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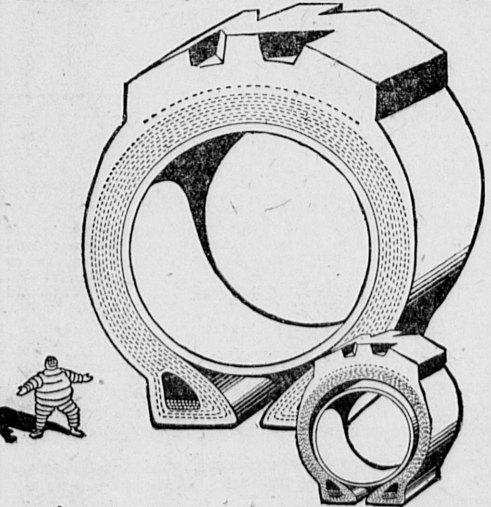
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## TO WORK FOR HARDING

Change Will Restore Confidence Says President of Longshoremen's Association.

Senator Harding held a conference Wednesday with T. V. O'Connor of Buffalo, president of the International Longshoremen's Association, at which the labor situation was discussed generally and the candidate was assured of the support of the labor leader.

A statement issued by Mr. O'Connor after the conference said in part: "I am for Senator Harding, because I believe a change of administration absolutely necessary to restore confidence in this country. I know Senator Harding is a real man from whom labor will always get a square deal without any blare of trumpets or brass bands."

"I have heard a good deal of various leaders that are going to deliver the labor vote this year, but I want to say that nobody will deliver it. Labor is thinking as never before, and is going to vote to suit itself. In 1916 I was away from home and lost my vote, but if I had been there I would have voted for Wilson. But the Democratic party has since then lost its claim for confidence of the country. We must restore popular confidence in our government in order to put an end to the unrest that exists. The fact is that the world was in a bad scrape and if the United States does not keep its feet on the ground the world can't."

"I deal with all the nationalities except Asiatics in our organizations and I know that there is a general desire to get away from entanglements with European concerns. There is a good deal of apprehension among the men, lest conditions, which they observe in Europe, may reach here. They are determined to avoid anything of that kind if they can."

"It seems very plain to me that labor must support the Republican party this year. If the Democrats should win the government would be turned over to the control of the solid south and the machine dominating Democrats of the north. The solid south would be the dominant partner and the south has been utterly reactionary in its attitude towards labor. It is completely out of step with modern questions."

"Former Senator Bailey is campaigning for the nomination for governor in Texas, with the open shop as his platform. I have never asked the absolute closed shop but I certainly could not assent to the view that the southern Democrats take of the problem of labor."

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## FOR CENTENNIAL WEEK

Chairman Healey Informed By Admiral Wilson That Destroyer Has Been Ordered Here.

The situation seems to be somewhat mixed in regard to the sort of a naval demonstration Rockland will have in connection with its Centennial Week. The Courier-Gazette announced a week ago that Franklin D. Roosevelt, the retiring assistant secretary of the Navy, had promised Senator Gardner that Rockland would have "some ships."

William S. Healey, chairman of American Legion Day, has been informed by Admiral Harry B. Wilson, commander-in-chief of the U. S. Atlantic Fleet, that a destroyer has been ordered here, and explains in the accompanying letter why battleships are not available at this time. Mr. Healey enjoys a personal acquaintance with Admiral Wilson and extended a very cordial invitation for the commander-in-chief to visit Rockland during the celebration. Admiral Wilson declines regretfully, and for the obvious reason that his official duties will not permit him to leave his flagship at this busy season, but he expressed the hope that he will again visit this city to which he had come quite frequently while president of the Naval Trial board. His letter, exclusive or personal references, follows:

United States Atlantic Fleet  
U. S. S. Pennsylvania, Flagship  
New York, Aug. 2

Dear Mr. Healey:—I appreciate more than I can tell your very cordial invitation for me to personally visit Rockland during the Centennial celebration. The ships of the Fleet are leaving home yards, where they have been undergoing repairs, the early part of August and we have before us a summer of hard work preparing for target practice, holding tactical exercises, etc., so that I am afraid I will be unable to accept your very kind invitation.

I have been able to send a number of ships to different ports on the Maine coast during the summer to take part in the celebration of Centennial and Old Home Weeks, and it has been a pleasure to do so. As you know, a large part of the older men left the Navy upon demobilization following the war, so that it is at times difficult to divert ships from their regular duties to take part in these celebrations, and this is particularly true of the battleships, which require such a large number of trained men and where the new men must be given very careful training.

I have directed a destroyer to proceed to Rockland during the period 25-28 August, as Senator Fernald requested, and regret exceedingly that it will be impossible to send a battleship at this time.

Very sincerely,  
H. B. Wilson,  
Admiral, U. S. Navy

## WHITE ELEPHANTS

Of the 466 wooden vessels of various types built during the war for the United States Shipping Board only 194 are now in operation; 73 are tied up at various ports under managing caretakers, and 129 are in storage yards, 107 of the latter being finished hulls, while 32 are converted barges. The Board recently offered 21 of these ships for sale, but no buyers were found. Another attempt is to be made to turn them over to private ownership at \$90 a ton, the Board seeming to think that buyers can be found for them at those figures.

## NO BELFAST SARDINES

The Booth Fisheries Co., controlling the Belfast sardine factory will not operate there this season. Many of the factories along the Maine coast have not started up this season owing to the tin can situation and the overstocked market. Weirmen are feeling the effects of this and many of the fish caught are being sold to the fertilizer plant for 25 cents per bushel at the weir. Some 3000 bushels a week are being consumed in this manner. A few of the plants are running, including those in Rockland and Castine.

**A THOMASTON LAUNCHING**  
The new four-masted schooner Elizabeth Freeman will be launched from the Atlantic Coast Co.'s yard in Thomaston Saturday, Aug. 14 at 10:30 a. m., standard time. It will be an interesting event for the many summer visitors who will be in this vicinity at the time.

## PICKPOCKETS A-PLENTY

Governor Cobb Cautions Rockland and Cites Bath's Experience.

Full of praise for the fine manner in which Bath celebrated its Centennial Week, Governor Cobb arrived home Thursday. "Every event was a great success," says the president of the Bath Iron Works. Governor Cobb also brought home a word of caution against pickpockets, which he says, were operating right and left. Mr. Cobb is no alarmist, but believes the people should be put on their guard in the event that the crooks also come to Rockland for the week of the 27th, and he wonders if it would not be policy for the city to have the services of a trained inspector, perhaps from Boston, who would know the light fingered gentry and warn them out of town before they had a chance to get into somebody's pockets.

The Bath Times, had this to say about their operations in the Shipyard City: "Victims of pickpockets Tuesday evening include Ernest F. Kelley, Alderman Herbert L. Hall, John A. Wright, William H. White, Hiram Purinton and Harry W. Oliver. Victims to have lost a large amount of money in the Midway, his purse containing \$180, all in \$20 bills, the purse buttoned up in his hip pocket, and he says that he did not miss the money until next morning when he noticed that his pocket was unbuttoned and then discovered that the money was gone. Mr. Hall lost only \$4, but Mr. Kelley was the loser of \$25. Mr. Wright lost \$5 and his wife had \$50 with her at the same time but the thieves did not get that money. Mr. Kelley had his money in a wallet in the hip pocket of his trousers and thinks it was taken when he got a punch in the back and a jostle in the midst of the Midway crowd."

## THE GANNETT'S CRUISES

The U. S. Fish Commission steamer Gannett, came up Wednesday from Boothbay Harbor, remaining in Portland only a few hours, and then started out again for the eastward. Since the beginning of July the Gannett has had on board Messrs. Crozer and Messenger of Washington, D. C., of the Statistical Department of the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries, who are gathering statistics in relation to the fishing interests of Maine, and will go up to the head of all the rivers, bays and harbors of the State. The Gannett is covering the counties of Androscoggin, Knox and Lincoln, the last part she is to visit being Waldoboro, where another boat will take the scientists on their cruise further to the eastward. The two visitors spend the greater part of their time in gathering statistics in relation to the fisheries for the Bureau at Washington, covering the whole seaboard of the United States.—Portland Argus.

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## ROCKLAND CITY FARM

"Everyone Seems Contented and Happy" Reports State Board.

The Quarterly Bulletin of the Maine Charities and Corrections gives a very satisfactory report concerning the Rockland City Farm, preceding its remarks with a statement that "thorough inspection by a member of the board of overseers of the poor has not been made since last summer."

The institution at the time the report was presented had 16 inmates, 10 of whom were over 60 years of age. The largest number present at any time since the previous inspection was 16; smallest, 13. The normal capacity is 20.

Everyone seems contented and happy. Plenty of reading matter including a daily paper. Those who are able assist with the work. Bathing once a week. Individual towels and drinking cups. Sexes are separated. No vagrants lodged. Visitors are always welcome and there are quite a few in summer.

Inmates have sweet food three times a day, meat three or four times a week and pie on Sunday. One woman of 87 does a lot of work. The grounds were found in good order but building not in very good repair. The dining room was clean and floor white. The beds were good and there was plenty of bedding. The kitchen was neat and clean. There were plenty of supplies in good order in the storeroom off the farm kitchen. There is no fire protection except pails of water in each corridor.

The farm matron makes 40 pounds of butter a week, selling about 28 pounds. There are 13 cows, 2 horses, 10 pigs, 50 hens, 3 calves, one full blooded jersey, a beauty. The barn and stock were in fine condition. The farm has turned into the city of Rockland \$1734.40 for the year 1919. The Board of Charities and Corrections has made these recommendations: Bath room in main house; electric lights; painting, papering and plastering in inmates' quarters; chemical fire extinguishers; one room to be used as a sitting room for the women.

## CAPT PATTERSON'S WORK

Superintending a Thousand Men in Camp at Newport News.

"We surely do enjoy the home news," writes Mrs. E. O. Patterson from Newport News to The Courier-Gazette. "Coming often, as the paper does, we are able to keep in touch with our friends. We read each paper then turn it over to T. E. and Angus McInnes, two Rockland boys who are at Camp Stuart. Angus is a reymaster and Tim is in charge of the filing department—both fine men. Capt. Patterson is superintendent and has 1000 men in the camp and on the ships, all under his charge."

"We had the pleasure of entertaining Ralph D. Paine recently. He will be remembered as the war correspondent and writer. He was writing up the Merchant Marine question for the July World's Work. I think you would be very much interested if you could see the school in operation and see how well the boys are treated. There are a fine lot of boys coming in of late. I wish more of our Maine boys would come here for training. We do not expect to be able to get to Maine this summer, but so far we have not had it very hot. The evenings and nights are cool, but nothing like home. We have a new Stanley steamer, so we are not walking much and if one keeps out of the sun it's all right. I trust The Courier-Gazette will always prosper."

Capt. Patterson has recently compiled a handy little booklet, entitled "Regulations Governing Military Courtesy," a copy of which Mrs. Patterson has kindly sent us.

## TEDDY'S SON COMING

Col. Theodore Roosevelt To Appear in Maine Campaign.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt will campaign for the national Republican ticket from the latter part of the month until election day. Republican national headquarters announced Thursday. He will make two preliminary addresses, one in New Jersey and one in St. Lawrence county, N. Y., and will then go to Maine where he will make several speeches prior to the election.

From Maine Col. Roosevelt will go to Indiana and from there to Kentucky, where he will make a horseback trip of at least one week through the mountain regions in company with Gov. Morrow. After the Kentucky campaign he will travel through virtually every state west of the Mississippi river.

## YOUR FAVORITE POEM

Whatever your occupation may be and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.

## THE LITTLE CHILDREN

O little feet, that such long years  
Must wander on through hopes and fears,  
Must ache and bleed beneath your load;  
I nearer to the wayside lay,  
Where toll shall cease and rest begin,  
Am weary thinking of your road.

O little hands, that weak or strong  
Have still to serve or rule so long,  
Have still so long to give or ask;  
I, who so much will look and pen,  
Have toiled among my fellow-men,  
Am weary thinking of your task.

O little hearts, that throbb and beat  
With such impatient, feverish heat,  
Such limitless and strong desires;  
I, that so long has gloved and burned  
With passions into ashes turned,  
Now covers and conceals its fires.

O little souls, as pure and white,  
As crystalline, as rays of light,  
Direct from heaven, their source divine;  
Refracted through the mist of years  
How red my setting sun appears,  
How lurid looks this sun of mine.

—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

## Oakland Park

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Rockland, Maine, Aug. 7, 1920.  
Personally appeared Nell S. Parry, who on oath declares that she is pressman in the office of the Rockland Publishing Co., and that of the issue of The Courier-Gazette of Aug. 5, 1920, there was printed a total of 5,886 copies.  
Before me, FRANK J. MILLER, Notary Public.

## LEVEL-HEADED

"If elected I mean to be a constitutional President," declares Senator Harding. That statement is all-embracing, and adherence to it insures the prosperity and contentment that have been so sadly lacking in the past seven years, and for the return of which every citizen yearns. As his first amplification under that declaration, Mr. Harding promises an end of autocracy, and "the restoration of representative popular government under the Constitution." The candidate's handling of our international relations and the covenant of the league is a model of American patriotism, combined with a profound realization of the duties and responsibilities of the United States as a member of the family of nations. "Our party," says the Senator, "means to hold the heritage of American nationality unimpaired and unsundered." But while he stands for America first and with all rights preserved, Mr. Harding holds that the right of self-determination must set an example of peace before the world. His position is epitomized when he says, "It is better to be the free and disinterested agent of international justice and advancing civilization, with the covenant of conscience than be shackled by a written compact which surrenders our freedom of action and gives to a military alliance the right to proclaim America's duty to the world."

"Parkhurst by Twenty-five Thousand," the Maine Republican slogan, is no shot in the dark but a natural expression of the feeling everywhere to be observed. The great meeting at Oakland Park yesterday, striking for its numbers and spirit, was of the same character that Republican speakers, even those early in the campaign, are everywhere encountering throughout Maine. It is particularly noticeable that the people are demanding a change in the national administration. "We have had enough of Wilsonism and all that has grown out of it these past seven years," they declare. An old-time Republican September majority in Maine will be the first step recorded in the approaching national overturn.

