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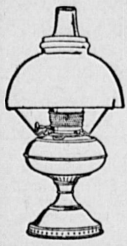
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## The Courier-Gazette.

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ALL THE HOME NEWS

"To improve the golden moment of opportunity and catch the good that is within our reach, is the great art of life."

We are threatened with another universal language, Elo by name.

The emphatic return of Portland to the Republican fold is indicative of the course that will be pursued by other Maine cities next March. In the language of the Argus it is "what the people seem to want."

Carrie Nation, who has been in the public eye almost as long as William J. Bryan, and even more conspicuously, is now touring England. Here's hoping that our English cousins don't judge our Nation by Carrie.

Secretary Cortelyou announced Monday that the Panama canal bonds had been so— at an average of \$102,378. The lowest accepted bid was at \$102,378. There were 159 accepted bids amounting to \$30,000,000. Six hundred and seventy-two bids were rejected, amounting to \$72,808,800. The total number of regular bids therefore was \$31, subscribing for \$102,808,800.

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The All-American football team selected by the New York Tribune's expert is as follows: Scarlett, Pennsylvania, 1c; Siegling, Princeton, 1c; Andrus, Yale, 1c; Nourse, Harvard, 1c; Goebel, Yale, 1c; O'Rourke, Cornell, 1c; Schildmiller, Dartmouth, 1c; Miller, Pennsylvania, 1c; Tibbott, Princeton, 1c; Coy, Yale, 1c; Hollenback, Pennsylvania, 1c. Yale and Pennsylvania thus divide honors, only one selection being made from the championship Harvard team.

## MRS. TAYLOR'S LETTERS

Tours Rome But Does Not Emulate Romans in Drinking Wine and Beer.

[Letter No. 3]

Venice, Italy, Sept. 24.  
Here in Venice I have seen one building worth seeing, St. Mark's church. It has in it 20,000 square feet of fresco all in glass mosaics, some 500 years old. The pictures are historical of Bible scenes. There are also columns brought from Solomon's temple, and many countries are represented by marble pillars or tablets.

You know, perhaps, that Venice is built on seven islands and the water flows between the islands are the canals. The rest of the city has narrow streets, paved with stone. Not a horse or carriage is here so far as I can learn. Some of these streets are only four feet wide, even less in places. The houses are high, plastered outside and gloomy I should think. It is the least attractive city I ever was in.

Florence, 7 p. m.  
We arrived here safely at 6 o'clock. Mrs. Coffin gave me a Cook's coupon for one day, covering supper, lodging and breakfast, so I came directly to the Grand New York Hotel, and have a lovely room on the first floor.

It took much longer than Venice, more open and pleasant every way. I expect to go to Rome Saturday, stay just one week, going to Naples the next Saturday. The car was full of Americans coming here. I had a splendid time visiting one section after another and discussing matters, but I like to be alone and rest most of the time.

Florence, Sept. 25.  
In an hour I start for the station en route for Rome. I should have gone on 7 a. m. train, but my friends, Mr. and Miss Richard of Waterloo, Ill., (opposite St. Louis), asked me to wait and go with them. Yesterday at the last I visited where they make mosaic work. You know I have always been wild over mosaic work. Well, it just about finished me. I saw a lovely, lovely table, that I could buy and have delivered anywhere in America, duties all paid, for \$2,000. But the one I admired the most was sold. It took 10 men four years to make it, and cost only \$6,000. But the one I admired the most of all I saw was in a picture gallery and took 10 men 20 years to make. I did not ask the price, for I could not bring it with me, you know. I could have bought a paper weight for \$1, but denied myself. I'll tell you how I economize. I buy a lunch nearly every day of bread and grapes, and although I pay twice what an Italian does I have about half. It provokes me so. I pay for grapes, peaches, bread, everything, double what it costs an Italian and I can in no way protect myself. If I could command the language I could commission someone to purchase for me, but I should have to tip equal to the excess. In Milan an English speaking woman accompanied me on my sightseeing. I paid her fares, entrance fees, etc. and shall send her postals from every place I touch to pay her. She bought some bread and grapes, figs and peaches for me and saved me 50 percent on it. These things are inevitable. But I have lots of fun out of it. Everyone you buy of wants a tip. A woman this morning charged for grapes just twice what she ought to, and then asked for two cents more. A boatman took me to the station in Venice. The price is one franc, or 20 cents. I paid it and he broke into a torrent of loud words and wild gesticulations. I asked a porter on the wharf what the matter was. He said, "Give him 10 centimes, (two cents) more." I did so. Then he asked for two cents to buy a drink and when I turned away he threw the money on the bottom of the boat and raved like a lunatic. I am getting used to their scoffing ways and am not alarmed by them. In a restaurant yesterday Mr. Rickert tipped the waiter a franc and told me not to tip him as he had tipped enough for us all, so when I paid, and the waiter saw I was not his wife, or daughter, or grandchild, or sister or mother but was independent, he demanded, "For a drink." That is their word. I did not know what he meant and asked the others. A crowd gathered all explaining to me, but Mr. Rickert pushed me out with his daughter and told them he tipped for us all. After we got safely away I found out what the trouble was.

This is funny, but if I were alone, after dark, I should be frightened. They are a greedy, cruel people, and would rob anyone for two cents. I have a feeling when alone on the narrow streets that they would kill anyone for five francs. I am hoping Mr. and Miss Rickert will go to Naples at the time I do, and stay the same length of time, in which case my visit will be very pleasant. To join a Cook's party in Rome costs over \$3 a day. To see the wonders will cost something anyhow, but by using a guide book we can save \$2 a day I think. But I cannot go alone anywhere in Italy. So I feel to praise the Lord that I have fallen in with a good man and his daughter.

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I do not want to touch it, and have not. Sunday I came to board with a family of two American women, Miss Leavitt, who keeps the pension and Miss Warren who is "the best guide in Rome." I went over St. Peter's without a guide, and over the Palatine with Miss Warren and Miss Richardson. Today I meet Mr. and Miss Rickert at Cook's and shall try to get them to accompany us. Our guide costs us each \$1 a day, but some days we shall not need her. My board and room costs \$1.20 a day, and with electric cars, entrance fees, etc. the sum amounts to about \$2.50 a day, not bad. You see we cannot get around without a guide very well in most places.

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Reefers  
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### CIRCULATION AFFIDAVIT

Rockland, December 11, 1908.  
Personally appeared Harold G. Cole, who on oath declares that he is pressman in the office of the Rockland Publishing Co., and that of the issue of The Courier-Gazette of December 8, 1908, there was printed a total of 4,154 copies before me:  
J. W. CRICKER, Notary Public

President-elect Taft was the chief guest Monday night of the North Carolina Society of New York, and in a masterly address disclosed anew some of the qualities of statesmanship which the country is more and more discovering in their new chief ruler. After paying a tribute to North Carolina, which, he said, presented an admirable type of present conditions in the South; the public spirit of its citizens, the progress of its industries and the charming companionship which the northerner always finds there, the speaker pointed out that the country's laws were made for the North and the South, and the functions of the government extended from the Canadian border to the gulf of Mexico. This led up to this question: "What is it that sets the South apart and takes from the southern people the responsibilities which the members of a republic ought to share in respect to the conduct of the national government?" From this point Mr. Taft eloquently treated the subject of political reform in the South, his words being often interrupted with bursts of applause. The time has come, he says, to forget the past with all its errors and a new South should take its true place in the nation.

"I am not going," he said, "to rehearse the painful history of reconstruction or what followed it. I come at once to the present condition of things, stated from a constitutional and political standpoint. And that is this: that in all southern states it is possible, by election laws prescribing proper qualifications for the suffrage, which square with the 15th amendment, and which shall be equally administered as between the black and white races, to prevent entirely the possibility of a domination of southern state, county or municipal governments by an ignorant electorate, white or black. It is further true that the sooner such laws, when adopted, are applied with exact equality and justice to the two races, the better for the moral tone of state and community concerned. Negroes should be given an opportunity equally with whites by education and thrift to meet the requirements of eligibility which the state legislatures in their wisdom shall lay down in order to secure the safe exercise of the electoral franchise. The negro should ask nothing other than an equal chance to qualify himself for the franchise, and when that is granted by law, and not denied by executive discrimination, he has nothing to complain of."

The speaker concluded with these words which were enthusiastically cheered:

"The recent election has made it probable that I shall become more or less responsible for the policy of the next presidential administration, and I improve this opportunity to say that nothing would give me greater pride, because nothing would give me more claim to the gratitude of my fellow-citizens, if I could so direct that policy in respect to the southern states as to convince its intelligent citizens of the desire of the administration to add them in working out satisfactorily the serious problems before them, and of bringing them and their northern fellow-citizens closer and closer in sympathy and point of view. During the last decade, in common with all lovers of our country, I have watched with delight and thanksgiving the bond of union between the two sections grow firmer. I pray that it may be given to me to strengthen this movement to obliterate all sectional lines and leave nothing of differences between the North and South save a friendly emulation for the benefit of our common country."

