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## IMPORTANT

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THE  
HOUSE FURNISHERS,

Desire, through the columns of this paper, to announce to all our customers and those in need of house furnishings, either in

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**Dinner & Tea Sets,**

or any article that goes to furnish a house, that on the 1st day of May we shall DISCONTINUE prepaying Freight on all goods sold by us. We are driven to this because we cannot find out what the new rates will be on and after April 5th. We feel, however, that it will be against us, as the freights will be higher than hitherto, and while we are anxious to sell goods at the lowest possible profit, we cannot pay higher rates of Freight than we have been doing, without advancing the price of our goods, and we cannot do this without giving timely warning. Therefore, please read and do not forget that on and after the 1st day of May we shall not Prepay the Freight on goods. All Freight charges on everything bought from us will have to be paid by the purchaser when it arrives at its destination. We shall be pleased to hear from all our customers, or from any new ones that wish to patronize us during this month, and can assure them that we have the largest stock in all kinds of house furnishing to select from, now carried east of New York, and that persons who are desirous of furnishing their houses in whole or in part, can not find a better selection of

**Carpets, Parlor Furniture, Chamber Furniture, Dining Room Furniture,**

in the country, and as we said before, we shall Prepay the Freight on everything sold by us to any part of New England until the 1st day of May, '87. Consequently it behooves every housekeeper who is thinking of new Carpets, or any Furniture of any description, either write us for photographs, or what will suit us very much better, come to our store and see the goods.

Remember we have never made any extra charge for the Freight we have prepay, but have always considered we are selling the goods more than the cost of the freight cheaper than any competitor in the state. This was always an item worth considering, and we are sorry to be compelled to discontinue, but under existing circumstances have no other way out of the dilemma. Our stocks were never more complete than at present, and Sharp Buyers should take advantage of this month and buy all the goods they require. Remember there are points where it will cost you from \$3 to \$4 on chamber sets, which now costs you nothing. Residents of Rockland and vicinity, we would respectfully refer to the Rockland store, where we keep a nice line of samples. We would also refer the residents of Bar Harbor and vicinity to our store there, where they can make selections which will be filled promptly and in good order. And to those who are living on the lines of route traveled by our Mr. W. A. Kimball, will find it convenient to call on him and leave your orders, as he has one of the finest lines of samples of House Furnishing Goods ever sent on the road, and will take great pleasure in showing the goods.

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Respectfully, the public's obedient servants.

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**25c. EACH.**

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Very desirable tenements and offices to let. Inquire of

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A story and a half house, eight rooms, good stable, suitable for cow and horse. Two minutes walk to school, five to Depot. Inquire of

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**VESSEL FOR SALE.**

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**FOR SALE.**

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Also the Famous Bliss American Wonder Pen. Grafting Wax also for sale.

J. R. RICHARDSON.

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**DISSOLUTION.**

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Mills & Williams is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All parties indebted to said firm are requested to make payment to H. A. Mills who will continue business at the old stand.

H. A. MILLS, M. S. WILLIAMS.

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Warren, Mar. 27, '87.

**FARM FOR SALE**

AT NORTH WASHINGTON.

The subscriber having recently engaged in business in Boston desires to sell his Farm at North Washington, 1 mile from Razorsville, overlooking Pleasant Pond and containing 20 acres of choice blue house land in 1887. Will be sold at a great bargain if applied for within 30 days. For further particulars apply to E. W. LESSNER, near the premises or the subscriber at 793 Tremont St., Boston.

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W. C. LESSNER.

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**AUCTION.**

To be sold at public auction, about First of May next, (exact date will be advertised later), that beautiful situated residence on Water Street, owned by the heirs of the late J. S. Lindsey, and now occupied by General Child, together with the adjoining lot on north side, also the water lot with wharf in front, and the right of moving off the building now occupied by J. B. Loring.

The purchaser of residence will have the refusal of the water lot at \$1,200 at time of sale. The house contains four rooms and a bath, and is fitted with hot air furnace, water supply, bath room, etc.

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March, 1887.

**J. WRIGHT & CO.,**

Tobacco.

To the Tobacco Trade: Owing to our great success in manufacturing the tobacco known under the brand "Master Workman," some unscrupulous manufacturers have attempted, by counterfeiting our tag as near as possible in color and general appearance, to pass off their goods as the same as "Master Workman," and some hoping to absorb our trade under this brand, have claimed priority in the use of the arm and hammer emblem—we will therefore from this date drop the use of the arm and hammer portion of our tag and instead will use the word "genuine" across the tag in red letters by which you may hereafter distinguish our brand.

Thanking you for your liberal patronage and trusting you will stand by us in our struggle against our wealthy rivals, we are,

Yours very truly,

J. WRIGHT & CO.,

Richmond, Va. Jan. 27, 1887.

John Bird & Co., wholesale agents, Rockland, Me.

We print this week 2616 copies of THE COURIER-GAZETTE. Advertisers take notice.

## BUSY MAN.

A Farmer, Soldier, Lime Manufacturer and General Good Citizen.

Few men are more worthy of honorable mention for industry than Minot Tolman of East Warren. As is commonly remarked his home is a long distance from everywhere, i. e., the villages. Certainly to those unaccustomed to the roads it would seem a very long ride and a much longer walk from the extreme southwestern base of Mount Pleasant, the location of Mr. Tolman's house, to Warren, Thomaston, Rockland, Rockport or Camden. 'Tis by no means an unfrequented, gloomy and isolated spot of earth, on the contrary, for an inland country home, few places are more attractive than this. The scenery is varied and romantic, sunny and sheltered. The place cannot in the nature of things be much affected by blizzards from the north, gales from the north-east, or chilling winds from the east.

Notwithstanding the expanse of territory between Mr. Tolman's home and the villages, he is often seen in them. He is a moving body. While farming is his regular business, during those times in the year not especially favorable to tilling the soil he carries on other branches of work. Since last having he has threshed by horse power over 8000 bushels of grain, and burned in G. F. Burgess' old fashioned kilns at West Camden over 3000 barrels of Mount Pleasant lime, and has hauled the same to and shipped it from Capt. O. P. Shepherd's wharf, Rockport. Mr. Tolman has to help him in these operations two sons and one man, hired by the month, and part of the time keeps employed ten or twelve of his neighbors, some of them with teams. He himself owns four good horses. His method of conducting these various branches is as follows: From early spring until after haying is finished he attends exclusively to farming. When the grains begin to ripen his boys and hired man take the threshing business in hand. Another man is set digging limerock thus taking advantage of the dry fall months to avoid the water in the quarry, and still another small crew goes to the woods. His farm comprises in cleared and woodland 250 acres. Mr. Tolman does not claim to be getting rich out of these operations, but is content to get a living for himself and help some of his neighbors. He is a man to whom labor is more pleasurable than idleness.

Mr. Tolman took an active part in the service of his country during the late war. He enlisted in the 1st Maine Heavy Artillery, Co. G. At the end of six months service he received a bad wound in the right arm, at Petersburg, June 18, 1864. Nearly a year was then passed in the hospital when he was discharged. After getting home it was found necessary to amputate the injured arm. He is a member of the order of Free and Accepted Masons, at Rockport. He is now 64 years of age, hale and hearty, intelligent and decided in conversation and honest in his dealings with all men. Would that our country were made up of such men.

I. O. O. F.

The Elegant New Quarters of Camden's Three Link Boys.

The new quarters of Mt. Batty Lodge, I. O. O. F., in Knights Block, Mechanic street, Camden, are to be dedicated this Tuesday evening. They consist of a suit of five rooms frescoed throughout by Charles B. Emery of Rockland in a high style of art that stamps Mr. Emery as one of the best frescoers in the country. The main hall, 36x44 feet, is finished in cherry and ash. The floor is covered by a very handsome Brussels carpet. The chairs for the Noble Grand and his supporters are scarlet, crushed plush, under a deep canopy of terry and appropriate trimmings to correspond. At the opposite end of the hall are the chairs for the Vice Grand and his Supporters, of blue crushed plush, with appropriate hangings. On the right side of the hall is the chair of the Past Grand, in scarlet plush, while opposite him sits the Chaplain in a chair of old gold plush. The chairs for the other officers are upholstered in crimson and blue terry.

At the left of each of the principal officers is a marble top black walnut stand rising from which is a gas jet with globe to correspond in color to the different draperies. The furnishing committee showed exquisite taste in these selections. The banquet hall is 10 by 20 feet with hard pine floor. The other rooms are all very tastefully finished. The Belfast, Rockland, Union and Appleton Lodges have been invited to attend the dedication.

## THE OUTLOOK.

Herr Most, the New York anarchist, is out of prison, and again preaching his infamous doctrine. Better put him back.

The late snow storm was a blessing to newspapers left in the lurch for exciting news by the adjournment of the legislature.

Portland's baseball club nearly beat the Washingtons last week, the score standing 30 to 0 in favor of the Washingtons.

Cardinal Taschereau, who has just returned to Montreal from Rome, does not bring much encouragement to the Knights of Labor.

The Houlton Pioneer says that the only eye-witness of the Fletcher Brook murder is missing and that it may be impossible to convict Graves after all. The Pioneer must have forgotten McFarland.

The business men of Houlton have commenced a system of retaliation of their own, signing an agreement not to receive bills of the Dominion of Canada nor bills of the banks in the Dominion of Canada, after the 1st of May, except at a discount of five per cent.

A socialist nominee for office in the town of Lake, Ill., compelled a former employer to give him a certificate of good character at the muzzle of a pistol. This would have been an excellent opportunity for the trial of Bill Nye's patent certificate of character scheme.

The defeat of the Chicago socialists in Tuesday's election will be received with a deep feeling of relief all over our country. The socialists boasted that they would get control of the city and release the convicted anarchists. Henry George was there to lead them. He will now have time to write another book on "land values." A significant commentary upon the result if the socialists had gained control of the city is the fact that prominent insurance companies refused to take further risks there until after the election, fearing a socialist victory.

Bangor business men are growing terribly over the new Maine Central freight schedule, and talk of combining to establish steamboat lines to Boston and New York. Bangor has long been favored in the way of Maine Central freight charges and Waterville and other places along the line have hitherto done the growling. The talk of establishing a steamboat line to Boston and New York will waste itself in talk, and then, too, what better steamboat service between Bangor and Boston can be asked for than that now furnished by the Boston & Bangor Steamboat Co?

AN ELDERLY GROUP.

Who Were Congregated Recently in a Warren Store.

A C-G. reporter recently happened into one of the Warren stores and found five of the old townsmen chatting away there, telling stories of olden times. They were William Dickey, aged 85 years; Jesse Williams, 76; Marcus Starrett, 76; Thos. P. Burgess, 75; John Newcomb, 69. Many stories were told of those who have passed away and a very enjoyable forenoon was passed.

Of this group Mr. Dickey, who will be 85 years old April 27, was born at the place where he now lives, near North pond, and has never seen a day but that he was able to be out doors until this winter, when he was confined to his bed about three weeks. He is now able, however, to take care of his cattle, and steps off as smart as a man of twenty. When the Washingtonian movement struck Warren he gave up the use of intoxicants, and has never partaken of a drop since.

A BOOM

In Loan and Building Associations Through the State.

The benefits of loan and building associations seems to be appreciated in Maine's wide-awake cities and towns, if the organization of new associations is any evidence. The Bangor association is having a desirable boom, and good reports come from those in Dexter and Gardiner. An association has just been organized in Waterville, through the efforts of W. T. Haines, esq. Dover is taking the necessary steps towards organization, while the Richmond association, an established institution, reports great work. When will Rockland's turn come?

## FROM SPENCER.

Rockland's Representation in the Shoe Business There.

A second letter from E. A. Collamore, at work in the shoe shop of D. Bullard & Co., Spencer, Mass., reports plenty of work, and everything moving along smoothly without hitch or break. First-class board is furnished for \$1.50 a week. Rockland is represented there by Atwell Heath, E. A. Collamore, Edward Price, Frank Montgomery, George Montgomery, William Heath, Sherman Steeper, John Valentine, James Valentine, Walter Hawes, Charles Rankin, Will Staples and Fred Robinson. The boys report good treatment. Some of them have been employed with Bullard & Co. for several years.

IN 1839.

An April Storm Which Discounted that of a Week Ago.

Our Warren correspondent grows reminiscient and gives us the following:

"We frequently hear people remark at times that the storm of the 3d inst. was the worst that they ever experienced. Now if people will stop and carry their minds back to April 9, 1839, forty-eight years ago, they must remember that then we had a snow-storm with sleet and rain which froze up so that people drove here and there over the fences in order to get to their destination. Then we did not have a railroad to bring our mail but it was carried by stage. At that time a man by the name of Thompson, who died in Thomaston a few years ago, was the driver and he made no appearance for three days owing to the state of the roads."

AT RANDOM.

\* On the 24th of April, 1838, the Penobscot was frozen so solid that people walked on it from Oldtown to the Penobscot boom.

\* Rev. Philip S. Moxie of Boston will deliver the Commencement oration at Colby University. The name is very suggestive of nerve food.

\* The Oakland Observer is the latest Kennebec county aspirant for advertising and subscription favors. It is neatly printed, and a very readable looking sheet.

\* The Portland Advertiser used a big slice of the Panama letter, written for THE COURIER-GAZETTE by Capt. H. A. Pitcher. The selection was so interesting that they forgot to give us proper credit.

\* Capt. Samuels of the Dauntless says that Mr. Colt, the owner of the yacht, who was on board during the race, interfered with him, and thereby lost the race. Colt must be pretty nearly broken now, however, as it is said the race cost him \$40,000.

\* The railroads centering in Boston have agreed to give free passes within the state at discretion to state officials, members of the legislature, certain municipal and county officers, campmeeting managers, mountain hotel proprietors and families of railroad officials, but to withhold them from members of the press. The press can stand it if the roads can. We venture to say that it will cost the roads more for advertising than heretofore.

BRIEFLETS.

About half the boot lasters in Emory's factory in Plymouth, Mass., applied for work Wednesday morning. Those for whom work could be provided were taken. The lasters complain that they were not supported by the local labor organizations.

Marino Leyba, the notorious outlaw, leader of a desperate gang of murderers and robbers in Central Mexico, was recently killed while resisting arrest. Leyba led the gang that murdered Charles Potter, a stepson of Gov. Van Dusen of Rhode Island.

J. Alden Blethen, formerly of Portland, now one of the editors and proprietors of the Minneapolis Tribune, and his partner, Will E. Haskell, who is a son of the editor of the Boston Herald, have lately been sued for libel, \$50,000 damages being claimed.

