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DEMOCRATIC RULE IN KNOX COUNTY.

FURTHER COMPARISON OF FIGURES SHOWING THE MORE PROSPEROUS CONDITION OF THINGS UNDER REPUBLICAN MANAGEMENT.

Facts and Figures Compiled From the Official Records That Make Interesting Reading for Tax-Payers.

In the preceding issue of this paper there was presented from official reports a compilation of figures, exhibiting the manner in which the Democrats, during their past three years of administration of County affairs have increased expenditures, the percentages in some cases mounting to proportions that will startle conservative Tax-payers whose money it is that is used to pay the bills.

In pursuance of our design to still further call attention to the manner in which Democrats are mishandling the affairs of Knox County, we point to the County debt. Dec. 31, 1893, when the Republicans took charge of the County they were confronted with a total of liabilities in excess of resources of \$61,380.26. After seven fat years of Republican control they turned it over with a debt outstanding of only \$2,425.14.

REPUBLICAN REDUCTION OF DEBT:

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|-----------|
| Reduced in 1894 | - | - | \$ 223.87 |
| " " 1895 | - | - | 12,584.30 |
| " " 1896 | - | - | 6,229.43 |
| " " 1897 | - | - | 11,462.42 |
| " " 1898 | - | - | 12,521.69 |
| " " 1899 | - | - | 5,910.79 |
| " " 1900 | - | - | 10,022.62 |

Total Reduction - - \$58,955.12

In 1901 the Democrats took charge, finding a debt to care for of only \$2425.14. At the end of three years they report **RESOURCES** in excess of **LIABILITIES** \$2024. This represents total debt reduction in three years of \$4449.14.

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| Average Yearly Reduction by Republicans | - | - | \$9,422.16 |
| " " Reduction by Democrats | - | - | 1,483.05 |

COMPARATIVE COST OF RUNNING COUNTY.

| UNDER REPUBLICANS. | UNDER DEMOCRATS. |
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| 1898--Expenses only 61 2-5 per cent of receipts. | 1901--Expenses 56 3-5 per cent of receipts. |
| 1899--Expenses only 64 7-10 per cent of receipts. | 1902--Expenses 125 3-5 per cent of receipts. |
| 1900--Expenses only 64 8-10 per cent of receipts. | 1903--Expenses 100 1-6 per cent of receipts. |

Or nearly One Hundred per cent increase of county expenditures under Democratic control.

UNDER REPUBLICANS.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Total receipts 1898, 1899, 1900, | \$87,903 51 |
| Expenditures (less bonds and interest), | 49,993 06 |
| Balance in favor of county, | \$37,910 45 |

Republican expenditures **LESS THAN 57** per cent of receipts.

UNDER DEMOCRATS.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Total Receipts 1901, 1902, 1903, | \$69,820 84 |
| Expenditures, less interest, no bonds paid, | 70,155 35 |
| Deficiency, | \$334 51 |

Democratic expenditure **OVER 100 1-2** per cent of receipts.

Difference in saving in favor of the Republicans **\$38,244 96**

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| Total expenditures of Republicans 1898, 1899, 1900, less bonds and interest, | \$49,993 06 |
| Total expenditures of Democrats, 1901, 1902, 1903, less interest, no bonds paid, | 70,155 33 |

Showing **LESS EXPENSE** by \$20,162.27 under three years of Republican management than under three years of Democratic.

REPUBLICANS PAID BONDS AND INTEREST.

| | | | |
|----------|---|---|-------------|
| In 1898, | - | - | \$11,919 51 |
| In 1899, | - | - | 9,136 00 |
| In 1900, | - | - | 14,809 00 |

THE DEMOCRATS PAID INTEREST ONLY.

| | | | |
|----------|---|---|-----------|
| In 1901, | - | - | \$ 765 00 |
| In 1902, | - | - | 1,575 00 |
| In 1903, | - | - | 1,335 00 |

It will be seen by the above that the Republicans during the years 1898 to 1900 paid bonds to the amount of \$29,800, thereby reducing the annual interest charge \$1412

Democrats paid **NO BONDS** during the years 1901-1903.

Democrats may argue that the county appropriations have been less than under Republican rule. True, the average appropriation for the years 1898 to 1900 was \$25,000, while the average appropriation for 1901 to 1903 was \$15,500, or \$9,500 less; but during the years 1898 to 1900 the average of bonds paid was \$9,933 yearly—**AND AGAIN THE SHOWING IS IN FAVOR OF THE REPUBLICANS.**

SALARIES:

| | |
|--|----------------------------|
| Total salaries paid under Republicans, 1898 to 1900 inclusive, | \$8,683 70 |
| Paid under three years of Democracy, | 10,203 13 |
| Increase under Democratic rule | \$1,519.33 or 18 per cent. |

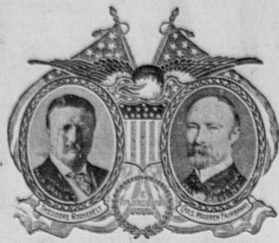
Let the Voters of Knox County look over these figures with care and consider how businesslike was the Republican Administration, and in what reckless manner the Democrats have gradually increased the expenditures to an alarming extent.

Is not Knox County Safer in Republican Hands ?

LET THE PEOPLE WHO PAY THE BILLS ANSWER!

The Courier-Gazette.

TWICE-A-WEEK



FOR PRESIDENT,
HON. THEODORE ROOSEVELT
Of New York.

FOR PRESIDENT,
HON. CHAS. W. FAIRBANKS
Of Indiana.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,
HON. CHAS. E. LITTLEFIELD
Of Rockland.

FOR GOVERNOR,
HON. WILLIAM T. COBB
Of Rockland.

FOR SENATOR,
Hon. Reuel Robinson
Of Camden.

FOR CLERK OF COURTS,
Arthur L. Orne
Of Rockland.

FOR SHERIFF,
Edward C. Andrews
Of Thomaston.

FOR JUDGE OF PROBATE,
Charles E. Meservey
Of South Thomaston.

FOR REGISTER OF PROBATE,
Harrison C. Pease
Of Appleton.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY,
Chester H. Walker
Of Rockland.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
Charles H. Harrington
Of Rockland.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
N. R. Tolman
Of Warren.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES,
Rockland—Arthur S. Littlefield and
Serenio Thayer Kimball.

Appleton, Hope and Camden—
George H. Page of Appleton.

St. George and Rockport—
Kendrick F. Marshall of St. George.

South Thomaston, North Haven, Vil-
nahaven and Hurricane—
John M. Leadbetter of North Haven.

Thomaston, Cushing, Friendship,
Matineus, Cribbaven and Muske Ridge
Class—Herbert J. Parsons of Friend-
ship.

Warren and Union Class—
Herbert L. Grinnell of Union.

THE COBB CLUB.
Republican campaign organization.
Regular meeting on Friday evening at
the club rooms, 335 Main street. Some-
thing doing at every meeting. Every-
body cordially invited to be present.

The local Democratic orators, in their
continued campaign of misrepresenta-
tion and appeal to class prejudice, are
seeking to inflame the unthinking
voters against Mr. Cobb because that
gentleman is a successful business
man is connected with a number of
business corporations. Is it a crime to
be an officer and stockholder in a cor-
poration? If so, how is it with Senator
Staples, who is advertised as stock-
holder and vice president of that Ban-
gor corporation, the "New England
Real Estate and Title Company," in
which he appears as "Prominent Law-
yer and Capitalist"? How is it with
Mr. Davis, Democratic candidate for
Governor? This gentleman is not a
corporation man on any modest scale,
but is prominently identified with some
50 heavily capitalized schemes, with a
total capitalization of thirty-one mil-
lions of dollars! We venture to say that
there is not another man in Maine so
enmeshed in corporations as the
candidate for Governor that the Demo-
crats are asking the laboring
men of Knox county to vote for.

If what The Courier-Gazette learns
from reliable sources can be depended
upon, the decent and conservative el-
ement of the Democratic party of Knox
county has grown heartily tired of the
two men who for the past four years
have led it around by the nose. These
men on the stump this fall continue
the same tactics of vituperation and
mud-throwing that have previously
characterized them, appealing to what
is lowest in human nature. Nobody
who is a Republican can be a decent
man is the doctrine they profess and
which with loud clamor they din into
the ears of their listeners. These men
have fooled part of the people part of
the time, but we think the end of their
fooling is close at hand.

The Opinion sweats and labors
through two long columns of type in
an attempt to discredit the arrangement
of Knox county Democratic extra-
vagance and mismanagement as pre-
sented in this paper. Our contemporary
utterly fails. The figures are from the
official records. The Democratic organ
and the Democratic speakers affect to
brush these matters aside. It can't be
done. The tax-payers are getting their
eyes open. And they will be still fur-
ther opened this week to the Demo-
cratic record.