## FOR WAR MEMORIALS

A beautiful pamphlet comes to The Courier-Gazette desk, contributed by the Boston Society of Architects and the Boston Society of Landscape Architects for the use of towns and cities in New England. It supplements the efforts of the American Federation of Arts, the Municipal Art Society in New York City, the American Civic Association, the American Institute of Architects and other institutions which are dealing with the war memorials. "In such a way as to afford assistance to officials, commissions and committees who are earnestly endeavoring to make the memorials of the Great War express in a permanently satisfactory manner, feelings of honor, sacrifice and patriotism." The pamphlet contains 28 pictures of memorials already in existence, enabling committees to select by comparison some form that may be adapted to the community's taste or means. Either of the Boston societies above mentioned will be glad to furnish further information. It is the earnest hope of these societies that the memorials of the Great War, as they are being erected, will be of lasting beauty and grandeur, and that the generations of America, so many of whom have been committed in the way of such memorials that expert help thus proffered should be utilized. If any officials or committees who desire copies of this pamphlet may come desire copies of the bulletins, or further information, they should write to Harry J. Carlson, Chairman, 89 State street, Boston.

Meters lately installed in the store of U. E. Leach at West Rockport show the Camden and Rockland Water Co. just how much water passes daily through the 14-inch main which serves Rockland, the 10-inch main which serves Thomaston and the 10-inch main from which Camden and Rockport get their supply. Sup't. Fred E. Leach informs The Courier-Gazette that the institute of using about 1,500,000 gallons a day, Thomaston uses about 400,000 gallons and Camden-Rockport use about 600,000. In other words the draft from Mirror Lake averages about 2,500,000 gallons daily. An inch of water in that pond is equivalent to about 2,000,000 gallons. Nature has been very kind this season, and the first of this week there were six more inches of water in the lake than at this time last year. The charts record an unusual draft, and the officials can even tell when the Maine Central locomotives are watering up. In Camden the company is lowering its mains below the frost limit, and meters are being put into a number of residences and business places.

Wilson B. Keene, who recently spent his vacation in this city, has returned to Washington, D. C., with an approved promotion which practically makes him the second ranking man in the United States Shipping Board. Mr. Keene's connection with the Shipping Board dates back to February, 1918, when he was manager of the tug and barge department, and stationed in Washington. In the following February he was transferred to New York in a similar capacity. From New York he was transferred last January to New Orleans, with the title of district director. Aug. 1st further appreciation of his executive ability was shown by his appointment as assistant director of operations of the U. S. Shipping Board, with headquarters in Washington. Mr. Keene is a son of the late Capt. Samuel Keene. His wife, formerly Miss Marie Gurdy, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gurdy, in this city.

## SPLENDID OPENING RALLY

Congressman White, Candidate Parkhurst and Other Speakers, Inspire Crowd of 2000 At Oakland Park—Women Form Strong Organization.

"Parkhurst by 25,000" is the slogan which State Chairman Frank J. Ham has adopted for the Republican campaign in Maine. Leaders who are familiar with modern political conditions, and who do not blind themselves to the fact that the Democratic national committee will dump large sums into this State, have felt that the Republican chairman was a bit over sanguine when he framed this motto, but if anything is to be judged by the fine spirit and great enthusiasm manifested at the mass meeting in Oakland Park yesterday Mr. Ham is not going to come far from the mark.

It was the opening gun of the 1920 campaign, so far as the Knox county Republicans are concerned, and it could not have been fired under more favorable auspices. The weather was perfect, there must have been nearly 2000 persons present, and the issues were so clearly outlined by the speakers that nobody was left in doubt as to why the Republican party should be triumphant.

The leaders were amazed at the keen interest shown by the women, who, if Tennessee passes the suffrage amendment next Monday will cast their votes in the September election. In the event that suffrage is not ratified by the 36th State between now and September, it is hardly to be doubted that the voters of Maine will so pass upon the referendum Sept. 13 as that women will at least have an opportunity of voting at the Presidential election in November.

Yesterday they were treated exactly as though they already possessed the right of suffrage, and at a separate meeting of their own perfected a county organization which was indicative of both energy and enthusiasm.

Col. Frederic H. Parkhurst, candidate for governor, and Congressman Wallace H. White, Jr., whom the Second District is going to send back by another routing majority, arrived at the Park during the forenoon and held an informal reception which was not interrupted even while they were at lunch in the Park restaurant. They were accompanied by Mrs. Parkhurst, wife of the gubernatorial candidate; and Mrs. Guy P. Gannett, wife of the Republican national committee man from this State. Mrs. Gannett is herself chairman of the Women's Republican State committee. Both ladies share their husbands' enthusiasm in the Republican cause, and are likely to rival them in political acuteness before the campaign is over.

County Chairman G. H. Blithen had worked zealously to make this mass meeting a success, and has the satisfaction of knowing that it exceeded everybody's fondest expectations. The one mishap was the failure of the claims to arrive in season for the bake. Eggs and fish were substituted and they came out of the steaming seaward in a most appetizing manner.

The Park Band was meantime discoursing popular airs, and continued its program until late in the afternoon. The mass meeting, which was held in the grove, was called to order by Zelma M. Dwinall of Camden, and the big crowd got into a most favorable impression of the popular young man whom the Republicans have nominated for county attorney. Mr. Dwinall voiced a widely prevalent belief when he said that the 20 years in which the Republic has been under Democratic rule is long enough. "Even the solid South is preparing to cast an intelligent vote this fall," said the chairman.

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Referring to the fact that 35 States have already ratified the suffrage amendment, and that Tennessee is soon to be given an opportunity to make the 36th, Mrs. Gannett spoke of Maine's position in the event that the measure fails to pass the Tennessee Legislature. "It will be of first importance to see that the male voters vote right on this referendum," she said. "If Maine should vote against suffrage referendum the women of this State will not have an opportunity to vote for anything, while the women in those States which have adopted suffrage will have the privilege of voting for everything."

Introduced by Chairman Dwinall as a man who had fought Republican battles in season and out, Col. Parkhurst received a hearty greeting, and the speaker smartly applauded when he declared that Maine needs a continuance of the forward looking government which it has had under Gov. Milliken in the way of developing the educational system to its highest standard, and caring for the poor, enlarging its system of good roads, the upbuilding of agricultural interests and the improvement of labor.

Col. Parkhurst told how Maine a century ago was on a tide that was carrying her faster than the rest of the Union, and how she lost her stride because of her location and industrial changes. The State is now facing another revolution industrially, and this time is not on the short side of it. The use of hydro-electric power is to be its

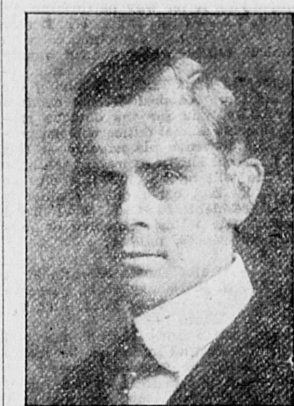
salvation. Maine has potential water power which could turn one-eighth of the industrial wheels in the United States.

"Seventy per cent of the coal mined in the United States is used to make power," said Col. Parkhurst. "The transportation of that coal is a tremendous problem. Think what it would mean to relieve the transportation of that coal by using hydro-electric power for our industries!" The speaker was given prolonged applause when he declared that the water powers belong to Maine, and should be used absolutely for the employment of Maine men and women, in Maine.

Col. Parkhurst paid a fine tribute to Congressman White, saying that no young man has entered Congressional life who has made so deep an imprint upon legislation. "He is broad-minded, devoted to the country, State and district, and measures up to the best in Congress without regard to length of service," said the speaker.

In closing Col. Parkhurst said that indications point to an absolute landslide, with more votes than the party ever cast before, and he made a plea for the party to throw off the Democratic yoke in Knox county.

Congressman White's winning smile, now familiar to many Knox county



Zelma M. Dwinall of Camden, presiding officer and candidate for County Attorney.

voters, greeted the same large audience after a 20-minute recess in order that the women might complete their organization.

Extravagance of the Wilson administration and reckless mismanagement in war preparations formed the text of the powerful argument by the Second District's eloquent representative. He showed that in less than four years the government had expended \$9 per cent more than it had cost to run the country in the entire period from 1789 to 1917. "We are told," said the speaker, "that the burden falls upon the wealthy and the corporate interests, but unfortunately there's no way of keeping tax where it is first placed, and in the last analysis it is being paid by the average man and woman."

Congressman White cited the millions wasted on the aviation program, without landing a single fighting machine in France, and of similar negligible results which had followed vast expenditures for other war supplies. He spoke of the 12 pairs of saddles made for each of 68,000 cavalry horses, of the 35 sets of spur straps for every cavalry officer in the American army, and of the 105,000 pairs of army shoes which were purchased for branding less than double that number of horses and mules. He told how some of the American soldiers went into review with their feet done up in burlap, although 41,000,000 pairs of army shoes were contracted for, and 31,000,000 were actually delivered somewhere.

Two billion dollars' worth of American supplies were sold in France at 20 cents on the dollar. Sugar which could have been brought back to this country and sold at 10 cents a pound, was sold overseas at less than two cents a pound, and promissory notes taken in payment. Millions of cans of vegetables were sold at a sacrifice, the excuses being given that they were not salable on account of being in large cans. The real reason probably was that there was a tentative agreement with the canners that the goods would not be brought back to this country to make a break in the market.

Congressman White sharply criticized departmental affairs in Washington, and told how the demands sent in by the Democratic party for the year had been reduced \$2,415,000,000 by a Republican Congress. "Give us in addition to a Republican Congress a Republican President, cabinet and department heads, and we will show you how the Democratic party will move," Congressman White said. "We have got to simplify the machinery to have an efficient organization. They're down there in a concrete dugout—a sort of Hindenburg line, and the only way of getting them out is voting them out."

A recess was declared midway of the speaking program in order that the women might have a meeting of their own. This was held in the dancing pavilion, and was presided over by short talks by Mrs. Gannett, as chairman of the Women's Division of the Republican State Committee; and Mrs. Frank J. Rich of Rockport, Knox county member of the Republican State Committee, by whom the call had been issued to the women of the county.

One paragraph of her call is especially well quoted, as indicating an early desire on the part of the Knox county women to avoid any semblance of the "outlet dried" conversions for which their better halves in both parties have been too often criticized. Mrs. Rich wrote:

"Because women sometimes excuse themselves on the pretext that 'it's useless,' the officers have already been picked out for us; everything is decided; we have no real part; not count at all; all they want of us is to endorse the slate; so we will stay at home; and because every one of you, your friend and your neighbor is needed to help us to learn, it is necessary to state that there is no slate for this meeting. Not a single county officer has been selected, so none need feel hampered by fear of steam roller or machine methods. You may begin with a fair field and the square deal."

## THE WEEK IN REVIEW

## The Presidential Campaign

The formal opening of the Democratic campaign will come today, in the acceptance speech of Governor Cox at Dayton. A good deal of interest attaches to this speech, as fore-shadowing the issues which will be pressed to the front by the Democratic side. Especially as to the League of Nations and the Peace Treaty, the speech will be closely studied to see how far it sustains the declaration of the President that he and the candidate are "absolutely at one," and how far Governor Cox has found it necessary to modify that position to bring it into accord with the counsel of his advisers and the views of the majority of his party.

While the newly chosen chairman of the National Democratic Committee, said the other day, one does not hear much about the League of Nations out in Ohio.

## The Strike in Illinois

In Illinois, the strikers turned a deaf ear to the orders of Mr. Lewis, their national President, seconded by Mr. Farrington, their state President, that they keep their contract, and go back to work, so that President Wilson might keep his promise to reopen the wage question. But nothing short of the immediate granting of their demands would satisfy them. So the more than 45,000 miners in different parts of the State, at the meetings of their unions on Monday, voted to stay out, with the result that not a single mine of any consequence is now in operation. This obstinate refusal of the demands of the President, and of the heads of their own national and state organizations is generally attributed to the activities of the Reds and the I. W. W.

## Coal Strikers Ordered Back to Work

On receipt of a letter from President Wilson, insisting that the striking coal miners in Indiana and Illinois return to work, and thus demonstrate their good faith in keeping their contract, and the necessity of abandoning their bloody work. The date was first advanced to the 4th of August, and then all dates and promises were abandoned. By the 4th of August, the roles had been forced to abandon the Big River line, and make a rapid retreat and shorten their line, involving the abandonment of half of their country to the invaders. The Bolshevik columns were then enveloping Warsaw from the north and east, and the necessity of abandoning Warsaw and removing the capital to Cracow was generally acknowledged.

## The Crushing of Poland.

The crushing of Poland by the Bolshevik forces has gone steadily forward during the week. The Bolshevik promise of an armistice on the 30th of July proved to be, as was suspected only a subterfuge, intended to lead to a slackening of the Polish defense, and the necessity of abandoning Warsaw and removing the capital to Cracow was generally acknowledged.

as safeguards against possible pitfalls. If unfairness later creeps into this organization, will it not be the fault of our own neglect?"

And this frankly expressed sentiment doubtless had much to do with the very large attendance at the women's meeting and the universal interest which was displayed.

Mrs. Nan B. Higgs of Camden was chosen as presiding officer, and handled her duties very skillfully, as might be expected from the daughter of a town meeting parliamentary like Charles A. Higgs, of Camden. Mrs. N. A. Taylor of Thomaston, a woman gifted with leadership qualifications was elected chairman of the county committee, the other officers being:

Vice Chairman—Mrs. J. Frank Rich, Rockport.

Secretary—Mrs. Nan B. Higgs, Camden.

Treasurer—Mrs. Joseph W. Wilde, Rockland.

Executive Committee—Mrs. Myrtle Judkins, Union, chairman; Miss Mary Mills, Hope; Mrs. Mary Mills, North Haven; Mrs. Julia Robinson, Warren; Miss Ada Wadsworth, Appleton.

Mrs. G. H. Blithen of Rockland was elected public chairwoman for Knox county. The chairman of the county committee by towns and vice chairmen, were chosen as:

Appleton—Mrs. Lizzie Newbert.

Camden—Mrs. Nan B. Higgs, chairman; Mrs. E. L. Bate, vice chairman.

Criehaven—Mrs. E. C. Mitchell.

Cushing—Mrs. Grace M. Maloney, chairman; Mrs. Hattie Burton, vice chairman.