A London engineer of reputation, who has recently returned from an inspection of the Panama canal and the Chagres River, estimates that the project of De Lesseps may be completed in 12 years if he has all the money he can use to prosecute it. Only one-fifth of the work is yet done.

M. L. Desaulniers of Lewiston, organist at St. Peter's church and assistant editor of Le Messenger, died from taking wine of colicium mistaking it for Madeira.

Luke Towne, a Sebec farmer, aged 60 years, committed suicide Sunday afternoon by hanging.

SPRING.

Free from their prisons leap the crystal streams, Once more the meadows feel their pulses stir, The air again is conscious of the whirr Of feathered jockeys racing with their teams Along the courses of the sun's gold gleams, And Time, that wonder-making conjurer, Near sleeping Nature comes and, touching her With his light wand, breaks through her deathlike dreams.

"Awake," he cries, "awake, for now the snows Have yielded to the heaven's glorious king; The wind pays fragrant homage as it blows; The brooks and birds in tuneful concert sing; And in the woods the pale arbutus shows Her blossoms—lights to guide the steps of Spring."

## CHECKERS.

"The inimitable game of draughts."—Fox.

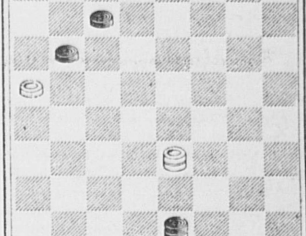
\* Good games and original problems solicited. Solutions desired. All communications to this column should be addressed to G. W. Brown, Warren, Maine.

The black men always occupy squares 1 to 12 inclusive, and the white men 21 to 32 inclusive. The players having black men always move first, the players alternating in using those men.

PROBLEM No. 300.

By J. A. Price.

BLACK.



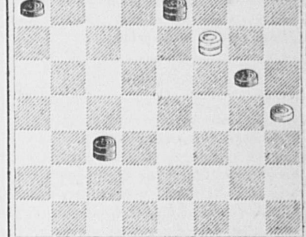
WHITE.

White to play and draw.

PROBLEM No. 210.

By R. W. Reid.

BLACK.



WHITE.

White to play and draw.

Solution to Problem No. 207.

Black, 16—20—22. White, 6—23—27—29.

White to play and win.

29-25 6-2 2-7 7-11 11-8

22-29 29-25 25-22 22-26 26-19

W. wins.

\* Only move to win.

Solution to Problem No. 208.

Black, 7—9—12—17.

White, 27—10—23—24.

Black to play and draw.

7-11 24-20 14-18 15-12 3-7

2-7 9-14 24-18 12-8

11-16 20-11 1-3 11-4 Drawn.

13-9 11-15 2-7 2-7

THE "CROSS" GAME.

With Notes and Variations.

11-15 17-13 15-22 4-8 10-18

23-18 7-11 23-18 19-23 20-16

8-11 22-17-a 14-23 25-25 12-19

27-23 2-7 24-20 23-7 5-1

1-8 32-27 3-11 2-22 3-12

23-18 1-5 31-24 26-22 1-8

9-14 30-26 22-26 22-18 18-15

18-9 5-9 19-15 22-22 17-14

5-14 26-22 10-19 17-14 32-27

22-17 11-16 24-18 22-15 13-9

15-18 27-21 16-19 14-5 10-18

26-22 14-27 8-4 32-22 25-24

11-15 22-18 26-30 21-17 Drawn.

a—In a correspondence game recently between the checker editor and Mr. A. Jones of Vevay, Ind., Mr. Jones at this point varied with:

13-9 28-24 32-28 31-26 20-16

6-13 14-18 15-24 11-15 10-14

CALL IT IN.

People Have No Further Use for the Ancient Chestnut.

We print this week 2616 copies of THE COURIER-GAZETTE—109 quires—our regular weekly edition. This is the largest circulation attained by any paper in Knox county, and nearly all of it is in that county and in the neighboring ones of Lincoln, Waldo and Hancock. We invite the most complete investigation of our claim, and will show our edition or our books to anybody who may wish to see.—Rockland Opinion.

FRACTURED IT.

Sch. Ariosto, Capt. I. K. Elwell, sailed from here Tuesday with line from Joseph Abbott & Son for New York. While running over the deck-load Capt. Elwell fell and received a fracture to one of the bones of the leg. The vessel put into Tenant's Harbor, the captain landed and was brought home. Capt. Frank Sprague took command of the vessel.

WENT WEST.

The neat little sum of \$10,000 was sent from this city to Pleasanton, Kansas, last week. C. P. Simmons, who went from here, opened the new bank there. Business is starting in well. We like to see our men make money, but wish they could find it in accordance with their desires for gain to make their investments at home. That \$10,000 would have helped business here tremendously.

FLEET FOOTED.

John C. Robinson of Thomaston won a \$25 medal in a foot race in Boston Thursday. Mr. Robinson has an excellent position in a well-known business house there, and does a little running for exercise. He seems to be combining business and exercise both. He has won a number of medals as a sprinter.

AN AGREEMENT.

A mutual agreement has been made between the Bowdell Granite and the local assembly, K. of L., of Vinalhaven to govern the works there for the ensuing year. The agreement is not in the form of a bill of prices but covers many of the grievances complained of by the men. The best of feeling prevails and next year will be prosperous for all. Business is reviving and there will be plenty of work. Next week we will give some details concerning this matter which may be interesting.

IT ORGANIZES.

The Camden Railroad Extension is to be Built.

The Rockland, Rockport & Camden Railroad Company met Wednesday afternoon in the office of the Camden & Rockport Water Company for the purpose of organization. P. J. Carleton, F. E. Richards, S. E. Shepherd, T. A. Shepherd of Rockport, Johnson Knight, T. A. Hunt of Camden, H. B. Cleaves of Portland, S. M. Bird and A. F. Crockett of this city were chosen directors. P. J. Carleton was elected president, H. L. Shepherd treasurer, and T. A. Hunt clerk. It was voted to accept the proposition of Camden to defray half the expense of a survey, and a competent engineer will be engaged and the survey made as soon as the season permits.

The interest in favor of the road in the town of Camden seems to be growing, and there is not much doubt but that Camden will do the wise and proper thing, and that the road will be built.

TURNED OUT.

The Famous Lime-kiln Club is Looking for New Quartets.

Twenty-two years ago Abner R. Bills opened a boot and shoe shop in the second story of the building on the corner of Main and School streets, and from that time to this it has been the place of resort and headquarters of some of our best-known citizens. Of late years the gathering there has assumed the dignity of a club, and has even aspired to rivalry with the cultured Central. This club has taken various names, "Lime-kiln" being the one most generally accepted, although it was dubbed the "Spittoon Club," probably by some envious outsider, denied the coveted privilege of membership.

The club was on the high road to prosperity, and new members were being daily "taken in," when it was fired, so to speak, by the remorseless hand of progress. A new block must be built; the club must go. Saturday they met for the last sad symposium. There was a full attendance, and though all tried to be merry their laughter was forced and their jokes mournful. As it was the last day the reprier was admitted within the sacred portals. The carpets were up and there was an air of general disturbance and change about the place. The ceiling frescoed with the smoke of many a busy pipe, the whitened table, the bills and posters that adorned the walls, dating back to the time of the war, all had a deep significance to those who have been familiar with the place. On the door is the legend: "Plummer's Patent Anatomical Boots," painted there years ago by W. H. K. Starr, when he was telegraph operator here. On the wall hung the famous sleigh-bell scene of two of Rockland's well-known men, excited by major C. B. Greenhalgh. Near by was the old familiar picture of Jeff Davis, which when reversed is found to be a gauge, a couple of verses of doggerel giving effectiveness to the whole. This was brought home from New York in the first year of the war by W. Edgar Crockett and given to Mr. Bills, and has hung on the wall since. The dust that accumulated on it the first year is still there. Both these pictures have been placed in the COURIER-GAZETTE's curio collection and will be religiously preserved.

The old map of Maine, Abner in the boot, the significant mottoes on the walls will soon be scattered and the place that knew them once shall know them no more. But whatever may tell the members of the Lime-kiln Club will always have a fond recollection and veneration for the old room and its associations.

THE INTERSTATE BILL.

How It Will Affect New England, Maine and Rockland.

A reporter of THE COURIER-GAZETTE interviewed Railroad Commissioner Mortland the other day with relation to the Interstate Commerce Bill, and its effect on this portion of our country, and presents the result of the interview to our readers:

"How will it affect New England?" queried our reporter.

"I cannot conceive of any beneficial results likely to be derived by the people of New England from the enactment of the law. While there may have been a few isolated cases of apparent unjust discrimination the part of some railroads toward certain localities, such discriminations were, I believe, in every instance, brought about by force of circumstances, rather than by any desire on the part of railroad managers to favor one locality more than another. I think the effect of the law will be to injure, rather than benefit the people of New England."

"How will they be injured?"

"To my mind, the reasons are almost too numerous to mention. The provisions of the law, as applied to common carriers engaged in transportation of passengers or property wholly by railroad, or partly by railroad and partly by water, when the railroads are used under a common control, management or arrangement for a continuous carriage or shipment. Independent lines of steamboats are in no way affected by its provisions. They can discriminate or not as they please, as they did before the day of railroads, and do now where they are not in competition with railroads. It is an old saying that 'competition is the life of trade,' but the object of this bill, so far as New England is concerned, seems to have been to break down the competition where it exists between railroad and steamboat lines, and prevent railroads from competing with steamboats and other water craft, for the carrying trade of certain localities. The railroads and business interests of the State of Maine must be seriously affected by reason of the law. Hereafter by such contracts, agreements and arrangements made with through lines of railroads to the west and south, we in Maine were enabled to have the great products of the west, such as grain, flour, etc., sent down at our doors in Portland, Bangor, Belfast, Rockland and other seaport cities and towns at nearly, if not quite, as low a rate for transportation as Boston and New York, and were at the same time enabled to load the empty cars that brought the products of the west to our doors with our granite, lime, lumber, potatoes, hay, etc., and ship the same wherever our people could find a market, and at a reduced rate of fare, simply because these lines of railroads could make a small margin of profit in carrying our products, over what they otherwise would, by running their cars back to the west empty. All these special contracts and arrangements are now forbidden by this law. True, these seaport cities and towns had in the past an advantage over those in the interior, because railroad corporations were obliged to give these places lower rates on account of being brought into direct competition with vessels and established lines of steamboats on our coast and numerous rivers. It costs money to build, maintain and operate railroads. Much of the freightage, especially the products of this state, can be delivered at less cost by water than by land, therefore unless our railroads are allowed to make such special contracts, agreements and arrangements with outside lines as heretofore, they cannot on the seaboard compete with sailing vessels or steamboats, neither can they, under this law, contract to carry our products to the west and south at the rates which they formerly did, because by so doing they will, under the provisions of this law, be obliged to reduce all local freighting in a corresponding degree which they cannot afford to do."

"I cannot see wherein they will be benefited. The fact that a dollar has been taken out of your pocket, does not make me any richer unless I get the dollar myself. It will not make the business man doing business in the interior, any more prosperous or richer from the fact that someone on the seaboard has failed. Whatever tends to build up one portion of our state, indirectly helps all parties. If it were not for the business given to railroads, by the cities and towns on our seaboard and navigable rivers, few railroads would have been built or maintained in Maine. But I think the effect of the law will be as injurious in many respects, to the interior of our state, as on the seaboard. Take the County of Aroostook, the greatest producing county in the state, with an area of square miles nearly equal to the state of Massachusetts, with no line of railroad reaching into it, except through the Province of New Brunswick. The products of this county are lumber, hay, grain and potatoes. The market for these products must be sought for somewhere in the state. If shipped by rail, they must be carried through 'any adjacent foreign country,' as well as from one state into another. How then can these bulky products be got to market unless the railroad is allowed to make such special terms with the producer as will induce him or enable him to ship them to market. This is only one side of the question. The same results follow the shipments into that county from any source by railroads. Even to-day, I see it stated in the papers that the mills at Waterville and Madison and other places in the interior are likely to be seriously affected by the law, as they are situated so far from their markets. Heretofore they have been able to obtain special rates on the railroads, which have largely removed the disadvantage of their situation. I see no advantage to be derived by any of the cities of Maine, on account of the provisions of law, but rather injury to commerce and trade in general."

"What will be its effect on the business of such railroads as the Knox & Lincoln?"

"That will depend very much upon the terms which connecting roads may be able to give them, under the rearrangement of tariffs, made necessary by the provisions of the law. I doubt if such rates can be obtained as will enable manufacturers to ship by railroad such commodities as lime, cut granite, etc., as heretofore, and the principal markets for such products are on the seaboard, such as Portland, Boston and New York, and places in the vicinity of which, and if railroads are obliged to give special local rates, the manufacturers can ship to one of these places by water and thence to points wherever a market may be found."

"But the commission provided by this law have power on application, and investigation to authorize railroads to charge less for a longer than for a shorter distance?"

"That is true, but if every railroad corporation in the country that will be injured by this provision of the law should apply for such a commission for relief, and they should attempt, even partially, to investigate each case, the commission would be unable to render a decision in all cases before the applicants died of old age."

"You speak of freight traffic. How about passengers? Will railroads under the provisions of this law be obliged to charge local rates from points in this state, say to Boston?"

"Well, that is somewhat doubtful. Some sections of the law are as hard to interpret rightly, as some passages of scripture. The law provides as follows: Sec. 4. That it shall be unlawful for any common carrier, subject to the provisions of this act, to charge or receive any greater compensation in the aggregate for the transportation of passengers, or of like kind of property, under substantially similar circumstances and conditions, for a shorter than for a longer distance over the same line, in the same direction, the shorter being included within the longer distance; but this shall not be construed as authorizing any common carrier within the terms of this act to charge and receive as great compensation for a shorter as for a longer distance."

"I think many a man, who constructed the foregoing section ought to be awarded a leather medal. What effect the words, 'under substantially similar circumstances and conditions' may have upon the rest of the above quoted matter, I am unable to say. Possibly it may be so construed as to permit limited tickets to be sold at reduced rates."

"How about passes?"

"Oh, I don't see anything to hinder railroad companies, under the exceptions in Section 4, from giving out as many passes as they please to all except newspaper men."

"How do you account for such a large vote in favor of this law in Congress?"