When Mr. Johnson was county at-
torney, elected by Republicans, he had
a private telephone in his office that
he paid for out of his own pocket. The
present Democratic county attorney
has a private telephone in his office.
Does he pay for it out of his own
pocket? Not at all—the county pays for
it—the tax-payers.

We present on the first page of to-
day's issue of The Courier-Gazette an-
other installment of figures for Knox
county tax-payers to consider, setting
forth in comparison the management
of county affairs by Republicans and
Democrats. How do the records com-
pare? Let the official figures tell
the story. Study the period of Republi-
can rule from 1894 to 1900. Note how
the county commissioners compelled
economy in every department, to the
end that all effort might be con-
centrated upon reducing the debt and sav-
ing large annual interest charges. No
extravagances were anywhere per-
mitted. There were no expensive type-
writers bought then with tax-payers'
money—Republican officeholders pro-
vided their own type-writers, or went
without.

The result of frugality and wise busi-
ness management appeared in a total
debt reduction of \$58,955.12. When the
Democrats took charge in 1901 they
found the county practically out of
debt.

This arrangement of Democratic
management is no loose-tongued ut-
terance of the irresponsible platform
speaker. It is a sober and straightfor-
ward review of the official records,
which the more they are scrutinized the
more reveal how unbusinesslike are
the methods of the Democratic office-
holders and how they are gradually
permitting increased expenditures in
nearly every department to add to the
burdens of the tax-payer. These are
not figures that can be juggled to one
side by the ingenious twisting of the
Democratic newspaper organ, nor by
the light pool-poohing of Democrats
upon the stump throughout the county.
The figures are taken from the rec-
ords—they are true. They cannot be
explained away. They prove beyond
dispute that the men who for the past
three years have been in charge at the
courthouse building are not the prop-
er sort of officials to manage affairs that
have to be run upon money wrung
from the pockets of the frugal tax-
payers of Knox county.

The tax-payers of Knox county are
getting wide awake over the story that
the official records tell of Democratic
mismanagement. Let the Republican
speakers upon the stump address them-
selves to a presentation of these mat-
ters. When you touch the voter's
pocket-book you touch him in a tender
place. The voters want to know why it
is that Democratic officeholders are
favored with type-writers, telephones,
fountain pens and such luxuries, cost-
ing hundreds of dollars that come out
of the pockets of tax-payers, while the
Republican officeholders when they
were in power three years ago had to
pay for such things out of their private
pockets. One Democratic office-holder
is reported as retorting that these
things are small potatoes. We guess
the tax-paying voters will decide that
it is the Democratic office-holders who
are the small potatoes.

The corporations that Mr. Cobb are
connected with are legitimate business
enterprises here in Knox county, with
money invested that helps the whole
community and gives employment to
labor. Democratic candidate Davis be-
longed to 50 corporations, get-rich quick
investment schemes many of them, and
not one of them of any help to Knox
county. Why should laboring men
vote for Davis in preference to Cobb?

The Democratic party has had full
control of the county for three years
and has nearly doubled the percent of
expenditures. Isn't it time for another
Republican business-like administra-
tion?

Politics Boiling Merrily

Republicans Have a Rousing Rally at Hurricane—
Rockland Cobb Club Go For An Island Outing—
Next To the Last Week Has Seen Busy Times.

The Republican speaking assignments
in Knox county for the remainder of
the campaign are as follows:

Friday, Sept. 2—Congressman James
P. Connor of Iowa and James E.
Rhodes, 2d, of Rockland, in Knox hall,
South Thomaston.

Saturday, Sept. 3—Congressman Con-
nor of Iowa and Edward K. Gould of
Rockland in Odd Fellows' hall, Ten-
nant's Harbor.

Monday, Sept. 5—W. B. Skelton
(mayor of Lewiston) and M. A. John-
son of Rockland in Engine hall, West
Rockport.

Tuesday, Sept. 6—Reuel Robinson of
Camden and Hon. William T. Cobb of
Rockland in Town Hall, Union.

Wednesday, Sept. 7—W. B. Skelton of
Lewiston and Reuel Robinson of Cam-
den in Riverside Hall, Appleton.

Thursday, Sept. 8—Ira G. Hersey of
Houlton and J. E. Rhodes, 2d, of Rock-
land, in Fiske Hall, South Hope.

Friday, Sept. 9—Congressman Con-
nor of Iowa and A. H. Newbert of Rock-
land, in Rockport opera house.

Saturday, Sept. 10—Hon. Charles W.
Fairbanks of Indiana (candidate for
Vice President) and Hon. Herbert M.
Heath of Augusta in Camden opera
house.

Sunday, Sept. 11—Ira G. Hersey of
Houlton and C. M. Walker of Rock-
land, in Union Hall, Spruce Head.

Monday, Sept. 12—W. B. Skelton of
Lewiston and A. H. Newbert of Rock-
land, in School House, Burketville.

Tuesday, Sept. 13—Congressman Con-
nor of Iowa and M. A. Johnson of
Rockland, in Rivers' Hall, South Cush-
ing.

Wednesday, Sept. 14—Congressman
Connor of Iowa and E. K. Gould of
Rockland, at Vinalhaven.

Thursday, Sept. 15—Congressman Con-
nor of Iowa and Reuel Robinson of
Camden, in Grange Hall, Ward 7,
Rockland.

Friday, Sept. 16—Congressman Little-
field in Post Office Square, Rock-
land.

Saturday, Sept. 17—Reuel Robinson of
Camden and C. M. Walker of Rock-
land in Town Hall, Cushing.

The Republicans of Hurricane Isle
did the thing up brown Wednesday
night. The band came off from the is-
land at the close of the day and
marched up Sea street to Maine, where
after a brief concert it again took
steamship, accompanied by some 120 en-
thusiastic members of the Rockland
Cobb Club. The sail across the bay
was delightful, the night being calm
and the water equally so. When the
granite isle was reached it was seen to
be ablaze with red-fire. Dozens of
rockets soared into the air and count-
less roman candles lent aid to the daz-
zling scene. The excursionists replied
to the reception with loud cheers, the
band played and the steamer Gov.
Bodwell saluted vigorously.

Landing, the visitors marched to the
public hall, which was speedily filled
by several hundred men, who listened
with interest to the speakers and fre-
quently applauded the special points.
The meeting was called to order by T.
J. Landers, member of the county com-
mittee from Hurricane, who called on
Thomas Murray to preside, and who
accepted that honor with a neat speech
and introduced the first speaker, Geo.
S. McCarty of Lewiston. Mr. McCarty
spoke for 45 minutes, holding the
closest attention of his audience. He is
a fine speaker, direct and earnest, ap-
pealing to his hearers by his honesty
and candor. He reviewed some of the
national questions, in a clear and
straightforward manner showing how
necessary it is for the people's good
that Roosevelt and the Republican
party be continued in power. Mr. Mc-
Carty, himself an Irish-American, re-
sponded with telling effect from the Boston
Pilot, that great Irish newspaper for
70 years Democratic, now working with
all its might for the Republicans. It is
in the Republican party, the speaker
said, the party of progress, of equal
rights and prosperity, that Irishmen in

this country ought to be found. Mr. Mc-
Carty has done good work with his
speeches in Knox county this cam-
paign.

Judge Robinson, Republican nominee
for Senator, was the next speaker,
whose appearance was greeted by en-
thusiasm. Judge Robinson spoke for an
hour, reviewing the career of the Re-
publican party and discussing some of
the important matters of the local
campaign, particularly treating of the
incompetence of the present Knox
county Democratic administration and
the extravagant manner in which they
have handled the money of the tax-
payers. The speaker was heard with
marked attention and frequently ap-
plauded. At his close the excursionists
set sail for home, arriving at the main-
land shortly before midnight. They are
loud in their praises of the good time
and of the enthusiasm displayed by
Hurricane Republicans. John Sullivan,
who was on hand to greet old Rockland
friends, had a handshake and a good
word for all.

The Hurricane band came in for a
large share of praise. The 20 mu-
sicians comprising it, in their hand-
some uniforms of blue, presented a fine
appearance and played with great
dash and good taste. They especially
delighted the excursionists by their
frequent playing of the popular air
"Here's To You, William Cobb."

The star event of the September
campaign in Knox county will be the
rally at Camden next Wednesday night,
when Hon. Charles W. Fairbanks, no-
minee for vice president will be pre-
sent, and speak upon national ques-
tions. With him will be Hon. Herbert
M. Heath of Augusta, known far and
wide as Maine's silver-tongued orator.
Knox county is greatly honored by the
presence of such a distinguished per-
sonage as the candidate for vice presi-
dent, accompanied by a Courier-Gazette
reporter, Thursday, Mr. Connor
said: "In my state, Iowa, it is a ques-
tion only whether Roosevelt's majority
will be 125,000 or 150,000. The President
is very popular in that section of the
country and he will not only carry all
the states that McKinley carried, but
probably Colorado in addition. Mr.
Babcock of the national committee
told me in New York this week that
Wisconsin was sure to go for Roose-
velt, whatever might be the result of
the state contest. I wish we were as
sure of New York as we are every
state in the West." Mr. Connor will
stump Nebraska later in the campaign
and he will make a few speeches in
his own district.