Friendship—Mrs. Florence P. Hahn, chairman; Mrs. M. B. Houghton, vice chairman.

Hope—Mrs. John Mariner, vice chairman.

Matineus and Isle au Haut—Miss Henrietta Ames.

North Haven—Mrs. Mary Mills.

Rockland—Mrs. Joseph W. Wilde and Mrs. Beulah S. Oxtom, chairwomen.

Mrs. J. F. Cooper and Mrs. E. M. Lawrence, vice chairmen.

Rockport—Mrs. J. Frank Rich, chairman; Mrs. Jennie Harkness, vice chairman.

South Thomaston—Mrs. Fred W. Gilchrist.

St. George—Mrs. Alfred C. Hocking.

Thomaston—Mrs. N. A. Taylor, chairman; Mrs. Alfred C. Strout, vice chairman.

Union—Mrs. Lela M. Haskell, chairman; Mrs. Myrtle Judkins, vice chairman.

Vinalhaven—Miss Mildred Vinal.

Warren—Mrs. Julia Robinson, chairman; Miss Harriet Stevens, vice chairman.

Washington—Mrs. Edith A. Overlock, chairman; Mrs. Jennie Hume, vice chairman.

Mrs. Truscott is leaving a very busy season at Owl's Head Inn, every room being engaged for August and the first week in September and the demand such that 40 applications for room have had to be declined. Next season Mrs. Truscott hopes to cater to small parties from Rockland.

The display of Glenwood Ranges at the Burpee Furniture Co. is a very handsome sight. They show all the latest models and the prices are very reasonable.

## More Trials Ahead.

Eighty-six Communists, thirty-seven industrial workers of the world, and three women Communist laborers remain to be tried at Chicago under the State law which governed the convictions just reached. Their cases will be pressed by the State immediately after the summer vacation of the Court. Among the Communists to be brought to trial are Rose Pastor Stokes, Nicholas L. Hourwich, editor of Navy Mir of New York, and the former employer of Leon Trotsky; Charles E. Ruthenberg of Cleveland; and John Schwartz of Boston. They are all charged with having endorsed the manifesto of the Third International, adopted at Moscow last year by the Russian Soviets.

## Repression in Ireland.

Rioting, and the promiscuous shooting of police and soldiers, have been carried so far in Ireland that the British Government framed a bill to suspend jury trials, and to establish tribunals which will be courts martial, for the trial of all crimes and offenses under the Defense of the Realm Act. This action was hastened by the recent refusal of men drawn for jury service to answer the call. Military courts, under the bill, will also take over the duties of coroners, with the power to decide cases without jury; but, in trial for crimes punishable by death, it is provided that one of the judges shall be a person who need not be an officer, but who must be appointed by the viceroy from a list approved by the Lord Chancellor of Ireland or the Lord Chief Justice of England.

## The German Attitude.

Not unnaturally, the attitude of Germany is regarded with suspicion. It is known that she has a large quantity of arms and ammunition, concealed where it could easily be drawn upon, when needed; and that she has thousands of demobilized soldiers and so-called volunteer forces which she could put in the field at short notice. Under the pretence of rallying these forces to repel the Bolsheviks, it would be quite possible for her—if Russia should complete the conquest of Poland, and the institution of a soviet government there—to form an alliance with the soviet Government of Russia, and instead of fighting the Bolsheviks, to join them in fighting the Allies—a step which would reopen the European war on a very dangerous scale.

## Communist Agitators Sentenced.

The trial which has been in progress for some time at Chicago, of William Bross Lloyd, the so-called millionaire Socialist, and nineteen of his associates in the Communist Labor Party, on a charge of conspiracy to overthrow the Government of the United States, ended on the 3d of August in a verdict of guilty. Six of the defendants, including Lloyd, were sentenced to five years imprisonment, together with fines of from \$1,000 to \$2,000; and the others to one year's imprisonment and a fine. The convicted men were the founders of the Communist Labor Party last September, when the Left Wing radicals withdrew from the Socialist party. The evidence showed that they had advocated the substitution of the red flag for the Stars and Stripes as the national emblem, the abolition of the American Government, and the establishment of a government of the proletariat.

## CAN YOU NAME 'EM?

Marines Studying Navigation Couldn't Distinguish Titles of Seven Masts.

That the distinctly American sailing ship has disappeared from the high seas is evidenced by the fact that only 50 per cent of the Marines studying Navigation at the Marine Corps Institute in Quantico, Va., could tell the names of the seven masts, at an examination held recently. The Marines keep themselves keenly alive to things nautical, as well as military, and that only half of their class could name the seven masts is due entirely to the fact that there are now no seven-masted schooners flying the American flag.

Fore, main, mizzen, pusher, driver, jigger, and spanker are the names in order, running fore and aft, of a seven-masted ship. Some authorities give them in the names of foremast, fore, main, mizzen, jigger, spanker or driver and aftermast. Others compromise by naming them from bow to stern after the days of the week, beginning with Sunday.

## IN SPORTING CIRCLES

At a meeting of the Twilight League Wednesday night it was voted to close the season Sept. 2 the Thursday before Labor Day. On that day the league winners will play a team composed of the best players of all the other teams, which is sure to make a splendid game, as the very best players in Rockland are in the different teams. The Street Railway Co. has offered a cash cup to the team having the highest percentage Sept. 4.

In order that all the teams may play each other one game it is necessary that four games be played on the Broadway grounds, therefore that the games originally scheduled to be played Sept. 6, 7, 8, 9, have been set forward and are to be played on the Broadway grounds on the following dates:

Aug. 12—East Coast vs. Chisox; Aug. 20—1. Snow vs. Three Crows; Aug. 27—Rockport vs. Lobsters; Sept. 3—Knox Electric vs. R. R. Line Co. Should any of the dates of the games to be played on Broadway be unsatisfactory they may be changed with the consent of the captains of the two teams, provided the game is played in the week scheduled.

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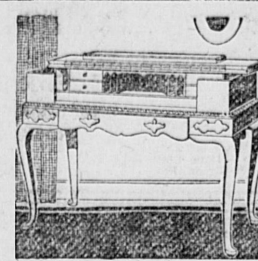
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## Talk of the Town

## COMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS

Aug. 7—(Baseball)—Camden Y. M. C. A. vs. Augusta, in Camden.  
 Aug. 8—St. Cecilia Boys' Band of Lewiston at Oakland Park.  
 Aug. 9—Thomaston—Annual service at the Old Church, on the Hill. Howard C. Moody, speaker. Subject, "The Heritage of Freedom."  
 Aug. 9—Woman's Educational Club meets at Methodist parson.  
 Aug. 10—Thomaston—Public supper and entertainment at Methodist church.  
 Aug. 10—Knox County Field Day Association, 9 a. m., meets at Oakland Park.  
 Aug. 10—12—Maine School for Citizenship, Bates College, Lewiston.  
 Aug. 11—Thomaston—Baptist fair in Watts hall.  
 Aug. 11—Meeting of county directors of home department, State Chamber of Commerce, 45 Beech St., Rockland.  
 Aug. 11—State assessors hold meeting at Knox county courthouse, 9 a. m.  
 Aug. 14—(10:30 a. m. Standard Time)—Launching at Atlantic Coast Co.'s yard in Thomaston.  
 Aug. 17—New Belfast Fair.  
 Aug. 23—Eastern Maine State Fair, Bangor.  
 Aug. 26—Sparring exhibition at Rockland Athletic Club.  
 Aug. 28—Maine Centennial celebration in Rockland.  
 Aug. 28—Northport Campmeeting.  
 Aug. 30—Sept. 3—Central Maine Fair, Waterville.  
 Sept. 6—Labor Day celebration at Oakland Park.  
 Sept. 6—Labor Day celebration at Vinahaven.  
 Sept. 8—Fourth Maine Regiment, Second Maine Battery, Berdan's Sharpshooters and Naval Veterans hold annual reunion in this city.  
 Sept. 13—State election.  
 Sept. 14—15—Maine State Fair, Lewiston.  
 Sept. 21—23—Union Fair.  
 Sept. 23—29—Demerol Fair.  
 Nov. 10—National Grange meets in Boston.  
 Nov. 11—25—Red Cross fourth annual roll call, seeking ten million members.

## REUNIONS

Aug. 11—Hall family at Penobscot View Grange hall, Glen Cove.  
 Aug. 11—Borrows Reunion at Oakland Park.  
 Aug. 11—Whitman family at Northport.  
 Aug. 18—Smalley family at Shepherd Smalley's, St. George.  
 Aug. 18—Ingraham family at Oakland Park.  
 Aug. 18—Underwood reunion at Sarah J. Carver's luncheon at Rockland.  
 Aug. 18—Shibles family at Oakland Park.  
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 Aug. 18—Hewitt family at association at Hewitt homestead, Windsor.  
 Aug. 18—Payson-Fogler families at Remon Grove, Warren.  
 Aug. 25—Payson-Fogler families at Penobscot View Grange hall, Glen Cove.  
 Aug. 25—Hills family at home of James Cameron, Union.

City Treasurer Dwight L. Virgin is a lover of the beautiful. Witness the handsome geraniums which grace the window gardens in his office.

There will be a meeting of Ivanhoe Temple, Pythian Sisters, Wednesday evening Aug. 11. Every member is requested to be present to plan for the district convention to be held here Sept. 8. The meeting will be called at 7:30 sharp.

"Pooh!" exclaimed Alderman Martin S. Britton, when he read in Thursday's Courier-Gazette about Major Berry's pole beans which are 11 feet, 7 inches tall. "Let him come up and see mine," said the gallant Civil War veteran. The poles in Alderman Britton's garden at 20 Frederick street are exactly 12 feet above ground. "The vines have already gone 'over the top,'" and are still growing. Alderman Britton also qualifies as a farming expert by having green corn nearly ready for the kettle. He is willing to concede that Major Berry is doing pretty well for a youngster. Meantime have A. H. Newbert's guns been silenced?

Local baseball fans will again have their choice of two games this afternoon. The East Coast team plays at the Samoset, and Augusta plays at Camden.

For several years past the months of August has seen the pulpit at the First Baptist church filled each Sunday by speakers of high ability, supported in the absence of the regular pastor on vacation, drafted from the ranks of clergymen summering in this vicinity. Tomorrow the first of these speakers will be heard, Rev. Everett C. Herrick, of the Fall River Baptist church, and regarded as among the ablest of the Massachusetts clergymen. Large audiences should greet him on this occasion, for he has always a message that it is pleasure to listen to. Mrs. Herrick is to sing, thus adding to the interest of the occasion.

Now that the controversy in regard to the Ben Bean blacksmith shop has somewhat abated, Ephraim Perry recalls that his great uncle, Knott Crockett, who by the way was the first mayor of Rockland, once owned all of the land between James street and Maverick street, as far back as The Meadows. He also recalls that the building now occupied by the County Club was once owned by the late Waterman Fales, who gave a syndicate all the lumber it wished to quarry on his property if the syndicate would build him this house.

The four large trucks of the East Coast Fisheries Company, one of them carrying a trailer, made an interesting spectacle yesterday afternoon when they came back from Camden piled high with cement, which is being used in construction work at the East Coast Terminal Docks. Harold Hanscom, assistant traffic manager, was chief marshal of the parade.

There'll be a record breaking crowd at Oakland Park Sunday afternoon; our word for it. The Knox County Electric Co. made a ten-strike when it secured the St. Cecilia Boys' Band of Lewiston, for this is one of the most famous organizations in the State, and is a big drawing card wherever it goes. The concert will be given at the usual time—2:30 to 5:30, but it will be advisable for those who can get there earlier to do so, and avoid the traffic rush. Now let the Weather Bureau do its share.

William Hemingway, who has been employed at Frank L. Weeks' candy store for a number of years, and who has devoted his entire lifetime, thus far, to that business, is soon to enter the employ of Ranlett & Weymouth.

Samuel L. Alperin of Rockland street has received a delayed communication from his brother, Abraham Alperin, of the Province of Vilna, Russia, which shows how the family has suffered through the warfare still raging in that unhappy country. Last April while Mr. Alperin was peacefully operating his mill he was attacked by the Bolsheviks who seized everything the family had, and even stripped clothing from the backs of its members. Assassination was threatened, but the other villagers intervened, and the Bolshevik forces finally departed leaving an impoverished family. Later, one of the boys, 23 years of age, was attacked while on his way to market. The Bolsheviks seized his horse, wagon and flour, and left him dead in the highway. Immediately after the receipt of this harrowing news the Alperins in this city and Massachusetts pooled a considerable sum of money and cabled it to the stricken family.

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## FULLER-COBB-DAVIS

Services in the Thomaston Old Church on the Hill are held tomorrow at 3 p. m., according to the annual custom. There will be special music and Howard C. Moody, esq., delivers the address.

At the meeting of the Osteopathic Association in Portland this week Dr. Thomas L. McBeath of this city was elected a member of the executive committee, and will also serve on the committee which has charge of the next annual convention, to be held in Augusta.

The 13th annual meeting of the Knox County Field Day Association of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held at Oakland Park next Tuesday. The business meeting will be called at 3 p. m., to be followed by a program. Coffee, with cream and sugar, will be furnished, free to all who have registered with the secretary. All members of the Eastern Star, residing or visiting in Knox county are invited.

The Universalist Mission circle will picnic at Oakland Park next Wednesday. If stormy the next pleasant day. Take dishes. For further information call Mrs. W. H. Glover.

Steamer City of Rockland is back from the Snow Co. machine shop, putting both engines in first class condition for service.

A young man from South America who recently rusticated at the "painters' camp" in Nobleboro, was soon what dismayed when he arrived there to find his trunk and suitcase were locked and that he had no key. He phoned back to Rockland for his sister to send it over. The sister could not find the key, and finally resorted to a locksmith. In due time the trunk was opened and the key was found inside. As the South American scorns country newspapers he will probably never see this item.

Winfield S. Melvin had a very painful accident Thursday while at work on the Northend trestlework. His left hand was cut by a crow-bar, nearly severing his little finger.

"Battling Al" Thomas of Chicago and George Robinson of Cambridge, Mass., have been signed up for the Rockland Athletic Club for the main bout (a twin six) on the night of the Firemen's Muster, Aug. 26. Robinson fights Mike O'Dowd, the middleweight champion of the world in Lawrence the 19th, and the fans may draw their own conclusions as to his calibre. A double-six semi final between Young Couburn of Hallowell and Young Dwyer of Lewiston, and three first-class preliminaries bouts will also figure in this big bill.