"Well, not on account of any merit in the law itself, but on account of pressure from west and south. Members of Congress are mostly politicians, and ready to vote for any and every measure, whatever it may be, the passage of which they think may help them to be returned another term, but what induced New England members to favor it, the Lord only knows. New England had no interests that could possibly be subserved by it. I don't think any of the members who did support it could make any reasonable excuse for so doing. Certainly the people of New England asked for no such legislation. 'Frustra probatur quod probatum non relevat.'"

ALL RAISED.

The amount needed for the remodeling of the Warren Congregational church, \$3100—has been all pledged and the work of renovation will soon begin.

PREPARING

Vinalhaven Always Does Such Things Up Brown.

Vinalhaven is busy preparing for the reunion of the First Me. Heavy Artillery who will hold a reunion there next summer. The executive committee are Captains H. H. Shaw of Portland, J. A. Dole, Bangor, Maj. F. C. Low, Cambridgeport, Mass., Lt. I. N. Morgan, South Thomaston, T. G. Libby, Vinalhaven.

The Bucksport Clipper suggests that G. A. R. posts within convenient distance be invited to join an excursion to that pleasant isle at the same time.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

Advertiser.—Yes, there is one Democratic paper in this county—the Thomaston Herald, J. B. Hodgdon editor. THE COURIER-GAZETTE has the largest bona-fide circulation of any Knox county paper, and its regular edition, without including sample copies, is 2616. This is the largest circulation ever attained by any paper in this county.

Debater.—The proper way to prove your side of the story is to call your opponent a liar. This, indeed, is the only way, when said opponent has all the facts in his favor.

The town of Norway recently did a good thing in voting to furnish text books for the public schools. But the moss-backs of the town have since succeeded in repealing the vote at a special meeting.

RAYMOND'S VACATION EXCURSIONS

All Travelling Expenses Included.

Parties will leave Boston, THURSDAY, APRIL 21st, and THURSDAY, APRIL 28th for a tour of 55 days through

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With visits to Chicago, Las Vegas, Hot Springs, Santa Fe, Albuquerque, Los Angeles, The Raymond at South Pasadena, San Francisco, the Hotel del Monte, Monterey, Santa Cruz, the Giant Redwood Forest, Salt Lake City, Manitou, Denver, etc., and daylight trips over the Sierra Nevada and through the most picturesque regions of the Wahsatch and Rocky Mountains.

A Party will leave Boston, Thursday, May 5, for a Tour of 72 Days, over the same route through Colorado and California, thence through the Picturesque Regions of the

PACIFIC NORTHWEST,

And homeward over the entire length of the Northern Pacific Railroad, including the newly completed line from Tacoma through the Cascade Mountains, with a Side Trip of 8 days to all points of interest in the Yellowstone National Park. Visits will be made to Portland, Dallas City, Tacoma, Seattle, Victoria (capital of British Columbia), St. Paul, Minneapolis, Lake Minnesota, etc. Incidental excursion up the Columbia River and on Puget Sound.

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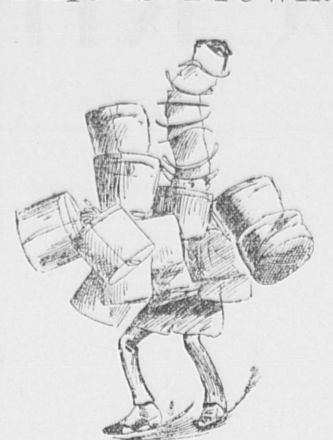
PREPARED BY

J. H. WIGGIN,

—APOTHECARY—

ROCKLAND, - - MAINE.

This is Brown.



HE WENT INTO

BLACKINGTON'S

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Te get a Fit-out of Spring and Summer Goods, and the

STOCK WAS SO BIG AND THE PRICES SO LOW

That he Bought enough for Several Seasons.

The painting above shows him Lugging Home a few

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from Blackington's Immense

Stock. He is going back

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FINE UNDERWEAR

IN ALL SHADES & VARIETIES.

Also a line of

Children's Suitings

With an assortment of

OVERALLS, BLOUSES,

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In his purchases he included several of those

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25 doz. 5 Button Kid Gloves, embroidered back in Black, Brown and Tan Shades, just think of it, only 67 1-2c per pair. No value like this has never been approached.

1 lot (odd sizes) 6 Button Wash Leather Gloves at \$1; former price \$1.50.

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1 lot 20 different patterns Oriental and Egyptian Laces, 4 to 6 inches wide, in cream and beige shades, at 9 1-2c. per yard. These goods have never been sold less than 25c.

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Oriental Flouncing, cream a beige, 50c, 65c, and \$1.

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Cambrie Flouncing 42 in. wide 75c, \$1, and \$1.25.

Embroidered Robes at about one-third regular prices.

Lace Ties 5c,

## FOLKS AND THINGS.

Collar your dog!  
Sunday was a nice day for the new bonnets.  
The regular monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. occurs Thursday evening.

Frank Manson has been brightening up his barber shop with new paint, etc.  
A brisk fight made things lively in the vicinity of Spear block Friday night.

People went to church Sunday dry-shod. Thanks, Mr. Road Commissioner.

The first of Rockland's yacht fleet, M. A. Rice's, went into the pond yesterday.

The C. L. S. Circle will meet Saturday evening with Miss Lucy Walker, Warren street.

Mayor Williams received an Easter box of tropical flowers from some unknown friend.

T. J. St. Clair now occupies his new quarters over H. N. Keene's boot and shoe store.

Governor Bodwell's proclamation appointing April 21st Fast Day was read in the city churches Sunday.

A special communication of Aurora Lodge, F. and A. M., occurs Wednesday evening. Work on the second degree.

Our lime manufacturers are paying \$3.50 a cord for the best kiln-wood. A big fleet of wood boats is on the way here.

Three hundred tons of steel rails for the Knox & Lincoln have been discharged at Railroad wharf by schooner Seth W. Smith.

The snow holds out bravely. One of our teamsters started for Hope Friday with a load, got most there and was obliged to give it up.

Steamer Katabdin will soon be taken off for slight repairs and the Lewiston, which will be the third boat through the summer, put on in her place.

The kiln men at the Atlantic cart the lime out on the wharf on a four-wheeled truck, a great labor-saving device. It is the invention of J. A. Stover.

The police visited James McLaughlin's saloon Saturday and captured liquors. Judge Hicks fined him \$100 and costs, which was paid.

W. H. Glover & Co. are at work on the frame of a two-story and old dwelling house with stable for Parker Wells, Green's Landing.

The annual election of officers of the Free Baptist Sunday school occurred Sunday, as follows: A. J. Bird, superintendent; C. E. Wood, assistant; James McWilliams, treasurer; A. J. Bird, Jr., librarian.

A child knocked over a lighted kerosene lamp in the house of George Smith at Blackington's Corner Saturday morning and set fire to the carpet, rugs, etc., which were somewhat injured before the fire was extinguished.

Hamilton Lodge was crowded Thursday evening to hear J. H. McNamara in his Irish character songs. As usual he could not sing often enough to satisfy the audience. Miss Lizzie McNamara was his accompanist, and proved herself a most excellent one.

Rev. T. F. Whitts of Bath will lecture in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course next Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. "The Greedy Arctic Exploration" will be the subject of the lecture. Mr. White is one of Maine's best known pulpit orators and his lecture cannot fail to be one of deep interest.

Capt. Otis Ingraham went to Boston Saturday to take command of the Penobscot which comes on the line this week. The Penobscot has been newly fitted up, painted and repaired and is as good as new. With Capt. Ingraham in command the Penobscot can but do a big business this season.

THE CHURCHES.—Rev. Mr. Roberts, pastor of the First Baptist church, will preach next Sunday on "Sabbath Observance." There will be no preaching services at the Congregational church for the next two Sundays. Mrs. S. M. Veazie and Mrs. Ephraim Gay have presented St. Peter's Episcopal church a fine cabinet organ, which was used for the first time Sunday.

The city schools opened yesterday with about the usual attendance, and the same corps of teachers, with the exception of the Blackington's Corner school, where Mrs. Nellie E. Keene is teaching in place of Miss Annie Hutchinson, the former efficient teacher there, who still continues too ill to resume her old position.

Miss Smart, the vocal teacher who made such an excellent impression here last season, gave a concert in Boston Tuesday evening of last week assisted by her pupils. Among those participating were Misses Ella F. Palmer, Lillian and Grace Sprague and Flora Killoch of this city, all of whom acquitted themselves with great credit.

Capt. Charles H. Marston left Thursday for California, where he intends to reside. His son, Capt. Charles I. Marston, preceded him there some weeks. Their many friends in Rockland regret their departure, but wish them success in their new home. The Marston home on North Main street has been purchased by Mrs. Cephas Starrett for \$2500 and she now occupies it.

G. O. Hall, representing R. H. Stanley of Bangor, was in the city last week collecting material for "Eastern Maine and the Rebellion," the new war book soon to be published. Mr. Hall got some important data from the back files of the Gazette and from personal interviews with our soldier boys, and local war history will have a prominent place in the book. Our people wait expectantly for its appearance.

"Rosedale" is rapidly approaching perfection in the hands of the following cast of characters: Elliot Grey, Dr. T. E. Tibbets; Matthew Leigh, a village doctor, Dr. S. H. Boynton; Col. Cavendish May, Lady May's uncle, K. H. Burnham; Bunberry Kobb, of Kobb Hall, Jas. Wright; Sir Arthur May, Miss Adelle Gale; Miles McKenna, H. E. Burkmair; Farmer Green, A. J. Tolman; Corporal Daw, J. E. Rhoades; Roman Rob, Docksey, gypsies, W. Steele, Jona. Crockett; Robert, servant, Thos. Ingraham; rifle officers, servants, soldiers, gypsies, etc.; Lady Florence May, Miss Maud Woodbridge; Rosa Leigh, sister of Matthew, Miss Grace Sprague; Lady Adela Grey, Mrs. Jos. Furbish; Tabitha Stork, Matthew's housekeeper, Miss Clara Gregory; Sarah Sikes, Matthew's cook, Miss Hunnewell; Primrose, Lady's maid, Miss Nena Bass; Mother Misy, a gypsy, Mrs. Alfred Murray.

We shall have more to say about this beautiful play in our next. It will have beautiful scenery and will be exquisitely presented.

## MEN AND WOMEN.

Personal Paragraphs of More or Less Interest to Our Readers.

Silas Farrington is quite ill.  
Miss Regina Rich is in Boston.

H. N. Keene and wife are in Boston.  
James Winslow is to move to Malden, Mass.

Miss Nellie Gaudes is in Boston for the week.  
Mrs. Betsy Packard is very ill with lung fever.

Will Cross is suffering from a sprained ankle.

W. V. Wentworth is home from Bowdoin College.

Maynard S. Bird returned to Phillips-Exeter Thursday.

Capt. Borstelle, wife and daughter Clara are in Boston.

Robert Ross has been confined to his home with sickness.

Mrs. R. Y. Crie is at home from a six weeks stay in Boston.

Miss Emily Shea is at home after a two year's absence in Boston.

Mrs. Charles E. Weeks and daughter visited in Belfast last week.

Miss Eva Turner of North Haven is visiting Mrs. H. B. Messer.

Miss Ryah Robinson of Thomaston has been visiting in this city.

C. U. Keen is confined to the house with a badly sprained ankle.

C. M. Walker, esq., is suffering from a severely sprained ankle.

H. G. Fuller of Houlton, formerly of Camden, made us a call Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Holbrook and Miss Hattie Files went to Boston last night.

Mrs. Lydia Freeman has returned from a visit to Tenants Harbor.

Mrs. F. I. Gay, Mrs. C. A. Crockett, and Mrs. A. H. Jones are in Boston.

John Holbrook has a position with Forbes & Hayward, confectioners, Boston.

Miss Alice J. Black went to Boston this morning to continue her musical studies.

Capt. Calvin Packard of Stowe, Mass., paid a brief visit to friends in this city last week.

Mrs. L. J. Sargent of Sargentville and daughter are visiting at Rodney McFarland's.

E. B. Burpee of this city has received one of the Commencement appointments at Bowdoin.

Mrs. A. E. Hewett has returned from an extended visit to her daughter in Newburyport, Mass.

Miss Ella F. Palmer, who is pursuing her musical studies in Boston, is suffering from a sprained ankle.

Walter Underwood, who played ball with the Rockland's last year, is at his home at Fayette. He will not return to Bates College this year.

Mrs. Arthur Trowbridge of Newcastle, nee Miss M. O. Sweeney, well known in this city, was in town Friday. Mrs. Trowbridge is at present stopping at West Warren.

Dr. T. E. Estabrook and wife have returned home from a three month's trip to New York. The doctor has spent the greater portion of his time among the various New York hospitals.

George H. Blake, formerly editor of the Rockland Daily Globe and Weekly World, has been in town the past week. Mr. Blake is connected with the Maine State Heat & Light Co. and was here on business. Mr. Blake was located in Portland for several years after leaving Rockland.

J. A. Isaacson, formerly of this city, has been looking up old friends here. Mr. Isaacson is proprietor of the Blue Store, Bath, and is doing an excellent business. From a recent issue of the Bath Independent we learn that Mr. Isaacson is a talented elocutionist, and in great demand in local amusement circles.

Louis Bailey, formerly employed on the Knox & Lincoln, but latterly of Portland, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Bailey has been engineering on the Maine Central, but leaves this week for South Barbara, Cal., where he takes engineer's position on the Southern Pacific. He is a fine fellow and a master of his business.

Orin F. Perry and Marie Antoinette Nash were married Wednesday noon, Rev. D. P. Hatch performing the ceremony. After the ceremony the bride and groom took the noon train for a brief tour to Boston and New York. Mr. Perry is one of the enterprising firm of Perry Bros., lime manufacturers, a member of our present city council, and a young man of sterling qualities. The bride is a daughter of Capt. Ezekiel Nash of this city, and is a lady of great personal charms. The good wishes of many friends attend them. Among the many wedding presents was a beautiful Doulton dinner service of 150 pieces.

The death of Mrs. E. L. Estabrook, which occurred Wednesday one of the saddest events it has been our lot to chronicle. A beautiful, cultured lady of intemperate estimable qualities of head and heart, her death will leave a vacant place in a large circle of friends who sincerely mourn her loss. During her stay in this city, though comparatively brief, she won for herself a host of friends by her many attractive qualities. The bride is a daughter of Capt. Ezekiel Nash of this city, and is a lady of great personal charms. The good wishes of many friends attend them. Among the many wedding presents was a beautiful Doulton dinner service of 150 pieces.

