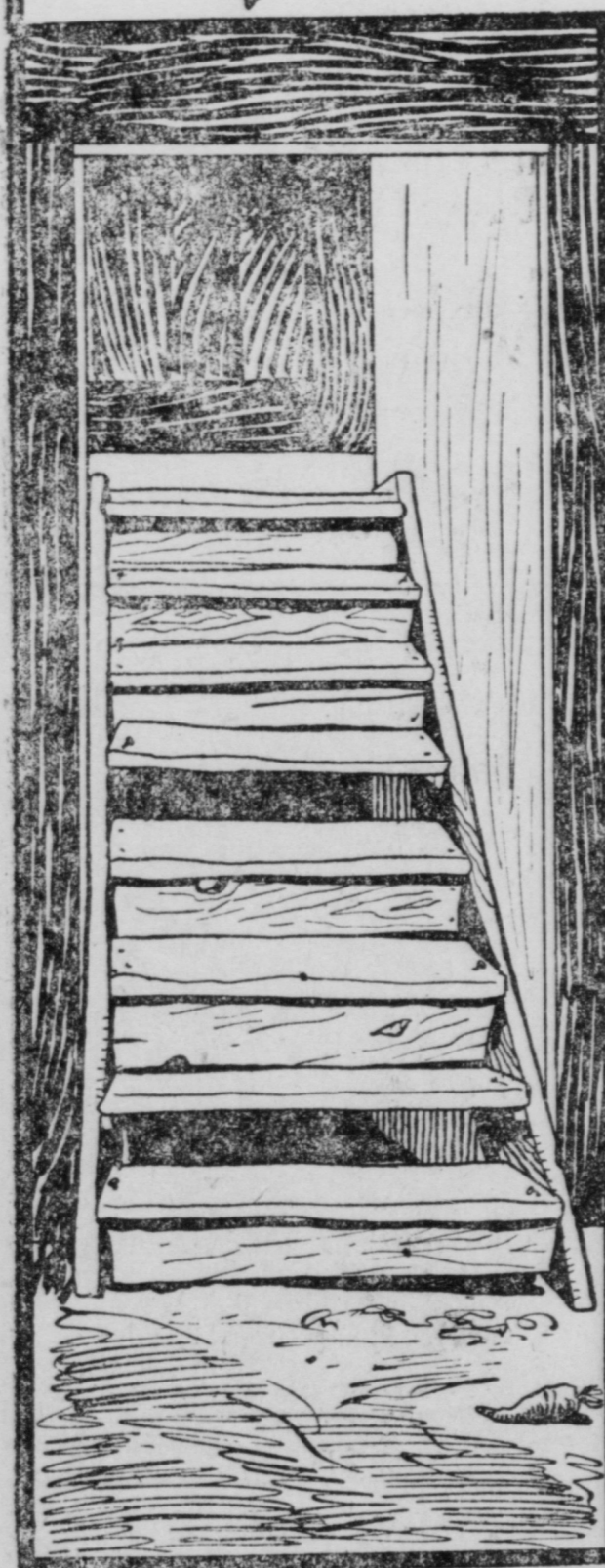


Concrete Stairs Need No Repairs Easy to Build and Last Forever



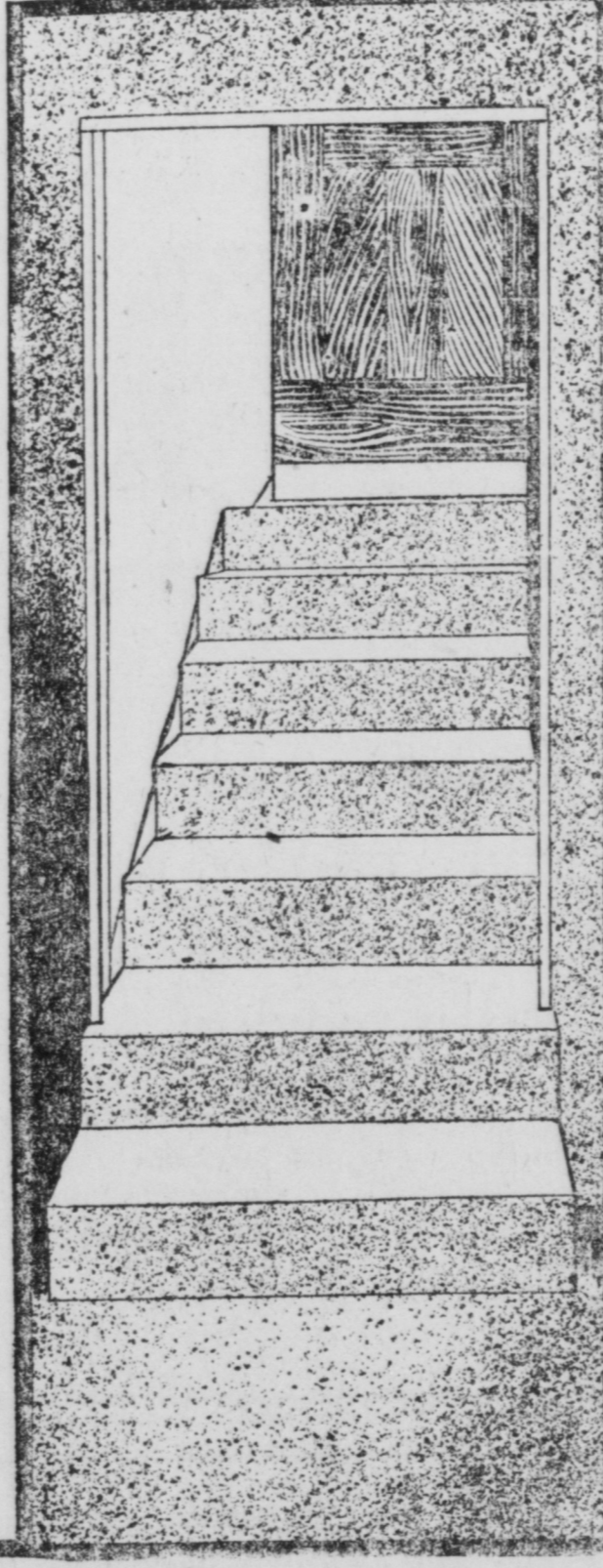
NO matter how you view it wooden stairways can never be considered economical.

Wood deteriorates rapidly under ordinary usage, and requires frequent, and often extensive, repairs to keep it in good condition.

Concrete stairs will be as good fifty years later as the day they are first put up. Age, which proves so destructive to wood, serves only to intensify the strength and hardness of concrete. Needing no repairs or painting, concrete first cost is last cost.

Let us send you our new illustrated book free—"What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete." Photographs and diagrams show many examples of concrete work as applied to the construction of farm utilities. Much of this work you'll find you can do in your spare time. Write for the book to-day. It may save you dollars, though it only costs a cent.

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The school children of the town were given a half holiday yesterday afternoon. Evidently the Trustees have not forgotten their boyhood days and the sight of the beautiful ice now on the creek and a lovely December day caused the above result.

Apply BEARINE (prepared from the grease of the Canadian Bear) and save your hair, when it begins to fall out or is brittle. 50c. a jar.

WOMAN'S APPEAL
All Women: I will send free, with full instructions, my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Uterine Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back, Bowels, Kidney and Bladder troubles where caused by weakness peculiar to our sex. You can continue treatment at home at a cost of only about 12 cents a week. My book, "Woman's Own Medical Adviser," is sent free on request. Write to-day. Address Mrs. M. Summers, Box 884 Windsor, Ont.