Everybody knows that Rockland is to have a Maine Centennial Celebration on the evening of Aug. 23, the local papers having given extensive notice of the event and the State papers likewise noting it. The purpose of the management now is to greatly enlarge the field of publicity to the end that the public may be made acquainted in advance with the details. The various committees have been quietly but energetically maturing plans and making tentative arrangements for the big features, the most of which will be entirely new to this locality. Details will be ready for publication next week and from now on a big publicity campaign will be carried out. The citizens of Rockland will not be disappointed if they expect to see the largest crowds and the most interesting events ever seen in this part of the State.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Schaub of Somerville, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Delano.

Miss Lenora A. Chapin of Bangor, a graduate nurse from the Central Maine Hospital, Lewiston, has been sent to this city, under instructions from the executive committee of the Maine Public Health Association to co-operate with the Knox County Association, which is now in the formative stages. She has temporary headquarters at the home of Mrs. D. L. McCarty 45 Grove street, and while her work for the present will be largely educational, she will attend in an ordinary capacity, to any cases which may be reported to the local health officer D. L. McCarty. In the interest of all concerned the county organization should be completed as soon as possible.

## WITH THE CHURCHES

St. Peter's church (Episcopal). See notes on page one of this paper.

Sunday services will be held in Gile Temple at 2 in the afternoon and 7 in the evening, conducted by Pastor Richardson.

At the Congregational church, Sunday morning, the minister, Walter S. Rounds, will preach on the theme "The Higher Pilgrimage." The public is invited.

Littlefield Memorial church: Rev. Howard A. Welch minister: Morning worship at 10:30; sermon, "Fellowship;" Sunday school at 11:40; Christian Endeavor at 6; evening service at 7:15.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Cedar and Brewster streets. Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon "Spirit;" Sunday school at 12:10. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30.

Pratt Memorial Methodist Episcopal church: The preacher for Sunday will be the Rev. Maurice Dunbar of Farmington. Morning worship at 10:30; School session at 12 and evening service at 7:15, with a short gospel message by Mr. Dunbar.

Rev. Everett C. Herrick of Fall River is to fill the First Baptist pulpit tomorrow, the first of the August series of speakers in the vacation absence of Rev. Mr. Pratt. Mrs. Herrick is to sing. The services will be at the usual hours, 10:30 a. m. and 7:15 p. m., with Sunday school at noon. Mr. Herrick's topics will be: Morning, "Our Father's God;" evening, "The Church-going Habit as Seen in Rockland and Elsewhere."

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## THE BOOK CARAVAN

Unique Shop On Wheels Is On Its Way To Visit Rockland.

The interesting land frigate which has been touring Massachusetts seashore towns is now in Maine. It is the Book Caravan, the first of its kind. It will arrive in Rockland (en route from Bath and Wiscasset) Monday afternoon, Aug. 16, and will remain over the following day, parking in Postoffice Square, opposite the Cape Breton Hotel. The next day it will be at the Samoset, Thursday at Camden, on the Sexton's lot opposite the postoffice, and Friday at Belfast.

The Courier-Gazette has previously alluded to the Book Caravan, which is a mobile library on wheels. The next day it will be at the Samoset, Thursday at Camden, on the Sexton's lot opposite the postoffice, and Friday at Belfast. The Caravan is a small, motor-driven vehicle, originally used by the gypsies, but later adapted for meandering vacation journeys up and down the coast. In this case, as Mr. Lucas says, either gypsies might have lived, or anyone that did live would soon be gypsified. It is also descended in part from that wholly imaginary, but altogether delightful wagon of Christopher Morley's "Parnassus on Wheels." Perhaps someone will miss the gray horses, but every one knows now that the presence of gasoline power is no barrier to romance.

It is a Keweenaw coach of gray, with gilt letters, and large enough to house more than 1200 books. Bright orange silk curtains show at its windows, and perhaps lead you to enter, if you meet the car for the first time when it is at work. In this case, too, you will find it with its awnings extended over small tables displaying more of its wares. Once within you will find yourself in a miniature bookshop, and even though several other books are there, you will not be crowded. At some places along the road the car has had as many as twelve inside at the same time. You may purchase any book you see and carry it away, or you may order any book for which you hanker.

This Book Caravan is sent out by The Bookshop for Boys and Girls, of Boston, of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union, but its stock is drawn from the shelves of the American Library Association, and its selection of the books and respect for varying taste. In addition to fiction many subjects are represented—biography, travel, out-of-door books—flowers, birds, gardens, children, and indoor books—cooking, house-planning, household management and the care of children; books on art; books on labor and current questions; and last but not least, poetry.

Perhaps it will be pleasant for you to have an advance introduction to the Caravans—Miss Mary Frank and Miss Genevieve Washburn—before you meet them on the road. Miss Frank is a Pratt Institute graduate and regularly on the staff of the New York Public Library, but on leave of absence for work on the Book Caravan this summer. Miss Washburn, who drives the car, is a graduate of Wellesley, she was in France for a year of the war driving for the Fund for French Wounded.

The Book Caravan does not go from house to house with its wares, but takes up its station at the right place for a town, its announcements and posters having given advance warning of its arrival. Bringing its wares to communities where books are not available, performs a public service, in a town, it is a place where one of the finest bookshops in New England, sales are not likely to be large, but people will want to see the unique turn-out. The profits of the enterprise go to a charitable enterprise.

## SOME PRETTY TALL BEANS

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—"Can you beat it, Mr. Newbert?" Referring to the item in your Thursday's issue treating of Major E. W. Berry's pole beans I will answer, Yes sir.

Eleven feet and seven inches would be a good height for bush beans, but up here in the country we can show pole beans that will beat those figures by a foot and a half and if the poles were longer, we would easily show 15 feet. It had not occurred to me to measure mine, as my neighbor Winslow across the street has some so much taller than mine, I think he is entitled to the championship belt. Incidentally, Golden Bantam corn alongside my corn measures 8 feet. Not bad for bantam.

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## LOTS OF REASONS

Why the Prices of Smokes Have Gone A-Soaring—But Quality Has Advanced.

Away back in the dim past, in the happy days before the war, the grade of cigar most in demand by the smoking masses sold at retail for 10 cents, or three for a quarter. Then came trouble, and with it a general ascension of everything, and the dime no longer coaxed the good smoke across. The tobacco leaf—filler, wrapper and binder, all advanced, and the men who made the cigars had to have more pay to meet the rising cost of existence, and to make it worse the government also made more money, to help lick the Germans, so that the revenue tax that used to be 23 per thousand soared to 39. All these boosts, not to mention other labor advances and a nice little flight in the price of boxes, forced the manufacturers to put up the price or get out of business says the Bangor News.

The average 10 cent cigar, formerly jobbing for about \$65 to \$68 a thousand went up to \$70, \$75, \$80 and \$90 in successive jumps, and along in the fall of 1919 the retailers found it necessary to forget the dime and to use a quarter idea and made it 13 cents, or three for 35 cents. No one complained much, and trade went along as usual, but the limit had not been reached. Recently the cigar makers demanded and received an increase of \$2 per thousand for their work, bringing the labor cost of hand made goods up to \$23, as compared with \$13 before the war, an advance of 77 per cent. Havana cigars went to \$119 a pound, as compared with 55 cents in the olden days, plus 25 cents duty; Sumatra wrappers soared to \$4.75 plus \$1.85 duty, as compared with \$2, and Connecticut broadleaf binder, which used to be plentiful at 35 cents, now is scarce at \$1 a pound. Add all those things together, and throw in another dollar per thousand advance for the cigar makers that the manufacturers had granted a while ago without passing it on to the consumer, and you have a total of \$1.19 per cigar, three for 35 cents, for the manufacturers were obliged to advance their price to \$100 per thousand, which is 44 or 46 per cent higher than before the war. Many smokers buy by the box, and others buy auto packs of 10 cigars, which can be had at \$1.25, or 12½ cents each.

The five cent cigar also has joined in the battle. The average 5 cent cigar, which used to be 10 cents, now is 15 cents, and now many brands sell at eight cents, the jobbing price having risen from \$5 a thousand to \$61.

There are employed in Bangor about 78 cigar makers, mostly hand workers, and perhaps half that number of hands in other departments of the factories. A fast hand worker can turn out an average of about 1800 cigars a week, for which he gets \$41.

Manufacturers say that they make about three times as many of the better grade of cigars as of the cheap kinds, that the quality is better than ever and that trade is holding up well, for all the skyrocketing of prices. Less of money that used to be spent for liquor now goes for cigars.

## BEN'S SHOES AND CABBAGES

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—

Any sympathy is deeply appreciated when one is parted from his shoes. I'll say this, Ben did meditate, while sitting on the steps. The devil was fitting in his work, evidently taking full possession of his faculties, and reaching down he took hold of my shoes and beat it. Somewhere way down in Ben's head there is a tender spot that tried in vain to hail me on the departure of the shoes. For my part, I took a philosophical view of it. If Mr. B. really needs the shoes he is welcome. I congratulate him on wearing such comfortable shoes. I will not indulge even a passing thought on what Ike said. All he had to do was to pull the nails. But why worry? There is a stake driven in my lawn with six pairs of shoes tied to it, with a card leaning against it, which says: "Help yourself. And I will not forget to say that there are a few more of the cabbage plants left. If anyone is not satisfied with the gifts, and insists on corned beef, let him call at the door and say that I am not busy we will fill his tank, regardless of state or profession. Once more, old shoes, around which hover tender and comfortable memories, farewell. In haste, let I forget, B. S. Whitehouse.

## FREAK POTATO STALK

Vegetable Editor The Courier-Gazette: I am sending you this morning a very wonderful production of my Irish potato garden. If you will examine this specimen with care you will note that the potatoes instead of growing at the bottom of the vine, underground, are growing up the sides of the stock, and that some of them are as large as walnuts.

This is certainly a new variety of potato and it has great possibilities for the welfare and relief of the backaches of the overburdened farmers of Aroostook. With the aid of Luther Burbank we propose to develop this specimen till we are able to gather a large number of specimens of potatoes growing from the tops of the vines much like cucumbers do at the present. When this is accomplished we will be able to relieve the labor shortage in Aroostook for all farmers who have to do is to plant his seed in the spring. No hoeing, no digging, only the picking up of the potatoes when the vines have withered. This is sure good news for the farmers, for by manipulating the weeds and making them be able to keep up the price of the potatoes and at the same time reap large harvests of gold from the enlightened potato.

You know, dear editor, I always did expect something wonderful from the much troubled Irish race. And here it is. This New Sport of the Irish Cobbler has given us the secret of ease and abundance for every farmer of the race. I trust you will see that should funds be needed to interest Luther Burbank in this project that these funds are secured, as the future is very bright for any common spud that can develop such possibilities as in the above case. W. L. P.

[The potato stalk to which the correspondent has humorously referred, is indeed a curious product of nature, and may be seen at this office. Will somebody kindly explain it.—Ed.]

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## PUNCH BOARDS TAXABLE

Revenue Department Makes a Ruling In Regard To Prizes.

According to information received from Washington by the collector of internal revenue for the District of Maine prizes or premiums given in connection with the operation of a punchboard are held to be articles sold for "consumption or use," and such articles which are of a nature taxable when sold for consumption or use are subject to tax when given as such prizes or premiums the tax attaching at the time when they are given, based on their fair retail market value.

Where such a board is placed with a merchant on consignment, the consignor is liable for the return and payment of the tax, but if the board and the prizes or premiums are sold outright to the merchant who operates the board himself, he is held to be the "dealer" within the meaning of the act and must account for the tax. The same ruling applies to ring games and other games of chance operated in connection with amusement parks, carnival companies, circuses, etc.

The fair retail or market price is a fair valuation of the amount the article would bring in open market and should not be based on the cost of the article to the dealer. If a prize or premium is redeemed by the operator of the board or game, such redemption is held to be a separate transaction and the tax attaches at the time the prize is given, on the fair retail market value, and not on the amount for which the article is redeemed.

Gold and silver coins are not subject to tax, but when mounted or inclosed in a taxable article, such as a watch fob, the tax attaches on the fair retail market value of the coin and the articles combined.

No tax attaches to the gift of an article which if sold would be taxable, such as premiums given in return for help, wrappers, coupons, trading stamps, or other script are not regarded as gifts.

The sale of a taxable article to a merchant who intends to give such article away for advertising purposes is a sale for consumption or use within the meaning of the act, and the manufacturer or dealer making the sale must account for the five per cent tax imposed.

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## CUSHNOCS 5, CAMDEN 3

## Megunticook Lads Lose In Augusta But Give Crowd Its Money's Worth.

The Camden Y. M. C. A. team was defeated 5 to 3 in Augusta, Wednesday afternoon, by the Cushnocs. The Kennebec Journal thus reported the game:

Lusty hits at the opportune moment coupled with heady base running spelled defeat for the Camden lads and enabled the Cushnocs to nose out a 5 to 3 victory in one of the fastest and most interesting contests played on Williams' field this season. The first four frames gave promise of a scoreless game, both contenders putting up a sharp fielding game, knocking down many near hits. In the first of the fifth Boynton led off for the visitors with a screaming two base hit and got to third a moment later when Harvey threw out McGrath unassisted. Boynton scored on Wilber's fly to leftfield, the throw-in going a bit wild.

Not to be out-done the paper mill lads came right back and registered in their end of the session. Here's how: After Haskell and "Herbie" Leighton had shied out, "Freddie" Whitten got a life on Anderson's error and was aided in reaching the home station by a couple of hard grounders that eluded third baseman Thomas. W. Whitten ended the fun by grounding out.

In the next stanza Cote renewed the good work by lifting a long hit that was good for two sacks and jogged home when Merrill got hold of a fast one driving it up against the right field bank for three bases.

With the acquisition of these two tallies the game was neatly put on ice for the local lads. Neither side scored in the seventh but in the Cushnocs' side of the eighth Merrill got on by an error and was advanced to second by Harvey's pretty little bunt. "Chet" Haskell poked out a timely clout and Merrill raced home with his second run. Leighton poked out a neat single, Haskell scoring. A fast double play was turned in when "Dutchy" Nicholas caught Richards' high fly and pegged quickly to second retiring E. Magee instead of making an attempt to throw out the man going home. "Heady work," the crowd murmured.