Richard H. Rice, eldest son of A. S. Rice esq., of this city, and Mary S. Durgin, only daughter of Wm. B. Durgin, silversmith manufacturer, were wedded at the home of the bride, in Concord, N. H., Wednesday. The wedding was a very brilliant and happy event. Two hundred and fifty invitations were given out and there was a large number present from Concord and other places. Rev. C. B. Crane, D. D., officiated, using the Episcopal service. The bridesmaids were Miss Nina Tilton of this city, Miss Mary E. Parker of Gardner, Mass., and the Misses Rice, the two young sisters of the bridegroom. M. A. Rice was best man, and A. L. Torrey of this city, A. W. Burchard of Danbury, Conn., and E. S. Daniel of Franklin Falls, N. H., were ushers. The elegant home of the bride was fragrant with roses, the floral decorations being very beautiful. A fine orchestra was in attendance, and an elegant wedding supper was served under the supervision of a Boston caterer. The wedding party took the evening train for a trip south. On their return they will occupy a suite of rooms in the Sagadahoc House, Bath, which have been fitted up for their occupancy. The wedding gifts were many, well-chosen and elegant, including costly etchings, gold, silver and cut glass ware, and everything else that is beautiful and appropriate. One noticeable gift was that of the bride's father, a complete set of solid silver, spoons, knives, forks, etc., made from designs by Mr. Durgin. The bride is said to be a very lovely young lady, both in character and person. Mr. Rice is one of Rockland's most promising young men. He is a graduate of Hoboken Institute, N. Y., and is a mechanical engineer by profession, pursuing his calling in Bath. The COURIER-GAZETTE is one of many in this vicinity, who tender their congratulations.

Stover's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. played here Saturday afternoon and evening to two good houses.

The Free Baptist Society hold a sociable in Perry Hall, Crockett block, this Tuesday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served, and the weather is unfavorable it will be held Thursday evening.

Don't fail to see the Daily Boys when they come April 20th. They give the most for the money of any party on the road and always have a full house. Tickets will be on sale as soon as the orthodox agent, Mr. Chappelle, arrives.

H. Price Webber's company is doing a good business up Aroostook way.

RED FRONT STORE.  
Everything for housekeeping at the Red Front Store.

## HAIR GOODS.

Mrs. W. P. Clark has taken the rooms over F. C. Knight & Co.'s store, 276 Main street, and will there carry on the manufacture of human hair goods in all the different branches of the trade. Mrs. Clark has a very long experience in this business, and is able to execute any order that may be received in this line in the best style. A very large assortment of hair goods of every description is kept constantly on hand. The establishment of this business enterprise must be a great convenience to the ladies of this city, and they will no doubt give Mrs. Clark a liberal patronage. See advertisement.

Flower seeds for sale. Mrs. J. M. Farnham, 16 Cedar St.

## Births.

Hix—Rockland, April 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Hix, a daughter.  
PILLSBURY—Rockland, April 2, to Capt. John Pillsbury and wife, a daughter.  
AMES—Rockland, April 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Ames, a son.  
LEO—April 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leo, a daughter.  
MOODY—Thomaston, April 5, to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Moody, a son.  
WARDMAN—North Haven, April 5, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Waterman, a son.  
WALTER—Waldoboro, March 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Walter, a son.  
MORTON—Friendship, April 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Redington R. Morton, a daughter.  
COOPER—Brooklyn, N. Y., April 2, to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cooper, a son.

## Marriages.

DOW—MARSHALL—April 5, by R. H. Burnham, esq., Victor W. Dow and Hattie J. Marshall, both of Rockland.  
CARLETON—Tenants Harbor, April 7, Isaac B. Wall and Hattie M. Carleton, both of St. George.  
HAIN—Ellsworth, March 31, Martin E. Webber of Ellsworth, and Debbie S. Hain of Rockland.  
CHOWELL—Salem, April 5, by Rev. T. W. Bishop, Clarence E. Knowles of Lynn, formerly of this city, and Ella N. Crowell of Salem.  
JOHNSTON—RICHARDS—Quincy, Mass., March 17, Thomas Johnston and Elizabeth A. Richards, both of Quincy.

## Deaths.

ESTABROOK—Rockland, April 6, Susan H., wife of Dr. E. L. Estabrook, daughter of Hon. Wm. H. Hunt, of Liberty, aged 25 years, 3 months, 21 days. The remains were taken to Camden for interment Sunday.  
STILL—Rockland, April 5, at the residence of her brother, O. P. Kitteridge, esq., Mrs. Harriet K. Still, aged 76 years, 7 months.  
ADAMS—Rockland, March 20, Thomas Adams, aged 79 years, 7 months, 21 days.  
MCDONALD—South Thomaston, April 9, infant daughter of Wm. and Sarah McDonald.  
NORWOOD—Camden, April 9, Wm. Norwood.  
BUTLER—Thomaston, April 5, John Butler, aged 77 years, 3 months, 11 days.  
COOMBS—Thomaston, April 5, Lucinda, widow of Ezekiel P. Coombs, aged 71 years, 1 month, 19 days.  
FLANDERS—Northport, April 2, William Flanders, aged 76 years, 6 months.  
PICKERING—Deer Isle, April 1, Aaron Pickering, aged 66 years.  
CROSS—Rockland, April 11, Jesse R., son of Elias F. and Nancy E. Cross, aged 16 years, 5 months.  
THOMAS—Chicago, March 31, Abigail, widow of Barney Thomas, formerly of Thomaston.  
MERRILL—Lewiston, March 20, Adelle V., wife of Reuben L. Merrill, aged 21 years, 2 months, 21 days.  
ERISSON—Rockport, March 27, Josephina, daughter of Fred V. and Hattie Erisson, aged 8 months, 17 days.  
DENNER—Lost at sea from sch. Marcus A. Davis, on the trip from Rockland to Philadelphia.  
BANKS—Frank, son of Capt. George G. Jenner, of Waldoboro, aged about 22 years.  
SAYWARD—Union, aged about 64 years.

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Notices of the Prominent Soldiers  
from each of the towns in the eastern portion of the State. These have been compiled from daily and weekly papers printed at the time; from journals kept by the various residents; from official records and from personal interviews with those in authority here at home, and is largely made up of matter never before in print. In fact no pains have been spared to make this book a much needed addition to the library of every citizen of Eastern Maine. It will be amply illustrated with more than twenty engravings and portraits. Among the latter will be lithographs of:

The War President, HON. HANNIBAL HAMLIN.  
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Col. J. D. RUST, of the Eighth Maine. This gallant officer went into the army as a private and on his discharge was made a Brig. General.

Capt. ELIAH LOW, Provost Marshal, Quartermaster and Commissary of the Fourth District of Maine. This gentleman's reminiscences of the various Drafts will be of deep interest.

Capt. FRED A. CUMMINGS, recently appointed postmaster of Bangor.

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*Boston Globe.*

The following answers to correspondents are submitted this week to the readers of the *Globe* in order that the winter committee on correspondence may be discharged.

Rodney L. Pangborn of Tuscon, A. T., writes as follows:

"I dearly love a young lady here who a year ago led me to believe that she was not displeased with me.

"I know that she is my superior in many ways, as her folks keep a girl, whereas my mother does her own work, but need that cause us to drift apart?

"I think that when two fond hearts throb in unison, and when a young person of my sex earnestly and devotedly loves a young person of a diametrically different sex, and he desires her to be his and would not mind being her's, ought our difference in station to make any difference in our destiny?"

"What do you think of my penmanship?"

It is difficult to answer you, Rodney, without being flippant, but I know by the tone of your letter that you do not feel flippant and you would resent it if I were to treat your query in that way, so I will try to talk to you the same as I would discuss the matter if it were my own.

Socially we are always at war, Rodney. If your mother had kept a girl your own father might have kicked you into a shapeless mass, cursed you and disinherited you for loving that young thing whose mother did not keep a girl, or you might have fallen in love with one whose parents kept two girls.

Once knew a young man who was socially blessed in every way, but he loved above his station just as you have done and his whole life was embittered. In an evil hour, he fell madly, passionately in love with a girl whose parents were haughty and not only kept an all-around girl to do the work in the house, but hired a man to come and work with the wood pile and grease the backboard and squirt water on the lawn.

He saw that he must in some way bridge this social chasm or lose his ideal, and so he entered the lists to compete for a prize of \$500 offered by a purse-prod plug tobacco establishment for the largest number of words to be made from the sentence:

"Chew Ruminator's Succulent Plug Tobacco and take no other!"

He made over 1000 words from this sentence and accompanied them with over 1000 tin tags from Ruminator's celebrated tobacco, but a rival with five more words and one more tin tag than he had walked away with the \$500, and this young man is now striving to butt out his teeming brains against a padded cell in one of the costliest lunatic asylums of which our own fair land can boast.

So I would say to you, Rodney, as I would say to any other man who had come to lean on me, sob against me and ask me for aid and encouragement, do not seek to bridge over this great social chasm at one bound.

You might injure yourself. I know another case where a young man named Randall, whose parents were plain people, his father having been in the well-digging and pump industry, aspired to the hand of a young woman whose hands had never yet been immersed in dish-water.

Her parents also maintained a cottage organ and a Brewster side-bar buggy with red running-gear.

One day he was riding on the same train with her and heard her express a desire for a bunch of beautiful periwinkles that grew in beauty on the railroad right of way regardless of and entirely oblivious to the Interstate commerce bill.

The train only halted at that point for an instant in order that a man with a sledge hammer and a dash of tar on his nose might pound on the car wheels in a desultory kind of way.

Mr. Randall was anxious to procure the entire group of periwinkles so he delayed too long.

In jumping on the platform, hampered as he was by the bouquet, he missed his footing and also one of his legs.

I will not go into detail, Rodney, for it would be too tedious and vain.

Suffice it to say that his great sacrifice availed him naught.

The periwinkles for which he swapped his fair young leg on that bright and balmy spring day have long since faded, and as Mr. Randall in the gloaming sadly unbuckles his white oak leg and hangs it at the head of his lonely bed, he may be heard to ejaculate something in regard to the folly of striving to leap across a broad social chasm.

But you are still young, Rodney, and you might yet win the object of your love by winning a place upon a social plane equal to that of the party you refer to.

Your penmanship is good. It is highly ornamental and reminds me of a woven wire mattress. The red ink you use also enhances the effulgence of your chirography a good deal.

You would succeed in a large counting house I think. You could prop the door open with yourself in summer time, and in winter you could be a railroad cut rate sandwich.

James B. S., Duluth, Minn., wishes to know what class of people are referred to in the South as "poor whites."

I do not know, unless James refers to the people who bring batter to town in the spring and purchase snuff with the proceeds. When you see a tall, pale woman coming into town in February, wearing a black calico, sash sun-bonnet lined with pink, and carrying a pond of ghastly grease done up in a red pocket-handkerchief, with the little soiled end of a snuff-tick hanging out of the corner of her discolored and neglected mouth, dressed in soiled garments that smell like a haunted house, you may safely state to yourself, James, that a poor trash of the female gender is in town for the purpose of trading misanthropic butter for moldy snuff.

The male poor white trash is a feeble party, with the same odor clinging to him, to which he adds the fragrance of raw spirits and flat tobacco. He wears a full beard, in which he collects little mementoes of forgotten meals. His hair is full of ashes, burrs and feathers. In winter he is half frozen to death, and

in summer he is so lazy that you have to walk around him or fall over him. No one ever knew him to move from the middle of the walk for man, woman or child. He stands in the busiest part of the town, and while people with an object in life jostle past him he remains a blot upon creation like a poor boy at a frolic or a tin ear upon the brow of beauty.

### TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

Mental suasion for the man who thinks, Moral suasion for the man who drinks, Legal suasion for the drunkard-maker, Prison suasion for the statistic-breaker.

On March 29 the White Cross Army of New York celebrated its second anniversary. At a late monthly meeting in New York City, 800 young men, all members, were present.

It is stated that Chicago alone paid out last year over saloon counters for strong drink \$35,000,000. The whole United States gave for missions, home and foreign, only \$6,000,000.

Allowing twenty feet front to each of the rum shops in New York City, they would stretch in an unbroken line thirty-six and two-third miles. Besides these there are five hundred and eleven places where liquor is sold.

Queen Victoria is to be presented with a Woman's National Jubilee memorial, asking Her Majesty to use her influence to bring into force a bill for Sunday closing of public houses. The queen has said that she will receive such a memorial with great pleasure.

Howell, Michigan, suffered a disastrous fire recently. It started in the hardware store of F. N. Monroe, and consumed the entire block and six adjoining buildings. It was evidently the work of an incendiary. Mr. Monroe is the chairman of the County Prohibition Committee, and was a hard worker for the prohibition amendment. A few days ago he received the following letter, which undoubtedly explains the origin of the fire:

DETROIT, Mich., February 27: To F. N. Monroe, Howell, Mich.—I wish to inform you that you must stop your work in the prohibition cause, or we will burn you out, root and branch. You may prepare for the worst, as we are on your track. MANY SALOON KEEPERS.

### ELECTION ECHOES.

The Chicago socialists were buried beneath a majority of 10,000 republican votes Tuesday. Roche, republican, is elected mayor, and the city government is republican. The democrats, as a body, put no ticket in the field, and not liking the complexion of the socialistic nominations many of them voted the republican ticket. The socialistic campaign was conducted under the lead of Henry George.

The prohibitory amendment was defeated in Michigan by a small majority, the republican ticket being elected by about 8000. The friends of prohibition claim that frauds were committed against them. The question of prohibition has before this been submitted to the popular vote in Michigan twice since the constitution of 1850 was adopted. In 1868 a new constitution was proposed and a prohibitory clause was submitted separately to be incorporated in the constitution, it adopted. On this proposition the vote was, yes, 72,462; no, 86,143. The new constitution was itself defeated and therefore this vote was of no effect. In 1876 an amendment was proposed for striking out the prohibitory clause in the existing constitution. The vote was light, but the proposition to strike out was adopted, yes, 60,639; no, 52,561; majority for, 8078. On the question of restoring the clause this year the fight has been very severe. The saloon element, without regard to state lines, has sent money into Michigan freely.

Rhode Island went democratic by 1000 majority, for the first time in 27 years.

### THE SIERRA CASE.

Capt. Abbey Cited Before the Admiralty Court.