Those seeking an ideal Xmas present can find nothing better than the Calendar for sale by the Mission Circle of the Methodist Church. There is a small number of copies left and any one desiring them can purchase from Miss Weddall at the Parsonage.

Mrs. F. S. McNaught entertained a few young friends on Tuesday evening at a sliding party for the pleasure of her niece, Miss Brown.

Anybody bothered with corns can get a sure cure by wearing a pair of our Red Cross Boots. Have you seen them at Gibson & Ross?

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LOCAL NOTES.

Go to Dibblee's for your Sleds. Artificial Flowers (indistructible) for Xmas Decorations at Garden's Drug Store.

An Eastman Kodak or Camera is an ideal Xmas gift. From \$2.00 up at Garden's Drug Store.

Make the boys and girls happy by buying them a sled. Dibblee & Son have the best stock to select from.

Mrs. Arthur Bailey was called to St. George Tuesday by the death of her sister, Mrs. Dr. McCollum.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Truworthy, Island Falls, Me., are the guests of Mrs. H. L. Marsten, Connell St.

Don't forget the sale to be held next Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 6, by the Y. P. A. of St. Luke's Church.

In the Dominion, Estimates recently brought down there is an additional grant of \$15,000 for the finish of the Hartland Post Office.

Give a man a man's Christmas. Buy him a H. B. B. pipe at Stevens Drug Store. All shapes, sizes and prices.

