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ABOUT TOWN.

The heavy rains keep the quarry pumps busy.

The Curtis Star Comedy Co. is playing in Ellsworth this week.

The road machine and six horses have been doing good work on Sea street.

Allie McDonald and his hounds went to Newcastle Wednesday to participate in a fox hunt.

The Maine State Prison is turning out a nice article in the way of a freight track. Some of them are in use by the B. & D. Co. at Tillson's wharf.

Stephen Chase & Co. have substituted a big double motor for the first one put into their fish establishment. It will be used for discharging fish, salt and coal.

The Fourth Maine Regiment and Second Battery Association tender their thanks to the ladies of Edwin Libby Relief Corps and all others who so kindly assisted in making the Campfire on the evening of September 13th so gratifying to all who were present on that occasion.

A Rockland lady was so anxious that an absent member of her family should write home that she directed a number of postal cards and put in his grip. Soon after his departure the family received a postal from the absentee, enclosed in an envelope. The postal did not have very much written on it, but there was as much as there was room, the greater portion of that side of the card being occupied by the address which the thoughtful lady had put on the wrong side.

The Mendelssohn Ladies' Quartet Company was in this city Thursday en route from Vinal, haven for Belfast where they gave a concert that evening. While in the store of Albert Smith they delighted a few of our people with some of their skillfully rendered selections. A fine elocutionist, Miss Holmes, accompanied them. The leader of the quartet, Miss Marie Foster, is well known to our Camden readers. It is possible that Rockland may be favored by a concert from this talented company.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Gen. W. Turner visited friends in town last week.

Levi Turner, Jr., has gone to Boston to enter the Law School.

Mrs. Elsie Hook of Lynn is visiting Mrs. J. A. Stover, Holmes street.

Misses Helen Kallach and Rose McNamara visited in Boston last week.

A release of pension is announced for Washington Burnheimer of North Waldoboro.

Mrs. A. W. Hall and daughter Mildred, who have been visiting Mrs. Hall's old home in this city for a couple of months, have returned to Waterville.

Moody Noble of Battle Creek, Mich., is visiting his old home, this city. When he returns west he will enter a bank where has an excellent position.

Charles T. Jay, formerly of Vinalhaven, a very popular young man, has been and gone and got married out in Cincinnati, Miss Frankie LaFond being the fortunate young lady. The many friends of Mr. Jay in this vicinity forward their best wishes.

Jewett Turner accompanied by his wife and Hanson Carver of North Haven was in the city Wednesday en route to Portland where he will remain for treatment at the hospital. Mr. Turner has been in poor health for some time and his many friends in this vicinity hope for his speedy recovery.

Chaplain Tribou, who made many acquaintances in this city during the sessions of the last E. M. Conference, has just arrived in Ellsworth with his family, from a trip to England. He leaves Ellsworth this week to become Chaplain of the Naval Asylum at Philadelphia, to which position he has been assigned for the next three years.

The Green's Landing correspondent of the Ellsworth American says: "Mr. Beverage has removed his family to their native place, Vinalhaven. We are very sorry to have them leave us, and regret exceedingly the loss to the Juvenile Temple, for Harry Beverage was a wide awake and capable little fellow, and Willie Beverage a faithful Sentinel."

The ordination and installation of Fred Lettroy Payson as pastor of the Universalist church of Belfast took place on Thursday evening, September 27th, in the church which is to be the scene of his labors. There was a pleasant array of flowers, and a large audience witnessed the impressive ceremonies. The charge to the pastor was delivered by Rev. W. M. Kimmell of this city.

A wedding occurred in Waterville Wednesday in which many of our people were interested, the bride being Edith Frances, daughter of Judge O. G. Hall of Waterville, formerly of this city, Jarvis C. Perry of Rockland being the groom. Mrs. Perry is a cultured and highly esteemed lady whose many friends will be more than pleased to welcome back to this city as they were more than sorry when the removal of the family to Waterville took her away from Rockland. She is a graduate of our High School and for some time was one of our talented assistants. Mr. Perry is a well-known and thoroughly respected young Rockland business man, whose integrity of character and pleasant gentlemanly ways have made him all his acquaintances friends. The C-G never tendered its benediction with more sincere pleasure and heartiness. Among the friends from this section who enjoyed the happy occasion were Misses Jennie H. North, Alice P. Starrett, Angie C. Mottit and Jennie L. Weeks of this city, and Miss Annie P. Simpson of Camden.

REVIEWING THE PAST.

Last week we gave our readers a letter from Col. W. C. Plummer on old times in Thomaston. Col. Plummer also spoke in South Thomaston, and speaks of that town as follows:

"I traveled yesterday from the mountains to the sea, and here I am domiciled beneath the roof of Capt. William H. Luce, who formerly belonged to that class which goes down to the sea in ships. Was met by the captain on my arrival at Rockland last evening by rail, on the Knox & Lincoln road. Stepping into his buggy we were soon driven to his place, which is about four miles distant from Rockland. The people assembled in the Baptist church—a structure which is 102 years old.

"The town is close down to the seashore. The chief industry—now that ship building is a thing of the past—is granite cutting. I mean of course the chief industry carried on by the land's people. A very large proportion of the coast dwellers are interested or engaged in the catching and curing of fish. In the years gone by this, like nearly all the coast and river towns of Maine, was an important ship-building point. It is claimed that the stone cutting industry is better for the people here than shipbuilding ever was, and that they are better off now than in former years. While sitting back and enjoying a smoke with Captain Luce last evening, just before going up to the church to speak, I was very agreeably surprised by the entrance of Mr. Webb Cunniff and his brother, Harvey Cunniff. I had not seen them for twenty-nine years. They were not over the meridian of life then—they are now white haired. They were both active republicans in old days, and they seem to take as active an interest now as they did then. They rode over from Thomaston to see and hear me—and I highly appreciated the compliment. They are stalwarts of the old-time republican faith—never having wavered or faltered. It is good to see and talk with such men.

"The people along the sea coast of Maine suffered heavy losses of shipping by the ravages of rebel privateers. Captain Luce was about the first victim. He sailed from Rockland as commander of the bark Ocean Queen, April 11, 1861, loaded with lime, bound for New Orleans. The bark arrived at the mouth of the Mississippi on the 16th of the following May, and was seized by the rebel privateer, Caladoun. Several other prizes were captured during the year 1861 and taken to New Orleans, and the most of them were burned. The Ocean Queen was among those which were spared, and after Butler's occupation of the city, in 1862, Captain Luce recovered his bark. He afterwards received \$17,000 of the Geneva award. He quit following the sea in 1881, and bought the fine residence he now occupies in this village—his family consisting of his wife and a twelve-year-old daughter. He is surrounded by the comforts of life, but it is easy to observe that he still has a longing for 'a life on the ocean wave,' or something more active than his present retired way of living."