The many friends of Capt. Abbey, formerly of revenue cutter Woodbury, now of cutter Gallatin, will be interested in the following:

The commander of the revenue cutter Gallatin, Captain Abbey, has been cited to appear before the Admiralty Court in Boston district to answer to the allegation that in June last, while commanding the United States steamer Corwin, he took by force from the American schooner Sierra her arms and ammunition and other implements at a point in the open sea thirty miles north of Ounalaska, while she was navigating the waters of the North Pacific ocean on a hunting and fishing expedition, thus breaking up her voyage to the damage of the plaintiffs of \$22,500.

The prosecution of this case has been intrusted to the firm of Robinson, Bingham & Robinson of Boston. It will be seen that the question of jurisdiction of the United States over adjacent high seas, which is, in point of law, the question now in dispute between this country and Canada, is directly involved in this case. It is understood that Captain Abbey was acting under specific instructions from the department at Washington.

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Cardinal Taschereau of Montreal arrived from Rome Monday morning, April 4th, on the steamer Gasconne and left that afternoon for home. He told a *World* reporter that the Knights of Labor in Canada had not been approved by the church and will not be. He is determined that they shall not receive the approbation of the church, and has received the strongest assurances that such will never be case. He considers the order a species of freemasonry in direct opposition to the spirit of the church. The cardinal says he is authorized by Rome to continue the condemnation of the church as to this body of men, and thinks it ridiculous that the same order could be condemned in one part of the country and blessed and granted privileges in another.

### DON'T MAKE A FUSS.

A great many people when annoyed by the small difficulties of life, add to their troubles by a continuous fret and worry over them. In this climate nearly everybody has now and then a cold or cough, or is troubled with a sore throat. In such a case one should not make a great fuss over it, but quietly take some Lactant and Honey, one of the best preparations for the cure of coughs and colds that has ever been introduced to the American people. Lactant is the pure acid of milk, and compounded in certain proportions with Honey, has been found to possess wonderful curative power in the treatment of all throat troubles.

It is absolutely free from drugs, and therefore contains nothing to derange the stomach or the nervous system. The combination of a "sweet and sour" has been tried again and again, and with uniformly good results; but nothing so sure as Lactant and Honey has ever before been tried. Honey is known to be soothing and healing, while Lactant dissolves the thickened mucus that gathers in the throat, and in this twofold effect lies the secret of the wonderful success of Lactant and Honey.

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I have sold Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry many years, have received great benefit from its use, and can recommend it to all who suffer from coughs, colds, or any pulmonary complaint. Charles H. Leroy, Putnam, Conn.

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### YACHT RACE ARRANGED.

The English Vessel Thistle to Contest With an American Vessel.

The America's cup committee and yacht club met Tuesday, and Chairman James D. Smith read a letter from the Royal Clyde Yacht Club which arrived on the Etirida Tuesday. This contains a formal challenge to race for the America's cup between the yacht Thistle and any American yacht and names the 4th day of next October for the commencement of the match. The committee also stated that the Thistle has been constructed on the Clyde. She is cutter rigged and her measurements per certified official transcripts from custom house register which are enclosed are as follows: Length, per register, 98 feet, breadth, 20 3/10 feet; d-pth 14 1/10 feet. Jas. Bell is given authority to represent the Royal Clyde Yacht Club in the contest. The dates of the series of the three races if the conditions under which the Galathea and Gesta races were sailed are adopted this year are to be the 4th, 6th and 8th. But the proposition is made that the series consist of the best in five races, the other dates to be the 10th and 12th of October. The courses sailed in the Galathea match are acceptable to the Thistle people who agree to accept George L. Schuyler as umpire whose decision shall be final on all questions which may arise or any details in the arrangements for a race requiring adjustment. The Thistle people also propose that representatives of each contestant employ a patrol steamer to keep the course clear of obstruction by excursion boats or cruising yachts. They also propose that should either yacht meet with an accident prior to the start in any of the series of races that time be given for necessary repairs before the race is started, and that should either yacht be injured during the race that time be given for repairs before another race is started. The result of the committee's deliberations was not made public, but it is known that the proposition for a series of five races was rejected. As all other propositions by the Thistle people are reasonable they will probably be accepted, thus making the conditions practically as those under which the Galathea race was sailed. The challenge was officially accepted by cable on behalf of the New York Yacht Club.

### Old Ground For a Commemoration.

Prayer's "Reminiscences."

Mail robberies were not uncommon in those days, although the crime was punishable with imprisonment or death. One day one of Reeside's coaches was stopped near Philadelphia by three armed men, who ordered the nine passengers to alight and stand in a line. One of the robbers then mounted guard, while the other two made the terrified passengers deliver up their money and watches, and then rifled the mail bags. They were soon afterward arrested, tried, convicted, and one was sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary, while the other two were condemned to be hung. Fortunately for one of the culprits, named Wilson, he had some years previously, at a horse-race near Nashville, Tennessee, privately advised General Jackson to withdraw his bets on a horse which he was backing, as the jockey had been ordered to lose the race.

### ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? Is he so restless and fretful that you are at a loss to know what to do? Give him a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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25 pcs. Seersucker at 5 cts. per yard—worth 10 cts.  
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25 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, full length and width only 75 cts. per window.  
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20 pair Turcoman Cross-Stripe Curtains at \$2.50 per window which are the same as we have been selling at \$4.00.  
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100 doz. White Napkins at 75 cts. per doz—worth \$1.00—a great bargain for Hotels and private boarding houses.  
2500 yards Fruit-of-Loom, yd. wide bleached cotton, 8 cts. per yd.  
100 Turkey Red Table Covers, large size, at \$1.00 each—worth \$1.50.  
500 Holland Shades with spring fixtures, Nickel Pull and Screws to put them up with only 35 cts. per window.  
10 doz. Ladies Silk Hosiery, 75 cts. per pair—worth \$1.25.  
50 doz. Ladies Summer Under Vests 25 cts. each.  
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25 doz. Men's White Shirts, double back and front and all Linen Bosoms 50 cts. each worth 75 cts.  
We keep the THREE favorite brands of SHIRTS in America and sell them at 75 cts. \$1.00 and \$1.25 viz. S. B., SILVER and GOLD, try them once and you will buy no other.  
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- 10 pcs. all wool Serge Dress Goods in double width, worth 37 1-2 cts. We shall sell them at 25 cts. per yard.  
217 pieces Dress Goods (by actual count and not including remnants) at 50 cts. per yd. These goods are worth from 58 cts. to \$1.00 yd.  
12 pcs. Colored Satin Rhadamas worth \$1.25 everywhere. We shall sell them for one week only, at \$1.00 per yard.  
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We are now receiving our Spring assortment of

## JACKETS and WRAPS.

Which are made in the most approved manner from Plaids, Brocads and Plain Fabrics and as our garments are mostly "Tailor-made" they are exquisite in fit.  
Those who prefer to make their own garments can find every desirable material at our store for that purpose.

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During which days you will have all the advantages of  
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**Simonton Bros. Rockland.**

### THOMASTON.

The public schools commence Monday of next week.

Wilbur Wilson, of schooner Nellie A. Drury, is at home.

Capt. Harris Stackpole left to-day for Clyde, Kansas, to remain a few weeks.

Miss Alice Fletcher of Bangor, will be a guest of Miss Lucy Hinckley, this week.

Capt. Robert M. Crosby and wife after eighteen months absence at sea, have returned home.

J. O. Cushing have purchased a schooner for their time trade. She is to be commanded by Capt. Fred V. Watts.

Our Boys Junior at Union Hall on Saturday evening gave a benefit to the Good Templars. The entertainment was a good one.

Capt. Will Halliwell has bought the whole of a small schooner, and is loading lime for Boston, shipped by J. O. Cushing & Co.

Schooner Annie Houghton, Gilchrist master, in New York with cargo of lime from J. O. Cushing & Co., is reported as being on fire.

Capt. Harris Stackpole's hens have evidently been laying eggs for Easter. He reports ten pullets as having laid during the past three months 605 eggs.

Dunn & Elliot are discharging cargo of hard pine from schooner James Young at their wharf. This firm have commenced work on their schooner to be built this season.

George W. Tilton has been appointed City Engineer of Omaha, Nebraska. Mr. Tilton graduated at Bowdoin College in the engineering department, and is well qualified for the position both by education and experience.

The last of the Tilton Relief Corps societies was held Friday evening. The hall was well filled and the occasion a pleasant one. These societies have been largely attended, and the Woman's Relief Corps have realized a handsome sum of money.

Notwithstanding that quite a large body of snow still remained as the result of the storm the week before, Easter day dawned bright and clear, and the temperature was more in keeping with that of mid summer than of April. No more beautiful day could be imagined for Easter, for the sun shone brightly all day. The nice warm air brought many out of doors who otherwise would have remained at home, and consequently the attendance at the several churches was large. All of the churches were more or less resplendent with decorations of flowers. The services were in keeping with an appropriate observance of the day, and at each church special musical programs were presented. An original Easter hymn, composed and arranged by two young ladies of this village, was evidently the most beautiful hymn sang at the evening service at the Congregational church. It is printed in another column of this paper.

MORTUARY.—Mrs. Lucinda Coombs died at her residence, East Main street, Tuesday afternoon, April 6th inst. Mrs. Coombs was the daughter of Charles Spofford, of old Thomaston, and married Hon. J. H. Coombs in 1842, residing in Thomaston ever since her marriage, a period of forty-five years. Her husband at the time of their marriage published the Thomaston Recorder, and the year of his death in 1883 was register of deeds for East Lincoln county registry. Mrs. Coombs for the greater part of her life was a resident of Thomaston and endeared herself to many by her kind acts, social disposition, and neighborly conduct. In fact, she was beloved by all who knew her, and among a large circle of friends her loss will indeed be severely felt. She leaves a son, Charles H. Coombs, who lived with his mother, and the ties that bound them together were those of the most tender love and affection. The loss to him is irreparable. The many neighbors and friends can alone offer their consolations. All of them have seen sorrow, and have passed through sad hours of grief. Hence they can realize the poignancy of the affliction which he is enduring, and that he alone can fully realize the great loss he has sustained. The funeral services of the deceased took place from the family residence on Friday afternoon, and were conducted by Rev. J. W. Strout, of the Congregational church. The floral contributions were very beautiful indeed.

ROCKPORT.  
H. H. Magune left Monday for the west.  
Isaac Upham lost a cow last week valued at \$75.  
Rev. T. E. Brastow and G. F. Burgess have returned from Boston.  
The family of Dr. A. F. Piper of Thomaston is at the house of H. B. Eaton.  
G. A. Talbot has bought a team horse of William Grinnell, Seaport.  
Hon. P. J. Carleton has recently purchased a fine iron-gray carriage horse.  
J. H. Norwood is improving and beautifying his house by the addition of a bay-window.

Last Wednesday Augustus Spear badly jammed three of his fingers while laying rocks.

Thomas G. Eaton, esq., of New York, has been called home by the illness of his father, H. B. Eaton, whose attending physicians say cannot live but a very short time.

Fears are entertained for the safety of schooner Parker M. Hooper, Capt. John Harkness, who left Havana with sugar for Boston Feb. 26th and has not yet been heard from.

The following have formed themselves into a musical club: J. E. Peabody, 1st violin; D. J. Clough, 2nd violin; Chester M. C. Carver, clarinet; Matthew Ruger, cornet; C. B. Berry bass; Miss Carrie B. Whipple, pianist. The club will be known as the Rockport Amateur Club.

To a festival commemorating the semi-centennial of the introduction of Honomby into New England, to be held in the Charitable Mechanics' Association Building, Huntington Avenue, Boston, on Tuesday evening April 12, Hon. S. D. Carleton and Hon. P. J. Carleton of Rockport and Hon. T. E. Simonton, Rev. Albert Church and Johnson Knight of Camden were invited.

Joseph H. and Ralph N. Carleton, sons of Hon. P. J. Carleton have bought out the firm S. C. Cummings & Co. of Portland, wholesale dealers in linen, carpets, etc., and have taken charge of the business. These are young men of business ability and training and without doubt will make a success of this new enterprise. It is a misfortune for the community to lose such men.

We are glad to see T. V. Hill again in his market, which has been closed during the winter. A good fish market is a great convenience and in a village of this size ought to be patronized sufficiently to make it profitable to the proprietor to keep it stocked through the year. Mr. Hill will keep a stock of the freshest and best quality of haddock, cod, halibut, clams, oysters and lobsters, and earnestly solicits the patronage of his old customers and a crowd of new ones.

Sch. Emma C. Colton, Ayers, sailed Apl. 6th, with ice from Carleton & Co., for Wilmington.

Sch. Lizzie Heyer, Harrington, sailed Apl. 6th with ice from Carleton & Co. for Galveston.

Sch. S. A. Randolph, Mifflin, sailed Apl. 7th with ice from Carleton & Co. for Beaufort, S. C.

Sch. John G. Smith, Foss, sailed Apl. 10th with ice from Carleton & Co. for Brunswick, Ga.

Sch. H. S. Boynton and Pennsylvania are being repaired.

Sch. Ripley, Robinson, arrived Apl. 5th from Boston.

Sch. Paul Seavey, Kimball, sailed Apl. 6th, with line from S. E. & H. L. Shepherd.

Sch. Flavilla, Thurston, sailed Apl. 9th with line from G. F. Burgess & Son for Boston.

Sch. Antelope, Banks, arrived from Boston Apl. 7th with cargo of corn and oats for G. F. Burgess & Son.

Sch. Radiant, Bennett, Wall, is loading lime from Carleton, Norwood & Co. for Charleston.

Bark P. J. Carleton, Amesbury, passed St. Helena, Mar. 11th, from Singapore for New York.

Sch. Radiant, Hardy, arrived Apl. 11th from Boston.

Sch. John Somes, Robbins, arrived Apl. 9th with pipe for Camden & Rockland Water Co.

Sch. M. Lucia Wood, Spaulding, is loading ice from Carleton & Co. for Charleston.

Gertrude L. Trundy, Davis, is loading ice from Rockport Ice Co. for Galveston.

Bark J. H. Bowers, Plum, is chartered to load at

Hong Kong for Callao. Sch. Joe Carleton, Head, arrived in New York April 8th.

Sch. Mary Jane, Norton, from Barton, Nova Scotia, is discharging kiln-wood for G. E. Carleton.

Sch. Alfalea, Thurston, is loading lime from O. P. Shepherd for Boston.

Bark John Baileys, Shepherd, arrived in New York from Matanzas, April 3d. Made passage in 9 days. Experienced heavy weather.

CAMDEN.  
J. S. Glover of Boston visited friends here last week.

William Norwood died very suddenly, Saturday evening.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" will be played here Wednesday evening.