Go to Dibblee's Hardware Store to buy your skates. They have a full assortment of Hockey and Wood Top. Also Skate Straps, Hockey Sticks, Pucks, Shin Guards, &c.

Keep out the cold and save fuel by using Weather Strip on your doors and windows. Dibblee & Son, the Hardware Dealers, have all kinds and sizes in stock.

Mr. S. H. Havens, Jacksonville, was in town on Wednesday.

Miss Annetta Bradley, Pioneer, spent the early part of the week in town.

Mrs. H. A. Drysdale and Miss Annie Graham spent a few days in Houlton this week the guests of Mrs. Frank Bonney.

Mr. A. Page, of the Imperial Packing Co., made a business trip to St. John and St. Andrews this week.

C. M. Sherwood, Limited, Centreville.—Spacious New Store—New seasonable goods of all kinds in abundance, and Santa Claus in the midst. Everybody welcome.

B. B. Manzer requests his customers to present checks for premiums on or before December 15th, on account of the busy season, or hold until after Christmas.

All overdue water rates not paid before the 15th of December will be placed in the hands of a lawyer for collection. Pay at once and save costs.

The fire department was called out twice Wednesday evening. Both the alarms were for burning flues, one in the double tenement on Park St. owned by J. N. W. Winslow and the other in the residence of L. Willard Carr.

PROFESSIONAL.

Dr. A. Pierce Crockett, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of St. John, will be at the Aberdeen Hotel, Woodstock, on Friday, Dec. 16th, where he may be consulted professionally. 2in-49

Dr. Jas. Beairto of Lakeville, was called to Outlook, Sask., on account of the illness of his son Jack, who is seriously ill with typhoid. Word was received Tuesday from the Doctor that his son was slightly improved. It is likely that Dr. Beairto will remain in the West for a few weeks until his son is out of danger.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Scarborough are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Boyer.

The Misses Gallagher's Cheap Millinery Sale begins Saturday, Dec. 10th. They have a Choice Assortment of Felt Hats, Trimmed and Untrimmed, also Wings, Birds, etc., marked below cost.

Mr. McKenna of the Bank of Montreal Staff won the prize, a calabash pipe, in the Bowling Alley last week. This week the management is offering a pair of shoes for the highest score.

You will be able to get beautiful fancy work, dressed dolls, home made candy and 5 o'clock tea at the SALE to be held Wednesday the 14th., by the Y. P. A. of St. Luke's Church. Admission 10c.

You can make savory dishes from the less expensive cuts of meat by using a GEM FOOD CHOPPER. It reduces the cost of high living. The GEM FOOD CHOPPER sold only by W. F. Dibblee & Son, the Hardware Dealers.

The many friends of Mrs. Kenneth McKay will be pained to learn that she had a bad fall on Sunday dislocating her hip and getting a severe shaking up. At present she is doing as well as can be expected.—Aroostook Times.

The work on the new C. P. R. station and offices is nearing completion. The residence which was upon the property is now being converted into offices for the engineering, despatching and the Superintendents staff and when completed will be commodious and comfortable.

Mr. E. Roy Hunter came home to Florenceville, on Tuesday, from St. John, where he has been taking the business course in the Saint John Business College. Mr. Hunter was just three months and ten days in securing the College Diploma; the average time required is six months. This speaks well for Mr. Hunter's energy and ability. He has work at home which will keep him busy till after the holidays, after which he will likely return to the College for the Stenography course.

The friends of John Burpee of Vancouver, B. C., may be interested to learn that after being in St. Paul's Hospital for six weeks under treatment for kidney trouble he has returned to his home on 24 Lansdowne Avenue, East. Although greatly reduced in strength he is able to walk and take a little exercise when the weather is suitable.

The recently organized hockey team composed of some of the best players of the town is now ready for outside games and it is expected that contests with Milltown and St. Stephen will be brought on in the near future. The boys seemed assured of being able to hold their own against any amateur team in the province.

The Centreville roller mill was shut down for repairs about four days, but is now running on full time, so farmers from distant points will get their grists home with them if they come early. A Millwright from Ontario is installing some new machines and making other improvements in both the wheat run and the buckwheat run.

It is well to have on hand a remedy simple, effective and easily applied, for mosquito bites, insect stings, sores, bruises, sunburn, and injuries to the body, and forty other ailments, not always dangerous, but which can be cured by outward application. Such a remedy is Davis' Menthol Salve (The D. & L.), which comes in tins for 25 cts. at druggists.



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