CREAMERY MEETING.

Our Farmers Take a Decided Step Towards Accomplishing Something.

In consequence of the exceedingly bad weather the past week the attendance at the Creamery meeting Thursday was not so large as it otherwise would have been; still there was a goodly representation of the farmers in this and the surrounding towns. G. W. Kimball, who has taken great pains to get well informed on all the various points pertaining to the business, gave a very interesting account of the methods employed in different butter factories, and answered all the various questions propounded by the farmers present so that none could fail to understand very clearly the plans and workings in general of this branch of business. An expression by vote was given showing that nearly all in attendance were in favor of starting the enterprise. It was voted to raise a capital stock of not over \$2500, in shares of \$25 each, no patron being allowed to subscribe for more than eight shares. Considerable friendly and candid discussion was entered into on the various topics by Messrs. Kimball, Gardner, Tolman, Andrews, Cleveland, Leach, Mansfield, Lermond, Smith, Kellar, Sylvester, Spear and others. The canvassing committee for cows not having all reported, F. W. Smith was appointed to complete the canvass and also to secure subscriptions for the remainder of the stock.

A committee was chosen to make inquiries as to cost of buildings, etc., and report at the next meeting in one week, viz. Oct. 11, at the Court House at 10.30 a. m., at which time and place it is proposed to further discuss the subject and organize the association. This is considered one of the most desirable enterprises for the farmers ever started in this vicinity. A cordial invitation is extended to all the farmers around to be present on the 11th, whether they can contribute towards the enterprise or not. It is a matter of great importance to the farmers in this section.

A BATH VENTURE.

The three-masted schooner Carrie A. Lane, owned by Arthur Sewall & Co. of Bath, has been chartered to carry coal from New York to San Francisco. This will be the first instance of a schooner's rounding Cape Horn with Atlantic coast coal for San Francisco. If the voyage is successful, many other schooners will probably be put into the business. Bath shipbuilders and ship owners think that the schooner will make the voyage just as safely and just as quickly as a ship. The Carrie A. Lane is but a year old, measures about 750 tons and is chartered at \$12. She will take a cargo of about 1200 tons and so will receive about \$14,400. After her arrival she will be kept on the Pacific coast in the coastwise trade, now monopolized by ships.

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ROUNDABOUT.

He Pounces Upon Items of News in Various Places.

* * * E. W. Prince and Curtis Crawford, Thomaston boys, who have been spending the summer on their plantations in Florida, left Tuesday for a boat trip down the Withlacoochee River to the Gulf. They intend to occupy about a fortnight on the trip.

* * * Mel. D. Hemenway of San Francisco, who has been visiting in this city, is the first bass in the Orpheus Male Quartet of that city, and Ernest C. Hills, another old Rockland boy, is the second bass. The organization is a very popular and artistic one, as might naturally be inferred from the fact that half the members are old Rockland boys.

* * * There is some little misunderstanding concerning the letting of money by the Rockland Loan & Building Association. When it is announced that a certain sum of money has been bid off by a certain party it doesn't always follow that the money is let to the bidder. After the money has been bid off the bidder must satisfy the directors as to the security offered.

* * * Dr. A. C. Heffenger, U. S. N., who has had charge of the U. S. Sanitarium at Whitlow's Island, has been removed to another post of duty and M. H. Simons, U. S. N., appointed in his stead. Dr. Heffenger was here last week with Dr. Simons and made an examination of the island, both returning to Boston Wednesday. Dr. Heffenger has made many friends about here, who regret his change of appointment. Dr. Simons is a very agreeable gentleman, and like Dr. Heffenger, a very enthusiastic sportsman.

* * * Thomaston, like Rockland, has of late had the need of new business brought very forcibly to the front by the removal from the town of some of its respected citizens, who have sought other and busier fields of labor. Last week we mentioned the fact that W. A. Medcalf had been visiting in Thomaston, and that when he returned to Torrington, Conn., where he is employed, his wife would accompany him. Now H. H. Bucklin, another popular young man, also at work in Torrington, has taken his wife to Torrington with him. Mr. Bucklin works in the block manufacturing department of the Union Hardware Co. with Mr. Medcalf. Thursday morning W. E. Mason left on the early train, en route for Denver, Colo., whether he goes with the intention of locating. Mr. Mason has been the efficient and popular principal of the Thomaston High School for several years, and has a host of friends in town. Another of Thomaston's highly esteemed young professional men, Ralph S. French, esq., contemplates moving to the west at an early day. Knox County needs new business to stay this stampede of young men to the west and other localities.

* * * The Belfast Journal says: "B. & B. S. Co. is fortunate in its officers, having on all the boats men who are not only popular with the travelling public but in every way competent for their respective positions. Capt. Otis Ingraham of the Penobscot, the senior captain of the line, and entitled to fly the pennant of a Commodore, is a veteran steamboatman, having begun service on this coast in the steamer Daniel Webster. No one pays closer attention to duty than Capt. Ingraham, and yet he finds time to extend courtesies to his passengers."

* * * A. H. Hunscom, purser of the Penobscot, has invented and had patented a bit that is said to be a big thing. This bit is now on the market and is manufactured by the Hunscom Flexible Bit Co. at Portsmouth, N. H., which at this time finds it difficult to keep up with the orders received. The inventor is a practical horseman, and this bit is the result of many years experience in handling and training horses and colts, a careful and diligent study of their habits and requirements, and unceasing efforts to discover the cause and remedy of all their faulty habits in driving. The outcome is a perfect and safe flexible bit, in which the faults of other bits of this kind are successfully overcome.

* * * PENSION PICKINGS.

An increase of pension has been allowed the following: Joseph P. Knowles, Rockland; John Q. A. Libby, Rockport; Lemuel Smith, Ellsworth; Tolman B. Grant, South Hancock; and a release to Elkin Hatt-bins, Castine.

* * * A soldier of some experience in such matters says: "Don't employ Washington attorneys on your pension claims, unless you have a fondness for receiving blanks and requests for postage stamps. The sole aid such attorneys render, is to send you copy of the pension office letters and blanks. As far as their aid is concerned, you could as well manage your claim yourself. If you have any doubt about these Washington attorneys who are flooding the country with circulars, write your member of Congress and ask his opinion."