Sol Fieldman, the well-known New
York Socialist will speak in Post Office
Square Tuesday evening, Sept. 6.

The Cobb Club's next trip will be to
Union Monday night, where Hon. Wil-
liam T. Cobb and Judge Robinson are
billed to discuss state and county
issues in Town Hall. The Rockland
band will furnish music and it will be
a good outing for the local Republi-
cans who remember with pleasure a sim-
ilar trip they made in a former cam-
paign.

The Democrats of Knox county find
it a pretty difficult task to explain
their extravagance in the administra-
tion of affairs during the three years
in which they have been in power. It
is not pleasant for tax-payers to con-
template the increased expenditure of
money which they have to go down in-
to their pockets to produce. The pru-
dent methods of Republican man-
agement have given way to loose and
extravagant methods of Democratic offi-
cials.

It isn't in type-writers alone that
the Democratic management of the
county has been extravagant. It is all
along the line that they have increased
expenditures. Do they deny the
charge? Let the tax-payers examine
the official figures.

The Heart Does
the Third Thing

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart will do two
things. It will first of all relieve in 10 minutes
and cure every disease of the heart and give
this organ great strength, and secondly, it will
enrich the blood. At this point where the pow-
ers end, the heart steps in and owing to its
richness and the increased supply of
this rich, red blood to the nerves and thus feeds
them, which is the third thing necessary for car-
rying on this new process, heart disease, nervous
ness or stomach troubles.

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder cures colds in
10 minutes. A sure cure for Catarrh. 38
Sold by W. J. Cockley and C. H. Moor & Co.

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Liver, stomach and bowel com-
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lieved and permanently cured by

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It is a wonderful tonic and builder of
blood and muscle. Makes weakly chil-
dren strong and robust. For over 50
years used and praised by mothers
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Write for free
booklet "Child-
hood and their
Worms."

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Closing Out Sale Will
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Thousands of people are taking advantage
of the low prices we are making. Many
of the goods advertised are closed out but we are
adding daily new bargains to take the place
of them so you will be sure of finding what
you are looking for.

We shall place on our counters Saturday
and Saturday evening the greatest bargains of
the week. Special prices will be made on
all goods in the store including all the new
Fall goods.

We quote only a few of the many bargains we are showing.

Ladies' Suits \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$9.00. These prices are just one-
half what the same suits sold for two weeks ago.

Covert Jackets that sold for \$7.50 and \$10.00 are marked down to
\$3.50 and \$4.50 each. Only 1 Light Covert Tourist Coat sold for
\$15.00 now \$7.50.

We are showing a new lot of Tourist Coats for Fall. A few Chil-
dren's Coats at half price.

Dress Skirts from \$1.98 up some good bargains.

Ladies' Wrappers all marked down for 10 days.

1 case Cotton Diaper 45 cents a piece, worth 55 cents.

Figured Velvets for waists, very handsome.

Black and Navy Blue Brilliantine 60c, 75c and \$1.00.

Danish Cloth, Pink, Light Blue and White for waists and dresses.

New Fall Dress Goods Black, Blue and Brown Ziberline only 75c.

New Cotton Dress Goods 12 1-2 cents a yard.

New Dress Percales, pretty styles, 1 yard wide, 12 1-2 cents.

Silk Waists—1 lot sample Silk Waists sold for \$2.50 to \$4.00.
Choice now for \$1.98. A great trade.

We carry a full line of R & G Corsets in the different styles, 75c,
\$1.00 and \$1.50. Every pair of these Corsets are warranted to give
satisfaction.

Special price on all Underwear. 39c Corset Covers only 29c.

Good Night Dresses trimmed with Hamburg only 49c, 59c, 75c, 98c.

Having all marked down for 10 days.

Ladies' Summer Vests only 9 cents each.

New Neckwear, a big assortment.

White Belts 10 cents each.

New Lace Collars.

Black Mercerized Petticoats worth \$1.25 for 98 cents.

Silk Petticoats \$3.98 each worth \$5.00.

Mens' Night Shirts 50 cents, all sizes.

All Silk Ribbon 1 1-2 inch wide only 5 cents a yard.

White Crochet Shawls for evening wear only 50c and 75c, half price
for these.

We have just received a big lot of Blankets. 1 lot at only 48 cents
a pair. A good pair of Blankets for 65 cents, either in white or colored.

Silkline Puffs worth \$1.50 for 98 cents.

Hassocks 48 cents each.

Sofa Pillows 18 in 29c, Sofa Pillows 20 in 39c. Sofa Pillows
22 in 48 cents.

Kitchen Aprons 3 yards of Print with bib and pockets, 25c.

Yarns—Talmor Floss, Talmor Saxony, Talmor Spanish.

Sheets and Pillow Slips—81x90 Sheets best quality cotton 75 cents.

Pillow Slips 12 1-2 cents.

Table Linen and Napkins to match. Some handsome new patterns
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We carry a full line of the Peerless Patterns 5c, 10c and 15c. The
best patterns made on September fashions. Sheets are now in and free
to all.

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Is not always an easy
one, but if you will give
proper care to your
Children
and Boy's
Clothing
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you will make it less
difficult.

As school opens in September, we have in anticipation of
your needs procured a carefully selected line of

Children and Boys' Suits and Shoes

suitable for the school wear, and in calling your attention to
these shoes and suits we are confident their high quality
and low price will have your entire approval.

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Guns, Rifles and
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The Largest Stock in Knox County.

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NOTICE.

If the party who took my pair of Field Glass
from my wagon at the Field Day in Cushing,
Robinson Irving Co's store, Thomaston, no
questions will be asked. If not returned, and
the party who took them is known prosecution
will follow.

C. Q. WHITNEY, Thomaston

EVERYBODY'S COLUMN

Advertisements in this column not to exceed
five lines inserted once for 25 cents, four times
for 50 cents.

Lost and Found

FOUND ADRIFT—Saturday, Aug. 27, 1904 off
Hospital Point. A small open sail boat,
which owner can have by proving property and
paying charges. ALBION J. WALLACE, 1
Green street, Thomaston, Maine. 717

SATURDAY, Aug. 27, between Rankin block
and postoffice a pocketbook containing
sum of money and a badge with small shoe at-
tached. Finder will be suitably rewarded by
returning same to ROCKLAND POST OFFICE.
7073

LOST—Between Union Common and Muzzy's
J. Ridge, Seabrook, a Lady's Hand Grip
containing lady's pocketbook with money, also
gloves, thimbles, two bottles medicine and other
articles. Finder, or persons giving information
where it can be had will be suitably re-
warded. JOEL HILLS, Union Maine. 7072

STOLEN—From my home on Beech street ex-
tension July 9, silver plated water pitcher
with heavy beading at top and bottom; large
silver butter dish heavily chased with flowers;
solid silver tea strainer. Reward offered for in-
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Sept. 7—"The Spirit of '76" at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 10—"The Volunteer Organist" at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 12—State election.
Sept. 12—City Schools begin.
Sept. 13—Annual convention of Maine W. C. T. U. in Augusta.
Sept. 14—"The Silver Slipper," at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 15—Educational Mass Meeting in Rockland.
Sept. 15—Annual reunion of 4th Maine Regiment, Rockland.
Sept. 17-19 North Knox Fair in Union.
Sept. 22—Colonial Moving Picture Co., Farwell opera house.
Sept. 22—State Fair Lewiston.
Sept. 22-17—The Harcourt Comedy Co. at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 22—"The Way of the Transgressor" at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 23—Katherine Willard in "The Power Behind the Throne," at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 23—"The Bad Boy," at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 23—"Quincy Adams Sawyer," at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 23—"Robert Mantell," "The Light of Other Days," at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 23—"Daniel Sullivan," "The Chief Justice," at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 23—"A Struggle for Gold," at Farwell opera house.
Sept. 23—"When Women Love," at Farwell opera house.
Oct. 4-6—Annual Cattle Show and Fair, Pleasant Valley Grounds.

The roof of the Savoy Hotel building is being repaired.

Ride on the electric Thursday, Sept. 15—for charity. Get on and ride.

The Burpee Hose Co. goes to Bangor Labor Day to compete in the races.

The Samoset wagons go trainward nowadays heaped high with trunks—a sure sign that summer's waning.

Fred A. Parker, formerly head clerk at Thomas H. Donahue's, is now clerking in W. C. Pooler's drug store.

The Universalist Mission Circle will be entertained at Ashmere next Wednesday by Mrs. H. W. Thorndike.

C. J. M. Merrill has bought the George McKenney property on Oliver street and will engage extensively in fruit raising there.

Capt. John Hall, formerly of the schooner Belle O'Neil, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hall in South Thomaston.

The Eastern Steamship Co.'s boats will discontinue their landings at Northport on Sept. 5th and after that date will not land there until another year.