Senator Hale was unanimously chosen as chairman of the Republican caucus to succeed the late Senator Allison of Iowa. The position carries with it the chairmanship of the Republican steering committee of the Senate which determines all important legislation in the Senate and also imposes the duty of selecting members of the committee on committees, all of them very important duties. Senator Hale's nomination was the only one before the caucus and the meeting did not continue for more than half an hour. His name was suggested by Senator Carter of Montana, who eulogized Senator Allison and spoke of Mr. Hale as a worthy successor. He predicted that Mr. Hale would make one of the most successful leaders the party had ever had on the floor of the Senate. After the election Mr. Hale spoke briefly, thanking the caucus for the expression of confidence which his election implied and paying a glowing tribute to Senator Allison's worth as a man and his capacity as a leader. This action indicates something of the high position that Senator Hale occupies by reason of his long service and statesmanship.

Rather a remarkable history of recidivism, that of the Eastern Steamship Co. Within a year every creditor has been paid in full with interest and the company passes into reorganization with the most flattering outlook. In business and financial circles the highest praise is awarded to Governor Cobb and Calvin Austin for their faithful and able administration of the receivership.

Maine's new congressmen took the oath of office at the opening of Congress Monday. Representative Swasey went to Washington several days in advance of the opening in order to get settled early into his new quarters. Already he is busy with the affairs of his constituents and the Second District will find him always diligently caring for its interests.

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President Roosevelt's final message is a striking state paper, bristling with original thought and alive with suggestions of moment. The principal recommendations are these:

Legislation to remedy defects in the currency system.  
Amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law, exempting railroads from its provisions.

Placing the railroads under the control of the Interstate Commerce Commission and allowing them to make combinations and traffic agreements subject to the commission's approval.  
Enlarging the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission to supervision of issues of railway securities and the raising and lowering of rates.

Placing telegraph and telephone companies doing an interstate business under the control of the Interstate Commerce Commission.  
Publicity of the affairs of Interstate corporations and government supervision of them.

Passage of an employers' liability bill.  
Less delay in the administration of justice, much of which is ascribed to improper regard paid to technicalities; larger salaries for federal judges and further safeguards against abuse of the power of injunction.

Progressive income tax on large inheritances.  
Conservation of natural resources, especially of the forests.

Obilitation of bureau organization of the navy, the creation of a general staff and the building of four all-gun battleships.

Promotion in the army and navy for merit rather than seniority.  
Admission of New Mexico and Arizona as states.

Establishment of postal savings bank and parcels post in rural districts.  
Conferring of citizenship on Porto Ricans.

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Placing the railroads under the control of the Interstate Commerce Commission and allowing them to make combinations and traffic agreements subject to the commission's approval.  
Enlarging the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission to supervision of issues of railway securities and the raising and lowering of rates.

Placing telegraph and telephone companies doing an interstate business under the control of the Interstate Commerce Commission.  
Publicity of the affairs of Interstate corporations and government supervision of them.

Passage of an employers' liability bill.  
Less delay in the administration of justice, much of which is ascribed to improper regard paid to technicalities; larger salaries for federal judges and further safeguards against abuse of the power of injunction.

Progressive income tax on large inheritances.  
Conservation of natural resources, especially of the forests.

Obilitation of bureau organization of the navy, the creation of a general staff and the building of four all-gun battleships.

Promotion in the army and navy for merit rather than seniority.  
Admission of New Mexico and Arizona as states.

Establishment of postal savings bank and parcels post in rural districts.  
Conferring of citizenship on Porto Ricans.

"I am not going," he said, "to rehearse the painful history of reconstruction or what followed it. I come at once to the present condition of things, stated from a constitutional and political standpoint. And that is this: that in all southern states it is possible, by election laws prescribing proper qualifications for the suffrage, which square with the 15th amendment, and which shall be equally administered as between the black and white races, to prevent entirely the possibility of a domination of southern state, county or municipal governments by an ignorant electorate, white or black. It is further true that the sooner such laws, when adopted, are applied with exact equality and justice to the two races, the better for the moral tone of state and community concerned. Negroes should be given an opportunity equally with whites by education and thrift to meet the requirements of eligibility which the state legislatures in their wisdom shall lay down in order to secure the safe exercise of the electoral franchise. The negro should ask nothing other than an equal chance to qualify himself for the franchise, and when that is granted by law, and not denied by executive discrimination, he has nothing to complain of."

The speaker concluded with these words which were enthusiastically cheered:

"The recent election has made it probable that I shall become more or less responsible for the policy of the next presidential administration, and I improve this opportunity to say that nothing would give me greater pride, because nothing would give me more claim to the gratitude of my fellow-citizens, if I could so direct that policy in respect to the southern states as to convince its intelligent citizens of the desire of the administration to add them in working out satisfactorily the serious problems before them, and of bringing them and their northern fellow-citizens closer and closer in sympathy and point of view. During the last decade, in common with all lovers of our country, I have watched with delight and thanksgiving the bond of union between the two sections grow firmer. I pray that it may be given to me to strengthen this movement to obliterate all sectional lines and leave nothing of differences between the North and South save a friendly emulation for the benefit of our common country."

Senator Hale was unanimously chosen as chairman of the Republican caucus to succeed the late Senator Allison of Iowa. The position carries with it the chairmanship of the Republican steering committee of the Senate which determines all important legislation in the Senate and also imposes the duty of selecting members of the committee on committees, all of them very important duties. Senator Hale's nomination was the only one before the caucus and the meeting did not continue for more than half an hour. His name was suggested by Senator Carter of Montana, who eulogized Senator Allison and spoke of Mr. Hale as a worthy successor. He predicted that Mr. Hale would make one of the most successful leaders the party had ever had on the floor of the Senate. After the election Mr. Hale spoke briefly, thanking the caucus for the expression of confidence which his election implied and paying a glowing tribute to Senator Allison's worth as a man and his capacity as a leader. This action indicates something of the high position that Senator Hale occupies by reason of his long service and statesmanship.

Rather a remarkable history of recidivism, that of the Eastern Steamship Co. Within a year every creditor has been paid in full with interest and the company passes into reorganization with the most flattering outlook. In business and financial circles the highest praise is awarded to Governor Cobb and Calvin Austin for their faithful and able administration of the receivership.

Maine's new congressmen took the oath of office at the opening of Congress Monday. Representative Swasey went to Washington several days in advance of the opening in order to get settled early into his new quarters. Already he is busy with the affairs of his constituents and the Second District will find him always diligently caring for its interests.

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Nice Fresh Crackers, 7c per lb. 4 lbs 25c  
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Pork Ribs, per lb, 12c  
Nice Corned Beef, per lb, 8c  
Hay's Fancy Corn, can 9c, 3 cans, 25c  
Nice Flour, per bag, 65c  
Black Salted Dry Fish, per lb, 5c  
Good Rice, 5 lbs, 25c  
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### GOV. COBB'S FEE.

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In Portland Monday afternoon there was a hearing in the cases of the Eastern Steamship Company special master's second and third reports. The second was the report on the claims that had been allowed by the receivers and the third related to the claims allowed for fees of attorneys, receivers, masters and court expenses. Both reports were filed, accepted and confirmed.

Statements of the condition of the company's affairs on Dec. 1 showed that the expenses of the receivership up to that date had been \$2,083.46, exclusive of the fees of Governor Cobb, one of the receivers and two of the masters, who preferred to allow the court.

Judge Putnam, to fix the amount of their compensation.  
On Dec. 1, the amount of cash on hand was \$231,500; the amount of cash receivable, \$288,541; the liabilities, \$60,290 and net cash balance, \$225,251.

It was agreed that the fee for each of the special masters be fixed at \$700, and allowed by the court. Governor Cobb's fee as receiver was \$16,000. Calvin Austin's salary of \$5,000 has been still in force. The court allowed \$10,000, making a total of \$18,000.

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### METHODISTS DID WELL.

With Their "National Fair"—Alderman Littlehale's Spinning Stunt.

The Methodists held their annual fair Wednesday and Thursday, and it was one of the prettiest events of that sort the church has seen for some years.

A "national fair" they called it, and the national colors were certainly very much in evidence. The booths were ranged around the vestry in the usual manner, and liberally decorated with flags, which stood out strikingly against the background of evergreen trees. An Indian booth typified the beginning of our history; women costumed as Puritans had charge of the fancy table; and girls clad in the costumes of today were attached to the ice cream department. Other phases of our national history would have been represented had it been possible to obtain suitable costumes.