Morin, Camden's shortstop, goes after the grass cutters in grand style. He choked out three hot ones off the bat without a single misplay.

All in all it was a snappy and lively exhibition and the crowd was satisfied.

The score:

	Cushnocs	Camden
Nicholas, If	4	0
Carey, ss	5	0
W. Whitten, rf	3	0
Cote, 2b	4	1
Merrill, cf	4	2
Harvey, lb	3	0
Haskell, c	3	1
Leighton, 3b	4	0
F. Whitten, p	4	1
	24	5

Camden

	Cushnocs	Camden
Thomas, 3b	3	1
F. Magee, lb	4	0
Anderson, cf	4	0
Richards, p	4	0
N. Magee, If	4	1
Boynton, cf	4	2
McGrath, 2b	4	0
Morin, ss	3	0
Wilber, c	3	0
	33	3

Cushnocs..... 0 0 0 1 2 0 2 x-5  
Camden..... 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0-3  
Earned runs—Camden 2, Cushnocs 2.  
Three-base hit—Merrill.  
Struck out—By F. Whitten 3, by Richards 2.  
Double plays—N. Magee to McGrath; Nicholas to Cote. Base on balls—O. Richards. Sacrifice hits—Harvey, Haskell. Umpire, Thompson.

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## PARK THEATRE

"Desert Love," today's feature picture, is delightfully western. Its settings, its psychology, its grim conflict, all cry in accents loud to the eye and the heart that they are part and parcel of the great and virile west. Its men love as they fight, with an uncompromising directness that transports the spectator. The tale is built around the conflict between a dauntless sheriff and a gang of outlaws. From Mr. X, a sheriff of Arizona border country, is determined to exterminate the rustlers, headed by "Wolf" Kenyon and "The Whelp." He attains his object, but only after much fighting and many close escapes.

Another breezy travelogue is contributed by Outing Chester, and there are endless laughs in the comedy, "Monkey Business."

"The Cheater," which comes for Monday and Tuesday, with May Allison as star, is very much out of the ordinary. It is a picture of the life of Henry Arthur Jones powerful drama, "Judah," which electrified American and British theatre audiences, May Allison has a role that is fascinating in its grip on the emotions. Lily Meany, later known as Vashli Dethle, is a vulgarly reared girl who professes to have the power to heal human ills by mental concentration. After fasting, she asserts, she can restore to health those whom medical doctors have pronounced incurable. She is brought to the home of a young nobleman whose little sister is a hopeless cripple. Love dawns, and Lily is confronted with the problem of whether or not she shall continue to deceive the man who trusts her implicitly. Her own decision leads her to the greatest spiritual heights. The dramatic situation evolved by the notable dramatist is compelling in its force and the denouement is one of the most unexpected and thrilling ever devised for the theatre or the screen.

## RAZORVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Duffee and Mrs. Miles Glidden were visitors at John S. Glidden's Tuesday.

B. K. Ware is assisting Angelo Howard in the harvesting of his hay crop. James D. Clark is visiting his sister Mrs. Elmina Jones and also at Charles Savage's.

The meetings at Stickney's Corner are continuing with good interest every Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Davis are excellent singers and are both especially interesting speakers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Humes of Stickney's Corner accompanied by their children Mary and Sidney, Jr., visited at W. E. Overlock's Tuesday evening.

This correspondent is always very glad to try to correct an error or anything which might unintentionally give a wrong impression, which seems to be the case of our item last week in regard to the boys of Medomak Camp. It might be inferred from what we wrote that they were going about alone and unattended which is not the case. The boys are always accompanied by one or more of the teachers from the camp who are known as counselors. These young men are teachers in large city schools who have been trained for boys' work and care of boys. The boys from Medomak are never allowed to leave the camp unless accompanied by at least one of them. We are very sorry indeed that this item was misleading and created a wrong impression, and are more than glad to make this correction. [Our correspondent takes the attitude of all good newspaper writers. His many years of faithful service as the representative of this paper in his community have been marked by no act of offense in taste or intention, the present instance being the first occasion when one of his items has been called in question. The Courier-Gazette is careful in the selection of its news correspondents and in its long list of them none is more valued or dependable than the gentleman whose Razorville letter has for 34 years been a regular feature of its county news. We are glad to publish his frank statement, which expresses the attitude of the paper itself always taken in case of an item whose printing conveys a wrong impression. —Editor.]

## WHEELER'S BAY

Arthur Harrington is cutting the hay on the A. J. Bird farm.

Miss Florence Barker is at home for a week from Rockland where she has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Demmons were in Rockland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allard went to Fort Clyde Sunday.

Victor Dennison and family are at their old home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keller and sister Helen of Portland are at their summer home for a vacation.

The farmers in this place have many signs up to warn people not to pick blueberries on their property.

## TWO MYSTERIOUS RINGS

## And the Significance Which They Have For Owners of Berry Patches.

About this time of year the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station is in frequent receipt of questions concerning blackberry or raspberry shoots that go lopping down at the tip. Such cases show two rings, girdling them less than an inch apart.

This is the work of a slender black beetle about half an inch long, with its yellow "collar" usually decorated with two black dots.

Of course a beetle is not making circles for "magic" although their mysterious appearance gives some of the farmers a sort of superstitious shock.

As a matter of fact, the aforesaid slender black beetle has been laying eggs in the rapidly growing tissue of the cane. If she did this without taking precautions the chances are that the delicate egg would be crushed by the vegetable growth—a fate that overcomes many an insect egg. Not so with those of the black beetle, however, for she takes steps to prevent this by girdling the shoot. The egg, slipped into the soft though willing tissue between the rings, hatches safely and yet the infant grub is near enough succulent growth to reach that easily. According to the dictates of its appetite the grub tunnels its way down the cane, very slowly at first, and more rapidly later on and finally reaches the base of the stalk where in due time it undergoes its transformation from a white grub to a black beetle with a yellow collar.

The negligent fruit grower may feel that it is a serious matter to have his new canes killed by this borer and thus lose his next year's crop of berries. The watchful person, however, rambles through his brambles, chuckling a bit at the cleverness of the insect, and his new cane a bit below the second ring. The growing cane is usually none the worse for this operation. Indeed the practice gives an impetus to the laterals which are said to bear the better for this treatment. So while the two mysterious rings on the raspberry or blackberry canes carry between them a definite threat it is so simple a matter to rip the criminal in the egg, so to speak, that a dead cane from this cause is really to be charged to the account of human negligence, after all.

## HOPE

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Hewett, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bragdon and Miss Helen Hewett of Haverhill, Mass., arrived at Camp Hatchet Friday to spend their vacation.

Adelbert Jones of Warren visited his aunt, Mrs. Wealthy Simmons, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wiley of Lincolnville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Simmons.

Mrs. Elias Demorett of Dover, Mass., and Mrs. Helen Watts of Thomaston arrived at the home of their brother, Albion Allen, Saturday for a visit.

Mrs. Tena Dolham arrived home Saturday after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Wiley, in Lincolnville. She was entertained Friday by her friend, Mrs. Abner Dunton, at Hope Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Overlock, Miss Ethel Overlock and Stacy Keizer of Waldoboro were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Tuttle.

Mrs. Irving Wright and children Lawrence and Marion spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Harriet Burgess, in Seabrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pearce and daughter Ruth of Camden visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pearce Sunday.

Mrs. Grover Newbert spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Reynolds, in Camden.

Mrs. Clara Kelley, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Parker and son, Vernon, of Woburn, Mass., arrived at the Nichols cottage Wednesday.

Mrs. Patterson and daughter, Mrs. Helen Knowlton, who have been spending three months at Hicknell's cottage returned home to Rockland Thursday.

Miss Helen Thompson of Silverton, Colo., who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, is the guest of her friend, Miss Alice Hanson, in Camden this week.

Mrs. Willard Wellman has gone to Canada for a visit with relatives.

## EAST UNION

Mrs. Lottie Wellman has gone to Prince Edward Island where she will visit among her people.

Louis Brooks is home from Overseas.

Merton Payson was home from Rockland last week owing to a bad cold.

Mrs. A. B. Stevenson and daughter Vera of Camden were recent guests with friends here.

Rev. Mr. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church at Union holds meetings here every Tuesday evening.

Miss Frances Flanagan of Rockland is spending a few weeks at the home of Mrs. Mattie Brown.

The exercises last Sunday evening by the children of the Sunday School, deserve much praise. The hall was prettily decorated with ferns, flowers, plants and cut flowers. The patriotic drill with tableaux introducing Columbia was a prominent feature of the exercises. Following is the program:

Greeting by Helen Wellman as Columbia with recitation in response by Edith Brooks. The greeting and closing song by Myra Brown and Winona Gould were greatly enjoyed, as was the singing by little Bernard Esnary.

"Some Day" an exercise by Robert Kearly, Winona Gould, Grevis Payson, Winona Messer and Carl Brooks.

"What Can We Do?" a pleasing feature by the primary class, Ernest Davis, Grace and Caroline Goff and Geraldine Gould.

"The Children Over There," Thelma Jacobs. "What Makes Children?" Day 2, Winona Gould, Esther and Irene Watts and Lena Brooks; recitation, Mabel Esnary; the recitation by Winona Messer is well worthy of mention; "Fly in the breeze," patriotic selection, Myra Brown.

During the entertainment several fine vocal selections were rendered by the choir composed of Louis Young, Mary Payson, Jessie Goff and Izzie Eltes with Myrtle Gould at the piano. Rev. C. E. Smith spoke briefly upon the work of the church and the Sunday School.

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"I will always bless the day I decided to try Tanlac, for when I began taking it I was in a badly run-down condition but today I am well and happy again," said Mrs. Ida Breau, 263 Merrimack St., Manchester, N. H.

"For the past year my appetite was so poor I had to just force down every mouthful I ate, and my stomach was in such bad condition even the little I did manage to eat caused me to be in misery for hours afterwards. I suffered terribly from gas after every meal and at times I felt just like I was choking. My head ached nearly all the time and sometimes the pain was so severe it felt like it was bursting open, and often I would feel so dizzy and faint I had to lie down. My nerves were in such bad shape the least little noise completely upset me, and I was so restless at night I could get but very little sleep. I felt tired and worn out all the time and was so weak I could barely get around."

"As I heard so many people praising Tanlac I decided to try it, and it began to help me right away. As I continued taking it I continued to improve until today the benefits I have received from it are simply remarkable. I have a splendid appetite and can eat three hearty meals a day and enjoy every one of them. My stomach never gives me a particle of trouble, although I eat just anything I want. The headaches and dizzy, fainty spells have left me entirely, and my nerves are in such good condition I can sleep all night long as peaceful as a child. I am entirely rid of that tired, worn out feeling, and have regained my strength so that I can do my housework with the greatest ease. Tanlac has simply helped me in every way, and I am only too glad to say a good word for it."

Tanlac is sold in Rockland by Corner Drug Store, E. M. White & Co., Main Street, and by Corner Drug Store, W. K. Jordan, South Warren; H. L. Robbins, Union; Wm. E. Sheerer, Tenny's Harbor; Knox Cooperage Co., West Rockport and by leading druggist in every town—adv.

## NORTH UNION

Miss Susie Thurston who has been spending her vacation with her parents has returned to Waltham, Mass., accompanied by Miss George Ripley.

Mrs. Aral Linscott was in Rockland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Simmons were in Rockland last week.

Leander Pease is having for Ralph Luce.

Miss Sabra Luce is spending a few weeks with friends in Friendship.

Leroy Luce of Union was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Luce, Sunday.

Leslie Thurston of Rockland was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thurston, recently.

George French and son Dana have employment in Augusta.

Mrs. Emma Thurston is working for W. M. Stewart in Union.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Sherman are guests of Mrs. Shorman's nephew George Luce, in Waldoboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Simmons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Almond Rowell in Burketville, Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Luce was in Rockland Saturday.

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## FARMERS HAVE STRUCK

Discouraged at Low Price Offered in New York by Produce Dealers.

Discouraged because of the low price offered for their produce, Long Island, New York, farmers are reported to have gone on a strike. No potatoes were loaded Wednesday for shipment in the highly productive territory in the vicinity of Riverhead, while cabbages and string beans, the retail prices of which have not been reduced, are being left to the hogs by the farmers. The retail price of potatoes has decreased, especially in the chain stores. Potatoes are one of the very few commodities that have reflected the decline in the wholesale market. Buyers at Riverhead were offering only \$1.50 a bushel for potatoes Wednesday and they were not anxious for them at that price, fearing that they might rot before they could be resold. Just at this time potatoes are plentiful in New York and the prices last week "dropped severely under liberal offerings," to quote from the Federal Market Bureau bulletin Eastern Long Island farmers professed to believe that the low prices at that time, caused by the influx of potatoes from New Jersey and the west shore of Long Island. Many of them expressed the belief that prices would shoot upward again soon and said they preferred to take a chance at the crop spoiling on their hands rather than sell at prices they consider below cost of production. It was reported that the housewives in the center of the potato belt in Eastern Long Island were paying \$3 a bushel yesterday for potatoes. This is at the rate of 5 cents a pound—which is about the same price they are offered at in New York in all of the chain stores.

If I should load this morning, the best I could offer the farmer would be \$1.25 a bushel," said a buyer at Riverhead. "I would be taking a chance even then. The weather is bad for shipping and the potatoes are green. The principal factor in the situation is the fact that it is much too low to let the farmers out with a profit, and they are determined to wait for a rise. No one can blame them, in view of the enormous profits the retailers are making. Consumers are taking the only course who are being victimized, either. Potatoes that can be bought in Riverhead for \$1.25 a bushel are being sold in retail stores for \$3 a bushel—this right in the heart of the potato belt.

"Furthermore, cabbage is retailing at from 8 to 10 cents a head here, while farmers are offered so little by the dealers that they refuse to sell and are feeding the finest grades of cabbage to their pigs. Wholesale prices at the farmers' markets in New York continue at the low levels reached some days ago. With few exceptions the consumers are not given the benefit of the reduced wholesale prices. It is generally conceded that officials that it is the small produce dealer the one the Flying Squadron of the Department of Justice has hesitated about having before the Grand Jury for the reason it was feared they would be "laughed out of court," who are responsible for the situation as regards vegetables. Most of the vegetables reach the consumer through the small dealer who handles produce exclusively.