The steamers have done a large business from Northport during the past summer and their business at this landing has been exceptionally good.

Last day of the Camden fair, and three good races scheduled.

Dr. L. F. Bacheider leads the meeting at Glen Cove, Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Capt. John Ryder of Belfast was in the city Thursday looking up some of his old sea chums.

If you want to hear the speeches of Hon. Cyrus W. Davis and Hon. William T. Cobb at Oakland, Labor Day, board an early car, for the travel will be very heavy.

Persons who are alarmed for fear that the Republican campaign banner hangs union down are reminded that the flag hoists from the Fuller & Cobb block instead of the Cobb Club headquarters.

George Bassett, S. W. Lawry and Don Fuller, while fishing near Matinicus Tuesday caught a shark nine feet long and weighing about 300 pounds.

That is, the fisherman in whose boat they were, caught him.

The Central Maine Fair Association is leaving no stone unturned to make the big Waterville fair a great success.

The dates are Sept. 20, 21 and 22, and it goes without saying that there will be a splendid exhibit and fine races.

Kennebec county is a naturally racing center.

Fales & Simmons have finished the sewer work on Hill and Frederick streets, where 1200 feet of pipe have been laid in addition to about 200 feet for house connections. This firm will build about 1400 feet of sewer on Knowlton and Alden streets in Camden, just as soon as the pipe arrives.

The new electric sign in front of Farwell opera house is easily the most conspicuous object on Main street in the night time, being visible as far north and as far south as the curved condition of the street will permit. It is also a very attractive sign by daylight with its white letters on a blue background.

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There will be a waltzing party at Watts hall, Thomaston this Friday evening. All round dances.

Co. H, Tillsen Light Infantry, leaves on the 1:40 train this afternoon for Manassas, where it will take part in the war maneuvers.

This (Friday) is the last day of the East Knox Fair at Camden and everybody should improve the opportunity to witness the three good races which are scheduled.

Interest in the American League baseball race is very evident at Kennedy's bowling alleys where the returns are received by telegraph every evening.

Mr. Kennedy's patrons greatly appreciate this privilege.

News has been received in this city of the death of Abbie H. Achorn Bodwell in Plummer, Florida. Mrs. Bodwell was the daughter of Capt. David and Priscilla (Eames) Grant. She was born in Rockland, Aug. 21, 1871.

Achorn of this city and Samuel Bodwell of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Bodwell was 73.

Col. Elijah Walker writes from Somerville, Mass., that he expects to attend the annual reunion of the Fourth Maine Regiment, etc. in this city Sept. 15.

This, too, in spite of the fact that he injured one of his knees quite badly on the week of the National Encampment in Boston. The Colonel still has some of the old fighting blood in his make-up.

Lime Burners Union, No. 1, A. F. L., was organized in this city Wednesday night.

The following officers: President, Charles Harriman; vice president, George Burger; recording secretary, La Forest Brown; financial secretary, Charles Brown; treasurer, Matt Staples; guard, Charles Green; auditor, W. W. Whitworth; trustees, William Thompson, Harvey Mank, William Robinson.

Clifford H. Preston, submaster of the High school, has resigned in order to take the principal's berth in the Brewer High school. The committee on teachers is casting about for his successor.

The race street building which will be completed in season for the fall term of schools, will be made to accommodate the 6th Lincoln street grade and the class which has been occupying the Grand Army hall. The city schools begin Monday, Sept. 12.

The old schooner Polly, which is 100 years old this year, next year, according to which paper you read, was the center of interest in the Old Home Week celebration at Amesbury, Mass.

The Polly was anchored in the Merrimack River and during the week hundreds of persons visited the vessel.

The delight of Capt. G. F. Ryan, the jolly captain, who has been in her a hundred years, but who has the schoolers history at his finger tips. The crew at present comprises Capt. Ryan, a mate and steward. Capt. Ryan gave a dinner party on board.

There is hardly anybody in the city that will not be anxious to see the beautiful comic opera Priscilla as presented by local talent at the Farwell opera house on Tuesday and Wednesday, next week, Sept. 6 and 7.

Madam Cote-Howard sings Priscilla, Miss Abbie Bird, Miss Pauline Austin, Miss Hope Greenhalgh and Miss Lottie McLaughlin make up the balance of the ladies engaged as principals.

Mr. Howland, Mr. Pendleton, Mr. Wilson together with Mr. Howden and Mr. Knowlton finish up a cast of performers that are among the best singers in the city. The advance sale opens Monday morning for both performances. Prices 35, 50 and 75 cents.

The big military drama, that comes to the Farwell opera house, Thursday, Sept. 8, is doubtless one of the most soul inspiring plays that will be seen here this season. It appeals to the person whose nature flames with the patriotic fires of the early days when independence or loyalty to an unrelenting kingdom were the issues to be decided. The play deals also with the famous ride which makes over a fresh the history of Old England, when Paul Revere on a fast steed gave timely warning to his countrymen. The Boston Massacre and the Old North Church are very strong scenes. The comedy parts are well taken care of, and the cast is a very strong one.

The Rockland Commercial College will re-open Tuesday, Sept. 6th, under the same management as last year, and a large attendance is expected. The rooms have been thoroughly renovated during the summer and equipped with new books and furniture. A new textbook on Pitman's shorthand, which teaches the easy reporting style from the start, will be introduced this year.

Miss Luella Brown of Owls Head, a graduate of both the business and short hand courses, has been engaged as assistant and stenographer. The faculty will consist of H. A. Howard, E. L. Brown, A. Mabel Fernald, and Luella F. Brown. Col. E. K. Gould will hear the recitations in Commercial Law. The proprietors give one week's tuition free to all who enter on the opening day.

Ferd G. Singhi is home from Billerica, Mass., where he has been stopping with his son, F. A. D. Singhi, since he left the Knox hospital. Mr. Singhi is looking remarkably well after his trying sick of illness, but is still quite weak, and will make no attempt to resume his trade of barbering. Instead he will dispose of his barber shop equipment as rapidly as possible, and about the middle of September return to Billerica to reside with his son. Mr. Singhi has been in business here many years, and it will be a source of deep regret to the patrons who have been with him so long, and to all his other friends, to know that he severs his business connection with the city. Mr. Singhi was accompanied on his trip to Rockland by Mrs. F. A. D. Singhi and Mrs. Elizabeth Singhi.

They have a large stock of School Tablets, Pads, Composition Books and all school supplies at Spear's, 408 Main street, and prices are right.

BORN.

McCobb—Lewiston, Aug. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCobb, a daughter.

MARRIED.

Ulmer—Boston, Aug. 31, by Rev. H. I. Holt, Frank E. Ulmer of Rockland and Beatrice L. Roakes of South Hope.

Clifford—Bangor, Aug. 31, by Rev. A. C. Hussey, Charles H. Clifford and Miss Gertrude M. Norris, both of Bangor.

Annis—Horsene, Aug. 27, by Rev. G. M. Bailey, Leroy H. Annis and Elizabeth M. Hoffe, both of Bangor.

STARR—Bangor, Aug. 24, by Rev. L. D. Evans, William F. Starr and Edna Parks.

DIED.

Bodwell—Plummer, Fla., Aug. 23, Mrs. Abbie H. Achorn Bodwell, formerly of Rockland, aged 73 years.

Bodwell—Bangor, Aug. 31, Hannah M. wife of Leroy C. Bodwell, aged 68 years, 2 months, 7 days. Funeral Sunday, Sept. 4, at 1 p. m.

Mason—Bangor, Aug. 22, a son of G. daughter of Orrin A. and Isora (Gross) Mason, aged 21 days.

Gardner—Bangor, Aug. 22, Luther Getchell.

Howard—Bangor, Aug. 21, Mrs. Ellen Howard, aged 49 years.

Shields—Bangor, Aug. 27, Mrs. Fred F. Shields, aged 49 years.

Blake—Bangor, Aug. 26, Edward Waldron Blake, aged 29 years, 2 months.

Burkett—Bangor, Aug. 26, Dexter Burkett, aged 75 years, 3 months 15 days.

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The Public Library will be closed Monday, as it is a legal holiday.

Cobb Club Republicans will have a special train to the Union rally Monday night.

Ward 4 voters will assemble hereafter in the Armory on Spring street on account of the new school building on Grace street.

One of the pleasures of the Labor Day celebration at Oakland next Monday will be dancing afternoon and evening. It will cost gentlemen but 50 cents and the ladies 25 cents.

Steamer Gov. Bodwell makes another special Sunday trip Sept. 4, leaving Rockland at 5:30 a. m., and leaving Vinalhaven on the return at 4 p. m. The boat touches at Hurricane and North Haven.

To his many admirers in this city Thomas E. Shea looks just as young as he did 14 years ago, when he first came to Rockland and played shortstop on the excellent ball team which the Shea troupe carried for a number of years.