An echo of bygone days was to be seen in the form of an old spinning wheel which was operated with a deal of skill by Mrs. Lavinia Sweetland. Leslie N. Littlehale, a prominent official in the church, got the laugh when he strode into the vestry and allowed he could do a spinning chore himself, but the laugh changed to genuine admiration when he demonstrated that he was a complete master of the wheel. It was a little trick that he learned during his boyhood days back in the Oxford hills.

A generation remote from that occupied by the children who thronged the vestry was represented by Mrs. Elizabeth Healey, who displays a keen interest in church affairs despite the fact that she is in her 89th year. She had a seat of honor in the apron booth. The mystery booth was of the tepee style, and was presided over by Mrs. Adelbert Hall garbed in the most approved Indian style. Assisting her, also in Indian costume, were Misses Anna Fitzgerald, Myrtle Lothrop, Gladys Glidden, Marguerite Gregory and Master Harold Hall. Articles popularly associated with the grab-bag were sold at the mystery booth.

The other departments of the fair were under the charge of the following ladies: Domestic table, Mrs. Joseph Ames, Mrs. George A. Crockett and Mrs. Hattie Kilham; candy table, Mrs. I. B. Simmons and Mrs. Abbie Harrington; linen table, Mrs. W. A. Kennedy and Mrs. Arthur Hahn; fancy table, Mrs. Arthur Cook, Mrs. R. W. Blodford, Mrs. Henry de Rochemont and Mrs. A. W. Gregory; apron table, Mrs. D. A. Graves, Mrs. Robert Ludwig and Mrs. Freeman Stanley; ice cream, Mrs. Rebecca Ingraham, Misses Rhoda Cook, Mildred Simmons and Mildred Dow.

Supper was served each night, the kitchen being under the charge of Mrs. George Glidden, and Mrs. Ella Lurvey, and the dining room under the charge of Mrs. Frank Achorn. The cashiers this year were Mrs. Tobias Smalley and Mrs. Roscoe Staples who took fine care that no persons entered the portals with unpaid dimes in their purses. The general committee in charge of the fair comprised Mrs. L. N. Littlehale.

Mrs. Ella Lurvey and Mrs. Rose Glidden.

An entertainment was given each night in accordance with the programs already printed in this paper, two large audiences being highly pleased thereby.

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Ellen Beach Yaw today is the acknowledged Queen of Song in coloratura music. Ellen Beach Yaw can sing higher than any other singer; her wonderful trills and cadenzas excel all others, and she leaves her audience speechless and spellbound over the rare beauty of her voice; nothing else can equal it.

Madame Yaw will only be available in this country for a short tour this winter. She has created such a furore abroad that she returns to Vienna to fill a three years contract there. Her appearance at the Metropolitan Opera House last season created a sensation, and as soon as Madame Sembrich finishes her contract there, Madame Yaw will again appear. Her singing at the Maine Festivals last fall was a delight to all, and a surprise to many. Not only in her thrills and marvelous high notes did she astonish her hearers, but her singing of the "Last Rose of Summer," and dainty ballads proved her to be an artist of great ability, and the possessor of beautiful medium notes round and full. She accompanied herself in one of the most pleasing prima-donna ever introduced at the Festivals, and received the most applause from the public.

She will sing a most varied program at this concert, almost a song recital, although she will be assisted by a fine flute and baritone soloist and violinist.

In several numbers, Madame Yaw will sing with a flute and violin obligato. This concert will surely prove the greatest musical event of the season, and as reserved seats will be sold at popular prices, there will undoubtedly be a large attendance. Exchange tickets are on sale by members of the Philharmonic society. Secure your seats early, and hear this great artist. Tickets are but \$1.00 and \$1.50, including reserved seats. Ticket office will be open Jan. 5, 6 and 7.

## Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

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It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that the kidneys are the source of many of the most important diseases. The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

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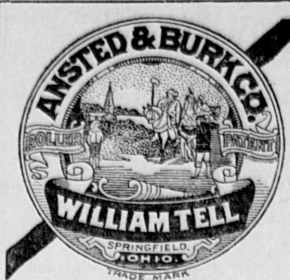
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COME BACK TO ERIN.

"Come Back to Erin" is the title of a new comedy which will be the attraction at the Farwell opera house on Jan. 16, matinee and night. This is a good old-fashioned Irish drama and sure to please everyone.

THE WOLF.

Without doubt one of the best attractions seen at the Farwell this season will be "The Wolf," on Dec. 28, with an excellent cast and car load of all special scenery. The play is said to be making a great hit all along the circuit. The local managers have wanted return dates and surely theatregoers will want to see this great play.

THE K. OF P. MINSTRELS.

The K. of P. Minstrels which will be the Christmas attraction at the Farwell opera house this season, afternoon and evening, is bound to be one of the best local minstrel shows ever seen at the Farwell. Several good specialties have been secured for the olio and they will be sure to surprise everyone. Jokes and songs are all up to date and several good local jokes will be sprung, which are sure to make a big hit. Watch out for big bills.

The announcement of the closing of the Boston Theatre Stock Company season at the Boston Theatre has been the sensation of the week in amusement circles, for there has been no more popular organization in Boston in recent years. Mr. Keith has other plans to announce, but for the last week there will be presented a production that will be a fitting end for a remarkable season of stock. The productions given by Mr. Keith have been of the most elaborate kind, far superior to anything hitherto attempted in a company of this kind, and it is predicted that "The Walls of Jericho" will outdo any of the others. It was in this play that James K. Hackett and Mary Man-nerling, then playing together, made the greatest success of their career.

The week of December 14 at Keith's Theatre, promises to be a red-letter one, for many reasons. First of all, it will mark the appearance of Irene Franklin in Boston with a series of new songs that have been creating a furore in every place she has appeared. Miss Franklin is a character comedienne.

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grotesque at times, but she makes her changes much more rapidly than any which have preceded her. On the same bill will be Jesse Lasky's biggest, and by all means, best production, "At the Country Club," which will be seen in Boston for the first time, presented by a large company. There will also be Stuart Barnes, the monologist; the Ella Norlan Troupe with their circus; the Three Leightons, a remarkable company of comedians; Lisle, Leigh and Company in a dramatic sketch; the famous Dillon Brothers, song writers and humorists; Franco Pipen, the bango expert and juggler, who remains over for another week; Oscar Lorraine and the special Keith show.

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WALDOBORO

George P. White of Rockland spent Sunday with his father, John E. White. Miss Gertrude Waltz of West Warren spent Sunday at R. L. Benner's.

Miss Jessie Keene returned to Gorham Monday after spending several days with her parents.

William Keene and Dexter Gross were in this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith of Portland spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. Alice Clark is visiting relatives and friends in this place.

Miss Frances and Nina Miller of Feyer's Corner returned Monday to resume their studies at the high school.

Miss Ethel Moulton has returned from her vacation to resume her position as assistant teacher in the high school.

Mrs. J. H. Stanwood left for Rockland Tuesday to spend the winter.

Mrs. Ell Osler returned to her home in Auburn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sanborn returned to their home in Portland last week.

John Shuman, who has been very sick is gaining slowly.

All the schools in town began Monday of this week.

Miss Edna Young is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Young.

Ralph Soule was in town Monday.

Mrs. A. B. Bryant has returned home from Round Pond.

Mrs. W. E. Manak and Mrs. Joel Sidelinger spent a day last week with Mrs. Washburn of Sunny Farm.

Mrs. D. O. Stahl is at work for Mrs. Cecil Newbert.

Mrs. Mabel Manak and mother, Mrs. Feyer of Pleasant View Farm went to Whitefield Sunday to see Dr. Nash.

Mrs. Wm. Stahl was at Cecil Newbert's recently.

Mrs. Cecil Newbert, who was operated on a week ago, is gaining.

Mrs. Henry Davis, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dora Clement, in Warren, has returned home.

Mrs. G. E. Harris was at North Wal-doboro Friday on business.

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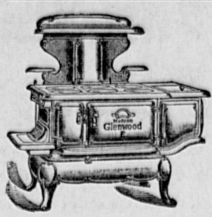
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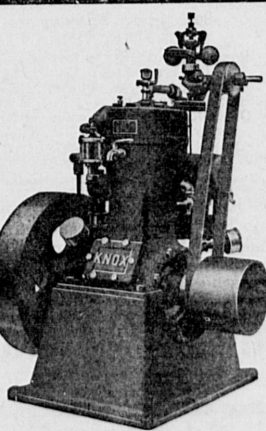
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## THOMASTON

The regular meeting of the Gen. Knox Chapter D. A. R. was held at the home of Mrs. H. R. Linnell on Monday Dec. 7. Supper was served at six o'clock after which the business of the chapter was transacted. The name of Mrs. Abbie T. Rice was proposed and accepted for membership. The chapter voted to buy 1000 Christmas stamps, which will be on sale in the principal stores and by members of the chapter, the proceeds of the sale to go to the tuberculosis sanatorium at Hibernia, Me. Mrs. Clara Creighton opens her house on Friday afternoon Dec. 11 for a whist party, to which all are invited. Mrs. Ralph Robinson favored the company with two songs, after which the meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Hollis Overlook in January.