Capt. A. F. Ames, at the Bay View House, still continues seriously ill.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the new woolen mill next Saturday.

Hon. J. B. Stearns has been in Camden this spring looking after the work on his villa.

There was an Easter concert at the Congregational church by the children, Sunday evening.

Hon. E. Cushing is having his new house on Chestnut street very prettily painted in colors.

The Odd Fellows gave a public reception in their new rooms Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Vail, proprietor of our laundry here, lost his watch Saturday. At last accounts he had not found it.

On Sunday at all the churches appropriate Easter services were held, and all of them were very tastefully adorned with flowers.

Mrs. Emma Rollins who has been a resident of Chocoma, Guatemala, Central America, for the past 16 months, returned home Wednesday evening.

Rev. Marion Crosby, the grand chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Maine, I. O. O. F., will deliver the address at the dedication of Odd Fellows Hall this evening.

There is to be a "Crazy Ball" in Meganticook Hall, Thursday evening. There are to be two prizes, one to the lady and one to the gentleman, dressed the craziest. All should attend.

Mrs. Gertrude Ogier, daughter of Capt. Isaac Sherman, who died in Lynn, Mass., a few days ago, was brought home and buried from her father's residence, Sunday afternoon.

A crew of men are at work laying the foundation of the new mill that the Knox Woolen Co. are soon to build. The old mill was shut down Saturday so that the men could work in the river.

WARREN.  
Mrs. John Anderson is very sick.

Hotel Warren looks dark and dismal.

Ellis Stahl is shipping lime casks by railroad to Rockland.

Alewives and the prospects for a spring catch are being discussed.

R. L. Thorndike is doing some fancy painting on E. Hoffes' house.

Rev. J. H. Barrows' text last Sunday was: "Today shalt thou be with Me in paradise."

Soon as the frost is out so that the poles can be set we are anticipating connection with the outer world by the means of telegraph.

Easter services were held in the Cong'l church Sunday evening. The platform was well arrayed with pots of blooming flowers, and the Easter bells pealed forth their music in the hands of the little ones, who led the services, assisted by the choir. Remarks were made by the pastor.

Warren is in a fair way to be taken into the telegraph circuit. Agent Keyes was in town Friday conforming with those interested, and it is expected that a line or loop running from the station will be built in the early spring. It is also thought that the railroad company will have an office at the station, in which case the town will be well provided with electricity.

The new tariff rate is lower in some cases, but does away with special rates on sugar, molasses, flour, etc., which will be higher in consequence. If the traveling man carries a suitcase filled with samples he has to pay for all over 150 pounds, and that makes him mad, but don't blame the road. It is U. S. law and the companies have to do as that law directs. Unless some compromise is made whereby a cheaper rate can be used the K. & L. must seriously suffer.

SOUTH WARREN.  
Miles Davis lost a valuable cow last week.

Job Spear has sold his horse "Doc" to W. H. Peters.

Capt. Lincoln arrived home Saturday.

Erastus, son of St. George, has been visiting relatives here.

Fred Burnham arrived home from Boston Saturday.

UNION.  
J. C. Pillsbury was in Boston and Worcester last week.

Mrs. J. C. Burton and Mrs. D. Wiley are in Boston where they will spend several weeks.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. have papered their hall, making it one of the pleasantest in town.

C. I. Burrows was in Boston and vicinity last week where he purchased a number of horses suitable for working and driving purposes.

NORTH UNION.  
David Pease sold a fine Durham cow to Geo. Silbey of Liberty last week.

School meeting in district No. 11 was held Monday. Thebert Day was chosen agent.

Will Hatch, son of the late John T. Hatch, has gone to live with his guardian, L. A. Lay of Washington.

The infant son of W. F. Brackett is quite sick.

### POMONA.

Evening Star Grange Entertains and Does It Well.

Union Pomona Grange met with Evening Star Grange, Washington Mills, on Saturday last. Nearly all the Granges in the county were represented and a very interesting session was held. A lively discussion was enjoyed as to which is the most profitable, "special" farming or "general" farming. It was decided in favor of special farming. In the evening, after a bountiful repast, Worthy Master Smith of Rockland conferred the 5th degree on thirteen 4th degree members, after which Evening Star Grange entertained its visitors with a very interesting program consisting of songs, readings, declamations, original poems, etc. Evening Star Grange has a new hall, nicely arranged, and is in a flourishing condition.

The next session of Pomona Grange will be with Georges Valley Grange, McLain's Mills, Appleton, Tuesday, May 3d, if pleasant. If stormy on the 3d it will be postponed one week. Grange to be called to order at one o'clock p. m.

### SET ON FIRE.

A Little Boy and a Little Match Make Great Trouble.

The barn of Elijah H. Herrick, with its contents, consisting of a horse, sleigh, wagon, hay, etc., were burned Thursday afternoon. A five-year old boy set fire to the hay. Mr. Herrick also lost in the fire his collection of monumental designs. His loss is estimated at about \$900. No insurance.

### ENCOURAGING.

School Agent Colson has just completed the school census, and finds that there are 272 school children in the city against 241, the number reported last year, a gain of 31.

## The Great Question

OF THE HOUR IS:

What will be Worn this Spring for Trimmings?

THE ANSWER

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For Wraps, Panels, Sleeves, Dress Fronts, Etc.,  
At \$4.50 and \$5.00 per yard.

Beaded Gimps,  
In Section and Continuous Lengths,  
BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS

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IN FOUR WIDTHS.

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Is THE Glove of the day. Every pair fitted and warranted.  
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Still lead the van. We have them in White, Pink, Blue, Buff, Drab and Black.

PRICES \$1 and \$1.25.

Misses' Corsets at 75 Cents.

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Come next into line. We have added

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Called the ELECTRO MAGNETIC, on which we anticipate a large Sale.

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AT 6 1-4 CENTS

And upwards. Not remnants or soiled goods.

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10 pieces Moreen for Skirts only 12 1-2c a yd.

10 pieces white Goods in checks and stripes 6c per yd.

10 pieces White Goods 12c.

10 " " " 15c.

10 " " " 25c.

100 Curtain Poles with brass trimmings only 37 1-2c.

100 Curtains with spring fixtures and ready to put up only 35c.

Handsome patterns in Scrim for Curtains only 10c per yd.

100 different patterns in dudo shades very handsome 50c.

40 inch Cotton best quality only 7c a yd.

Good 4-4 Sheetting 5c.

1 case Cotton Blankets, good for summer use, only \$1 a Pair.

Bed Spreads, worth \$1 each, only 75c.

Bed Spreads, worth 1.25, only \$1.

25 doz. Ladies' Cotton Hose, handsome patterns, only 12 1-2c a pair.

We have just received a lot of

NEW TABLE LINEN

Which is very Cheap

15 PIECES  
New Century Prints.

50 Doz. TOWELS  
At 25c.;  
Worth 37 1-2 cents.

We opened this week another lot of those handsome

FRENCH SATTEENS

which we have sold so many of. Please look at them.

10 PIECES  
Woolen Goods

FOR MEN AND BOYS WEAR,  
Just opened. Some Extra Bargains at

50c. per Yard.

We have an elegant assortment of Centemeri Gloves for Spring, both in black and colors.

E. B. Hastings

CENTRAL BLOCK,

322 Main St., Rockland.

# It is for Your Interest to Read FULLER & COBB'S Prices for this Week.

One case All Wool Double Width Mixed Dress Goods at 29c. Comments unnecessary.

100 pieces All Wool Double Width Dress Goods at 50c. All shades and styles. In this lot are goods worth from 62c to \$1 per yard.

50 pieces Half Wool Dress Goods at 12c. In this lot are many 25c. goods.

1 case Prints 2c. a yard.

20 Pieces finest quality French Satines in elegant patterns.

1 case Satines at 15c. Former price 25c.

20 pieces New Styles Satteens 12c.

25 pieces New Pattern Century Prints.

A new lot of Broadcloth for Suits, Jackets and Wraps.

Surah Silk all colors.

Faille Franeais Silks all shades.

Plushes in all colors.

A new lot of Spring Jackets.

A new lot of Long Garments.

## CARPETS!

Dundee Twilled Carpets 25c.

Tapestry Brussels Carpets 50c.

All Wool Carpets (Job) 50c.

Brussels Carpets \$1.

Cotton Chain Carpet 25c.

Oil Cloth 20c.

Job Lot Oil Cloth 25c.

Special Bargains in Smyrna Rugs.

Extra Super Carpet 65c and 75c.

Carpets made and laid at short notice. Carpets delivered free to all parts of New England.

## GREAT DISPLAY

## Carpet Samples

MR. NICHOLS,  
From the large Carpet House of JOHN H. PRAY, SONS & CO., of Boston, will be here

Friday and Saturday,  
APRIL 15th and 16th.

With a line of Samples of the most desirable Carpets to show all that would be selected some of these Patterns.

FULLER & COBB  
FARWELL & CO.

## E. W. BERRY & CO.

Are now showing the largest line of  
**Spring Styles**  
IN MEN'S, BOYS' & YOUTHS'

## HATS

—IN— W —IN—  
Latest E Fine  
Styles! Goods!

## WE LEAD

—IN— E —IN—  
Low A Largest  
Prices! D Assortment!

## HATS

You Can't Snag 'Em.

## The DURABLE DUCK BOOT

This Boot is manufactured with a Center of Cotton Duck with Coatings of Pure Gum Rubber so incorporated into the fibre of the Duck by machinery as to make a Water-proof Material that

Stands the Severest Test of Wear and renders it next to impossible for them to crack or to be cut or torn from contact with rough or sharp surfaces.

They Have no Superior for Strength and Durability.

We have the exclusive sale of this boot for this city. Call and examine the Best Rubber Boot made. A good article is always the cheapest.

## A FULL LINE OF

## Lamson's Fine Stiff Hats

This line of goods is acknowledged by all practical Hatters to be the finest Stiff Hat manufactured in this country.

We have a large line of

Hathaway, Soule and Harrington's

## FINE HAND SEWED GOODS!

Button, Balmorals & Congress.

## MENS' BOYS' & YOUTHS'

## Machine Sewed Goods

ALL QUALITIES—ALL PRICES.

## BARGAINS!

Our \$2.50 Late Style Stiff Hat only \$2.00.

Our \$2.00 Late Style Stiff Hat only \$1.50.

Ladies' Fine Hand Sewed Kid Button Boots only \$3.50. Regular Price \$5.00.

Ladies' Fine Goat Boots only \$2.75. Regular Price \$3.50.

Misses Goat Boots only \$1.75. Regular Price \$2.50.

## REMEMBER THIS!

BUY OF US!

For the next 30 days we shall

sell goods at an

IMMENSE REDUCTION IN PRICES

Previous to removal.

E. W. Berry & Co.,

OPPOSITE THORNDIKE HOTEL,

ROCKLAND.

## Marine Department.

Schs. John Bird and L. T. Whitmore sailed yesterday.

Sch. Warner Moore, Crockett, is in New York from Richmond with iron.

Sch. Idaho, Smith, arrived with coal for H. H. Hall & Co. from New York Sunday.

Sch. A. F. Crockett, Thordike, is on the passage from Boothbay to Richmond with ice.

Sch. Gen. A. Ames, Jamison, is in New York. She has just discharged coal from Newport News.

Sch. Julia Berkele, French, arrived Friday from New York. She is at Abbott's wharf receiving slight repairs.

Sch. Leaping Water of Lincolnville, wrecked on Old Cilley, was stripped. What was left of the vessel and cargo was sold for \$90.

Cleared from Mobile April 8th Sch. J. B. Holden, Look, for New York with 350,000 feet resawed yellow pine lumber.

Sch. Isetta is here to load lime from A. C. Gay & Co. for New York. She has taken part of the cargo of sch. A. Heaton which has sprung a leak.

Sch. Laura E. Messer, Gregory, arrived in Charleston, Wednesday, with ice from Rockport. Capt. Gregory reports a very rough passage and the loss of a portion of his sails.

Sch. Vulcan, from Perth Amboy for Portland, with coal, sprung a leak in her rudder post 6th inst. and put into New London for repairs. She has lightened cargo, stopped leak and will proceed.

Sch. J. P. Dixon was launched at noon Monday from John P. Hawkins' shipyard at City Island. She is about 120 tons register, built of oak, with iron fastenings, and especially designed for the lime trade. She will be commanded by Captain George A. Torrey of this city, and will ply between this port and New York.

Sch. Wm. Rice, Gregory, arrived in New York, Friday, the Helen, Jamison, arrived in Providence the same day and the John S. Beacham, Ginn, arrived Thursday. All of the fleet that sailed from here before the storm of the 24th have arrived but the Cora Etta, Capt. James Fales, which probably was blown off. The Beacham rode out the storm in Tarpanville Cove.

NEW YORK CHARTERS.—Sch. Mary A. Power, from Ship Island to N. S. Cuba, Lumber, \$8—Brig M. C. Haskell, from Annapolis, N. S., to Havana, Lumber, \$6—Sch. Clara E. Colcord, from Philadelphia to Cardenas, Empty Hhds., 80 cents, and Hoops, \$5—Sch. Ella M. Watts, from Sagua to port north of Hatteras, Molasses, \$2.25; if east of New York, \$1.37 1/2, or Delaware Breakwater f.o., \$2.30—Sch. John K. Southern, from Portland to Matanzas or Cienfuegos, private terms—Sch. Ira E. Wright and Caroline Knight, from Elizabethport to Boston, Drain Pipe, \$5.00—Sch. Alfredda Campbell, from Darien to Noank, Lumber, private terms—Sch. Flora Condon, from Sagua to Philadelphia, Lumber, \$6—free wharfage—Sch. Helen Thompson, from Perth Amboy to Portsmouth, Coal, 90 cents and discharge—Sch. Lacomia, from Athens to Portsmouth, Sand, \$1.75—Sch. Richmond and Chase, same—Sch. Jennie G. Pillsbury, from Hoboken to Rockland, Coal, 85 cents and discharge—Sch. Bertha E. Glover, from Hoboken to Camden, Coal, 85 cents and discharge—Sch. Helen, from Rondout to Portsmouth and Dover, Cement, 20 and 25c, respectively.

THE LIXTERERS.—Addie E. Snow, Norton, arrived from Portland Thursday....S. J. Lindsey, Kennedy, arrived Thursday night with corn from Boston for the Rockland Steam Mill Co. She was loading Saturday from Joseph Abbott & Son for New York.