Mrs. John S. Hale, the leading lady of the Way Down East Company, lost five diamond rings and her wedding ring in this city Thursday morning and was overjoyed at their unexpected recovery later in the day.

The company had returned from Vinalhaven by special boat at 3 o'clock Thursday morning and as it was to take the steamer J. T. Morse for Bar Harbor a few hours later, the members of the troupe decided to remain at the waiting room of the Eastern Steamship Co. While making her toilet Mrs. Hale removed her rings and left them on the washstand.

She forgot to replace them and did not become cognizant of her loss until the steamer was on its way to Bar Harbor. Arriving there she immediately telephoned General Sherman, who made a prompt but unavailing search for her missing jewelry.

Thursday afternoon it was learned that the rings had been found by Mrs. Walter Smith, who is employed in the wharf restaurant and who placed them in other hands pending information concerning the owner. Mrs. Hale's joy was very great when Mr. Sherman notified her of the jewelry's recovery. The rings have been restored, and Mrs. Smith receives a reward of \$50.

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CHURCH NOTES

Rev. B. S. Fifield will conduct the services at the West Meadows Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Madison A. Hart who occupies the First Baptist pulpit Sunday morning, takes for his subject: "A Challenge of One's Faith."

The pastor will preach at the Congregational church Sunday morning. There will be a communion service in the afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Regular services will be resumed in the Universalist church Sunday. The pastor, Rev. E. H. Chapin, will preach at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 M.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, will hold services in the hall, 420 Main street, at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The subject of the lesson sermon will be "Substance."

Rev. Madison A. Hart of Fulton, Missouri, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church, this city, next Sunday morning. Services at the usual hour.

At St. Peter's church Sunday the services will be as follows: Litany address on Our Belief and holy communion at 10:30. Evening prayer and sermon. Interest in Work. The rector preaches morning and evening. Mrs. Irving Smith will sing the offertory.

There will be the usual preaching services at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Mr. Sutcliffe's subject will be, "Ready to Start on the Long Trail." The choir will sing. Sunday School at 12; Epworth League at 6 o'clock and will be led by Miss Lulu Huntley. The evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

E. B. Hastings & Co. are having an exceptionally nice sale on a lot of merchandise on which big cuts have been made in prices. The bargains are advertised in this issue.

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"Col." Fred Meservey the veteran clarinetist of this city and his "octagon clarinet case" are familiar objects in this section and many stories have been told at the "Colonel's" expense in his long career as a dancing master. Here is the latest. A Boston man who has a summer home several miles north of Damariscotta, recently completed a new stable and celebrated the event by having a barn dance. A large number of ladies and gentlemen were present from Boston and elsewhere. Walter H. Spear and wife of this city were among the invited guests. The barn was hung with Japanese lanterns and when everything was ready for the grand march, Meservey & Rackliffe mounted the stage. One of the strangers caught sight of the Colonel's clarinet case and was heard to remark, "Well I do think this down east dance music is the limit. Look, a fiddle and a concertina!" The Colonel thought it was the limit, too, but after the audience had heard Mr. Meservey perform upon his "concertina" in his own inimitable style they were delighted with the instrument.

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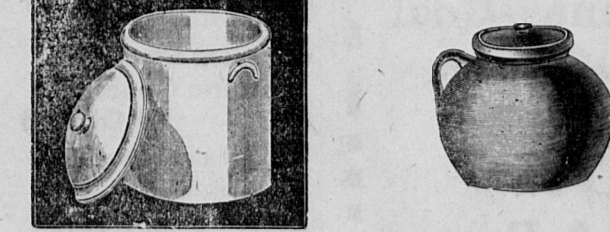
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CHAPTER VIII.

ON Monday there were ever increasing rumors through the town that Charles had signed the bill which would send his chief minister to the block, qualified by statements equally vague that he had done nothing of the sort. But as might draw on the rising jubilation of the crowds in the streets, gave point to the more sinister report. In the evening, his usual time of calling, the somber Volins came to the inn, chiefly, as he said, to urge the girl to quit the turbulent city, where she could accomplish nothing and where she might be in danger were it once guessed that she bore any relationship to the condemned man, but to this good counsel the girl would not listen.

What she demanded impatiently was news, news, news, and this, with exasperating deliberation, Volins gave forth. It was quite true that the bill was signed, not by the king's hand, but by the hands of four commissioners whom he had appointed for that purpose. The house of lords and even the house of commons was amazed at this betrayal, said Volins, and the effect of the announcement had been seen on the populace itself, for after certainty came home to the people that he had dispersed quietly to their houses, and the streets were almost empty.

The girl was mute with dismay, but Volins pointed out that the case was in reality no worse than it had been on Saturday or Sunday. By the exercise of his prerogative the king could at any moment free his minister or mitigate the sentence, notwithstanding the fact that the commission had signed the bill of attainder in his name.

Tuesday seemed to bear out these surmises. Frances determined to see the king once more and learn from his own lips the fate of her father, but when she reached Whitehall she found some commotion there, for Charles was taking his departure from the palace, and people said he was on his way to the house of lords and that it was likely he had determined to let Stratford go.

In the evening she learned authoritatively the object of the king's visit to the house of lords. He had pleaded earnestly for the life of his minister, promising if he were released never again to employ him even in the meanest capacity. He implored them at least to grant a reprieve until Saturday, and this was so small a favor for a king to ask that Volins was sure it would be granted and that many things might happen in the intervening days. The confidence of a man so generally despising Volins in the certainty of a short reprieve and in the ultimate safety of Lord Stratford did much to bring the girl to a like belief, but she resolved nevertheless to see the king next day if she could win her way into Whitehall palace.

Wednesday saw no excitement on the streets. People were going soberly about each on his own affairs, and the reprieve had provoked no outburst, which in itself was a hopeful sign. Frances had grown to fear the hue and cry of the mob even more than she feared the indecision of the king. If he were left untried, all his tendency was toward mercy and the keeping of his oath.

There was no crowd to distract the attention of the guard at the palace gates opening on Whitehall, and they absolutely refused to grant her admission without an order. She turned to the captain of the guard and asked how such an order could be obtained, and that official, apparently struck by her youth and beauty as well as her evident distress, said that if she knew any one about the court who might be sent for and who proved willing to vouch for her he would allow her to pass. But the rule at the gate was a hard one, and she could not choose when it came to finding security. At last she said, with reluctance:

"If I am acquainted with M. De Courcy, is he within?"

"I do not know, but 'twill be speedily ascertained."

With that he invited her to a seat in the guardhouse and sent a messenger for De Courcy, knowing there would be prompt response when the Frenchman learned that a beautiful lady awaited him, and in this he was not mistaken. De Courcy came as dejected and as well as usual, she found him with a light mustache and a usual twinkle in his eye when he saw who his petitioner was.

"I wish to see his majesty again," said Frances, rising, "but they detain me at the gate, and I have no one to vouch for me unless you will be so kind, though I am sorry to trouble you."

"To pleasure me, mademoiselle, you must needs. 'Tis an ungallant country, as I have always said, when they keep so fair a maid waiting. Such a boorish act is not conceivable in France. Most honored am I to be your sponsor, and it gratifies me to tell you that the king is at present disengaged. I beg you to accompany me."

The friend of the queen did not even trouble to make any explanation to the captain of the guard, and he was too powerful a courtier to have anything he did questioned by the underlings. It was palpable that the officer had small liking for him, but wholesome fear of his influence in high places.

As the two crossed the yard together the young man said with the greatest affability:

"Would you prefer to see the king alone or in company?"

"Oh, alone, if it be possible."

"Quite possible. I shall delight in arranging a private interview and am sure his majesty will not refuse my request. If you do not wish to meet any

last doubt on her former assertion regarding the tears.

"Your heart is not broken, and if it was I'd mend it for you. Absurd! Why, you knew the man for scarce a day, and that time is full short for the growth of any large affection."

"I shall never love any as I have loved him."

"Tush! How little you know of your self. You are a very goddess of love, and I will."

He released one wrist and endeavored to slip his disengaged arm about her waist. This seemed to rouse the girl from her stupor, for she suddenly thrust him back and, taking him unaware, sent him sprawling; then she sprang for the door. But he was as nimble as she, for, quickly recovering himself, he held her tight before she could turn the key.

"Sir, you forget who I am. Release me at once and molest me no further." "Divine of the fair, I swear to you!"

She whisked herself free of him, and, darting to the other side of the room, whipped down a thin rapier from the wall.

"You will be well advised to put an end to this fooling. I am now in no humor for it, and you—never. If you have not the gift to see it, I would have you know that I detest you and despise you, and have done so since first I saw you."

"Ah, my little Lady Tormagran, you say as much now, but when the world knows you paid a thousand pounds for a lover there will be many envious persons who wish to be despised as much."

"You ruffian and thief! Well did Volins estimate your honesty. But stand aside from that door or your stealing will profit you little."

"Indeed!" cried De Courcy, with a laugh, as he possessed himself of a similar weapon to that which threatened him. "The already acquired rapier, and I am in sore need of a further installment. Are you for a duel, then?"