At the Congregational church next Sunday morning Rev. H. S. Kilborn of the Baptist church of Warren will preach in a triangular exchange among Rev. Messrs. Webb, Kilborn and Cousina.

Rev. E. M. Cousins was in attendance Tuesday upon an ecclesiastical council held at Wiscasset to advise concerning the dismissal of Rev. E. W. Moore from the pastorate in Wiscasset to accept his call to the church in Berlin, N. H.

Sch. Robert McFarland Capt. F. E. Watts arrived in New York Wednesday from a southern port.

The members of the Baptist choir will be given a supper by some of the ladies of the society at the vestry this Friday evening.

Capt. A. A. Dow has gone to Seaboard for a few days visit with his sister.

W. E. Vinal has been in Boston this week on a business trip.

The proceeds of the Methodist Fair held last week were about \$170.

Jennie Linekin and Hattie Hodgman left Tuesday morning for Foxboro, Mass., where they have employment.

E. R. Bumps has returned from a business trip to Boston.

There will be a public supper this Friday at 5.30 p. m., at Ladies of G. A. R. hall in Levee street.

A large number will be present, as the proceeds are to help pay for rebuilding the dam at the Creek.

Margaret Rider is having a two weeks vacation from her duties as bookkeeper at the store of Mayo & Rose, Rockland.

The second meeting of the Red Cross Society and those interested in its grand work, will be held at the home of Mrs. John E. Walker Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The Ladies Circle of the Congregational church will meet at 7.30 p. m. Tuesday afternoon and evening. There was a good attendance and all enjoyed a pleasant time. Supper was served at the usual hour.

Addie Bushnell, who has been studying in Boston for the past two months, returned home Tuesday for a short vacation.

Freddie Maxcy will leave Saturday for Pittsfield, where she will spend several weeks as guest of her brother.

Grace Chapter O. E. S. held its regular meeting Wednesday evening. The usual supper was served at six o'clock, the housekeepers were Mrs. W. W. Hodgkins, Mrs. G. L. Crockett, Marion Robinson, Alda Hyler and Ella M. Roney.

Mrs. Emma Washburn of Waldoboro is in town for a few days, guest of Mrs. C. H. Washburn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lamb, who have been in Portland for a week, returned home Monday.

Gen. Knox Chapter D. A. R. will hold a benefit bridge party at the home of Mrs. C. A. Crockett Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

About \$16 was cleared at the high school supper and dance held at Counce Hall Wednesday evening.

Betta Crockett entertained the Sewing Club at her home on Beechwood street, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Medora Kallouch and daughter Eva left Thursday morning for Sanford where they will spend the winter.

Evans and sermon by rector at St. John Baptist church at 3.30 p. m. Capt. Frank P. Curran died at his home Thursday night, 53 years in next issue.

## WAS MIXED OFTEN.

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No change need be made in your usual diet, but drink plenty of good water.

This mixture has a peculiar tonic effect upon the kidneys; cleansing the clogged-up pores of the eliminative tissues, forcing the kidneys to sift and strain from the blood the uric acid and other poisonous waste matter, overcoming Rheumatism, Bladder and Urinary troubles in a short while.

A druggist here who has had hundreds of calls for these ingredients since the first announcement in the newspapers last October stated that the people who once try it "swear by it," especially those who have Urinary and Kidney trouble and suffer with Rheumatism.

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## CAMDEN

The "Burgess Quarry" is being put in condition to be worked to supply the Camden kilns on Bay View street.

Mr. Fred Fry has returned from a several weeks' trip through this state and New Hampshire.

The Mesquite Grange finished their installation of officers on Wednesday evening of this week and the following officers were elected: Chaplain, Mrs. W. A. Paul; Sec., J. Herbert Gould; Treas., Fred Hansen; Ceres, Mrs. W. S. Irish; Flora, Mrs. Amos Stockwell; Pomona, Mrs. James V. Norwood; Asst. Steward, John Gould; Gatekeeper, J. Fred Brown; Lady Asst. Steward, Lena Bohlin.

"Frederick T. Browning of Glenbank, Ellsworth Park, Orange, N. J., announces the engagement of his sister, Bertha Browning, to Edward Jarvis Hunt of the General Electric Co. of Pittsfield, Mass." says the New York Herald.

Mr. Hunt is a graduate of Tufts College and also the youngest son of the late Abel Hunt of Bangor.

It is fairly well known here, having visited recently.

Mrs. W. B. Ellis of Stonington is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bean and Mrs. Charles O. Montgomery are spending the week in Boston and vicinity.

Wednesday evening of this week was the annual "dollar pledge evening" at the Baptist church and many bright stories the dollars brought with them.

A very social evening was spent and refreshments and an entertainment were enjoyed, there being a full attendance.

Robert C. Gill arrived on Wednesday from Whitinsville, Mass., and will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gill.

During the recent storm several small boats in our harbor broke their merrings and in several instances were saved from being smashed to pieces.

## CUSHING

V. R. Taylor and L. W. Seavey have been suffering from bad colds the past week.

Mrs. W. and Mrs. John Beckett of Wiscasset have returned home after a few days' visit with relatives here.

Albert Seavey was confined to the house a few days last week with a lame knee.

Schools in town began Monday except in districts 4 and 6, which began Tuesday and Wednesday respectively, with the Misses Minnie Hill and Cassie Donohue of Thomaston as teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelleran have returned from Medford, where they were guests of Mrs. Kelleran's parents for a week.

E. B. Hart and a party of friends went to Thomaston in his motor boat last Saturday night.

Mrs. Willie Maloney, daughter Edna, and Mrs. C. P. Maloney of Benner Island, have returned home for the winter.

Mrs. James Uimer is seriously ill at this writing.

Edward Maloney and Miss Sadie Mank of Medford were at Fred Geyer's a few days the first of the week.

Misses Edith and Lella Stone of Port Clyde and friends were at their old home here recently.

Edwin Seavey was at the home of his parents Sunday.

Charles Rivers of Malden, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rivers of this place met with quite a serious accident a few days ago while working at his trade of carpenter. He fell from a building, a distance of nine feet, striking on a pile of lumber on his head and shoulders, receiving several hurts and wounds, rendering him unconscious for a short time, but the attending physician looks for a speedy recovery.

## NOTICE

The Committee on Accounts and Claims hereby give notice that it will be in session at the office of the City Clerk on Spring Street, on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, this immediately preceding the regular meeting of the City Council for the purpose of auditing claims against the city. No bills will be approved that are not fully itemized.

The Committee request that all bills be made out on the regular billheads of the city and be submitted to the City Clerk.

Bills may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk.

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## WARREN

The Odd Fellows will entertain the Camden, Appleton and Round Pond Lodges at a special meeting to be held this Saturday evening. The 4d degree will be conferred on two candidates by the Camden degree staff. Supper will be served.

Mrs. Daniel Leighton and Mrs. Martha Hastings of South Hope were the guests of Mrs. A. T. Norwood Wednesday.

Mrs. George Newbert, who has been visiting friends in Boston the past three weeks, returned home last Friday.

The grand Christmas eve ball will be under the management of H. M. Robinson, F. E. Matthews, W. H. Robinson and F. L. Davis. The management wish to announce that they will make this affair the best ever held in Warren.

The Quintet will be assisted by Mr. Emory, the famous trap drummer, who made such a hit at the last ball.

The Warren basketball team met their first defeat at the hands of the Rockland High at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday evening. Score, Rockland 21, Warren 21.

The regular meeting of the Tiger Engine Company was held last Monday evening. Young coal shed and the engine were in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster, who have been visiting relatives on Thomaston street, returned to their home in Lynn, Mass. Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. O'Brien entertained the Dorcas Circle of Kings Daughters at their pleasant home on Main street Thursday evening. A dainty lunch of cake, fancy cookies, fruit punch and confectionery was served.

Mrs. Jessie Merriam Cutler of Waltham, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunbar, on Thomaston street.

The main shaft at the woolen mill has been repaired and work resumed.

Miss Evie Eastman returned home Saturday from Hartland, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Robinson of Thomaston were guests at J. N. Vinal's Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Fowler is employed as a waitress in Rockland this winter.

Irvin Copeland, who has been confined to the house with illness for several weeks, is able to be out again.

The R. & L. Club met with Mrs. Carrie Yates on Tuesday evening.

The ladies of the Methodist society are getting ready for their fair, sale and supper on Thursday of next week.

Mrs. Joseph Eaton and wife left this morning for Massachusetts to visit their son for the winter.