* * * MARINE MATTERS.

The schooner on the rocks at York Harbor is the Daniel Simmons, from Deer Isle, with 120 tons of granite for Boston. The vessel is a total loss. She is owned by L. B. Morey and is valued at \$2,000; insured \$1,300 in the Boston Marine. The cargo will be saved.

OUR CIRCULATION.

The regular weekly circulation of the **COURIER-GAZETTE** is 2500. 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 of our books to anybody who may wish to see.

Respectful of respect and credit of the paper will be charged to the parties ordering them at the rate of five cents per line, and no charge less than fifty cents.

The talk of a railroad for Union has already turned public attention to the direction of Union. We received last week a letter of inquiry concerning the rail road quarry in East Union. The letter was from a granite man, and meant something. Union has enough undeveloped business to employ double her population, and it will continue to be undeveloped until a railroad gives such business a chance to breathe. The new line industry in Warren is itself capable of being developed to an almost limitless degree, and a railroad only is needed to give it the desired impetus, and by its development Warren, Union and the road would be benefited. With a road terminating at Union the business of all the upper George's Valley would center in the town, which would become the distributing and receiving depot of a great portion of the most fertile and productive section of Knox County.

The following editorial from the Phillips Thronograph may meet one of the objections brought to bear against the establishing of a creamery in this county:

We understand some of our farmers object to the creamery—which our Board of Trade is trying to establish—because the will have to "let up" for it. This argument we hope is not advanced by many, for we do not wish to have our confidence in the judgment of our farmers lessened. Why ever made money without investing money to work on? We are about to buy a new press that will cost more money than we can save out of the business for a long time to come, but we have confidence to make the investment and expect to save by it in the future. Every good butter maker invests money in preparing for the work. Every farmer in town has been obliged to "let up" for every undertaking. Some investments have paid well, and some have not paid at all. Is that a good reason for doing nothing more? Answer for yourselves.

The cause of the Union railroad, like John Brown's body, is steadily marching on. Frequent district meetings have been held and the sentiment in favor of the road seems to be very general. The people of Union have only to make a few comparisons to find out how much they need a road. It is inevitable the case that town, which have been favored with railroads, have gained in business, population and valuation, while the towns and cities without such facilities have invariably deteriorated, the former growing at the expense of the latter. It is also true that towns which have railroads, no matter what the business of such a road may prove, could not be induced to give up the road even though it may have proved a burden. Comfort and convenience should count for game in these modern times. If Union with the offer made her, with the ease of construction and business prospects throws this opportunity over her shoulder she will deserve no pity when overtaken by the inevitable—business stagnation. A town without a railroad nowadays is in very hard sledding.

One of the questions we hope to see brought up in the coming legislature is the question of free text books for the public schools. Under our present school laws cities and towns "may" provide school books for the use of the pupils in their public schools, at the expense of said town and in many places this has been done with the most satisfactory results. Up to 1884 the Massachusetts school laws contained the same proviso, but in that year a free text book law was enacted which has worked like a charm for four years. In Massachusetts this move has brought about many good results. It has increased the school attendance from five to ten per cent, the high schools showing a still greater increase, while the children of poor people have been kept longer in school. The cost of books by such wholesale purchase has also been reduced one-third. As one writer has said, it's absurd to speak of free schools and compel the scholars to buy books. Judge Goddard of Portland, who probably will champion the free text book law in the coming legislative session, asks very pertinently, "What is the use of furnishing poor children with school-houses and not furnish them with books?" Only those parents with a large family of children and lack of means feel the full burden of the cost of school books. No class of books cost as much, and it is too often the case that the book used by one member of the family is out of use when the other members reach that grade. There is no doubt that more pupils are driven out of our schools by the cost of books than for any other reason. This is particularly so in the case of high schools. Many a scholar wishing to enter our high school has deliberated whether to continue his studies or seek employment and the cost of the necessary books has decided the question for him and sent him into the factory, into the store, out a, etc. The papers have of late been devoting their attention to the tariff, and its effect upon the laboring man, some claiming that it was a burden that pressed unequally upon the poor and rich. This latter is certainly the case under our present school laws in the matter of text books, for while the well-to-do don't feel it, the poor find it a formidable tax. Here's hoping that the coming legislature will give us free text books! Superintendent of Schools N. A. Luce favors it as will all who take the trouble to look into the matter. If our legislature fails to do it we want our city government to take action, and follow the example of the other progressive cities and towns of the state.

The following from the Bath Independent will be read with interest by many of our people who are acquainted with the bride. Wednesday last at 1 p. m. at Saranac, in the Adirondacks, Miss Sarah Eleanor Duncan and Albert E. Mills of Boston were married, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Milton Litten, Ph. D., at a hotel in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends. The bride is a Bath lady long prominent and popular in social circles, and whose accomplishments and amiability have made all acquaintances her sincere friends. The groom is a Boston broker of considerable wealth and much ability. Mr. and Mrs. Mills will reside in Saranac where their new and handsome residence is now being completed. The many friends of the bride here send congratulations and best wishes. Miss Duncan has frequently visited the home of W. J. Wood in this city.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Personal Paragraphs of More or Less Interest to Our Readers.

Capt. Robert Crockett is very ill. Miss Hattie Howes is visiting in Boston. Mrs. E. P. Chase was in the city last week. Mrs. Clara E. Colcord is in Boston this week. Clifford Pillsbury went to Boston Thursday.

Wm. A. Barker and wife are visiting in Boston.

Miss Carrie Erskine is visiting in Everett, Mass.

Mrs. M. M. Arnold went to Boston last week.

Mrs. A. M. and Florence A. Smith are in Boston.

Mrs. L. W. Benner and children are in Boston.

Miss Lena Crockett is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Amanda Rhodes has been visiting in Stillwater.

Frank Spofford from Boston was in the city last week.

Mrs. L. B. Keen is visiting in South Framingham, Mass.

Mrs. J. B. Porter is visiting friends in Boston and vicinity.

Jarvis Savage is home from Hudson, Mass., for a short visit.

Miss Lydia Farnum of Orland visited in the city last week.

Mrs. Thomas Burgess of Belfast is visiting friends at Vinthaven.

Eugene O'Neil of Hildesford is a guest at Anthony McNamara's.

