

ELMWOOD HOTEL

WATERVILLE, MAINE

H. E. JUDKINS, PROPRIETOR

RATES, - - - - - \$2.50 to \$5.00 A DAY

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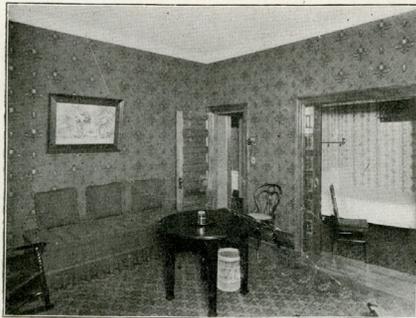


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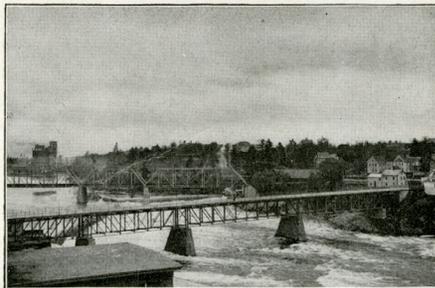
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To	Single Rig.	Double Rig
Fairfield, three miles distance	\$1.00	\$1.50
Good Will Farm (Boys' and Girls' Home) distance ten miles.	2.00	3.00
Skowhegan, distance eighteen miles.	3.00	4.00 to 5.00
Oakland, distance five miles.	1.50	2.00
Mrs. Gleason's (Belgrade Lake and Ellis Pond)	2.00	3.00
Belgrade Hotel (Belgrade Lakes, Long Pond)	3.00	4.00 to 5.00
East Pond (Bricketts') distance seven miles	1.50	2.00
North Pond (Simond's) distance fourteen miles.	2.50	3.50
East Vassalboro (Bradley's) seven miles.	2.00	3.00
China Village (Head of China Pond) eight miles.	2.00	3.00
Unity Village (Unity Pond) distance seventeen miles.	3.00	4.00 to 5.00
Albion, distance twelve miles.	2.00	3.00
Oak Grove Seminary, distance six miles.	1.50	2.00
Augusta, Capital, distance eighteen miles.	3.00	4.00 to 5.00
Togus Home, distance twenty-three miles.	4.00	6.00
Marston's Curve Drive, distance three and one half miles.	1.50	2.00
Sebasticook River Drive, distance six miles.	2.00	3.00

AND MANY OTHER ATTRACTIVE DRIVES.

Rates for double teams by the week, \$12.00
 Rates for single teams by the week, \$9.00



Front View of Elmwood Hotel.

WALKS

To Mountain Farm and Reservoir, two miles.	
Nelson's Stock Farm, one and one-half miles.	
Electric Power Station, one and one-fourth miles.	
Ticonic Spring, two and one-half miles.	
Hollingsworth & Whitney's Pulp and Paper Mill, one mile.	
Maine Central Car Shops, one and one-fourth miles.	
Old Fort Halifax, one and one-fourth miles.	
Messalonskee Stream, Boat Houses, three-fourths mile.	
Pumping Station and Chase Manufacturing Company, one mile.	
Lockwood Mills, one-half mile.	
Fort Hill Cemetery, Winslow, with its interesting epitaphs, one and one-half miles.	
Suspension Foot Bridge, one-fourth mile.	

TRIPS BY TROLLEY

To	Fare.
Pine Grove Cemetery, one and one-fourth miles.	5 cents.
Fairfield, three miles.	5 cents.
Central Maine Fair Grounds, one and one-half miles.	5 cents.
Cascade Summer Theatre, two and one-half miles.	5 cents.
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