"If you are coward enough to lift blade to a woman."

"I meet kiss with steel and steel with steel, always ready for either. Guard yourself, madam."

His pretended antagonism was but a feint to throw her off the guard he advised her to maintain, for, being one of the best swordsmen of his time, he knew by her holding of the blade that she was ignorant of its practice. He brushed her sword aside, dropped his own and sprang in upon her, grasping again her helpless wrists, her arms plied thus transversely across her body, her right hand still clinging to the useless hilt, with the blade extended past her shoulder and behind her.

His sneering, grinning face so close to hers that his breath fanned her cheek, he pressed her back and back against the wall, the sword bending and bending behind her until the blade snapped off some six inches from the hilt and fell ringing to the floor.

"There, sweetest of amazons, you are stung now, and naught but the honey is to be gathered."

The very ease with which he had overcome her hoodwinked him to his danger. The proud, dominant blood of the Wentworths flushed her face with an anger that steeled every nerve in her little body. As, with a victorious laugh, he released her wrists and slipped his arms around her she struck him twice with lightning swiftness, first across the brow, then down the face. Nothing could, well be more terrible than the weapon she had used, for the jagged iron tore his flesh like the stroke of a tiger's claw. The red cross showed for a brief moment, then was obliterated in a crimson flood.

"Cowardly poltroon, wear the brand of Cain!"

He had warned her not to scream, but now his own cries filled the room as he staggered back, his hands to his face. Yet, grievously wounded as he was, he seemed resolved she should not escape him and, after the first shock, groped blindly for her. She flung the broken weapon to the farther side of the room, and the noise of the fall turned him thither, striking against the table and then against the chair. She tiptoed cautiously to the door, turned the key and threw it open before he could recover himself, for he had lost all sense of direction and could see nothing. She took the immediate risk of drawing the key from the door to ward off the greater danger of pursuit, and calmly locked him in.

In her previous state of mind, she had insisted, he would take little good from his battering of the door for some time to come. Frances now threaded her way through the maze of passages, meeting no one, for the gloom of death pervaded the palace, at least in the direction she had taken.

She dared not hurry in spite of the urging of her quickly beating heart, but must proceed leisurely, as if she had a perfect right to be where she was, should any inquisitive servant encounter her. At last, with a deep breath, she emerged upon the great courtyard and so came to the gate.

The officer bowed to her, and she paused for a moment to thank him for his kindness to her in the earlier part of the day.

"Is it true—that Lord Stratford?" "Yes, my lady, and grieved we all are that it should be so. This morning on Tower hill. The lords refused a reprieve even until Saturday."

Frances bent her head and struggled with herself to repress undue emotion, but finding that impossible turned abruptly and walked fast down Whitehall.

"Her bright eyes, bless her," said the officer to a comrade, "are not the only ones dimmed with tears for this morning's work."

On reaching the Inn Frances thought of waiting for the faithful Volins, but she had not the heart to meet him nor the inclination to rest another

night in the city now so hateful to her. She wrote a letter which was forwarded to him by a messenger, but said nothing of her visit to Whitehall, telling him his estimate of De Courcy had been correct, promising to send the thousand pounds to be replaced in her father's treasury as soon as she reached her home in the north, and asking pardon that his counsel had been declined.

Two hours later Frances was on her way to the north. She passed on Highgate hill and looked back on the hotel she had left, vast and dim in the rising mist of the mid spring evening. "Oh, cruel city! Oh, faithless man! The bloodthirst of London may be whetted and not quenched, perjured king of England!" She bowed her head to her horse's mane and wept helplessly.

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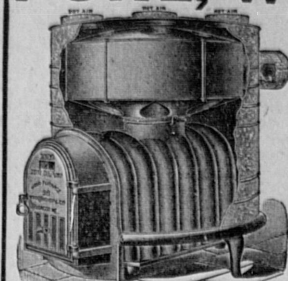
As he spoke he had been edging toward her, but she paid no heed to him. Then with a spring he caught her wrists, but she did not move or make any effort to free herself. She looked dully at him, as if wondering why he acted so.

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To the Inhabitants of the City of Rockland: August 27, 1904.
You are hereby notified to assemble at the several ward rooms in the City of Rockland on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER TWELFTH, 1904, to give in your votes for Governor, one Representative to Congress, State Senator, Clerk of Courts, County Attorney, Sheriff, one County Commissioner, County Treasurer, Judge of Probate, Register of Probate, and two Representatives to the Legislature.

Also to give in their votes on the following question, viz.: Shall the Public Laws of the State be amended as proposed by an Act of the Legislature approved March 28, A. D. 1903. AMENDMENT—Shall the Public Laws be amended as proposed in said Act?

"Shall the salary of the executive council and members of the senate and house of representatives be increased to three hundred dollars in place of one hundred and fifty dollars as now provided by law, and the salary of the president of the senate and speaker of the house to five hundred dollars in place of three hundred dollars as now provided by law?"

All those in favor of the amendment will vote "YES." All those opposed to the amendment will vote "NO."

The polls will open at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and close at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Copies of the voting list may be found at the ward rooms in the several wards.

Per order municipal officers.
ENOCCH DAVIES, City Clerk.

Assessors Notice
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| FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS Charles E. Littlefield of Rockland | FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS Horatio G. Foss of Auburn | FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS George F. Haskell of Rockland | FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS Charles E. Waterman of Mechanic Falls |
| FOR SENATOR Reuel Robinson of Camden | FOR SENATOR L. M. Staples of Washington | FOR SENATOR Ethan A. Rowell of So. Thomaston | FOR SENATOR Ethan A. Rowell of So. Thomaston |
| FOR CLERK OF COURTS Arthur L. Orne of Rockland | FOR CLERK OF COURTS Gilford B. Butler of So. Thomaston | FOR CLERK OF COURTS L. E. Bramhall of Camden | FOR CLERK OF COURTS L. E. Bramhall of Camden |
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| George H. Page of Appleton | Rodney I. Thompson of Rockland | Rodney I. Thompson of Rockland | Rodney I. Thompson of Rockland |
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| Sereno T. Kimball of Rockland | Sands H. Witherspoon of North Haven | Sands H. Witherspoon of North Haven | Sands H. Witherspoon of North Haven |
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The dinner was all that one could wish. The old board of officers were re-elected. The President, Maj. J. H. Hewett, in his speech of acceptance said he now had a vested right to the office of president of the association, having held it continuously, without opposition for 20 years. He being a lawyer of known ability, none cared or dared to "deny or oppose." After election, speeches were in order. The first was by Abner Dunton, Hope's "grand old man" and the adopted son of the Hewett association by reason of his close friendship with our original Hewett ancestor nearly a century ago. His speech was witty, brief, and to the point, only a fraction of which we have space for. He began by saying, "90 years ago, I went to school at Hope Corner. I was 7 years old then. One of my tasks was to learn 'a piece to speak'. I will now repeat the first lines of the first piece I then learned, it began, 'You scarce expect one of my age could make a speech upon a stage.'"

He also said it had been the business of his working life to try to help people to a good understanding, a part of which he did on the bench of a shoe-maker, and a part in the "little old schoolhouse." His speech was loudly applauded.

There was present at this meeting, 4 of the grand children of the original Hewett, Simon 86, William, 82, Chand-

ler 80, Sarah 78, each of whom are able to take an active part in the cares and pleasures of life.

One lady was present who was in the Iroquois theatre fire in Chicago barely escaping with her life, while a boy who was with her at that time and with us last year, lost his life there. A number of veterans of the Civil War were present, and the president in his remarks stated as a fact, that, of the 48 soldiers that the town of Hope sent to the war, 47 of them were descendants of our ancestor who was himself a soldier of two countries, serving 7 years in each, and Hope's quota did not include all of his descendants who had been soldiers. The whole number of his descendants is not recorded but is known to be nearly 1000. Six generations were present, the oldest Simon C. Hewett 86 years of age, the youngest Earl Conant, not one year old. Speaking, music, a social hour and renewing acquaintances made the time pass all too quickly and ended the 20th Hewett reunion.

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Miss Mary Lynnburner of Brooksville who has been a guest of Mrs. Meredith Ellis the past week, has returned home. Rev. John Brockie and wife of Oldtown have been visiting Mrs. Mary J. Haskell.

Capt. George L. Holden arrived home Saturday.

Miss Bertha Love, who has been spending her vacation here, has returned to Boston.

The steam yacht Watrous, owned by Mr. Randall Morgan of Philadelphia, which grounded on Sally Island Thursday of last week was hauled off at high water Friday evening without damage.

Frank Holden, who is employed on the yacht Privateer, was at home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira J. Cousins of Brooksville were guests at the Ellis House Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Ide, who has been visiting Mrs. E. L. Frost, has returned to her home in Medford, Mass.