Mrs. W. J. Wood returns this week from an extended visit in Boston.

Miss Adelle Overlock of Wallboro is the guest of Mrs. Z. O. Bragg.

Miss Edie Sartelle and Miss Manie Sargent went to Attleboro Thursday.

John D. May is in Winthrop, called thither by the severe illness of his father.

Capt. John Spofford has gone to Belfast to make his home with his son Samuel.

Mrs. A. M. Austin has been suffering from a severe attack of sciatic rheumatism.

Rev. C. S. Cummings was called to Bridgton yesterday to officiate at a wedding.

Miss Bertha Lothrop has returned to this city after an extended absence in Chicago.

Aurelius Parker of Louisiana is at the home of his brother, M. M. Parker, Warren street.

Lincoln Weatherly and wife of Strong are guests of B. P. Brackley, Mr. Weatherly's uncle.

Mrs. John Porter and Esten Porter are away on a trip to Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Mrs. Joshua Thomas and her son Emory W. have moved into the Thomas house on Lisle street.

Mrs. S. L. Keene and family left Thursday for their home in New York. A. J. Bird, Jr., accompanied them.

Robert A. Webb of Chicago, and his sisters, Fannie and Hattie, of Waldo, are visiting at Mrs. H. Y. Cress's.

Larkin W. Hall is with Moore, Spaulding & Co., Boston, dealers in millinery goods, where he has a fine position.

Mrs. Ellen Simonton of Baltimore, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity, left yesterday for Providence.

S. A. Keyes returned from Boston Saturday, and leaves in a few days for Miramichi on a pole inspecting joint.

Dr. C. R. Cole has so far recovered from his recent severe illness as to attend to the duties of his profession.

Wm. J. Robertson has moved into the John McNeil house on Orange street, from Mrs. Covel's tenement on Broadway.

J. Fred Hall and wife returned Saturday from a pleasant carriage drive through Kennebec county, visiting at Mr. Vernon and other places.

James C. Kent, formerly of this city, but now of Portland, with Goudy & Kent, bakers, has been visiting here. His family accompanied him.

Railroad Commissioner Mortland arrived home Friday from a trip into Piscataquis County, leaving again yesterday for Calais. He reported the ground covered with snow in Piscataquis Friday morning.

J. F. Waterhouse has returned to this city to reside after an absence of ten years, the last few years of which has been spent in California. He has his family, wife and two boys, with him and will go to house-keeping.

Sylvanus Pendleton has been visiting his uncle, C. H. Pendleton, in this city. Mr. Pendleton is the son of Roscoe Pendleton of St. John, formerly of this city. Sylvanus Pendleton is engaged in business in New York.

Albert H. Benner has been placed in charge of the Bath Harbor office of the American Express Co., an important and responsible position which he is well qualified to satisfactorily fill. He has been connected with the company's office in this city for three years.

The Brookline, Mass., Chronicle, of a recent issue, contains a pleasant account of the wedding of Hattie A. Turner of Brookline, to a New York gentleman. Mr. Turner is a niece of Capt. E. R. Nash and M. H. Nash of this city, being the daughter of Mrs. Mary Orent, who visited here last summer.

The wedding of Bart. Donahue of Hurricane Island and Sarah M. Coughlin of Vinthaven will be solemnized at St. David's Catholic Church tomorrow at 10.30 o'clock. Mr. Donahue is a highly respected and popular young man, well and favorably known in this city. Miss Coughlin is a niece of Garrett Coughlin of this city and a most estimable young lady.

Charles C. Flint and Miss Nellie G., only child of Thomas H. Ingraham and wife of this city, were married this morning at 7.30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Pleasant street, Rev. W. S. Roberts officiating. After the wedding the bridal party, accompanied by H. S. Flint and wife, took the morning train for a trip to Boston and beyond, which will probably include Providence. They will be absent about a week. On their return they will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Ingraham. Mr. Flint is one of our respected young business men and the bride an interesting and popular young lady. Congratulations.

A very pleasant occasion was the wedding of Miss Jennie L. Gifford of this city and Edward H. Tolman of Chicago, which occurred Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. L. Gifford, Masonic street. Rev. A. G. Hemmaway impressively tied the nuptial knot in the pleasant and easy prior, the contracting parties standing beneath a beautiful floral wedding veil in the bay window. Robert Webb of Chicago, formerly of Waldo, and Miss Erle T. Hemmaway of this city very happily assisted them, and H. I. Hix was the efficient usher of the occasion. After a wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Tolman took the noon train for an extended trip to Boston, New York, Washington, Detroit and other places, the trip terminating in Chicago, where they will reside. Mr. Tolman is one of our best young ladies, concerning whose many pleasing traits of character a host of friends can testify. Mr. Tolman is one of the well-known firm of John A. Tolman & Co., wholesale grocers, Chicago, and made a most favorable impression upon all who were fortunate enough to make his acquaintance. He certainly has displayed excellent taste and judgment in the selection of a wife. The list of presents is a long and interesting one, including checks for \$500, \$100, elegant silver service from the firm with which Mr. Tolman is connected, choice articles in table wear, ornaments, bric-a-brac, etc., in endless variety. The C-G voices the congratulations of a large circle of friends in this vicinity.

A FATAL DRINK.

Two Warren Men Drink Aconite for Whiskey and Die.

A terrible poisoning accident occurred at Warren Friday night that resulted in the death of two men—Charles A. Williams aged 35 and Edgar Davis aged 19. Williams who has been in the mill as a weaver leaves a wife and infant child; Davis was a native of Union and had a brother there. The latter had been employed in the stable of L. M. Newcomb for a month or so. Friday night there was a dance in Warren which Williams attended. Between twelve and one o'clock parties who had attended the dance went to the stable to get their team and Williams, who had been drinking, accompanied them. They woke up Davis who was asleep, got their team and drove away, leaving Williams there.

Mr. Newcomb, who had been away, came home about one o'clock and found Williams and Davis vomiting. Williams wanted to know what kind of whiskey he kept and was told that he kept none about the premises at all. Further investigation showed that they had been drinking aconite which was used about the stable for the treatment of the horses. The unfortunate men were taken to Dr. J. K. Hooper's where they died in about an hour.

It is thought that Williams in his desire for a drink, discovered the bottle of aconite and took a drink thinking it to be whiskey, and that Davis drank with him.