The Brooklyn Retail Grocers' Association announced that steps would be taken at the next meeting to curb profiteering, which they say, is confined almost exclusively to the dealers who handle nothing but produce and fruits. It was asserted that the grocers who handle produce are giving the consumers the benefit of the lower prices.

## EMPIRE THEATRE

An industrial story, strong in its dramatic situation, is offered today under the title of "The Iron Heart." Esther Regan is the daughter of John Regan, owner of the Regan Works. Financial enemies have tried to gain control of the property, but Regan has for years refused to sell. Shortly before his death he requests his daughter to continue with the iron works. The girl accepts this great charge. Shortly after her father's death she receives a visit from Darwin McAllister, representing a big Eastern corporation which desires to take over the Regan plant. She refuses to sell, as her father's will is that the plant be sold to the corporation. The latter is so impressed with the cordial feeling between Esther and the employees that he advises her to continue with the plant. McAllister resigns from the Eastern association after a stormy interview with its president, Cyrus K. Moulton. The latter swears he will yet get the Regan plant, and McAllister determines to assist Esther in fighting the trust.

Would you sign an agreement to become the fiancee of your cold-blooded millionaire employer for a few weeks "for business purposes only"? That's the peculiar proposition that is put up to Vivian Martin in her new Paramount-Artcraft picture, "His Official Fiancee," which will be on view Monday and Tuesday next week. Being hard pressed for funds, she agrees to the arrangement, and complications and fun start that moment. She finds, to her surprise, that given the proper surroundings, her stern "fiancee" is not the great bear the office force has always considered him. A former lover, an evident terror of an uncle, and the sudden appearance of a pretty French girl, in whom her employer takes an unwelcome interest, plague the audience's curiosity. It is said, and carry the comedy to its startling and thoroughly satisfying denouement.

## FREIGHTS AND PESSIMISM

Notwithstanding the 25 per cent increase in coastwise freights just announced, vessel owners are very dubious as to the future of the shipping business. A shipping man of high reputation said this week that he would hesitate to invest in a vessel at the present time if he were offered him at 40 per cent below the prevailing market rate, his judgment being that coming months would offer sufficient encouragement to make the investment. Grain rates from the Northern Range to the United Kingdom have dropped to 10 shillings per quarter, while the rates for deals from provincial ports are now 200 shillings in place of 300, the going rate 60 days ago.—Portland Argus.

Every issue of The Courier-Gazette carries the home news of Knox county to every State in the Union and to many foreign lands.

## KEEPING PROFITABLE HENS

Poultry Specialist Offers Some Valuable Hints on This Subject.

Every flock of hens might well be divided into three classes as to the number of eggs they will lay, says O. M. Wilbur, poultry specialist of the University of Maine agricultural extension service. Some hens will begin to lay in the fall and continue until late the next summer of fall. Others lay during the spring and summer months, and a third class lay only a few eggs in the spring months. Some of each of these classes may be found in every flock. It is obvious that those which lay only a few eggs in the spring are unprofitable and should early be culled. The second class will, perhaps, pay enough to keep them, but should not be kept after they have stopped laying in the summer. Those that lay until late into the fall are the real profitable hens and should be retained as breeders the next year.

With estates at 60 cents a dozen, a hen should lay approximately a 20% production, or 73 eggs in a year, to pay for her feed at present prices of grain. No poultryman need to, for there is a sure way to tell the condition and profitable laying capacity of a hen by a simple, easy method of culling is simple, requires little time and is one that any person may readily apply.

Last year 79 public culling demonstrations were held in Maine, under auspices of Farm Bureaus and county agents. Twenty-seven farmers kept accurate account of their flocks for one week before and one week following the culling. In these 27 demonstrations 1990 birds were handled and 496, practically 25% of the hens were culled out of flocks because of their poor egg-producing qualifications.

In the week before the culling the 1990 hens laid an average of 700.48 eggs, or 36.2%. The 496 birds left laid the week following an average of 67.48 eggs, or 42%. The 496 culled birds laid only 77 eggs a day in that week. The estimated saving in feed alone by this culling was about \$150. Disposing of the non-layers or poor producers not only saves feed, but also down abominable frozen rots, and improves the quality of the flock.

Culling may be done at any time in the year, but the best time is in August or September. In culling, the birds must be handled, and this is a good feature of the work. Most farmers do not handle their birds often enough to get acquainted with their good or poor qualities. Culling should eliminate not only the poor layers, persistent sitters and old hens, but any cripples or birds with broken down abdomens, frozen rots, disease or poor vitality. Only the best should be kept over the winter, and they, of course, are the best for the breeding pens.

Culling demonstrations are being arranged for August and September by the various Farm Bureaus in Maine, in a state-wide campaign to eliminate the poor producers. Poultry raisers may profitably take the time to attend one or more of these demonstrations in their own communities.

## EAST SENNEBEC

The many friends of Mrs. Vina Gamage of Winchester, Mass., will be sorry to learn that she had the misfortune to fall from an auto and dislocate her right arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill who came from Ludlow to attend the wedding of their son Walter and Miss Lillie Ames returned home Wednesday. This is their first visit to Maine and they were glad to see the beautiful scenery and country air. We like to have such good feelings carried from dear old Maine.

As All Mink was riding along near S. N. Simmons' home one of the clips which holds the shaft broke, letting the shaft fall on his horse's heels. The horse became unmanageable with fear and Mr. Mink jumped from the wagon just before it turned over. The horse cleared itself and ran home dragging the shafts. Fortunately no damage done except the broken clips.

George Ames was thrown from his horse raked by the breaking of the brace which holds the seat and got a pretty bad shaking up. Mr. Ames was bruised and lamed from head to foot. He thanked his lucky stars that he got away alive as the horse backed the rake over him and rolled him around as though he wasn't worth 30 cents.

Robert Gushue has been having some repairs made on his barn.

Miss Lillie Ames, daughter of George and Mary Gushue Ames of this place, and Walter Smith Hill of Ludlow, Mass., were united in marriage at the Baptist church Tuesday. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and the wedding was a most lovely scene. The bride and groom were attended by the bridesmaids and the bridesmaids were attended by the bridesmaids.

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THOMASTON, ME.

THOMASTON

Doris and Agnes Whitney of Jersey City and Helen Duncan of New York City left on the boat Friday night for their homes.

Mrs. Chester Hamilton of Waterville is the guest of Mrs. William Burkett.

Mrs. Adelbert Woodcock who has been the guest of friends in Camden this week, returned home Saturday.

Several of the Thomaston High School girls took a hike Thursday and climbed Mt. Battie.

Miss Phyllis Burkett spent the weekend at Cooper's Beach, guest of Miss Margaret Brewster.

Mrs. Wilbur Hylar has returned to her home in Brewer, accompanied by Mrs. Earle Hylar, whose guest she has been.

Mrs. H. B. Shaw, Mrs. E. P. Starrett and Miss Marion Starrett motored to Belfast Tuesday and spent the day with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fales who have been with Mrs. Fales' sister Mrs. William Halliwell, returned to their home in Attleboro, Wednesday.

Harold Simmons who has been very ill with measles is improving.

Bennie Smalley has gone to Whitinsville, Mass., where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Tillson of Philadelphia are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tillson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert K. Washburn of Portland were guests Thursday of Mrs. John W. Walker.

Rev. Herbert B. Hutchins was at home Thursday to officiate at the funeral of the late Charles H. Washburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Smalley visited Sunday with Mrs. George Robinson.

Attention should be called to the beautiful work done on the posters, advertising the Baptist fair, Aug. 11. The posters are shown in the post office, and at Father-Cole-Davis' and Hewitt's in Rockland. They were done by Naomi Averill, one of the High School girls, and are quite remarkable, showing an exceeding talent.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gilchrist, Mrs. Levi Clark and Mrs. Minnie Decker and two sons are spending the week at the Gilchrist farm in Cushing.

Mrs. Levi Seavey and Miss Margaret Seavey arrived home from Boston Thursday morning.

Mrs. Earle Choate and two children of Boston are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Strader.

Mrs. Jessie Briggs of Canada is the guest of her brother J. G. Beattie.

H. E. Ames of Jersey City and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Courtney of Bloomfield, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ames Dow.

Keep in mind the entertainment at the Methodist church next Tuesday evening. Frank Reynolds of Boston, a humorist and impersonator of unusual ability, will be present and many who have heard him heretofore are looking forward to a delightful entertainment. Ice cream and cake will be on sale at 7 o'clock and during the evening. Every one should take this opportunity of hearing Mr. Reynolds. Admission for adults 35 cents, children 20 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop of Framingham, Mass., are visiting friends in town.

Miss Lizzie Levensaler entertained at supper Friday night in honor of Mrs. Caroline Thomas and Miss Annie Gerry of Cambridge.

Mrs. Herbert H. White of Brookline is visiting in town.

Richard O. Elliot has returned from a trip to New York.

Miss Annie Rokes entertained friends Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Henry Tyler of Framingham.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dunn who are spending the summer at their farm at Pleasant Point and at home for a week, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bulkeley of Beverly, Mass., spent the weekend with Mrs. Bulkeley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Elliot.

Lionel Wilson is spending his vacation at home.

Miss Mary Silver is spending a week with Mr. H. A. Gleason.

Thursday afternoon six of the "Oh Gees!" (we aren't telling what that means) had a picnic supper at Oakland Park. The devices for entertainment, especially the tetter-board, were much in evidence and a merry time was enjoyed by these young ladies.

The regular Thursday evening prayer-meeting of the Methodist church was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Harriman in South Warren, about a score being present. Mr. and Mrs. Harriman were much delighted, as they are unable to get out to services.

Mrs. T. H. Booth and daughter Mrs. F. H. Kennison from Boston spent Thursday with A. J. Spaulding and family.

Let us not forget the services at the Old Church on the Hill Sunday, Aug. 8 at 3 p. m. There will be special music by the male quartet Dr. L. E. Lane, Stanley Cushing, Prof. G. B. Mathews and William Gilchrist. The address "The Heritage of Freedom" by Howard C. Moody, esq., will be most interesting. The religious service will be in charge of Rev. A. E. Hoyt. This annual service in the old church where Gen. Knox and his family used to worship, is one of the events much looked forward to by Thomaston people. Although the church is old, it has been completely inspected and pronounced safe for use.

Funeral services of the late Charles H. Washburn, held at the home on Knox street, Thursday afternoon, were largely attended. Friends of the deceased being present from Rockland and other parts of the county. Rev. Herbert B. Hutchins, pastor of the family, paid a brief but eloquent tribute to the memory of the good man and citizen, who was his friend. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

## OWL'S HEAD

Services at the chapel will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Mr. Russell of Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach.

Those small ads in The Courier-Gazette are read by every body. That is why they are so popular and effective.

We are now buying  
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in any quantity at our Union, Thomaston and Rockland Factories. Our Rockland Factory is the Thorndike & Hix Factory, Blake's Garage, Main Street.

## BLACK &amp; GAY

## ROCKPORT

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Ryan of Orono have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Walker this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Ohi have returned to Philadelphia after spending a few weeks at Enos E. Ingraham's.

William R. Beal of Watertown, Mass., was a guest at Dr. F. R. McCullagh's Thursday.

Mrs. Letha Mack of Beverly, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ingraham.

Mrs. Genie LaFolay was operated upon Thursday at the Deaconess' Hospital, Boston and word has been received that her condition is favorable for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Alice Call of Lynn, Mass., is a guest at Mark Ingraham's.

Mrs. Matthew Greenleaf and children have returned from New Haven, Conn., and will occupy Capt. George Callahan's house. They were accompanied by Mrs. Wightman and daughter, Mrs. Barkan of New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y., who are guests of Miss Yvonne Coffin while Mrs. Greenleaf is getting her home in readiness.

Rev. Fred A. Snow of Freeport will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

Mr. Snow was a former pastor of the church and many will be glad of an opportunity to hear him.

Mrs. Maud Walker has been in West Rockport this week called there by the illness of Stanley Orleton.

William A. Swan, of Auburn was a guest at Mrs. K. M. Dunbar's Thursday.

Granville Shibles has been attending the Convention of Osteopathy in Portland this week, making the trip with Dr. Manhart of Camden.

Mrs. Arthur Andrews of Glen Cove was hostess at a party Thursday evening at which several of our young people were delightfully entertained.

The friends in town of C. H. Field former proprietor of the Muckross Inn will be sorry to learn that since his return to Lynn he has been confined to his home by illness though his condition is somewhat improved.

During Mr. Field's stay in town he made many friends and his leaving was much regretted.

## MEDUNCOOK

Maurice Chadwick visited his grandparents at Hawthorne's Point Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Simmons and children are stopping at their home here for a few days.

Willis Morse is helping Mr. Crisp with carpenter work.

Alice Jackson of New York arrived Saturday for a short vacation.

Mrs. Helen Simmons visited Mrs. Lizzie Cushman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spear were at Mrs. Crisp's Tuesday.

Mrs. Gene Bramhall and two children of Portland were at the Thompson farm Saturday.

Edna and Carrie Simmons were at Hiram Chadwick's Monday.

Mr. Thurlow of Stonington was at the Pound Monday.

Mrs. Rose Simmons was at Mrs. Chadwick's Tuesday afternoon.

Elmer Prior left overboard while working at the lobster pound Tuesday. He was unable to swim but was rescued by Alvin Sterling.

Barney and Cleve Burns were at the pound Wednesday.

Miss Williams of New York is at the quarry house for the summer.

Katheryn Miller visited friends at Hawthorne's Point Wednesday.

Capt. Greenleaf in smock. Gannett was here on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Roscoe Simmons returned to her home at Lawry Wednesday after a week's vacation.

Emma Simmons was at her home here Wednesday.

## NORTH HAVEN

Fair, Concert and Mardi Gras Ball under the auspices of the Vinahaven Band and W. S. R. C. to be held Thursday, August 12th, at Memorial hall. 84-96

## GREEN'S ISLAND

Mrs. Mary Noyes Thursday entertained the largest picnic party for some time at Sea View. It was an all-day session and "smack." The father was ideal. After a bountiful dinner of "fish smother" and all kinds of other good things, 15 of the 20 guests wended their way to the light-house, it being the first time some of them had ever visited such a place.