The handsome yacht Privateer, owned by R. A. C. Smith of New York has been anchored in the Reach a few days. Mr. Smith's wife and children were with him and several guests all of whom came on shore and were taken to the principal points of interest about Deer Isle.

Mr. Smith is a member of the New York Yacht Club and the Privateer was the official committee boat last year. In the main saloon of the yacht is an elegant silver loving cup presented to Mr. Smith by the members of the yacht race committee.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Overlock are attending the State C. E. Convention at Dover.

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THOMASTON HAPPENINGS

Daisy Waite is demonstrating Chase & Sanborn's coffee at W. W. Hodgkins' store.

The vane on the Baptist steeple is being taken down to be gilded.

F. E. Holding, the accomplished violinist, who has been a guest of Harris Shaw for the last three weeks, returned to his home in Lewiston, Tuesday.

Mr. Shaw goes to Lewiston this week as a guest of Mr. Holding.

F. B. Whitcomb, clerk in the United States navy pay office at Portsmouth, N. H., returned Tuesday. His wife and family, and his mother, Mrs. Amelia Whitcomb, returned Thursday.

A number of ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a soup at Carl Washburn's cottage on the banks of the Georges Monday.

Members of the Rabbit Club have started in on a new diversion for sport, and this time are playing the role of Apache Indians. For several days the woods about a mile from town and have succeeded in building ten or a dozen wigwags. As soon as the lodges are completed the band will be organized and occupy them. The members are not hostile at present but are getting in training for the time when the Indian characteristics are needed they will not be lacking. Several dozen tomahawks have been made and a big amount of provisions are being installed. Their chief's name is "Kapurendodrive," pronounced, capture "em dead or alive."

The Thomaston members of Co. H, who leave this Friday en route for Manassas, Va., are Capt. C. C. Tibbets, Sgt. A. F. P. Hoyer, Sgt. E. D. Young, Corporal George H. Curtis, Privates Helver Whitney, George Freeman, Chester Feyer.

Remember the waltzing party at Waite hall this Friday evening. All round dances.

Parties from Bluehill have moved into Mrs. Lucy Sumner's house on Main street.

Mrs. Bessie Little is visiting in Augusta.

A large number of Westend Thomastons held a picnic in Warren, Thursday.

Walter Hastings goes out next Monday for a week's vacation from H. B. Shaw's store.

Ralph Reed is another one of Thomaston's young men who is making his way up the ladder of success. Mr. Reed was a graduate of the class of '02, T. H. S. and when he received his diploma he also had at home another piece of parchment which he had obtained by studying through a correspondence school and which entitled him to enter college. When young Reed left Thomaston the day following his graduation from the high school he went to Providence, R. I., where in a short time he had been given full charge of the books in a large baking house. Here he remained 15 months and only a short time ago resigned his position and has gone to Baltimore, Md., and entered a medical college to receive a full course. He has done this unassisted financially and is deserving of praise for his persistency.

Mrs. P. J. Ramos is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Feehan.

Joseph Wheeler has moved into the O'Brien block on North street.

Miss Katherine Feehan has returned from a visit in Portland.

A number of the Cobb Club members went to Hurricane Island Wednesday evening, where a rousing good rally

was held. The Hurricane band furnished music.

Monday is Labor Day, but it is also a day when the members of P. Henry Tillson Post, G. A. R., their wives and families will participate in an annual picnic. Comrade Vincent Taylor of Cushing, who is a member of this post, has given the G. A. R. men and ladies a polite invitation to come down to his farm and enjoy themselves. He has volunteered to furnish clams and lobsters, while the guests will take with them all kinds of good things, including cakes, pies, bread, dough, etc. The feast will be a delicious one and the picnic this year, as it has been in the past, cannot help being one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

The prettiest places on the river and this is where the vets and their families will assemble Monday next.

Mrs. S. M. Dillingham, Miss Helen Dillingham and Miss Cassie Paine of Salem, Mass., are visiting at C. S. Porter's.

The big steam shovel for the brick yard has arrived and now work will be pushed. This new device will enable the company to dig clay fast enough so that the brick making machines can be run at full capacity if so desired. The plant is improving every day and prospect for its success looks bright.

Rev. L. L. Hanson, who is ill with typhoid fever, was somewhat better Thursday.

Mrs. E. F. Holden and son, Wright, who have been visiting at Dr. W. J. Jameson's, returned to their home in Melrose, Mass., Thursday.

Clifford Clark, hauler, R. E. Dunn's, returned to Rockland Thursday, where they will be used in masting Cobb-Butler's schooner.

The red ants have swept down on this town in countless numbers so that all over the place the ground is fairly alive with them. They are not content to stay out of doors, however, but want to be poking their noses into everything indoors.

Rev. W. A. Newcombe will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

The Courier-Gazette informed its readers a week ago that Dr. H. F. Moore of the United States Fish Commission had been in town and examined the mud and water in the Georges river to ascertain if it was suitable for the planting of oysters. One particular place that the Doctor found well adapted to the purpose was between the railroad and foot bridge at South Warren. Dr. Moore has since returned to Washington and reported favorably of locations on the Georges and undoubtedly the commission will at the first favorable opportunity make the experiment. It may be well said right here that Thomastons will not enter any protest on this matter for they most all like oysters and would be glad to have a chance to go fishing for them.

The merry-go-round which has been on Green street for the last three weeks, has pulled up stakes and gone to Belfast.

Frank Hunter returned to New Haven, Conn., Thursday.

Mrs. B. P. Copeland returned to Cambridge, Mass., Thursday and Mrs. Frank Hunter to Wollaston, Mass.

Postmaster W. L. Lawry and wife of Warren were in town Thursday.

Miss Virginia Gardner has been engaged to teach the second and third grades in the schools at Gardiner. She will leave about the 10th.

The pastor, Rev. E. M. Cousins of the Congregational church will preach sermon Sunday morning appropriate to the third anniversary of his pastorate. Communion services will be postponed. Vesper services will be held at 6 o'clock as usual.

I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly ministered to me and mine in my late bereavement; also to those who sent flowers in memory of my husband.

Mrs. E. J. Burkett.

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Fred F. Shibles, Mrs. Horatio Jenkins.

Sept. 1, 1904.

GARDINER Says

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C. H. Gardiner, Mgr.
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NEW OUTINGS

Both White and Colored, just received.

Table Linen, 50c yd.
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Nice line of Draperies, only 8c per yard
New line of Silkolines, only 12c per yard

Brand new line of PRINTS, 6c per yard

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO BUY

WRAPPERS AT COST

COME IN AND LOOK THEM OVER.

The W. M. COOK Store
THOMASTON

School Term

is fast approaching and the constant strain on the eyes of the scholars is once more at hand. If your children complain of tired eyes, or they look haggard, or cannot see the blackboard at a respectable distance—say 20 feet—hold their book too close, etc. Bring them to me and Have their Eyes Examined.

I will tell you frankly whether they need glasses or not. Eye-strain cannot be recognized too early in youth. Its scientific investigation by modern methods and its radical correction may favorably modify both physical and mental development.

CHAS. A. DeCOSTA, Eyesight Specialist

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ROCKPORT

Miss Carrie Paul left Tuesday for Farmington, where she will attend the Normal school.

Mrs. Ethel Crockett and daughter Lucy left Thursday for Orr's Island, where they will visit Mrs. Crockett's daughter, Mrs. Dennis Wilson.

Henry Bohndell and son were in Walboro, where they will visit Mrs. Albert McKenzie and daughter of Medford, Mass., are the guests of Miss Bertha Shibles.

Mrs. Bloomfield Calderwood of Vinalhaven has been in town a few days, called here by the death of her sister, Mrs. Fred Shibles.

Mrs. Maria Tolman has returned to her home in Rockville.

Rev. S. E. Packard of Waldoboro is visiting friends in town.

The rigging has arrived for the Carleton Bros. schooner and work will begin at once.

Services are being held at the Advent chapel every night this week.

Abner Dumas of Appleton, who has been the guest of W. O. Cummings is visiting in Camden.

Mrs. Judson Young of Matineus is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. O. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. James West left Thursday for their home in Germantown, Penn.

During the bathing season on the coast of Maine there are many heroic deeds performed by swimmers. One performed by Thornton Havenor at Spear's beach last Monday. Among the crowd enjoying a sea bath was one young girl who ventured out from the shore farther than she should and getting exhausted sank. Mr. Havenor seeing her plight swam to her and got her safely to land just in time to prevent a drowning accident. Mr. Havenor is young and well known in the town and he will be glad to know of his heroism.

Hannah Maria Shibles after a long and painful illness passed quietly away Saturday at her home on Beech street at the age of 65 years. She was the daughter of the late Samuel and Sarah Simmons of Warren. In February 5, 1876 she was married to Fred F. Shibles and has since resided in Rockport. Two children were born to her.