Leonessa, Hatch, arrived Saturday from Boston....Maggie Belle, Chandler, loaded from A. J. Bird & Co. Saturday for New York....John Bird, Capt. Leslie Bird, was all loaded from Almon Bird and A. J. Bird & Co. for New York, Saturday....Lucy Jones, Duncan, was ready to sail Saturday, loaded from Perry Bros. and John Handley for New York....Capt. Thomas Saunders has taken command of sch. I. W. Hine of New Haven. She is a vessel of 125 tons. She was ready for sea Saturday, loaded from Perry Bros. for New York.

Alfred Keene, Greeley, and Addie M. Bird, Cushman, sailed Thursday, the former loaded from A. J. Bird & Co. and E. W. Messer, the latter from A. F. Crockett & Co. The Keene is bound for Richmond, the Bird for New York....Race Horse, Henshaw, sailed Thursday for New York....K. C. Rankin & Son loaded her....Farland, Spear & Co. loaded the Ella Francis, French, last week for New York. She sailed Friday....L. T. Whitmore, Blackington, lay in harbor Saturday, loaded from Ames & Co. for New York, waiting for a crew....Allie Oakes has finished her extensive repairs, and was loading Saturday from A. C. Gay & Co. for New York....Louisa Francis, Thordike, was loading Saturday for Portland....A. H. Hutton, Pettibone, lay in stream Saturday loaded from A. C. Gay & Co. for New York....Emma L. Gregory, Maker, loaded from K. C. Rankin & Son and R. W. Messer for New York last week....Georgia Berry, Ginn, sailed Friday for New York, loaded from A. F. Crockett & Co.

## THE TOOTERS.

The Right Kind of a Surprise—Some New Uniforms.

For some months the City Cornet Band has been striving to accumulate enough money for the purchase of uniforms. The fates seemed to be against them, and only a small portion of the necessary amount was raised. Mrs. Wm. S. Wright, knowing the circumstances, unbeknown to the boys took a paper and started, and in two days collected \$131. Friday evening the Ladies Band Aid Society, headed by Mrs. Wright, dropped into rehearsal. C. E. Littlefield, esq., in a felicitous speech, presented the astounded band boys with the \$131. They were so overwhelmed that they were forced to request an outsider to respond for them. The boys gave three rousing cheers for Mrs. Wright and those who helped her, and then played one of their best selections. They are hard-working young men and the gift was very timely.

The band was organized Mar. 18, 1886. The number of members at present is 17. There are lacking ten horns. With two exceptions the organization is composed of men who have never played in a brass band before the forming of this one. G. F. Meservey has been and is at present instructor and is well satisfied with the progress made. The selections of music are first-class, the most of it coming from the catalogues of Condy and Jean White of Boston. Following is a list of the members showing the various instruments played: Messrs. Thomas and Smith, 1st and 2nd b flat clarinets; J. F. Corcoran, e flat cornet; Messrs. Prescott, Shuman, Spearin and Wright, b flat cornets; Messrs. Young, Merritt and Larrabee, e flat alto; B. K. Maddocks, baritone; George Lamb, b flat bass; Messrs. Dow and Arnold, e flat basses; John Frasier, bass drum; Messrs. Low and Young, snare drum and cymbals.

The headquarters of the band are in the rooms formerly occupied by the old Rockland Gazette. Meetings are held Monday and Friday evenings of each week. It is the intention to have a new set of uniforms all around by Decoration Day. The band at present is ready to take any job which is offered in their line of business, and furnish any number of pieces.

The officers are as follows: J. F. Corcoran, leader and agent; John Frasier, president; W. T. Prescott, secretary and treasurer; Messrs. Shuman and Thomas, trustees. The band will give open air concerts each week during the summer.

## EASTER SUNDAY.

It is Very Generally Observed in This City—Notes.

Easter Sunday was a beautiful sunny day, and the result was a very general attendance of people at the various churches. Flowers were scarce, but the churches were prettily decorated.

At the Congregational church the pastor, Rev. D. P. Hatch, preached in the morning upon the work of the Educational Society and its needs, and in the evening an interesting Easter sermon. The music in the morning was composed entirely by Mrs. Carrie Burpee Shaw of this city. The selections were three in number consisting of a Te Deum, Easter Anthem and solo for soprano, "All is O'er."

The Te Deum is truly a grand composition, the concerted parts containing some beautiful harmony, while the two solos, for basso and soprano, are very singable and have a great deal of heart to them. The solo "All is O'er" is of a descriptive character and is a gem. The "Easter Anthem" is very bright and taking, the organ part giving Mrs. Wright full scope for her powers. The music was well conceived, and the conception faithfully and skillfully carried out in every little detail. There was not a weak part in the entire program. Mrs. Shaw has proved herself a composer of a very high order, and it is not too much to say that the morning music was the most satisfactory of the day. Mrs. Shaw was very fortunate in having so excellent a choir to interpret her compositions. In the evening the selections were as follows: "Christ the Lord," Wilson, "Easter Anthem," Lloyd, "Why Seek Ye the Living," Warren. The choir, which always does good work, is composed as follows: Mrs. F. R. Spear, soprano, Miss Julia Spear, contralto, James Wright, tenor, George E. Torrey, basso, Mrs. James Wright, organist. Miss Spear, the contralto, was unable to sing Sunday, on account of sickness, and her place was ably filled by Mrs. Joseph Furbush. The decorations at this church were not elaborate, consisting of a large vase of handsome callas on the communion table, and a basket of cut flowers on the left of the pastor's chair.

At the First Baptist church large congregations assembled for the morning and evening services. In the morning the pastor, Rev. W. S. Roberts, preached an able sermon appropriate to the day, while in the evening a concert exercise by E. E. Rexford, entitled "Easter Morning" was given by the Sunday school, under the lead of the superintendent, Rev. F. J. Bicknell. This church was somewhat elaborately decorated. A big pyramid of pot plants in blossom and evergreens was at the right of the pastor's chair, small tables on the left supporting bouquets of cut flowers. On the communion table was a rosebush, heavy with full-blown roses, while the choir rail supported baskets of cut flowers. Prof. A. T. Crockett is organist at this church, the music being congregational. Mr. Crockett's voluntary in the morning was an "Ave Maria" by Cherubini, and it was well rendered.

At the Pratt Memorial church the pastor, Rev. L. L. Hanscom, preached an eloquent and powerful Easter sermon from 1st Corinthians 15th chap., 25th vs.—"For He must reign till He hath put all enemies under His feet." The sermon combined the resurrection and missions, as did the concert in the evening. The program of the concert is as follows: Organ voluntary; singing, "Praise and Magnify our King;" responsive reading, pastor; prayer; singing, "Rejoice and Be Glad;" recitation, Lula Plummer; responsive reading; recitation, Merville Lothrop; singing, "Duan Street;" recitation, Georgie Henderson; responsive reading; recitation, Lena Wellman; recitation, Grace Lothrop; singing, "Spread the Tidings;" recitation, Etta Hall; "Our Opportunity," pastor; singing, "Seeking For Me;" reading, Mamie Blagdon; recitation, Lena Kilmann; "Cheerful Tidings," L. S. Robinson; singing; "The World Is Growing Better," Delia Kelly; recitation, Mr. Smith's class; recitation, Mamie Blagdon's class; singing, "He is Risen;" recitation, Walter Ramsdell; reading, Lilla Fales; recitation, Rosie Wall; recitation, Nina Spear; "Collection Speech," Johnny Robinson; address, pastor; collection; song, "Your Mission," pastor; doxology, congregation; benediction.

The services were all very pleasant throughout the day, and large audiences were present. Appropriate Easter music was furnished by the following choir: Mrs. Rose Gould, Misses Jennie Sweetland, Lilla Fales and Messrs. Nash and Smith, Miss Annie Crie organist.

The church decorations were elaborate and well arranged. At the rear of the pulpit platform were two large wax ivies, while at the sides was a profusion of pot plants in blossom arranged with great care. At the left of the pastor was a cross of pink and white roses, while the desk bore beautiful bouquets. Above the pastor's chair were the emblematic letters "I. H. S." in pink roses with a spray of green ivy. The effect was very pleasing.

Of unusual interest were the services at the Episcopal church. The rector, Rev. Carroll Harding, preached an interesting sermon from St. John, 21:4: "But when the morning was now come, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples knew not that it was Jesus." The music was furnished by a chorus choir led by Miss Myra Keene, soprano, and Mrs. A. D. Bird organist. The program of music was as follows: Gloria, Easter Chant, Hymn, Magnificat, Hymn, Offertory, Nunc Demittis. The church was very prettily decorated with potted plants and smilax, with white drapery for the pulpit and altar over which trailed sprays of smilax. On the front of the reading desk was a moss cross filled with bright flowers and smilax. The lectern was decorated with smilax, and a large rubber plant filled the font. After the services the Ladies of the church presented Victor Piston an elegant ebony cabinet, as a token of their appreciation of his services as sexton.

The services at the Church of Immanuel were of exceptional interest. The pastor, Rev. W. M. Kimmel, preached morning and evening, both discourses being eloquent and thoughtful. The choir at this church is composed as follows: Mrs. F. M. Shaw, soprano; Mrs. W. M. Kimmel, contralto; Walter Hanscom, tenor; T. E. Tibbets, basso; Miss Rosa Keene, organist. The program, which we give below, was one of great merit, and was presented by the choir in a very satisfactory way. The morning selections were: Organ voluntary, Haydn; anthem, "He lives, the Folds of Death give way," Williams; Easter Carols, Bampton; organ response, Baptiste; "Chime safely, bells of Easter," C. C. Stearns; offertory, Mozart; hymn; organ postlude, Valenti.

The evening selections were: Organ melody, Haydn; anthem, "Lord is Risen," Emerson; "Lift your glad voices," Mozart; organ response, Stearns; hymn; "Jesus calls us," Sydenham; organ, "Bridal Chorus," Wagner.

The church was very handsomely decorated. On the right of the pastor stood a large cross covered with ivy and filled in with callas, geraniums, grasses and fuchsias. On the opposite side of the pulpit platform drooped the leaves of a thrifty banana plant, while on the memorial table was an immense apple geranium in full blossom. A very beautiful bouquet of cut flowers ornamented the pulpit.

## EASTER HYMN.

Sung at the evening service at the Congregational church, Thomaston, Sunday. The words are by Miss Annie S. Bean and are set to music by Miss Lizzie E. Bean.

Ring out, glad bells, an Easter chime,  
Bloom lilacs white in every clime,  
Rejoice, O earth, at Easter time,  
For Christ the Lord is risen.

To burdened souls He brings release,  
To weary hearts He giveth peace,  
O ye who mourn, your pain shall cease,  
For Christ the Lord is risen.

Shine out, O sun, in cloudless sky,  
O moon and stars rejoice on high,  
Be glad, my heart, joy reigns for aye!  
For Christ the Lord is risen.

## CITY COUNCIL.

The city government met last night and transacted the following items of business:

A. C. Hamilton appointed policeman for the North-end.

Pettition of 108 citizens for the appointment Samuel Hewett policeman presented. Names of signers were read, and the question of Hewett's confirmation put to vote. Ballots stood 4 against confirmation and 1 for.

Wm. O. Abbott and Joseph Abbott appointed measurers of wood and bark.

Joshua C. Spear appointed deputy marshal and Hiram Ulmer policeman.

Committee on schools instructed to find suitable location for school building at North-end and probable cost of lot, building and furnishing. School bills to the amount of \$72.59 passed.

Report of Committee on salaries as reported by us last week except portion relating to road commissioner and hose companies which were deferred for action until a future meeting. The salary of the school committees was raised \$100.

The city marshal was instructed to enforce that section of the city statutes which refers to the streets on which rock teams with narrow tires can pass.

G. W. Hicks appointed liquor agent.

An order from the lower board with reference to an appropriation of \$5000 for the paving of our streets was laid on the table by the aldermen.

## OUR CURIOS.

THE COURIER-GAZETTE curiosity collection has been increased the past week by a big batch of rare and queer things from foreign countries presented by Capt. Henry Sleeper of Union. Among them are pieces of Aztec pottery, dug out of old Mexican graves, ivory beans, spider shells, etc., from Australia and sea beans from Mexico. Our collection, like our subscription list, is growing, and all offerings are gratefully received.

## BOW WOW.

Rockland sent two dogs to the Boston Bench Show, last week, and won three prizes. E. S. Bird's cocker spaniel Dolly Obo won first money in the puppy class, and third money in the sweepstakes. W. H. Bird's dog Duke, cocker, won second money in that class.

## SOLD HER.

Bark Will W. Case built in this city in 1877, of 554 tons, one of Rockland's finest vessels, has been sold at San Francisco for \$15,000. She will be placed in the Hawaiian trade.

## PENSION STOLEN.

Mrs. William Griswold of Rockport received pension money last week amounting to nearly \$900. Thursday she was robbed of \$400 of the sum. Frank Gallagher, a young man who lived in the family, disappeared about the same time as the money, and suspicion is naturally directed toward him. Gallagher came in a vessel two years ago and was boarding as Mrs. Griswold's. Detective Frank P. Libby is searching for him. It is thought that he has returned to his home in the Provences.

## PENSIONS ALLOWED.

We find the following allowed at Gen. Cilley's office during the past week:

Charles Allen, Rockland, deceased, 2nd Maine Battery, at \$30 per month from Nov. 18, '84 to his death. Disability, disease of brain, result of stroke.

Mary A., widow of Charles Allen, at \$12 per month and \$2 additional for child.

## SOLD 'EM.

A. A. Smith & Co., the five and ten cent store proprietors, advertised a special sale of Majolica pitchers for Thursday last in THE COURIER-GAZETTE of Tuesday. At eleven o'clock a. m. Thursday, everyone of the big batch of pitchers, 12 dozen were sold. The firm announces another special sale for Thursday of this week. THE COURIER-GAZETTE's big circulation of 2616 copies weekly, which is several hundred more than claimed by its nearest competitor, makes it the best advertising medium in this part of the state. We print 2616 copies regularly, but many weeks we publish more than that number to meet special demands.

## WHEELDEN.

From the Musical Courier, Feb.

The entire business of L. J. Wheelden, Bangor, Me., and other Maine towns, has just been sold to the L. J. Wheelden Company, a company incorporated under the State laws of Maine.

We are now prepared to sell goods lower than ever before as the L. J. Wheelden Co. being incorporated under the laws of the state of Maine, with ample capital, combined with the influence obtained from some of the stock holders that are also interested in manufacturing, enables them to bring any style or make of Piano, Organs or Melodeons at prices that will allow them wholesaling to other dealers and to retail below the sharpest competition, whether dealer, agent or friend, either in or out of the state. We can show proof of this to all intending purchasers.