Our Warren correspondent says, "Young Davis was unacquainted with and knew nothing only of report that he was a likely, steady young man. Williams we have known from boyhood, and he had but one failing and that a strong desire for drink. Otherwise he was a genial, social man, kind-hearted to all and one who was ever ready to do any one a favor and none an injury. We shall ever keep him in memory for his willing disposition to do good at all times to those who needed his services. He was an industrious man, never neglecting his daily labor, and faithful and honest in his dealings. We liked him for a remark he made but a few days ago, as we were looking at the campaign flags as they floated in the breeze: 'I like that flag, and if any one should insult that in my hearing I would take it up.' The bodies were laid out when they died at Edward Oliver's, friends were notified and they were placed in their caskets and removed, Davis to Union, Williams to his mother's home, where he is to be buried today."

ANNUAL SEASON OF LOW FARES

On the Steamers of the BOSTON & BANGOR S. S. COMPANY

During the continuance of MERCHANTS WEEK IN BOSTON!

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TWO WEEKS LONGER

to enable all to make their fall and winter purchases, see the sights and attractions, visit their friends and the places of amusement of the Great Metropolis, the Boston & Bangor Steamship Company will commence its Annual Season of Low Fares on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

—WHICH WILL CONTINUE UNTIL—

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1888.

During which period tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates, as follows:

From BANGOR, HAMPTON, WINTERPORT and BUCKSPORT, to Boston and return..... \$5 00

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Tickets will be good to return on and until October 20, 1888. Every Trip an Extension Trip. It is expected that these remarkably low fares will be largely availed of.

CHAS. E. WEEKS, Aet., Rockland. CALVIN ALSTIN, Aet., Boston. WM. H. HILL, Gen. Man., Boston.

RUBBER BOOTS AND SHOES

There is no line of goods manufactured of which the consumer knows so little regarding quality. You ask for a pair of GOOD RUBBERS and take whatever the retailer

offers you. If you will insist on having the

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goods and be sure that they bear this Company's name or trade mark, you will be assured of a good article.

They are made of Pure Para Rubber,

—AND ARE—

Sold by All First-Class Retailers.

Insist on having them and take no others.

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THE PUREST AND BEST

Is made only of strictly pure grape cream of tartar, strictly pure bicarbonate of soda, and a small portion of flour as a preservative, nothing else whatever, and is warranted entirely free from alum, ammonia, phosphates, lime, and all the adulterants frequently found in baking powders. The character of materials used, their purity, and the nicety of their combination, render Cleveland's superior baking powder the most healthful and most economical in use, and it always affords wholesome, nutritious, and delicious food. It is recommended for purity, healthfulness and efficiency by Government and State chemists, chemists of Boards of Health, and professors in institutions of learning throughout the country. Sold only in cans, full weight.

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—OF—

New Fall Goods!

AT

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Look at the Bargains!

We Shall Offer on That Day:

We are showing the Finest

Assortment of Ladies', Misses' and Children's

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Ever shown east of Boston

Look at the handsome

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That we are selling for

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It is a Great Bargain.

We are showing all the New

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IN PLAIN AND STRIPE,

and have all sizes to select from.

CHILDREN'S CLOAKS

All sizes from 4 years up.

New Goods in Every Department

THIS WEEK.

Look at the Bargains!

Mail orders promptly attended to.

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116 AND 118 MAIN STREET, ROCKLAND, MAINE.

Fall Purchases

—FOR THE—

HOUSEHOLD

Again confront all who are the happy owners of a home. Notwithstanding that the Election engrosses the attention of a large portion of the people, they will not forget to eat, to dress, to prepare for the return of the absent ones, the biting frosts, the blinding and drifting snow or cold blasts of winter.

One naturally exists to mind the firm most familiar to them when the buying of goods is under consideration.

Is our name known to you?

If so, is it not favorably known?

Are we not known to be the largest dealers of house furnishing goods in New England?

Send for Catalogs, Samples and Prices.

Have we not extensively advertised that we are BETTER situated to supply

PARLOR - SUITS!

In All Grades and Prices.

CHAMBER SETS,

in almost every shape, quality of wool and price.

Wood Heating Stoves, Wood Cooking Ranges, Parlor, Sitting-Room, and Chamber Stoves,

CARPETS,

and almost every conceivable article used in the home, than any other house?

Can anyone offer more LIBERAL TERMS than we?

Have you ever known of our being less liberal than we advertise to be? There are many other questions that might be asked, if space admitted, but these are sufficient to impress your mind in our favor (if the answers are favorable to us) and turn your thoughts in our direction.

We want to tell you of the things that a year ago were growing in the wilds of the Southern and Western States, that are now made up into the handsomest

Parlor Suit Frames, Chamber Sets, Extension Tables,

Lounges, Centre Tables, Mirror Frames, Clocks,

Pianos, Organs, Chairs, Book Cases, Office Desks and Secretaries,

all of these and many more are gotten up and made from the walnut tree. There is no wood so valuable as this, for it is enjoyed by the poor as well as the rich, and each year adds to its popularity. The styles this year are especially pretty, particularly in Parlor Suits and Chamber Sets, upon which no pains are spared to satisfy the popular demands. Antique Oak and Ash, as well as the wood in the natural state are made in very pretty styles and sold at low figures.

Send for Catalogs and Prices.

PINE PAINTED CHAMBER SETS

seem not to lose their hold, but, on the contrary, are gaining in popularity; this is to be accounted for by reason of the great improvement in decorating, in which our painters excel all others we have ever seen. It is certainly to be wondered at that such finely executed and artistic paintings can be shown on these goods, and sold at the prices we are selling for at this season.

OUR STOVE & RANGE DEPT.

is well supplied and therefore ready to meet the increasing demands that will be made upon it this fall. As a rule we hold to the Ranges that have given such unqualified satisfaction in years past, and the Quaker, New Parlor and First National are as good and a little better than ever, as some valuable improvements have been made upon them without increasing the cost to the buyer. There are probably more of these ranges in use in Maine than there are six of any other make. We think it safe to say, no town in the State is without our ranges. We were especially fortunate last season in our wood heating stoves, it being the first year but what some were pronounced not satisfactory in every case. We feel confident that our line of Parlor and Chamber Stoves cannot be equalled in New England.

Send for catalog and prices of these goods and any other that you may need, in each case specifying the articles you wish to see represented.

Carpetings Are Now Coming In

and no better time can be had to send for samples. Please state the qualities desired, whether Brussels, Tapestries, Woolens or Cottons, as our selection can be made more satisfactory. We have some beauties in the above qualities and the prices are just as near those of the manufacturers as possible.