The guests were Mrs. Alex Sey, Robert Sey and Violet Sey of Lithonia, Georgia; Mrs. Agnes Thomson, Evelyn, Alex and Barbara Thomson of Holyoke, Mass.; Bessie Falconer, New York; Margaret Birnie, Isabella Fraser, William Fraser, Mrs. J. C. Christie, Alice Christie, Paul Christie, Mrs. Barbara Fraser, Mrs. Mary Noyes, Mrs. Lizzie Black, Mrs. William Birnie and Mrs. Key. Mr. and Mrs. Robbins enjoyed the call very much.

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## CAMDEN

Rev. S. E. Frohock, a former pastor of the Chestnut Street Baptist church is in town for a few days and will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church both morning and evening.

The annual picnic of the Congregational Sunday School will be held at Oakland Park next Wednesday. A special car will leave at 10 o'clock and all members of the Sunday school and parish are invited to attend.

Russell Rich of Philadelphia is visiting his parents, Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Rich.

The Y. M. C. A. Minstrels which met with such good success last winter, will again be staged in the Opera House on Aug. 11. There has been some changes and additions to the program which will make it a better show than before.

End song, "I'm Going Back to California." "Sweet Kentucky Lady." "I'm From Missouri." etc.

First edition of end men, introducing our favorite comedian.

End song, "Rose of Washington Square." By that old funnyman, Bert Stevenson.

End song, "So-long Oolog." Slim Thompson.

End song, "O Death Where Is Thy Sting." By that demon of fun, Arnold Callahan.

End song, "I'm a Dancer Girl." Pat Barker.

End song, "They're All Sweeties." Bill Monroe.

Ballad, "Daddy." Howard Leach.

End song, "To Be or Not to Be." Everybody's favorite.

First part finale, "My Own United States." Chorus.

Part II. Clifton Conary.

Specialty Act: Thompson and Cooper in a side-splitting comedy sketch, "A Fair of Pans."

Comedy duo and some don't, an original sketch, written by our own "Len" Ross and produced by three of Camden's best comedians. A scream from start to finish.

## VINAHAVEN

Mrs. E. M. Hall left Wednesday for Belfast.

Mrs. L. T. Grafton entertained her old schoolmates, Mrs. Margaret Libby and Mrs. Eliza Arey, Tuesday at a fish dinner.

H. Y. Carver & Son's new Ford arrived Wednesday night.

Mrs. William Kittredge of Rockland was the guest the past week of her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Manson.

Mrs. Edith Steele and son Louie, who have been spending their vacation in town, left Saturday for Worcester, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Cunningham of Springfield, Mass., are at Mrs. Mary L. Arey's.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kapo of Springfield, Mass., and Mrs. John Willis, and son and daughter of Philadelphia, are guests at Island Home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lane of Boston arrived Thursday for their summer vacation.

Thursday, guests of Mrs. S. R. Lane.

Mrs. A. U. Patterson entertained friends Wednesday at a spaghetti party.

Frank McNeel of Augusta is in town this week.

Mr. Seliger, pastor of Union church, and H. M. Noyes superintended an outing at Carver's Cove, Thursday, of the boys in Union church Sunday school.

Mrs. L. W. Fifield is taking a vacation from the store of H. M. Fifield & Co.

At church at 11:30 Sunday Rev. Mr. Seliger will preach on "Christian Stewardship." In the evening the pastor will lead in evangelistic services.

Attendance at Bible School, which meets at 10:15, is steadily increasing over last year and the children show deepening interest in supporting the school by their contributions. Pastor Seliger had a good time picnicking with the boys at Carver's Cove Thursday.

Horace Noyes helping effectively in entertaining the ladies.

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## Wonderful Asphalt Lake.

The asphalt lake of Trinidad is situated at Brighton, 12 miles west of San Fernando, 27 miles south of Port of Spain and about half a mile from the gulf of Paria. The lake itself is a flat area of approximately 120 acres, forming a basin surrounded by a low hill. The original elevation of the lake surface was 1374 feet above sea level, but mining operations had lowered this elevation to about 130 feet in 1918.

Besties' Blood for Warts. A Peruvian doctor states that the blood of certain beetles found in Peru has been used from the immemorial by the natives for curing warts. Under it these growths turn white, as if cauterized by an acid.

The Idler the Busier. Curiosity, which is called idle, is always on the job.—Albany Journal.

## WARREN

The Baptist Ladies' Circle had a pleasant gathering at the home of Mrs. Thomas Simpson, Thursday, the day being fine and a good attendance of members. A delicious picnic dinner was served by the guests, assisted by the hostess, to which all did ample justice. It was a day of rare pleasure.

Mrs. E. F. Montgomery and sister, Mrs. Bowers, were in Rockland Thursday.

Mrs. Katie Leach of Virginia is visiting her niece, Mrs. Fred Mathews.

Mrs. J. R. Andrews of Marlboro, Mass., was in town Wednesday from Thomaston, greeting old Warren friends.

Miss Shirley Moody has gone to Northboro, Mass., to visit relatives after which she will visit with relatives in Oakland.

Mrs. Jabez Wagner and grandson of North Andover, Mass., and Mrs. Fred Sanford of Braintree are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Montgomery.

Mrs. Edward Cook is entertaining her cousin from Somerville, Mass., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dougan and family of Gilbertville, Mass., are visiting at John Connel's.

Farmers are improving the fine weather in finishing up haying. August is giving us ideal weather.

John Connel has bought a cow of A. Peabody, dealer in live stock.

Mrs. C. F. Perry returned Thursday from Bath, where she visited relatives.

## UNION

Elden Smith's auction of household goods on Thursday was well attended. He will reside permanently in Massachusetts.

The new apple storehouse near the depot is nearing completion. It is a fine building and will cost \$6000.

Rev. E. S. Uford will preach Sunday from the text "The Sheepfold Door."

## EDWARD SHAW

Optometrist

Office Fellows Club, UNION, ME.

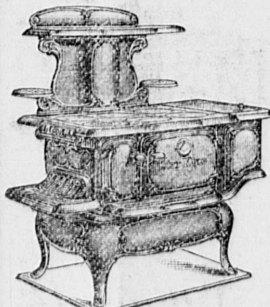
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## THE SEPTEMBER JURORS

Complete List Announced By Clerk of Courts—Judge Morrill To Preside.

A complete list of jurors for the September term of Knox County Supreme Court has been compiled at the clerk of court's office. The term begins Sept. 14, and will be presided over by Associate Justice John A. Morrill. The jury lists follow:

**Grand Jurors**  
Arthur C. Berry, Rockport  
Frank Beverage, North Haven  
Alanson W. Brewster, Rockland  
Charles S. Coburn, Warren  
Hoyt Emery, Washington  
Hubert L. Fuller, Appleton  
Herbert A. Green, Vinahaven  
Richard Hammond, Camden  
Walter Hewett, Hope  
John Hall, South Thomaston  
Levi J. Kinney, St. George  
Robert N. MacDonald, Union  
Dewey L. Maloney, Cushing  
Charles McDonald, Thomaston  
Moses Orne, Friendship  
Frank A. Richardson, Rockland  
Edgar E. Sukeforth, Rockland

**Travelers Jurors**  
James O. Brown, North Haven  
William E. Candage, Vinahaven  
John E. Conary, Rockland  
Oscar A. Copeland, Warren  
George E. Doe, Friendship  
J. Herbert Everett, Thomaston  
John W. Haskell, Rockland  
Frederick C. Ingraham, Rockland  
John H. Koster, Rockland  
Daniel E. Leighton, Hope  
Joseph McQuarrie, Thomaston  
Clarence H. Merrifield, Rockland  
Clifford W. Morton, Rockland  
Henry Newcomb, Vinahaven  
Lionel Newbert, Union  
Fred A. Packard, Camden  
Charles A. Patterson, Rockland  
Bial A. Pendleton, Camden  
Robert P. Pierson, St. George  
Fred H. Simons, South Thomaston  
Pearl L. Sukeforth, Washington  
George A. Tarr, South Thomaston  
James B. Thompson, Matineus Plant'n  
Clarence B. Tolman, Warren  
Charles E. Wade, Rockland  
Joseph L. Wentworth, Appleton  
Harold Young, Cushing

## AUGUST MILK PRICES

Boston Prices Have Been Fixed By The New England Milk Producers Association

The August milk price will be 10c per quart delivered in Boston. This is the regular seasonal advance of one-half cent which the farmers who supply the Boston market receive and which it brings the August price higher than it was last year, the advance is not in proportion to the increased costs and the farmers who sell in the Boston market will not get back the cost of production at the present abnormal prices of grain and labor.

The Boston price fixes the price in many other smaller cities in New England as there is rather general practice that smaller cities shall follow the Boston price. This system grew up during the war when the prices to both farmers and to consumers were fixed by the Federal Regional Milk Commission which held its sessions in Boston. Other cities simply followed the Boston price set by the commission. The commission does not now exist but the practice so generally followed by the farmers is concerned, is still general.

The 10c price to the farmers was arrived at after long and careful study of the situation by the New England Milk Producers Association, the selling agent of the farmers. Surveys have shown that the cost of producing milk has advanced materially and a full cent a quart advance would no more than equal the increased costs of production as compared with last year. It was thought best, however, to make only advance of one-half cent the same as in the three previous years.

The surveys of costs showed that the average for the year, at the present prices of feeds, labor and materials, would be 9.2 cents per quart at the farm. The actual costs in August are 9.2 cents lower than for the year as a whole, according to averages of cost production of several years. Deducting this from the yearly average leaves the August cost of milk production 8.3c per quart at the farm.

Prices for the Boston market are fixed on the delivered basis. The cost of delivery to Boston varies with the distance and with other factors but the average is 1.5c per quart for bringing milk to Boston. This is the actual cost at 200 miles from Boston. That is the average distance from which the Boston supply comes. Adding this cost to the farm cost gives 9.8c per quart which the farmers should receive to come out square in August.

The New England Milk Producers Association was unwilling to make the advance of the full cent a quart in August although the figures seemed to justify it. It was decided to make only the customary advance of one-half cent. While this leaves the farmer selling milk at a loss of nearly a half cent a quart, there is some hope that prices for feeds and labor will go down somewhat and that the reduced costs will enable the farmers to come out nearly square. The early summer prices are lower because the costs of production are lower. The advance in August is a swing back toward the normal price which must be paid to meet the average costs for the year.

The New England Milk Producers Association laid their figures of costs and informed the State Commission on the Necessities of Life of the situation both inside and out before taking any action. The association has nothing to do with the price to the consumer but voluntarily laid its case before the Commission so that it could be informed fully of the situation in making the price to the consumers was increased by the dealers.

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## EDWARD A. PERRY

Edward A. Perry, aged 62 years, died Thursday afternoon July 29th at his home 31 Empire street, Lynn, Mass., after a lengthy illness. He was born in Rockport and as a seaman, sailed for some 20 years. He went to Lynn 25 years ago, and ever since had been employed at motorman running out of the West Lynn car barns. He remained with the railroad until last February when he was stricken with illness. He was a member of Peter Woodland Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and Mystic Lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen, and was also affiliated with the Mutual Aid Society of the Carman's Union.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Cynthia Perry, and three children, Maude E. Perry, Thomas E. Perry and Walter L. Perry. He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. A. A. Richards of Somerville and Mrs. J. S. Keene of Jacksonville, Fla., a brother, Walter T. Perry and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from his late residence on Sunday at 2 p. m. Rev. Thomas A. Olin, pastor of the Essex street Baptist church, officiating. Burial in Pine Grove Cemetery, Lynn.

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## In Social Circles

The arrival and departure of guests during the vacation season is of interest both to them and their friends. We are glad to print such items of social news and will thank our friends to supply us with information in this connection.

TELEPHONE 770

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Newbert and children Kendall and Nancy of South Weymouth, Mass., are guests of Mr. Newbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Newbert, for the month of August.

Miss Carrie Duncan and niece Kathleen Newberry are on a visit with their aunt, Mrs. E. W. Candage at Seal Harbor, Mount Desert.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar P. Gupitill and children Laura and Ruth of Whitinsville, Mass., who have been visiting Mr. Gupitill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gupitill returned home Saturday. They were accompanied as far as Portland by Mrs. A. L. Gupitill and sister, Mrs. J. E. Burgess of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mrs. Frank Perry, who has been attending Summer school in Farmington, has returned home.

Frederick U. Walt and Galen Dow motored to Bangor Wednesday, returning Thursday.

Mrs. Herbert Howard is spending a few days at her former home in Winslow's Mills.

J. A. Frost is spending a few days at his cottage in Jefferson.

Mrs. John Burgess of Oklahoma City, Okla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Gupitill, at Ingraham Hill.

Bath Times: Councilor and Mrs. Elmer S. Bird and Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Gay of Rockland were among the city's guests Wednesday attending all the day's festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard G. Philbrook of Dedham, Mass., are weekend guests at Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fuller's.

L. Wilbur Messer of Chicago arrived this week at his Land's End cottage, Ginn's Point, whose comforts he expects to enjoy for a period of several weeks.

Friends of William J. Thompson, master of the State Grange, and former resident of Knox county, will be interested to learn of the marriage of his daughter, Miss E. Ernest Fuller Jones of Bangor, which took place at the bride's home in China, Tuesday afternoon. The bride is a graduate of Hebron Academy, Colby College and a post-graduate of Columbia. She was formerly acting dean of the woman's division of Colby College. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Jones. He is a graduate of Haverford College and Yale University. For some time he was employed in the United States Forestry Service. He is at present employed in the forest engineering division of the Great Northern Paper Company. The couple will live in Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gannett and Albert Gupitill motored to Portland Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Gupitill and Mrs. Burgess, who had been the guest of their sister, Mrs. Oliver Hix.

Miss Mary McInnis of Boston is the guest of her sister, Miss Cassie McInnis, Broadway.

Earl Dunn, who has been spending a few weeks at North Haven, was in the city Tuesday, enroute for his home in Buxton.

Mrs. Clara Orr of Boston was in the city Wednesday, going to her old home in Jefferson for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sackler of New York, Frank Sackler of Providence and Charles Sackler of Brockton, who have been spending a few weeks with the mother, Mrs. M. E. Sackler at The Meadows, have returned to their homes.