THE L. J. WHEELDEN CO.  
C. F. SAWTELL, Manager for Rockland.

## CITY OF ROCKLAND.

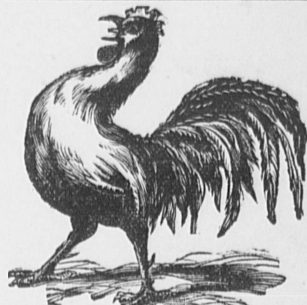
## ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

The subscribers, Assessors of Taxes of the city of Rockland, hereby give notice to the inhabitants of said city, and all others having Taxable Property within said City, to make and bring in to said Assessors true and perfect lists of their polls and all their estates, real and personal, in writing, including Money on Hand or at Interest, and debts due more than owing, and all property held in trust as guardian, Executor, Administrator, Trustees or otherwise, (except such as is by law exempt from taxation) which they were possessed of on the first day of April, 1887, and to be prepared to make oath to the truth of the same.

And for the purpose of receiving said lists, the undersigned will be in session at the Assessors' Room in Berry Block, from eight to twelve o'clock in the forenoon and from two to five o'clock in the afternoon of each day from Monday, April 11, to Saturday, April 16, instant, both inclusive, and any personal examination of property by the Assessors will not be considered as a waiver for neglect of any person in bringing in true and perfect lists as required by law.

Any person who neglects to comply with this notice will be deemed to a tax according to the laws of the state, and be barred of the right to make application, either to the Assessors or the County Commissioners, for any abatement of taxes, unless such person shows that he was unable to offer such lists within the time hereby appointed.

D. H. INGRAHAM, Assessors  
ALDEN U. BROWN, of  
C. L. ALLEN, of  
Rockland, April 2, 1887.



## OUR DRIVE FOR THIS WEEK

—CONSISTS OF—

100 Bbls. Choice Pat. Rol. Flour,  
(Every Barrel Warranted)  
**\$4.75 Per Bbl.**

20 doz. Cans Marrow Peas.....10c  
or 3 for 25 cents.  
20 doz. Cans State of Maine Sugar Corn per can.....10c  
5 lb. Bucket Peas.....50c  
5 " " Apricot.....50c  
5 " " Quince.....50c  
2 " Best Round Steak.....25c  
Best Tenderloin Roasts Or Beef per lb.....15c

Remember these prices are good for **ONE WEEK ONLY** from issue of this paper, so be sure and call before that time expires.

## J. DONAHUE & CO.,

364 MAIN ST., ROCKLAND, ME.

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Plymouth Rock, Wyandottes, S. C. Brown Leghorn.  
13 **EGGS \$1.00**  
Pekin and Cayuga Duck's  
11 **EGGS \$1.00**  
CHAS. T. SPEAR,  
Rockland, Maine.

## 12 PER CENT PER ANNUM, net, to

investors. Guaranteed against loss.  
**W. RODMAN WINSLOW,**  
132 NASSAU ST. (Vanderbilt Build'g)  
NEW YORK CITY.

Established Feb. 1st, 1877. Unquestionable references. Write or call for particulars. 10 13

## TAXES OF 1885.

All persons who have not paid their taxes for the year 1886 are requested to call at the Collector's office, rear room over Rockland National Bank, and settle the same on or before June 1st, 1887. All such taxes remaining unpaid after June 1st, 1887, will be advertised and property sold under provision of Revised Statutes, chap. 6, section 193.  
A. J. ERSKINE, Collector.  
Rockland, March 21, 1887. 19 20

## What's the Matter With This

—FOR A—

# STATEMENTS OF INSURANCE COMPANIES

## — REPRESENTED BY —

# COCHRAN & SEWALL,

Berry Block, Main Street, Rockland, Maine.

RISKS ARE TAKEN AT THIS AGENCY ON ALL INSURABLE PROPERTY, AT AS REASONABLE RATES AS CAN BE EFFECTED IN ANY RELIABLE COMPANY.

ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED AND PAID AT THIS AGENCY.

### Etna Insurance Company.

Incorporated 1810; Charter Perpetual.

Losses paid in 68 years.....\$90,180,000 00  
January 1, 1887.....\$4,000,000 00  
Cash capital.....\$4,000,000 00  
Reserve, re-insurance, (fire).....1,797,495 00  
Reserve, re-insurance, (inland).....10,092 15  
Reserve, unpaid losses (fire).....206,153 50  
Reserve, unpaid losses, (inland).....44,842 82  
Other claims.....59,432 66  
Net surplus.....\$3,590,221 37

Total assets.....\$9,508,820 56

As follows:

Cash in bank.....\$306,516 64  
Cash in hands of Agents.....374,380 20  
Real estate.....338,536 70  
Loans on bond and mortgage.....45,595 00  
Loans on collateral.....11,180 00  
Stocks and bonds.....7,843,486 00  
Accrued interest.....1,348 02

Total assets.....\$9,508,820 56

L. J. HENDREE, President.

J. M. CLARK, Secretary.

W. M. B. CLARK, Asst. Secretary.

1884.....1887.

### The Union Insurance Company,

OF PHILADELPHIA.

Incorporated A. D. 1800.

Authorized capital.....\$500,000 00

Cash capital.....375,000 00

Assets.....782,073 56

Government and other bond, market val. \$273,054 50

Bank and other stocks, market value.....107,837 50

Bill receivable for marine premiums and

book accounts due company.....121,525 39

First mortgages on city property.....9,500 00

Real estate, unencumbered, owned by

the company.....208,000 00

Cash in bank and office and loans,

with collateral.....32,155 17

Total assets.....\$782,073 56

Reserve for re-ins. and other liabilities.....\$324,041 44

Reserve for losses under adjustment.....49,516 08

Unclaimed dividends.....2,329 20

Surplus as to policy holders.....405,886 78

Losses paid since organization.....\$1,071,084 00

WM. H. HASSALL, President.

JOHN M. COWLEY, Secretary.

### Liverpool, London & Globe Ins. Co.

Statement of United States Branch, Jan. 1, 1887.

Assets.

Real estate.....\$1,320,000 00

Loans on bond and mortgage.....1,774,483 51

U. S. government bonds.....1,929,400 00

State and city bonds.....392,174 00

Cash in bank.....451,708 06

Other admitted assets.....\$6,038,789 55

Liabilities.

Unearned premiums.....\$2,601,033 52

Unpaid losses.....209,315 77

Perpetual policy liability.....328,316 20

All other liabilities.....242,506 81

Surplus.....\$3,077,538 25

Directors in New York—Robert B. Maturin,

Chairman; Alexander Hamilton; Charles H. Mar-

shall; J. E. PULSTON, Resident Manager.

W. EATON, Deputy Manager.

W. HOYT, Asst. Deputy Manager.

### Assurance Company,

OF LONDON.

Established 1782.

Assets.

Permanent bonds.....\$1,544,050 00

Loans on bond and mortgage.....1,774,483 51

U. S. government bonds.....1,929,400 00

State and city bonds.....392,174 00

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Joint condition of the United States

Branch of the

Insurance Company,

First day of December, 1886.

Office, Liverpool, England.

Capital.....\$9,700,000 00

Capital paid up.....\$739,109 75

Company in the U. S. 1,775,033 12

Liabilities in the United States.

Loans on bond and mortgage.....\$43,241 18

Loans on collateral.....41,478 72

Loans in suspense, waiting for further

proof.....19,100 00

All other claims against the company.....15,349 32

Amount necessary to re-insure out-

standing risks.....1,003,032 81

Total liabilities.....\$1,235,183 35

The greatest amount in any one risk.....\$40,000 00

JAMES A. MACDONALD, Manager.

37 and 39 Wall Street, New York.

Annual Statement of the

Pennsylvania Fire Insurance Co.,

OF PHILADELPHIA.

January 1, 1887.

Cash capital.....\$4,000,000 00

Gross assets.....\$719,885 00

Total liabilities.....\$719,885 00

Assets and re-insurance reserve.....1,083,450 00

Surplus over all liabilities and capital.....1,227,426 00

Premium received for 1886.....557,040 00

Losses paid during 1886.....557,040 00

SCULL & BRADLEY,

Managers for New England Dept., Boston, Mass.

Statement January 1, 1887.

Anglo-Nevada Assurance Cor.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Cash capital, (fully paid).....\$2,000,000 00

Assets.

Loans on bonds and mortgages.....\$507,500 00

United States bonds and railroad let

mortgage 6 per cent bonds.....1,584,350 00

Interest accrued.....15,282 41

Cash in office and in bank.....24,527 35

Premiums in course of collection.....69,545 40

Furniture, \$5,664.57; maps, \$4,375.02;

not included.....\$2,540,508 16

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock.....\$2,000,000 00

Losses in course of adjustment and

other liabilities.....21,709 68

Unearned reserve, fire.....15,196 74

Unearned reserve, marine.....38,045 38

Surplus.....\$3,555 86

As to policy holders.....\$2,035,555 86

Value of land and buildings thereon.....\$1,635,990

New England Dept. & Exchange Place, Boston.

N. FOSTER, JR., & WISE,

General Agents.

London & Lancashire Fire Ins. Co.

OF LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND.

Statement of United States Branch, Jan. 1, 1887.

Gross assets in the U. S. ....\$1,430,000 00

unpaid losses and re-ins. reserve.....15,282 41

Net surplus over all liabilities in U. S. ....604,400 00

Net cash and premium receipts in U. S. ....995,264 00

Losses paid in U. S. for 1886.....635,585 00

SCULL & BRADLEY,

Managers for New England Dept., Boston, Mass.

Annual Statement of the

Home Insurance Company,

OF NEW YORK.

As made to the Insurance Commissioner of the

State of Maine on the 1st day of Jan., 1887.

Cash capital.....\$5,000,000 00

Reserve for re-insurance.....\$3,008,048 00

Reserve for unpaid losses and claims.....330,268 50

Net surplus.....1,415,783 50

Cash assets.....\$7,802,711 55

Summary of Assets.

Held in the United States available for the payment

of losses by fire and for the protection of policy

holders of fire insurance.

Cash in bank.....\$237,312 85

Bonds and mortgages being first lien on

real estate (worth \$1,732,000.00).....705,000 00

United States bonds, (market value).....2,885,373 75

Bank and railroad stocks and bonds,

(market value).....1,625,255 00

State and municipal bonds, (mar. val.).....226,000 00

Loans on stocks, payable on demand,

(mar. val. of collateral).....\$88,199 40

Interest due on 1st Jan., 1887.....22,495 40

Premiums uncollected and in hands of

agents.....273,283 37

Real estate.....1,378,091 22

Total.....\$7,802,711 55

Business in Maine during 1886.

Amount risks written.....\$4,132,619 00

Amount premiums received.....56,723 88

Amount losses paid.....69,199 20

CHAS. J. MARTIN, Pres.

D. A. HEALD, Vice President.

J. H. WASHBURN, Vice Pres. and Sec.

T. B. GREENE, Asst. Secretaries.

W. L. BIGLOW, Asst. Secretaries.

Agents in Knox County:

COCHRAN & SEWALL, Rockland

E. M. WOOD, Camden.

Phenix Insurance Company,

OF BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Statement of its condition, January 1, 1887.

Cash capital.....\$1,000,000 00

Gross assets, including capital.....\$5,383,171 68

Liabilities.....\$4,326,084 00

Including cash capital.....\$4,326,084 00

Net surplus.....\$970,087 68

STEPHEN CROWELL, President.

PHILANDER SHAW, Secretary.

Agents at Rockland and Thomaston, Maine:

COCHRAN & SEWALL.

Commercial Union Assurance Co.

(LIMITED) OF LONDON.

Corner Pine and William Streets, New York.

United States Branch Statement, January 1, 1887.

Assets.

United States bonds.....\$1,092,187 50

Chicago & Rock Island R.R. bonds.....179,500 00

Chicago & North Western R.R. bonds.....131,000 00

Chil. Burlington & Quincy R.R. bonds.....27,000 00

C. Mil. & St. P. R.R. bonds.....95,000 00

Illinois Central R.R. bonds.....20,000 00

N.Y. Central & Hudson Riv. R.R. bonds.....51,212 00

West Shore R.R. guaranteed bonds.....147,027 08

Real estate in N. Y. and Philadelphia.....346,284 50

Cash in banks and trust companies.....317,443 48

Premiums due from branch offices and

agents.....9,223 46

All other assets.....\$2,096,313 87

Total assets.....\$4,326,084 00

Reserve for unexp'd risks.....\$1,403,584 00

Outstanding losses.....150,233 76

All other liabilities.....49,069 50

Net surplus.....\$970,087 68

ALFRED PER-

CHARLES SEWALL,

Managers.

W. T. KAUFMAN, Branch Secretary.

The Fire Insurance Association,

LIMITED OF LONDON.

United States Branch, January 1, 1887.

Assets in the United States.....\$921,474 50

Re-insurance reserve.....\$165,460 70

All other liabilities.....70,182 28

Total.....\$535,643 07

Total income in United States, 1886.....785,576 58

Expenditures.....765,499 94

Net surplus.....\$20,076 64

FRANK LOCKE,

Joint Managers for New York, New England States

and District of Columbia.

Springfield Fire & Marine Ins. Co.,

OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

Annual Statement, January 1, 1887.

Capital.....\$1,000,000 00

Assets.

Stocks and bonds, market value.....\$2,307,500 00

Real estate owned by the company.....96,355 00

Cash on hand, in bank, and in hands of

agents, in course of transmission.....299,679 31

Loans on mortgage of real estate.....262,500 00

PUBLIC LAWS OF THE STATE OF MAINE, Passed by the Sixty-Third Legislature, A. D. 1887.

and their employees, in the transaction of the official business, and all contracts, unless it otherwise provided therein, and all proceedings law and equity, shall be governed by the established division of standard time. [App. Feb. 18, 1887.]





Section 1. Section one hundred and nine of chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes, is hereby



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justice.



received, that the governor, justice, general, and the militia, be directed by the governor, be and hereafter be constituted a board to recommend a permanent location for the encampment of the militia. Said board to make a report with such recommendations as they deem expedient to the next legislature. The board may receive proposals to sell or lease to the state, suitable grounds for the purpose aforesaid, but no purchase or lease or obligation to purchase or lease be made unless authorized by the legislature. Any expense incurred by this mode shall be paid out of the appropriation for the support of the militia.

[Approved March 17, 1867.]