Send for Samples.

Do not forget that we, in each case prepay freight and sell for cash, or ONE-QUARTER CASH down and the balance in Monthly Payments. Do not forget that we have

BRANCH STORES AT

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where same goods, same prices and same terms may be had as at Headquarters of the

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All Styles & Prices.

In Ox Blood, Navy, New Blue,

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Pronounced by all to be far

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The largest assortment of misses' Newmarkets in the city.

100 New Styles

SHAWLS,

Just opened. Prices low.

50 pieces of Plush at50c

1000 yds. Remnant Plush. .75c

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Worth 75 cents.

100 pieces Coupon Plush at

Half Price.

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AT REDUCED PRICES

Hemp at1 1/2c

All Wool Extra Super. .55c

Tapestry50c

All Wool.50c

Brussels.85c to \$1

Fuller & Cobb.

FOLKS AND THINGS.

2850—REGULAR WEEKLY CIRCULATION—2650

For Additional Locals See First Page.

Perry Bros. new iron kiln is all ready for business.

Charles Morey is having an addition made to his buildings.

Flour is on the rise. It has gone up \$2 a barrel within a short time.

Jonas Davis, Thomaston road, has put his place in fine shape, repairs, new paint, etc.

Butter is scarce in the markets, the villainous travelling farmers out of the city.

F. S. Sweetland has put in the foundation for a big monument in the Achorn cemetery.

R. C. Hall & Co. are making great improvements to their store, new ceiling, windows, etc.

John Kinney cut his foot severely Thursday, while at work on the Lime Rock R. R. trestle.

One of the city's hay span of horses died Tuesday. Frank C. Case also lost a good horse.

The gas company crew have been digging a long trench up Park street and laying pipe therein.

A big delegation of the Meadow boys who have been "Joing" the Hub returned home Thursday.

Steen launch Gracia Belle has gone into winter quarters in the rear of the foundry at the North-end.

Augustus Ulmer is repairing the old house near the railroad crossing, Park street, bought of the Luce estate.

The Ladies' Circle connected with the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. James Hall Thursday of this week.

Claremont Commandery, K. T., at a recent meeting, appropriated \$50 for the Jacksonville yellow fever sufferers.

The Orbeton store, occupied by the Allen grocery, is receiving a deep cellar and substantial brick basement.

The project of the city government to put street signs on the corners of the principal streets is an excellent move.

An insane woman in quest of an imaginary \$10,000 check has been making life miserable for the postoffice officials.

A falling chisel, Saturday, at the new Wiloughby Block, cut a bad gash in the right forearm of Charles Fillmore, one of the workmen.

J. M. Small has closed the Laurel House, East Northport, for the season. He likes the prospect there and will again conduct the house next season.

King Solomon's Royal Arch Chapter will hold a special meeting Thursday evening. There will be work on the Past and Most Excellent degrees.

Joseph Johnson was knocked down and his coat torn, corner of North Main and Rockland streets, by the great unknown, Sunday night at 10.30 o'clock.

Five brick catch-basins have been constructed with the School street sewer. These basins are supplied with patent traps to prevent the escape of sewer gas.

W. H. Hewes of Thomaston has leased the upper tenement in James Donahue's house, corner Park and Broad streets, vacated by Capt. Joseph Metcalf.

Sunday night one of the pumping crew in the Doherty quarry was shut into the pump-house by the rising waters, and was rafted out of his unpleasant situation.

The wooden bridge east of the iron bridge, Park street, fell into the quarry yesterday morning, the heavy rains loosening the supports. It belongs to Thomaston.

This is the last week of grace on city taxes. After next Monday the interest on your tax bill will be figured at six per cent, and after the 1st of February at ten per cent.

Patrick Welch, "Tookeey," arrived home from New York Thursday morning as large as life and free as the air, no one appearing against him to sustain the charge of assault.

The new building on Lindsey wharf has been completed and occupied. The lower portion is used by H. H. Hall & Co. and the upper by H. S. Perry. They have fine quarters.

The city has accepted the extension of Cedar street, from Broadway to the County road, and the extension of Summer street from the brook to Lincoln. Work on the latter is now underway.

Said one who knows: "Tell your readers that cabbage to be edible should be cooked three hours. If this rule is followed out there will be less complaint to the effect that cabbage is burful."

Loring has just completed two boats for Capt. Levi Hart of Tonnant's Harbor—one 14 and the other 22 feet. J. W. Lott of East Union is now at work with Mr. Loring, and will take up his residence in this city.

Masonry is growing up. "cock County way. The Grand Lodge officers established a Blue Lodge at Winter Harbor Thursday evening and the Grand Chapter officers a Chapter at Bar Harbor Friday evening.

The Y. M. C. A. reunion, which was to have occurred next Thursday evening has been postponed until next Monday evening so as not to conflict with the Old Ladies' Home concert which is advertised for Thursday.

The oyster supper given by the ladies of the Congregational Society Friday evening was very much of a success, nearly \$50 being netted. The children also had a table which yielded several dollars for the Missionary Society.

Ten thoroughbred horses and two ponies, accompanied by five grooms, went through here from Bar Harbor on the steamer City of Richmond last week. They are the property of Col. Elliott P. Sheppard, of the New York Mail and Express.

John W. Connellan of Portland has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Mail Agent Marsh. Mr. Connellan has been a letter carrier in Portland. He will enter upon his duties as soon as the usual red tape preliminaries are arranged.

Thorndike & Hix, wholesalers of fruit, produce, etc., have leased the whole lower floor of the new Wiloughby Block, and will occupy it as soon as completed. They have recently bought a packing outfit, and will carry on the business of sausage making, etc., in all its branches.

Cutter Woodbury reports for duty this week.

The prevalence of rainy weather makes building and other outdoor work hasten very slowly.

The North-end Knitting Bee meets next Monday evening with Mrs. Fred Young. All are invited.

There was a fall of rock in the Farrand quarry at the head of Limerock street, Saturday.

The meeting of the C. L. S. C. was postponed from last Saturday to next Saturday evening in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Boys have been mutilating the fruit trees of J. G. Piper. One has settled and the others should do so at once to save trouble.

The Orpheus Club begins its rehearsals for the winter season this evening. The club commences work upon a set of very nice music.