Mrs. Bernard Lee and children Gladys and Kathleen left Saturday for Ontario, Canada, after spending the month of July with Mrs. S. Jay Candage.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bowden of Middletown, Conn., are on a two weeks' visit at the home of his brother, Herbert Bowden, Lake Avenue. They arrived in Rockland Aug. 1, having traveled in their Overland over 400 miles in one day.

Nathan Berliawsky, who has been traveling in Pennsylvania for the Logan Tire Co., has returned to his home in this city.

Benjamin Reed, who is spending the summer with his family near Waldoboro, was a visitor Thursday in this city, where he was formerly employed as a telephone operator.

Miss Myrtle Gladhill, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henry Duncan, goes today to Bangor, Thursday, for two weeks before returning to her home in Lawrence, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Crosby Clement of Everett, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Clement's mother, Mrs. Lillian Combs at Warrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Featherstone and children, Veronica, Paul and Charles Jr., of Brighton, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Mary Sullivan, Pink street.

The friends of little Essie Metcalf will be glad to know that she is rapidly recovering from an operation performed at Silsby Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Philbrook of Union are guests of G. O. Wentworth, called here by the death of Mrs. P. A. Packard, Mrs. Philbrook's aunt.

Miss Margaret Cheyne and Mrs. Hastings and daughter Katharine were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall at Oakland Park this week.

Friends sending items to this column are desired to use care in writing names. Nothing is more disappointing to a person than to see his name misspelled in print.

Miriam Circle had a delightful outing Thursday at Oakland Park, where a very tempting menu of beefsteak, fried onions and frankfurts was served by the two popular cooks of the circle, Mrs. Maude Cables and Lizzie Seavey, assisted by Mrs. Paladino, who gave them new ideas of

exactly how it should be prepared, with a few extras on the side. Twilight pictures were taken.

Col. Frederic H. Parkhurst on his Knox county visit is accompanied by Mrs. Parkhurst and they are guests for the weekend of Mrs. Thomas Bailey Aldrich at The Crags, Tenant's Harbor.

The tenth birthday anniversary of Master Theodore Sidney Bird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Bird, was being celebrated yesterday at Oakland Park by a picnic, the enjoyment of which a group of his young friends enthusiastically shared. The big political rally was in session at the same time, its proportions adding to rather than interfering with the success of the birthday festivities. And besides there were two birthday cakes, which was unusual but none the less appreciated by the youthful celebrators.

Miss Kathleen Singh has returned from a trip to Portland and the White Mountains.

Mrs. H. A. Bain, Mrs. A. B. Norton and Miss Margaret Snow are on an auto trip to Portland with Miss Addie Snow, and will return the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atkins, son Clifford and Miss Ann Boynton of Camden were guests of Mrs. Alice Hall of Glen Cove, Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry T. Pearsons and Mrs. Celia Stewart and child of Bridgeport, Conn., are occupying the Pearsons cottage at Crescent Beach.

Mrs. Frank A. Smith of Boston is visiting her former home in this city.

Misses Marie and Dorothy Kellar, who have been visiting Mrs. Rose Pease, North Main street, have returned to Appleton.

Mrs. Herbert R. Mullen and daughter Marion have returned from a visit in Boston. While there they visited friends in Wollaston and Fitchburg.

Mrs. Harrison F. Hicks gave a very pretty luncheon yesterday afternoon, the guest of honor being her sister Mrs. Louis Shaw of East Orange, N. J. Mrs. Shaw returns to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Orne entertained at the Country Club last evening a number of guests from Troy, N. Y., who are occupying the Wright cottage at Pleasant Beach. Picnic dinner was served in the grove and dancing followed at the clubhouse. The Pleasant Beach guests, all of whom reside in Troy, N. Y., were Dr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, Dr. and Mrs. Frank T. Smith, Dr. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Samson and Miss Samson. It was their first visit to the Rockland Country Club, and they were much charmed with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Thorndike and Miss Lena Thorndike have just returned from an auto trip to Albany, N. Y., coming by way of the Mohawk Trail. They stopped two days in Hartford, Conn., with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Bird have as a guest this week W. H. Osborn of Honeoye Falls, N. Y.

### NOTICE

A meeting of the directors of the home department of the State Chamber of Commerce and Agricultural League is called for Wednesday, Aug. 11, at 3 o'clock, at the home of the county chairman, Mrs. W. O. Fuller, 45 Beech street, Rockland. Mrs. Florence Brooks Whitehouse, state director, and Mrs. Florence A. Warner, home director, will be present and explain the great value and importance of this excellent work. Every woman who is interested in helping Maine help women is urged to come. Invitations are being sent to presidents of women's clubs of the county.

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### MEN'S FALL STYLES

Here's What the Male of the Species Will Wear, If Correctly Garbed.

Many changes are to mark their appearance in the fall styles for men and boys' wearing apparel. Richness and conservatism are to be guiding features with plenty of stylish variations along those lines. Suits and topcoats are to be designed to give a soft, natural and comfortable appearance, with more fullness. Here is a brief resume of the style indications for fall:

Men's sack suits will have a natural broader shoulder with soft roll lapel and collar and no stiffening or flat effects. Vests will be eliminated entirely or materially shorter. Waistline effects will be low and natural. Sacks will be about an inch shorter than at present.

Loose drape effects will predominate in overcoats, with a good proportion of belts being worn on heavy winter garments.

Hats are to be much smaller, with brims ranging from 2 1/4 to 2 3/4 inches and crowns from 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 inches. Shades of brown, olive and greens in rough finish will be very popular. Because of the element of price, cloth hats are expected to be good sellers with a certain class of trade. There will be more of a roll to brims.

Shirts of good quality madras and other fine cotton fabrics will be more popular than ever, with silks undoubtedly retaining some prestige in the holiday trade. Neat designs will be favored. Cuffs will be deeper and reduced from three and four inches to an average of two and a half inches. Stripes are to be the vogue. Knitted ties will be good, particularly the rougher weaves. Prices are expected to be somewhat lower.

Elimination of patch and slash pockets and return to the general use of flap pockets will mark styles in clothing for boys—Dry Goods Economist.

Burpee Furniture Company offer very liberal credit terms for purchasing a Glenwood Range.

SHIBLES REUNION The 32d annual reunion of the Shibles family will be held at Oakland Park, Wednesday, Aug. 18. Edith Shibles Overlook, Sec.

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## UP ALASKA WAY

Where Some Rockland People Are Highly Enjoying Themselves.

Interesting letters from Mr. and Mrs. Howard V. Rackliff, who are in Alaska, are being received by friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Morrill of this vicinity are also in the party. Messrs. Rackliff and Morrill are in the employ of the government and were sent to Alaska in the spring. At present they are stationed at Juneau. The following extracts are taken from a letter received recently from Mrs. Rackliff, who speaks of the wonderful scenery and of the fine trip from Boston to Juneau. They were five days going from Boston to Seattle, Wash. They saw many things of interest and it was a wonderful experience crossing the very high mountains. They passed through one tunnel that was two and a half miles long. She writes:

"Seattle is a very pretty city, and a very busy one. There are large stores and many of them and the markets are very fine. There are some very pretty parks, where walks and rides can be taken. We were in Seattle five weeks and liked very much. We met quite a few people from South Thomaston, and they made it very pleasant for us. We also met Mr. and Mrs. Edith Gregory, formerly of Glen Cove, who were lovely to us."

April 16 we started for Alaska. There was the U. S. S. Explorer and two 65-foot launches, Mrs. Morrill, Howard and I traveling in one of the latter. Mr. Morrill came on board with us every night. A Mr. Ayers was our engineer. Howard being in charge of the craft. Mrs. Morrill and I were cooks, getting all our supplies from the ship. The weather was fine, except two days of rain. I was not sick at all, but Mrs. Morrill was ill two or three times. We had a very smooth trip with one day when for about three hours it was pretty rough, and as we could neither sit or stand, Mrs. Morrill and I went to bed. Our table was in fact everything that could move did so."

"It was a grand trip. We did not run nights. If possible the launches laid in a dock, but when there was no town or dock, she laid by the ship. There were five days when we did not stop on land. Our first night out we stopped at Port Townsend, Wash., and from there we were in Canadian waters for six days; crossed the line into the United States after leaving Port Simpson and were in Alaska the same night. Our first stop in Alaska was at Ketchikan, where we stayed from Friday afternoon until Monday morning, as the ship had to make one oil, water and food stop. We had a very smooth trip with one day when for about three hours it was pretty rough, and as we could neither sit or stand, Mrs. Morrill and I went to bed. Our table was in fact everything that could move did so."

"Wednesday, April 28, we arrived here in Juneau, to stay for the summer. Juneau is a very pretty place, with a population of 5,000. As you know, it is the capital of Alaska, as they moved the capital from Sitka six years ago. The Governor, Thomas Riggs, Jr., lives in the next street to us. There are five churches, a fine new school building, three hospitals, two picture houses, several fine stores and markets. Prices in groceries and other things are about the same as in the States. We like very much, but have not seen anything yet that makes us think we want a home here. There are two gold mines, but we don't see much of the gold rolling around. There is a large lumber yard and two canneries. Many go fishing during the summer."

"Juneau is like all the other towns we have seen, built under a high mountain, and is very hilly. We people in the East don't know what hills and mountains are till we see these of Alaska."

"Coming here we passed through some very narrow channels, with mountains on each side from 2500 feet to 3000 feet high. The scenery was grand. I can't begin to describe it on paper. There is a mountain out back of us that is 3,500 feet high. We are keeping house, have a fine rent, all modern improvements. We are on a high hill and have a lovely view of the harbor—can see all the steamers as they come in or go. One thing we don't like very well. When we write a letter we never know how long it will lie in the postoffice, as the steamers are so uncertain."

"May 31 our captain let us have the use of a launch and 12 of us including the captain went 25 miles south to Taku Glacier. It was a lovely day and a grand sight, as none of us had ever before seen a glacier. We took food and had dinner and supper on the boat, making ice cream and freezing it with ice from the glacier. July 5 six of us hired an auto and went 16 miles north to see Mendenhall Glacier. It was a pretty ride and the glacier was wonderful but not so wonderful as Taku. Mendenhall is called a dead glacier, but it is 400 feet high. Think of our going up on that solid ice till we were 400 feet in the air! It was hard climbing, but we did enjoy it."

"They have a Route 12 of July sports. We are having grand weather. We can still see snow on the tops of the mountains, but here it has been very warm, one day 82 in the shade, and that is hot for Alaska, so they tell us. The nights are fine. During June we could sit in the house and read till 10 p. m. without a light, and the nights are nearly as long now (July 11). The salmon and halibut are very fine."

### REACH-DEER ISLE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Patch and daughter Vera and Miss Fitch of Winthrop, Mass., are spending a few weeks at W. E. Stoddard's bungalow Harold Howe of East Milton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Torrey for a few days.

Mrs. I. G. Barbour has a new Overland roadster.

The Misses Boost of Philadelphia have taken "The Apple Tree" cottages for the summer.

Mrs. Will Marshall and daughter Elizabeth went to Rockland Tuesday and will be the guests of Mrs. John Marshall while there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Knight of Malden, Mass., are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hubbard, with their children Miss Ruth and Master Billy and niece Miss Margaret Mahim and Rev. and Mrs. O. S. Burfield and children Joseph and Miss Elizabeth Dufrail of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived at the Johnson cottage last Monday.

Miss Zulick of Philadelphia is the guest of Dr. Ella Kilgus at Hill Crest.

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### WATERMAN'S BEACH

I have been so busy the past few weeks attending to my own business that I didn't have time to look up the other fellow's business. Some of our neighbors' children were disappointed when they didn't see my items in The Courier-Gazette. I never like to disappoint the children, and if they are interested in what I write I will do my best to please them.

I had just finished picking my strawberries and getting them to market on my one-wheel car, when my son bought a farm here and wrote me to help myself to the blueberries, so I have put in two or three hours each day crawling around on my knees to harvest the crop. Four quarts in three hours is about high line for me, for I leave the green berries and leaves in the pasture instead of putting them in the pail. If anyone thinks 20 cents a quart is too high for blueberries let him take a hand at the business.

I have been bothered all summer by a woodchuck. He snipped off the pea vines as fast as they grew and then floundered all over a nice piece of clover so it became a hard job to cut it. I never studied up whether or not there is a close time on woodchucks, but I closed in on that chap Sunday morning. He slipped into a steel trap and dragged it into his hole. I was obliged to dig him out with a pickaxe. That fellow kept my biddies in fresh meat for a week and I got oil enough out of him to use on my one-wheel car for the rest of the summer.

Nearly everyone is through with haying. The barns must be quite full as the hay crop looked fine. Everyone who has potatoes growing has bags. I dug a peck Thursday and found three or four rotten ones. The vines or tops are hardly out of blossom. I take it the old seed rotted and rotted the new spuds. My ground is sandy soil and well drained. I write this as a hint to those growers who have acres of potatoes to harvest.

I sold 12 quarts of currents from one bush that I encouraged to grow from a mere slip. My gooseberries didn't pan out very well this year.

I now have my strawberry plants growing new plants and after Aug. 15 will have some to spare at one cent each. If anyone wants them, send in your order and I will book it. First come, first served. Will let you know when they are all engaged.

I have on my desk a few items written by "Boze". He has the impression that "Charley Godfrey" was working on Clark Island in 1877, the year the Granite Cutters Union was born. Fact is, I never worked on Clark Island, except in the fall of 1901, under exception. M. M. Brown surely is correct about the big ox teams and the little tricks the boys were up to in those days. I was pleased "Boze" didn't take my shipyard yarn too much to heart. I will take off my hat to Boze should I ever have the pleasure of meeting him.

I don't remember Brother Brown, but as he is just an hour's drive distant from where I live I am in hopes he will drive down and make a call. If he can get in a word edgewise after he starts me talking about old times he will prove to be a pretty fast talker himself.

Eggs are 50 cents a dozen here and 77 cents in Boston, to the retailer. Peas 30 cents, potatoes \$1 a peck. Lots of cars on the roads down here every day. More on Sunday.

C. D. S. G.

Far-off reader, write to The Courier-Gazette. Old Knox county friends will be glad to hear from you.

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"At times I was confined to my bed, unable to lift my head from the pillow or turn over without assistance. It seemed as though every joint in my body was involved, and the pain through my hips was almost unendurable."

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