One of her children, Mrs. Shibles was a woman of sterling character and by her kind benevolent deeds won for herself many friends. Her chief joy was ministering to the sick and giving to the poor. Although not a member of any church she always displayed a Christ-like disposition and leaning on the Almighty arm, bearing her suffering patiently. She has laid down to pleasant rest. During her illness all that kind hands and hearts could do was done for her. She was a tender and devoted wife and mother, and her vacancy can never be filled. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and a daughter, Mrs. Horatio Jenkins, an aged mother, three brothers and three sisters, and a large circle of friends. The funeral was solemnized Monday, Rev. I. Holt officiating. The floral offerings were magnificent, among them being a pillow of sweet peas with the words "To the daughter," Mrs. W. O. Cummings and Mrs. D. G. Carson, pillow of asters with "Rest," Mrs. Oscar Tolman, pillow of mixed flowers; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bohndell, pillow of roses and pink roses; and hair ferns with "Sister;" Robert Simmons, pillow of mixed flowers; wreath and several bouquets from Mrs. A. E. Lamb and family; flowers, Mrs. Bloomfield Calderwood; Mrs. Isaac Upham and family; cut flowers; wreath from Mrs. C. D. Jones; pink carnations, Mrs. James Shibles; roses and pink roses; Mrs. Fred Copeland; wreath of asters and flowers, Mrs. John W. Shibles and Mrs. Edw. Skinner; Mrs. Mark Webb, Thomaston; asters; Mrs. H. H. Hertz; cut flowers; Mrs. Joe Shibles; cut flowers; Mrs. and Mrs. Sherman Weed; roses; Mrs. Fred H. Sylvester and Edgar Bohndell, roses and carnations; Mrs. H. H. Hertz; bouquet of hydrangeas and sweet peas, John and Henrietta Bohndell; flowers, Mrs. R. E. B. Shibles; crescent of pansies, Mrs. W. O. Cummings; flowers, Mrs. O. J. Upham; wreath, Mrs. Wheeler; pond lilies, Harold and Maud Cummings; bouquet, Master Granville Shibles and many others. The pall bearers were Wm. Cummings, D. G. Carson, George Upham, Wm. Clark, Internment at Amesbury Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Rev. H. W. Brown of Whitman, Mass., and daughter, Miss Adelaide, of Chicago, Ill., are guests of Miss Grace Upham at the Highlands.

Chas. W. Brown of Harvard University was a guest of Miss Grace Upham Saturday and Sunday.

Walter E. Newbert and wife of Dochester, Mass., are in town Sunday and Monday.

Iddo Graves of Omaha, Neb., is visiting friends in town after many years' absence.

Miss Myrtle Hemenway of New York is visiting at Henry C. Pease's.

Miss Edith McAlman has returned to her home in Thomaston after a visit in town.

Miss Winnie Ames of Jandem spent a few days at home last week.

Many of our people attended campmeeting at Washington, Sunday.

I. A. Pitman of Marlboro, Mass., was in town last week.

C. J. Perry and wife have returned from a ten days visit in Massachusetts.

A picnic given in honor of Miss Edith Sherman Pease was enjoyed by about 40 people at "Dutton's Point" Senebide of Chicago, Ill., are guests of Mrs. J. A. Sherman and H. C. Pease there were present Mr. L. M. Keene, Miss Stella Keene and Mrs. Edith (Sherman) Pease of Fremont, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hewett, of Minneapolis, Minn.; Mr. Alonso Keene of West Somerville, Mass.; Miss Myrtle Hemenway of New York, W. H. Sumner, W. E. Newbert, Grace L. Sherman and Miss Mildred Moses of Boston, S. G. McAlman and family of Thomaston, T. W. Pease and family, Mrs. C. M. Lucas and family of Union and Miss Grace Bachelier of Camden also many relatives and friends in town. Fireplaces were constructed and bonfires blazing were kindled, tended by Lewis and Alonso Keene. A bountiful picnic dinner was spread under the large oak trees but soon disappeared in the faces of the company. Games of the company. Games of the company. Games of the company.

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A WOMAN'S MISERY

LIFE A BURDEN BECAUSE HER BLOOD WAS OUT OF ORDER.

Mrs. Smith Recovers the Joy of Living When the State of Her Blood Is Corrected—Is Ruddy and Hearty Today.

According to the verdict of the doctors Mrs. Clara O. Smith had but a few weeks of life left to her. For four years she had been growing paler and thinner, and it was known that her case had been pronounced beyond the reach of medical skill. Then a transformation occurred and the woman who had spent most of her time in bed and finally had become so weak that she could not cross the floor, dismissed her nurse, resumed her household work, and gradually took on flesh until she reached a weight of 185 pounds.

The astonishment of her acquaintances was boundless and, as the facts became known, the interest in the story of her recovery extended. To a reporter who visited her home to learn the circumstances, Mrs. Smith gave the following details:

"My trouble began nearly four years ago with hemorrhages of the bowels. Week in and week out these were repeated and there seemed no way of stopping them. I became white as snow. My heart beat so that I could not go up stairs, and later not even the length of the floor. My head kept reeling and all the time I had heavy ears, and my limbs swelled and would hardly carry my body. Finally I became so weak that I had to lie down all the time.

"My physicians regarded my case as incurable. I was told that there was no possible chance for me and even that I could not last for more than a few weeks. It was then, in October of last year, that my son-in-law saw an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and got some for me. They brought me the first relief I had experienced in all my sickness. I could see a change for the better within the first week after I began to use them. The pain in my head stopped almost at once and has never returned since. My strength began to come back, my lips and cheeks grew red again, my flesh was restored; in fact, I am now entirely well and able to do the work of a family of three in all directions.

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CAMDEN

Scott Barnes, Moses Cavenner, Mrs. N. M. Webb and Miss Nina Webb of Hartland are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Scott.

Miss Ellen Grover left yesterday for Franklin, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. L. C. Bragdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coombs of Vinalhaven are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Annis.

Mrs. H. H. Small has returned from Northport, where she has been occupying her cottage for several weeks.

Henry S. Grove of Philadelphia has been the guest of J. C. Strawbridge.

Mrs. Ephraim Mirek has returned to Charlestown, after spending the summer in town.

Misses Margaret and Marion Brown of North Haven have been guests of Mrs. Izora Brown during fair week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Platt, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gould, returned the first of the week to their home in Somerville, Mass.

Harry Ross of Charlestown has been in town this week attending the races.

Geo. H. Nutt and family, who have been spending the summer at Sunset cottage, Lake City, returned the first of the week to their home in Melrose.

Alice H. Knowlton leaves today for a few days in Portland.

William Beatty of Philadelphia is a guest of Dr. W. H. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradbury and Mrs. Martha Benzequin of Belfast, have been in town this week.

Mrs. G. A. Babbs has returned from a short visit in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bisbee of Thomaston are guests of Mrs. Helen Bisbee this week.

Miss Winnifred Hussey of Boothbay Harbor is visiting Mrs. I. M. Adams in the W. U. T. C. office.

Miss Olive Burkett of Somerville, Mass., is the guest of Miss Hattie L. Gill this week.

Mrs. S. C. Wick of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her parents, Col. and Mrs. M. M. Parker, at Pinecrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Delaney are visiting in Hartford, Conn.

H. M. Gilley and daughter Lucia have returned from a visit at South-west Harbor.

Mrs. J. O. Lauterjung has returned to her home in New York, after spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Lydia Dunham.

Charles Adams and son Lloyd of Boston, have been in town this week, called here by the death of Mr. Adams' mother, Mrs. Sophia Murdoch.

William Ellis and family are at Lake City for a two or three days' stay.

Miss Mary Hopkins has returned from a visit in Boston.

J. R. Cohen and Henry Talberth arrived the first of the week from Boston and have entered the employ of the Knox Light Infantry Co.

Clarence Fish left this Friday to accompany Tillson's Light Infantry to Manassas, where he will act as bugler.

Mrs. Leslie Mank and mother-in-law of Feyer's Corner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Stahl one day last week.

None from this place attended the Hoffes reunion at Warren last week.

Mrs. Linda Feyer and Miss Sophia Gilman of Feyer's Corner were in this place last Friday.

Mrs. Nellie E. Planders of Pleasant Hill all of last week.

Mrs. Cyrus Walters and her daughter, Mrs. Annie Frances Stetson of Feyer's Corner were in this place last Sunday.

On account of the campmeeting at Nobleboro campground there was no services at the church here Sunday.

John Burnheimer is having the roof of his store and storehouse shingled.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kaler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kaler East Waldoboro Sunday.

But very few from this vicinity attended campmeeting at Nobleboro last week.

The farmers are harvesting their grain and report a very fair yield and in good condition.

Mrs. Norington Sidelinger, Mrs. Sylvia Waitt and daughter Eva of Union were in this place one day last week.

Hector of California was a guest of John Burnheimer Monday and Tuesday, he was a guest of John and Mrs. Shuman.

Mr. Achorn a former resident of Washington, went to California in '02 and has not visited his native state until the present time.

Llewellyn H. Oliver is on the sick list. He is attended by Dr. Nash