The public schools opened Monday morning with the same teachers as last term. Mr. and Mrs. Billings spent their vacation in Farmington, Mass.

Mills and Hinckley in Boston, Miss Sampson in Auburn, Miss Irvin in Bluehill, Miss Stewart in Swan's Island, Miss Thurlow in Rockland.

Miss Ethel Thurlow is home from Castine Normal School.

Miss May Wood is teaching at Swan's Island.

The Methodist Sunday school is preparing for a Christmas tree and concert. The committee is composed of Mrs. J. Grindle, Mrs. Brown, Miss Calie Dow, Mrs. Bernice Crockett and Mrs. Yeazle.

Thursday night witnessed the opening performance at the Stonington opera house. Hereafter there will be two performances a week, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. The pictures and illustrated songs will be up-to-date in every particular. After the pictures each Wednesday night there will be dancing until 11.30 for 10 cents extra.

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## In Social Circles

Miss Beulah Lawry left Thursday morning for Portland and Boston, where she is spending the holidays. Frank Stanley Hayden of Boston was the guest of friends in this city over Sunday.

The Eastern Star Sewing Circle meets Tuesday, the 15th, with Mrs. F. W. Habbidge, 132 Camden street.

Miss Cora Spaulding has gone to Boston in which city, and Worcester, she will spend the winter.

Each lady who attended the syndicate dance at Glenview Tuesday evening carried a box lunch sufficient for herself and the hungriest partner imaginable. The boxes were numbered, and the men folks had lunch partners corresponding to the numbers they drew. The lunch and dance were both very successful.

Mrs. J. H. Boynton of Lexington, Mass. is on a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crocker.

The Progressive Literary Club meets with Mrs. Julia Blackington, Limerock street, Monday evening, Dec. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Allen entertained their associates of the St. Clair & Allen staff at their home on Limerock street Sunday. The discussion of a very fine dinner was followed by a pleasant social session.

Hon. Charles E. Littlefield and wife of New York spent Thursday at their former home in this city.

The Progressive Literary Society will meet, next Monday evening with Mrs. Julia Blackington, Limerock street.

The Shakespeare Society will hold its meeting, Monday evening, with Mrs. Carolyn L. Erskine, Mrs. Victor Hall will be leader and a paper on the dramatic history of the play, Richard III, will be read by Miss Annie F. Frye.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather Monday, the meeting of the D. A. R. was postponed until Tuesday when it was well attended at the home of the Regent, Mrs. E. S. Farwell.

A picnic supper was served and the table fairly groaned with its load of eatables. When all was in readiness, supper was announced by the enlivening strains of "The Star Spangled Banner" started by the Regent and waiters and enthusiastically joined in by the other members as they marched to the dining room and was seated at the table.

The menu was lobster stew, lobster, potato, chicken and fruit salads, cold meats, hot rolls, olives, cakes, cream meringues, fancy confections and coffee. The evening was passed with puzzles and cards, and all pronounced it an enjoyable occasion.

At the meeting in the afternoon, Mrs. Stubbs, who recently made a trip to Gettysburg, gave a very interesting paper on it, and too much cannot be said in its praise. Mrs. Stubbs is a very keen observer, has a charming manner of expression and is a pleasing reader. The chapter voted to sell the Christmas stickers used for parcels, post cards, letters, etc., during the holidays to aid the Red Cross in its good work of stamping out tuberculosis in the state of Maine.

The stamp is designed by Howard Pyle, one of our famous artists. Bears a wreath of holly around a red cross and the words "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year." It does not serve for postage, only as a sticker and it is hoped that everybody will buy a few to aid this noble work.

Raymond Keating, home from the Isthmus of Panama, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Caro Keating.

County Treasurer D. M. Murphy, who was critically ill when our Tuesday edition was published, has shown continued improvement since that time and his condition is now such that his wife and friends are beginning to feel very much encouraged.

Another delightful bridge party Thursday afternoon had as its hostess Mrs. E. K. Glover and her daughter, Mrs. J. Fred Knight, the scene of the event being Mrs. Glover's home on Masonic street. Prizes were won as follows: Mrs. S. W. Gregory, first, brass fern dish; Mrs. C. M. Kallach, second, plate; Mrs. Charles A. Rose, third, brass library scissors; Mrs. G. Howe, fourth, French handkerchief; Mrs. M. E. Wotton, fifth, hatpin.

Lunch, consisting of lobster salad, hot rolls and coffee, ice cream, cake, etc. was served by Mrs. W. W. Leighton, Mrs. W. T. White, Mrs. E. K. Leighton, Mrs. W. A. Glover, Mrs. M. R. Pillsbury, Mrs. E. J. Heller, Miss Mary Hitchcock, Miss Elizabeth Farwell and Miss Hope Greenhalgh.

Miss Lena Thorndike has returned from a visit in New York and elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Hix have gone to Boston to spend the winter.

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Handkerchiefs for every member of the family

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Ladies' Hosiery, Aprons, Blanket Bath Robes, Dressing Saques and Gowns, Dainty Under Muslins, Silk

Petticoats, Tailored Suits, Fashionable Coats, Fine Furs, Fur Lined Coats, Sweaters, Net, Muslin and Silk Waists.

Children's Bear Skin Coats and Fur Sets, Dolls.

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The Farwell opera house orchestra, announces a dance for next Wednesday evening in Pillsbury hall. Billy Holmes will rattle the ivories and Bert Coakley will be floor manager. Some of those popular moonlight waltzes will be on tap.

Frank Lothrop fell 20 feet from the trestlework opposite the Rankin building at the Northend one day recently and was picked up for dead. In half an hour, however, he pulled himself together and went back to his work whistling.

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4 lb can 35c Coffee and 1/2 lb. 30c Tea 1.00

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15c Macaroni, 2 packages, .25  
10c Corn Starch, per package, .07

Best Seeded Raisins, per package, .12  
Best Currants, per package, .10  
Three Crow Cream Tartar package, .08

Four 1 lb. packages A & H Soda, .25  
Best Rolled Oats, 6 lb., .25  
Toilet Paper, large packages, 3 for .25

10c Bags Salt, .07  
Three Qt. Bottles of Ammonia, .25  
Three Bottles Best Lemon, .25

Three Bottles Best Vanilla, .25  
35c M and J Coffee, per lb., .20  
Best Formosa Tea, 50c quality, .35

50c Chocolate, Baker's, .40  
Lump Starch, per lb., .06  
Best Rice, per lb., .09

Jones Crackers, per lb., .08  
Polo Soap, 10 bars, .25  
Star Soap, 7 bars, .25

Lenox Soap, 7 bars, .25  
Swift's Pride Soap, 7 bars, .25  
P & G Soap, 6 bars, .25

4 lb. Gold Dust, .20  
Pea Beans, per qt., .10  
Yellow Eye Beans, per qt., .12

Dried Peas, per qt., .08  
Blue Label Ketchup, 25c size, .19  
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Design by May Manton.

6178 Blouse or Shirt Waist.  
6154 Thirteen Gored Skirt.

The gown that is made in shirt waist style is always a useful one and in this case both the blouse and the skirt are closed at the front while the buttons give the continuous lines that suggest the shirt waist idea. The garments are separate, however, and consequently the blouse could be of washable material while the skirt is of wool if the entire gown is not wanted. When utilized in this way the waist will be found satisfactory for linen and madras as well as for viyella and other light weight flannels, but the entire dress of light weight striped wool material illustrated is an exceedingly satisfactory one. If the long sleeves are not wanted they can be cut off in three-quarter length and almost any simple material can be utilized for the gown. Many women like gowns of the heavier washable fabrics throughout the entire year, and the design suits such perfectly well.

For the medium size will be required for the waist 4 3-8 yards of material 24, 3 1-4 yards 32 or 2 1-2 yards 44 inches wide; for the skirt 7 yards 24, 6 1-2 yards 32 or 4 1-8 yards 44 inches wide. If there is no up and down, but if there is figure or nap 8 3-4 yards 24, 8 1-4 yards 32 or 4 3-8 inches wide will be required.

A May Manton pattern of the blouse, No. 6173, size 32 to 42 inches bust, or of the skirt, No. 6154, sizes 22 to 32 inches waist, will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper on receipt of ten cents for each. (If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage which insures more prompt delivery.)

### MASSACHUSETTS ELECTIONS.

Republicans were successful in 16 of the 21 cities which held municipal elections in Massachusetts Tuesday. James Logan, who has a summer home at Friendship was re-elected mayor of Worcester, and after a tremendous fight that city again voted no license, but by a very small margin. In Lowell George H. Brown, a Republican policeman defeated his Democratic opponent by 2000 plurality. Republicans swept Lawrence for the first time in many years. Fall River voted no license for the first time in four years.