Wednesday of this week the Grand Lodge of Good Templars will hold their autumn session at Skowhegan. A large attendance of the members of the order is expected.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary, Y. M. C. A., will be held at the rooms, Friday afternoon, Oct. 12th, at 3 p. m. As this will be the time for the election of officers for the coming year a full attendance is especially requested.

Shares are still being taken in the second series of the Rockland Loan & Building Association. Here's a good opportunity for your young men to begin putting something away for a rainy day.

The Knox & Lincoln will run an excursion train to the Sagadahoc County Fair at Topsham next Wednesday (Oct. 10th). This will afford an opportunity to visit the beautiful village of Brunswick and Bowdoin College as well as the Fair.

The Rockland Clothing Co. reports business brisk and good girls in demand at good pay.

The firm is turning out 200 pairs of pantaloons daily. The buttons on these same unmentionables, about 2400 in number, are put on by the aid of that wonderful machine of which we spoke some weeks ago. 'Tis a dandy.

School Supervisor Nevins seems to take hold of the work here very handsly and we bear good reports of his excellent management from various quarters. One admirable move is the holding of frequent teachers' meetings for the purposes of consultation and instruction. The second of these meetings was held in the High School room Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

Ellery Arce, who is employed as a deck hand upon the steamer Rockland, was quite badly injured Friday morning. With others of the crew he was at work getting in coal at Bangor when in going aboard the steamer he stumbled upon a snail warp, and fell beneath a heavily laden coal cart which passed over his legs. No bones were broken, but the ligament of one leg was quite severely injured. He was taken to his home in Bucksport.

The removal of Mail Agent Marsh seems to be received with general regret by those who have had occasion to appreciate his efficiency. Editor Miller of the Waldoboro News, himself a postmaster, says: "Mr. Marsh was one of the first if not the first, appointed on this route and he has been a most efficient official. His removal will be regretted by the public and by every postmaster on the route."

AMUSEMENTS.

The three days fair of the Improved Order of Red Men will be held in this city next week beginning Tuesday evening on which occasion the charming opera of Penelope will be given. There will be a big parade of Red Men Tuesday evening. Wednesday evening there will be a presentation of the degree work of the Tribe with appropriate costumes. Thursday evening there will be a grand ball. The object of this fair is to raise funds for charitable purposes. All the members of Alfarata Council are expected to give something for the tables, and be on hand to assist the committee in every way possible. Contributions are coming in quite plentifully, and without doubt the ladies of the council will make the finest display of fancy and useful articles ever seen at a fair in this city. The tickets are placed at the low price of 35 cts, with a season ticket good for Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and Wednesday afternoon for 50 cts.

Next Tuesday evening at the Red Men's fair in addition to the opera there will be some taking Irish specialties by J. H. McNamara and Miss O'Connor of Boston.

Curtis with a very much stronger company and with scenery all his own will be at Farwell Hall the week of Oct 22d playing at low prices.

The Vicary recital for the benefit of the Old Ladies' Home takes place next Thursday evening, Oct. 11, in Farwell Hall. The different societies representing the Home are pushing the tickets and a large house will doubtless be the result. This morning the sales open at Spear, May & Stover's, and the privilege of reserving seats will be offered to those buying 25 cent tickets without extra charge. The program is as follows:

Airs from Trombone (whistled) Verdi
Song—"Israel," Oliver King
Reading—"Little Meg" (The Sailor's Story), Ebert

Song—"My Love is Like a Red, Red Rose," Murphy
Reading—"Charles in Spain," Brandeis
Echo Song (whistled), Anon
Song—"Night on More Ladies," Ebert
English Song—"Along the Dewy Lane," Buchanan
Song—"Fragrant Branches," Faure
Prize Melodica and Variations for Violin (whistled).

NOT OF FRIENDSHIP.

The man who was drowned off Seguin, as reported by us last week, was not a Friendship man, but proved to be Alpheus Campbell of Barter's Island, Boothbay.

FISH AND FISHING.

Gloucester Breeze: "The schooner Marguerite, owned by John F. Wesson & Co., Captain William Morrissey from Grand Bank, landed this trip, 308,000 pounds, besides disposing of 10,000 pounds in Newfoundland. This is the second trip for this vessel this season and she is highline of the bank fleet."

THE FLEET.

The first arrival of the big fleet which sailed from here recently is still in doubt, the probability being that several arrived in New York about the same time. Schomers Joseph Carleton, loaded from Ames & Co. and the Commodore Harris, from Perry Bros., reported first.

BIG FISH.

A Story That is no Stranger Than It is True.

As George Wade who lives on Jameson's Point was going home from his work the other evening, walking along the shore near the "swimming rock," he heard a splashing in the water close at hand and on investigating saw a big cod in the shoal water. Mr. Wade caught the fish by the tail and after a struggle succeeded in landing it. It was a very big one being more than four feet long and weighing 31 pounds.

The fish probably got off a trawl somewhere and being injured drifted ashore.

THE FIRST SHIPMENT

Of lime over the Lime Rock Railroad to the K. & L. was made last week. A. F. Crockett & Co. loading four cars and A. J. Bird & Co. one. The cars were loaded on the flat north of A. J. Bird & Co.'s store. The depth of the mud through which it would otherwise have been necessary to haul it to the depot made the great convenience of the new arrangement all the more apparent.

THOMASTON MARINE.

Sch. T. W. Dann, at Philadelphia from St. Simons, reports in a terrible gale 1st inst between Cape Henry and Cape Henlopen, lasting ten hours, lost a number of sails.... Oct. 2nd, sid sch. Louisa Smith, Mathews, for New York.... 2nd, sid sch. Flora Woodhouse, Hall, New York.... 2nd, sid sch. M. B. Smith, Maloney, for New York.... 2nd, sid sch. Silver Spray, Maloney, for New York.... 3rd, sid sch. Richard Hall, Whitmore, for New York.... 4th, arr. Gen. Hall, Simmons, from New York via Boston with cement.... 5th, arr. sch. Helen Thompson, from New York via Boston, cement.... 4th, arr. steam yacht, Juno, Houghton, from Bath.... 6th, sid sch. Eliza Levensaler, Kelley, for New York.

ALL ARE INTERESTED,

Or at Least Should Be in an Organization of This Sort.

The meeting called for the purpose of taking action relative to the organization of some society to carry on a systematic work of charity in this city the coming winter resulted in the choice of the following committee to make a canvass of the various church societies for members: Universalist, Mrs. John Bird; Episcopalians, Mrs. M. N. Vazie; Congregational, Mrs. Mary Norton; Baptist, Mrs. G. M. Brainerd; Methodist, Mrs. C. S. Cummings; Free will Baptist, Miss Hattie Bird; Cedar Street Baptist, Mrs. Abbie Burpee; Catholic, Miss Emma Shields.

