, Stake Closed
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2:30 Pace, Stake closed Purse \$500
2 Year old Stake closed Purse \$300

WEDNESDAY

3 Year old Stake closed Purse \$300
2:19 Trot & Pace, Stake closed Purse \$500
2:30 Trot, Stake closed Purse \$500

THURSDAY

2:15 Trot & Pace, Stake closed Purse \$500

FRIDAY

2:11 Trot & Pace, Stake closed Purse \$500
2:17 Trot & Pace, Stake closed Purse \$500
2:21 Trot & Pace Stake closed Purse \$500

Class Races will be announced later. Entry blanks for Class races will be mailed on application. National rules to govern. Two horses will be allowed to start from the same stable in the same class. Six entries required to fill four to start. Address all entries for the races to R. J. Smith, Superintendent of the Trotting Department, Presque Isle, Maine.

Entertainments

There will be entertainments on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Fireworks Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

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A comedy act of the first class

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OTHER ATTRACTIONS ARE BEING NEGOTIATED FOR by the management.

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CAVALCADE

There will be a Cavalcade of Premium Stock and Horses and other Attractions on Friday.

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Admission to Park Monday, Preparation Day.	25c	Children Evenings	10c
Admission to Park 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th days.	50c	Children 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th Days	25c
Admission to Park Evenings	25c	Children's Season Tickets	\$1.00
Season Ticket	\$2.00	Admission to Grand Stand	25c
Children Monday	10c	Admission to Grand Stand Evenings	Free

INFORMATION BUREAU which assigns rooms and board, will be located in the Secretary's Office on Main St.

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