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### BASKETBALL BATTLES

The Rockland Independents again showed their mettle Monday night when they defeated Rockport Y. M. C. A. 39 to 24 in the latter team's own ballcourt. Marshall's expert goal throwing put the Rockland team well in the lead in the first half, and in the second half nearly all the visitors had a hand in tossing goals. There was a noticeable improvement in team work over the first game. Crane played right forward for Rockport and shared honors with Collamore in number of goals thrown for his side. The summary:

Rockland Independents—Marshall 11, Alperin 11, Cates 11, Cottrell 11, McRae 11, Trainer 11.

Rockport Y. M. C. A.—Crane 11, Shibles 11, Collamore 11, Ames 11, Wooster 11, Robinson 11.

Score, Rockland 39, Rockport 24. Goals from the field, Marshall 3, Cates 2, Cottrell 3, McRae 4, Alperin 1, Crane 4, Shibles 1, Collamore 4, Wooster 1, Referee, Sullivan, Umpire, Spear, Trainer, Lamb, Scorer, Hall, Time 20-m. halves.

The first basketball game of the season to be played by the Y. M. C. A. took place Friday evening when the high school team defeated the Warren team by the score of 53 to 21. The game proved beyond a doubt that the high school aggregation will be able to make it interesting for any team of its weight in the state. Warren played a plucky game and with more practice will make a fine team. The players for Rockland were Rhodes, Cotes, Hall, Lamb and Flint. The Warren team was composed of Kerr, Haskell, R. Ladd, Spear and H. Ladd. The same evening the Intermediates went to Camden and were defeated by the score of 51 to 13. The players on the Intermediates were Philbrick, Marston, Campbell, David and Snow.

Next Wednesday, Dec. 16, the high school team plays the Warren team at Warren. The Intermediates play a Stonington team at Stonington tonight.

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## Simonton's Dept. Store

### Holiday Announcement For 1908

**IF WE SHOULD ATTEMPT** an elaborate description of all our Christmas preparations, a whole page would be necessary, but we shall content ourselves with a brief account of the re-arrangement of our different departments, that Holiday shoppers may have some idea of the many and complete lines of useful and fancy articles which we have on display, suitable for Xmas gifts.

As you enter the door your eyes will fall on the Umbrella Case, containing a entirely new line of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Umbrellas in silks and Gloria Black and colors. An ideal Holiday gift.

On the left are our cases containing Leather Goods in Purses and the new style Bags. These are made of Walrus, Alligator, Seal, etc. All colors, to match the winter suits and coats.

Adjoining this case comes the Belts, Buckles, Fancy Combs, Jewelry, consisting of Hat Pins, Elks, Charms, Baby Pins, Brooches, Veil Pins, Barettes, etc. The Belts are made in Elastics, Fancy Webbing, Leather. All the fancy shades worn this winter.

Our Neckwear is in this section, New Fancy Collars, Rushings and Directorie Ties in Velvets and Gilt Braids. These make a fine Christmas gift.

### Waists

Before you move on notice our display of Waists—no lady can have too many—New Muslin for holiday trade, with the new Mosquitare sleeves, also a full line in Nets and Silk in all shades with the latest style long sleeves.

### Sweaters

This brings us to the Sweater Department. What is more suitable for holiday giving? We are showing a complete line of Ladies' and Children's Sweaters in white, oxford and garnet.

### Fancy Goods

Now let us circle around the center counters devoted to all kinds of Fancy Articles, Manicure Sets, Shaving Sets, Toilet Sets, Mirrors, Fancy Cushions, Silver Ware, etc. One can find anything on these counters to make a beautiful Xmas Gift.

A line of German Baskets, trimmed and untrimmed, also Indian Baskets in a variety of shapes.

### Cotton Underwear

Don't pass by the Muslin Underwear Department. Here we have received recent shipments specially adapted for holiday trade. The newest creations in Cross-bar Muslin Matched Suits, Hand Embroidered Robes, Combination Suits, Silk and Lisle, Plain and Embroidered Hose, Fancy Tea Aprons, etc. We are making a specialty of Ladies' Plain Silk and Embroidered Silk Hose, put up in fancy Xmas boxes. A lady always appreciates a gift like this.

### Handkerchief Department

Here we feel that we have surpassed any showing we have ever made. We placed a large order with the largest and most carefully selected ever placed on our counters. Here you can find anything for Women, Men or Children in Hemstitched Linens, Embroidered Linens, Hemstitched Silks, Initials, fancy scalloped edges, Children's School Handkerchiefs and Silk Neck Handkerchiefs. We also have a very pretty Holly Box to put these in for Christmas tokens.

We are also showing here a full line of Denison's Labels, Stickers, Tags and Ribbons for making your Christmas packages much more attractive.

### Trunks, Bags

We have devoted a large portion of the north side of our store to Bags, Suit Cases and Trunks. Bags in Leather and Straw. Trunks in all shapes, including Steamer Trunks. Suit Cases in Leather, Straw, Fibroid, etc., some with shirt waist pockets.

### Dolls, Games, Etc.

Nor have we forgotten the Children—our display of Dolls is unexcelled, dressed, undressed, fancy costumes, some say Mama and Papa. The undressed dolls are kid body with bisque heads and cloth body and china heads.

All the newest, most popular Games, Puzzles, Blocks, etc., to make the children happy.

A line of Books to suit all ages, consisting of Buster Brown, Henty Series, Alger Series, Fairy Tales, Baby Picture Books and the popular stories for older people. Don't fail to look these over.

### Stationery

Our Stationery Department is full of good things. For the Children, Telephone, Book, Bank and Trunk Boxes, filled with paper and envelopes to match.

Regular size and extra large fancy boxes, including the Holly, filled with choice stationery in all grades.

### Domestic Department

Here we have a display of Toilet Quilts or Bed Spreads, plain, fringed and out-cornered, in all grades, including Marshalls.

Table Damask by the yard, in all widths and grades, makes especially appropriate Christmas gifts. Napkins of superior quality in all sizes.

A fine line of Damask Scarfs in the different lengths and qualities. Lunch Cloths, the best that can be bought, in very large assortment. Tray Cloths in all grades. Huckabuck Towels, in all sizes. Damask Towels, in plain hemmed, plain fringed, hemmed with colored borders, fringed with colored borders, also hemmed or fringed Towels, with drawn work and hemstitched ends.

Turkish Bath Towels, from the smallest size to the largest, a complete assortment.

Sheets and Pillow Cases, in all grades.

What more suitable for a seasonable gift than a Bed Puff or a soft, warm pair of Blankets?

We are showing a line of Blankets from the cheaper cotton ones to the all wool California Blankets. Colors, reds, greys, tans and whites.

### Carpet Annex

Visit our Carpet Annex—many useful and highly desirable gifts are on display here.

Carpet Sweepers and Hassocks, Couch Covers, Rugs in all sizes, from the Door Mats to Carpet size, 9x12—Tapestries, Axminsters, Fibers, Brussels, Wiltons—make your selections now, we will hold it for you until the day before Xmas.

### Garments and Furs

We now come to the Garment Department, second floor. Don't go out without looking over our display here.

**FREE SOLUTIONS** to all visiting this department. A "Rest Room" has been provided for you on this floor. Comfortable chairs at your disposal if you have become tired from Xmas shopping. All are welcome.

Look over our display of Fur Sets, in Black Lynx, Mink, Natural and Sable Squirrel, Chinchilla, Opossum, Wolf, Martin, Cony, etc.

Ladies' Fur Lined Coats make an ideal Christmas gift. We have them in fine quality Broadcloths, large fur collars, colors blue, brown, red and black.

A new line of Ladies' Fur Caps.

Ladies are always delighted with a new Silk Petticoat, such as we are showing, in black and colors, very full, wide flounce, trimmed with ruffles, tucks and hemstitching.

Make the house wife happy with a MAIDWELL Wrapper, of finest quality Flannellette, extra full, wide flounce, elastic sleeve, all colors.

Beautiful Opera Coats, in latest cuts and shades, trimmed with finest embroidery, satins, etc.

Suits in all the latest cuts, fine Broadcloths, Panamas, Chevron stripes, Cheviots, Serges, etc., all colors and sizes.

Misses' and Children's Fur Sets, in natural and blended Squirrel, white Angoras, white, brown and blue Cony, brown and natural Opossum, Ermine, etc.

Bear Skin Coats for Children, white, champagne, copenhagen and navy, all ages.



## Holiday Goods

### NOT FOUND IN ANY OTHER STORE

There is one thing about our store—we carry an exclusive line of Goods and the kind most desired for holiday gifts. We have many pretty, inexpensive things and would like to have you look at them.

#### ART DEPARTMENT

A large and exclusive line of Embroideries, hand made, worthy of notice, consisting of Sofa Pillows, Center Pieces, Raffia Work Bags for ladies, and Pipe Holders, Necktie Holders, Broom Holders, Coat Holders for men.

#### NOVELTIES

A selection from this collection can be made for anyone. Hat Pin Holders, Twine Boxes, Collar Studs Boxes, Pin Cubes, Handmade Bead Purses, Match Scratchers, Ribbon Holders, Handkerchief and Glove Cases, Skirt Pockets, etc.

#### WORSTED LINE

Ladies' Handmade Shawls, Fascinators, Slippers, Lace Throws for the head, etc.

#### BAGS

Shoe Bags, Slipper Bags, Laundry Bags, Ladies' and Gents' Traveling Companions in silk and cretonne, rubber lined, \$1.00 to \$3.00.

#### HANDKERCHIEFS

Handkerchiefs for ladies and gentlemen and children in plain hemstitched and fancy embroidered.

APRONS, 25 cents to \$3.00.

#### TOILET ARTICLES

Full line of Colgate's Soaps, Powders, Creams and Toilet Waters.

#### INFANTS DEPARTMENT

Bear Skin Coats, with Bonnets and Furs to match. Handsome Cashmere Jackets, Crocheted Jackets, Afghans, Socks, Leggings, etc.

FIR PILLOWS, covered and uncovered. Has the scent of the woods.

Agent Lewando Dye House

## THE LADIES' STORE

MRS. E. F. CROCKETT

Main Street, Opp. Fuller Cobb-Co.

#### HOPE

Ned Payson has lost one of his horses.

Hazel Annis and her brother and sister baby Florence of Lincolnville spent a day last week with her cousin, Mrs. Beth Ludwig.

Ed. Harkness spent a few days last week with friends in North Haven.

Miss May Bliss is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bills on a vacation from Castine.

Burleigh Mansfield is home from Kent's Hill, where he attends school for a two weeks' vacation.

Ollie Allen is going to cut 100 cords of wood the coming winter and his choppers have begun the work.

Emery Dyer has returned from the logging woods and will remain home a while.

Mrs. Susie Robbins of Searsmont was the guest of Mrs. H. C. Goding one day last week.

Frank Thordike has hired Lorin Athearn's house for the winter.

The Grange meeting Saturday evening was one of especial interest.

A musical program was carried out by Margaret Hewett Robbins at the piano.

An original song was sung by A. F. Dunton. Mrs. Robbins accompanied.

Mrs. Annie Barrett sang a solo, Mrs. Olive Noyes accompanied. There was a treat of nuts and candies with social chat at intermission, making a delightful evening to 50 patrons.

Saturday evening officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Flora Robbins and little daughter Ruth of Searsmont spent a day last week with her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Harwood.

Mrs. Marcellus Taylor of South House recently spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Fannie Mansfield.

Mrs. Ellen Conant of Rockland spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Pease, North Hope.

Mrs. Albin Annis is very ill.

#### EAST FRIENDSHIP

Clyde Delano has returned home after being on the schooner Pride of the Port.

Mrs. Olive Orne and son Maynard spent a day recently in Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Felker went to Thomaston Tuesday.

Mrs. Abbie Peterson has returned home from Boston hospital.

J. Orne has been home for a few days.

Mrs. Oleiva Simmons of Cranberry Island was the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. T. Orne, recently.

Mrs. Glendora Cushman of Friendship is making an extended visit with friends here.

Marcellus P. Orne is home on a vacation from New London, Conn., where he has employment on the steam yacht Narada.

Mrs. Almida Grafton has returned home after spending a week in Thomaston with her daughter, Mrs. Lottie Beckett.

#### WARREN

Mrs. Fannie Brown and family arrived here from Lubec last week. They will occupy the Olive Kirk house, recently vacated by Silas Watts. Mrs. Brown intends to do dressmaking.

Miss Clara Hosmer returned home last week from Lancaster, N. H., where she has been visiting friends the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings, Mr. Perry and friend of Union were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Newcomb Wednesday of last week.

Miss Doris Eastman went to Union Monday to visit relatives.

F. B. Rowe went to Boston Saturday to spend a few days.

Miss Hyson of East Boothbay is the guest of Mrs. Mary Hyson this week.

Union services were held at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

The Congregational fair was largely attended. The chapel was artistically decorated with evergreen. The tables were nicely arranged.

The fancy table was in charge of Mrs. Henry Starrett, Mrs. George Walker and Miss Thorne.

The candy table in charge of Mrs. Lewis Burgess and Miss Grace Hanley. The doll table was in charge of Mrs. Alice Watts and Mrs. Margaret Sawyer. The proceeds amounted to about \$75.

#### SOUTH WARREN

Mrs. Jane Jones, who has been staying most of her time with her daughter, Mrs. Nathan Copeland, has returned to her home in North Cushing.

Mrs. Bessie Page of Broad Cove visited relatives in town last week.

Mrs. Oliver Jones was in Thomaston recently.

Mrs. Lucy Copeland and Miss Lizzie Copeland returned home from East Peppercorn, Mass. last week, where they have been spending the past few months with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Over of Rockland were in this place Sunday.

Albert Robinson and wife and child Leslie Hunt and wife and child of North Cushing were at Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hunt's Sunday.

Oscar Copeland is building a new hen house.

Mrs. James Carver of friendship, who has been visiting her daughter for a few days, went home Sunday.

Alex Spear recently called on relatives.

#### UNION

Mrs. Emeline, widow of the late Jacob Auspland died at the home of Charles Ross, after a short illness of pneumonia. The remains were taken to Rockland for interment. She was 81 years old and leaves one daughter, Mrs. H. B. Simmons of Rockland, and two sons, Wilbert N. of Portland and Charles M. of Bridgton.

#### PLEASANT POINT

Mrs. Grace Maloney and son Ernest entertained the Pleasant Point Finch Club at their home last Thursday Dec. 3. A treat was furnished consisting of hot cocoa, sandwiches, cake, candy, apples and ice cream. The next meeting will be held at the home of the president of the club, Mrs. A. D. Chadwick, next Thursday evening.

Rev. Sydney Packard of Waldoboro preached a very interesting and instructive sermon at the Baptist church Sunday.

Richard Dunn of Thomaston was at his cottage in this place last week.

At the regular meeting of Acorn Grange last Saturday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. M., B. L. Stevens; W. O., E. L. Maloney; W. L., Mrs. Jennette Maloney; W. S., Fred Young; W. A. S., Ernest Maloney; W. Chaplain, Mrs. Martha Robinson; W. Treasurer, C. J. Freeman; W. Sec., Mrs. Edith Stevens; W. G. K., B. B. Robinson; W. Ceres, Mrs. Lizzie Young; W. Pomona, Mrs. Fannie Freeman; W. Flora, Mrs. Fannie Morse; W. L. A. S., Lillian Orr; Organist, Mrs. Grace Maloney.

Capt. A. D. Chadwick, Capt. J. O. Chadwick, Capt. W. H. Trefethen and Capt. Allie Sterling were in Port Clyde Saturday evening to attend a K. of P. meeting.

School in this district began Monday, Dec. 7 with Miss Alice Smith of Waldoboro teacher. This is Miss Smith's fifth year here and she has made many friends who will be glad to welcome her back.

Miss Emma Davis and Miss Cora Cushing of Friendship spent Sunday at Sylvester Davis'.

#### ELIWOOD

Minot and Myrtle Messer left Monday for Massachusetts, where they have employment.

School in this place began last Monday with Harry Burgess of Appleton as teacher.

Miss Rosella Aitchell, who has been visiting in Vermont and Massachusetts, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Robbins of Sears, Mont was at V. V. Messer's Sunday.

Gilman Mitchell has sold his horse to Ernie Bryant of North Union.

Minot Messer has sold his horse to F. B. Robinson of Searsmont.

#### WEST LINCOLNVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith visited Hope Grange Saturday evening.

Allie Allen and daughters, Laura and Doris, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albion Allen, in Hope.

Ben Brown recently had a spring pig killed that dressed 55 pounds.

The box social held at the Wiley school house Friday evening was not very largely attended on account of bad weather but the boxes sold well and those present had a very enjoyable time. There was another social Tuesday evening with a slightly improved program.

## PE-RU-NA IN THE HOME.



Peruna is the best friend I ever had.

Residence of Mrs. FLORENCE AITKENS, TOLEDO, OHIO.



One of Thousands of Homes.

MRS. FLORENCE AITKENS, 409 3rd St., Toledo, Ohio, writes: "Peruna cured me of internal catarrh. I took about four bottles when I noticed the improvement and the fifth bottle cured me."

"I do not know what I would have been like today had I not got Peruna, for I was in a terrible state. I had pains all over and was cross and irritable. I was losing hope of ever being well again, and was downhearted. I am today a cured woman, after suffering for nine months."

"I cannot tell you how happy I feel, but you will know. I never heard of such medicine; it is the best medicine on earth. My husband is now taking it. I will always keep Peruna in my house. Peruna is the best friend I ever had. It must be praised; it cured me."

Peruna Tablets.

For two years Dr. Hartman and his assistants have labored incessantly to create Peruna in tablet form, and their strenuous efforts have just been crowned with success. People who object to liquid medicines can now secure Peruna tablets.

Ask your Druggist for a Free Peruna Almanac for 1909

#### Another Home

Where Peruna is Used.

MRS. MARIA GOERTZ, Orlenta, Oklahoma, writes: "My husband, children and myself have used your medicines, and we always keep them in the house in case of necessity."

"I was restored to health by this medicine. People ask about me from different places, and are surprised that I can do all of my housework alone, and that I was cured by the doctor of chronic catarrh."

"My husband was cured of asthma, my daughter of earache and catarrh of the stomach, and my son of catarrh of the throat. When I was sick I weighed one hundred pounds; now I weigh one hundred and forty. Peruna quiets the nerves, and is a great specific for all forms of chronic catarrh."

# This Saturday is the Last Day

TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR

## TREMENDOUS SLAUGHTER SALE OF Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes

THE BEST TRADES EVER OFFERED IN THIS CITY—the Goods that are New and Fresh and in Style. Every article is from our regular stock, and on a Manila Tag is the old and the new price—quite a difference.

WHEN THE STORE CLOSSES THIS SATURDAY NIGHT THE SALE WILL BE OVER

The Old Price and the Slaughter Price is plainly marked on a Manila Tag

#### MEN'S SUITS

90 Men's Suits in heavy weights, single and double breasted, sizes 34 to 42, reg. price \$10.00, 11.00, 12.00. Sale price \$5.62  
1 lot, 35 Suits, reg. price \$7.50 to 9.00. Sale price 3.75  
1 lot, 75 Suits, prices from \$12.00 to 15.00. Sale price 6.92  
35 Men's Suits, mixtures and fancy worsteds, new Fall goods regular \$10.00 and 12.00 Suits, for 8.38  
1 lot, 50 Suits, in fancy worsteds, prices \$14.00 and 15.00 Sale price 10.49

1 lot, 40 Suits, the very newest and latest patterns and styles for young and middle aged men, regular prices \$16.00 and 17.00. Sale price 12.50

1 lot, 35 Suits, the very latest stripes, in coffee browns and dark greens, prices \$18.00 to 20.00. Price now 14.50

Men's Black Thibet and Worsted Suits, reg. price \$8.50, for 5.62

Men's Black Thibet and Worsted Suits, reg. price \$10, for 6.98

Men's Bk. Thibet and Worsted Suits, reg. price \$14 and \$15, 10.49

1 lot very best Suits in Black Unfinished Worsteds, sold for \$16.50 and 18.00. Price now 12.98

Men's Blue Serge Suits, \$12 line, for 8.69

1 lot of \$14.00 and 15.00 Suits for 10.49

Lot very best Heavy worsteds, also blue, \$16.50 and \$18, for 12.98

#### VERY LARGE LINE OF MEN'S OVERCOATS

THIS FALL AND WINTER STYLES

1 lot, regular price \$7.50. Sale price \$4.62

1 large lot of \$10.00, 11.00 and 12.00 Coats, to sell for 8.38

1 lot of the very newest, Grays and Stripes, reg. prices \$14.00 and 15.00, for 10.98

1 large lot very best Broadcloths, guaranteed fast black and the very best makes, reg. price, \$16.50, for 12.00

1 large lot in Blacks and the very newest Coffee Browns, best vaquever offered for \$18. Our Sale price 13.50

1 lot of 15 Spring and Fall Overcoats, reg. price \$10.00 and 12.00. To close out as low as 5.98

#### MEN'S RAIN COATS

Lot of Dark Gray Coats, suitable for all seasons of the year, great value for \$10. Sale price 6.50

Lot newest Striped Coats, reg. price \$12. Sale price 7.98

Lot very best value at \$16.50. Sale price to close at 7.50

#### MEN'S ULSTERS AND REEFERS

Lot of Men's Ulsters in dark gray, great value at \$8.50, Reduced to 5.62

Lot of heavy weight Irish Frieze, the very best value at \$12, Reduced to 8.50

Lot Men's Reefers, reg. \$4.00 grade. To close at 2.50

Boys' Sweaters from 35c to 75c

Men's Winter Lined Gloves 17c to \$1.19

Boys' Winter Caps 17c to 35c

Men's Vests 35c

Youths' Suits \$2.00 to 8.98

Men's Soft and Stiff Hats 69c to \$1.75

Umbrellas 37c to \$2.62

Men's Sweaters 35c, 75c, \$1.19, 1.50, 2.38, 2.75, 3.12, 3.50

Men's Winter Caps 30c to \$1.12

#### Youths' Overcoats

1 lot of all wool Gray Coats, sizes from 16 to 20. Regular price \$8.50. Sale price, \$5.62

1 lot of Extra Heavy, all wool, Great value at \$10.00. Reduced to \$6.98

1 lot of the Very Newest Browns and Light Stripes, in very best quality and styles. Greatest value at \$15. Marked down to \$10.98

#### Boys' Suits

1 lot of 45 Boys' Suits, age from 8 to 16, in All Wool and Fancy Worsteds, prices \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5. To close out at \$2.50 per Suit

1 lot of 29 Boys Suits, age from 8 to 16, in assorted styles and patterns, regular \$2, 2.50 and 3.00 Suits, Marked down to \$1.50

1 lot of 14 Boys Suits, sizes 3 and 4, sold for \$2.50, 3.00 and 3.50, To close at the low price of \$1.25

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Boys and Children's Overcoats

1 lot of Boys' Oxford Gray Overcoats, sizes from 9 to 16, regular price \$4, Sale price \$2.75

1 lot All Wool Newest Styles \$5.50 Coats, Marked down to \$3.98

1 lot of the Very Best \$6.50 Grade, Reduced to \$4.50

1 lot of Children's Overcoats, sizes from 4 to 8 years, regular price \$3.50 For this sale \$2.50

1 lot of the Very Best Goods and Makes of \$5 Overcoats, For \$3.50

Men's Underwear, all sizes, 35c, 75c, \$1.10

Men's Hose 9c, 17c, 19c

Men's Working and Negligee Shirts 33c, 38c, 63c, 75c, \$1.15, \$1.50

Men's Laundered Shirts 13c, 17c, 35c, 75c

Men's Ties 7c to 35c

Men's and Boys' Braces 6c to 36c

#### MEN'S DRESS SHOES

1 lot of our best \$4.00 Patent leather and Gun Metal Shoes, this Fall and Winter styles, reduced for this sale to \$3.19

1 lot of our best \$3.50 Gun Metal and Box Calf Shoes reduced for this sale to 2.75

1 lot of our best \$2.50 Gun Metal and Box Calf Shoes reduced for this sale to 1.89

1 large lot of \$2.00 Shoes reduced for this sale to 1.55

1 lot extra high cuts, in Russets, regular \$5.50 grade, reduced for this sale to 4.35

1 lot of high cuts, in Blacks and Russets, all sizes, best \$3.50 shoe in the market, reduced in this sale to 2.89

1 lot of heavy Working Shoes, \$2.00 grade, to sell for 1.50

1 lot heavy Working Shoes, \$1.50 grade, to sell for 1.19

#### MEN'S OVERSHOES AND RUBBERS

1 large lot Men's 4-buckle Overshoes, light and heavy weights, best value in the city for \$2.50. Sale price \$2.18

1 lot of 1-buckle Overshoes, light weight, \$1.50 quality, for 1.20

1 lot, 45 prs. Men's Heavy Overshoes, to close for this sale at .98

1 lot, 35 prs. Felts and Rubbers, sizes 11, 12, 13, regular price \$2.00 and 2.50. To close for this sale at 1.49

1 lot, 58 prs. Men's Rubbers, to be worn over felts or leggings, sizes 7 to 11, regular \$1.50 grade. Sale price 1.09

1 lot Men's high cut Rubbers, best value for 65c. Sale price .49

1 lot of the very best 85c grade Rubbers, reg. cut. Sale price .71

#### Men's Pants

1 lot of Men's \$1.00 Pants. To close, at 69c

1 large lot of Heavy Weights, \$1.50 value. Marked down to \$1.00

1 lot of Gray Hair lined Heavy Weight Pants, all wool. Regular price, \$1.75. For \$1.25

1 large lot in Heavy weights, all wool. Greatest value for \$2.00. Our price, \$1.50

1 lot in Extra Heavy Gray, all wool. Guaranteed the best value at \$3.00. Reduced for this sale to \$2.00

1 lot of Men's Dress Worsteds in black, blue and stripes, \$2.50 grade. Marked down to \$1.75