The specific object of this committee is to enlist the interest of the members of their respective societies in this move and pledge them to attend the meeting for organization which will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, when it is desirable that there should be a full attendance. All who read this can consider themselves especially invited to attend.

There will be no call for funds, but the question of the mode of raising what funds are needed will be discussed. The society will be unsectarian in the broadest sense. All are invited to identify themselves with this movement. Gentlemen and ladies both are desired as members. Let there be a large attendance in the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock.

PLEASANT NOTICE.

The Bridgton News in its last issue has an article on Rockland's school superintendency and speaks as follows of our new supervisor:

Mr. Nevins was five years in this place, as Principal of the High School, and the two last years as Principal, also, of the Grammar School. Besides being an excellent instructor, he further evinced his interest in his work in various ways. He was instrumental in increasing the school library, which now comprises about 500 volumes; he labored for progress, not only in advancing the grade of scholarship, but for improvements in and about the school-room, and was active in general school matters throughout the town, not only as member of the board of Supt. School Committee, but in holding teachers' meetings, for their instruction and encouragement, and they will miss his valuable aid. Mr. Nevins is a Past Grand of Cumberland Lodge, I. O. O. F., and both in fraternal organizations and in social life was a useful and highly-respected citizen.

STEAMBOAT SPARKS.

Steward Warner of the Lewiston has been given a diamond shirt stud by the colored help of the boat in recognition of his popularity and efficiency.

CLOSED FOR A TIME.

Owing to the death of Mr. B. F. Sargent, the Bonnet Bleaching will not open for business until next spring, when it will be prepared to do its customary work.

Births.

HASKELL—(Rockland, September 30, to Mr. and Mrs. James Haskell, a daughter.

HOAK—Martinsville, St. George, September 25, to Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Hoak, a daughter.

HOAK—Washington, September 24, to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hoak, a son.

HASKELL—Dorset Isle, September 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haskell, a daughter.

LEWIS—(Rockland, Oct. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, a daughter, 2 1/2 lbs.—Rosanna J. ARRY—Dorset Head, Sept. 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. David S. Arrey, a son—12 lbs.

WOOD—Blackington's Corner, Oct. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wood, a daughter.

SMITH—Vinalhaven, Oct. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, a son.

Marriages.

FLINT—INGRAM—Rockland, Oct. 6, by Rev. W. R. Roberts, Charles C. Flint and Nellie G. Ingram, both of Rockland.

TOLMAN—GIFFRAY—Rockland, October 3, Elwood H. Tolman, of Chicago, and Jennie L. Giffray, of Rockland.

ANDREWS—GRIFFITH—Chicago, Ill., October 2, Wm. H. Andrews, formerly of Thomaston, and Kate, daughter of Judge Griffith, of Chicago.

GARDNER—MARTIN—St. George, Sept. 29, F. K. Gardner and Edna H. Allen, both of St. George.

CARROLL—CREWEN—Washington, Sept. 28, Frank B. Carroll of Washington, and Mamie L. Crewen of Waldoboro.

COTTON—RICHARDS—Rockville, Sept. 27, Joseph C. Cotton and Annie M. Richards, both of Rockland.

SMITH—HOPKINS—Vinalhaven, Sept. 24, H. W. Smith of Bucksport, and Emma G. Hopkins of Vinalhaven.

ROBINSON—WALKER—Bucksport, Sept. 21, Ed. W. Robinson of Bucksport, and Ivalet P. Walker of Camden.

SAVAGE—JONES—Washington, Sept. 20, Charles E. Savage and Ida M. Jones, both of Washington.

TRACY—HALL—Waterville, Oct. 5, by Prof. H. L. Chapman of Brunswick, Jarvis C. Tracy of Rockland, and Edith Frances, daughter of Oliver G. Hall of Waterville.

CALDERWOOD—BERRY—Bucksport, Oct. 1, Frank Calderwood of Bucksport, and L. J. Berry of Bucksport.

JORDAN—COPELAND—Thomaston, Oct. 3, by Rev. V. A. Perry, Willie K. Jordan of Merrimack, Mass., and Bertha A. Copeland of Warren.

JAY—LA FORTUNA—(Thomaston, Sept. 27, Charles T. Jay, formerly of Vinalhaven, and Frankie La Fortuna of Cincinnati.

SEAFAR—ST. CLAIR—Rockland, Oct. 5, by Rev. C. S. Cummings, George L. Seafar of St. Paul, Minn., and Emma H. St. Clair of Chicago.

COUSCE—DIXON—Washington, Oct. 6, by Hiram Bliss, Jr., Esq., Edgar B. Cousce of Appleton, and Dixie Turner—Brookline, Mass., Sept. 25, John J. Davis of New York, and Hattie A. Turner of Brookline.

ROCKLAND, October 6, by W. M. Kimmell, Fuller C. Blackington and Ida B. Smith, both of Rockland.

ROCKLAND, October 6, Arthur A. Blackington and Abbie B. Smith, both of Rockland.

Deaths.

LANE—Vinalhaven, Sept. 26, Charles Calderwood, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lane.

MORSEMAN—Vinalhaven, Oct. 2, Abbie, wife of M. H. Morseman, aged 62 years, 1 month, 26 days.

OVERLOOK—East Waterville, October 3, James B. Overlook, aged 62 years, 10 months, 10 days.

WOOSTER—South Waterville, October 4, Rachel, wife of the late William Wooster, aged 24 years.

HORTON—Camden, September 28, A. P. Horton, 18 months, 10 days.

WILLIAM PIERCE, aged 34 years, 11 months, 12 days.

KEENE—Lowell, Mass., September 23, infant child of Sidney Keene. The remains were brought to Appleton for interment.

WELLMAN—Waldoboro, September 15, Reuben B. Wellman, aged 22 years.

WILLIAMS—Warren, Oct. 6, George A. Williams, aged 33 years, 4 months, 16 days.

DAVIS—Warren, Oct. 6, Edgar Davis, a native of Union, aged 19 years, 10 months, 10 days.

LACE—Washington, Oct. 2, Sabra, wife of Obed Lacey, aged 70 years.

SEAFAR—Washington, Oct. 5, Mary C., widow of the late Henry Seafar, aged 77 years.

HAYES—Rockland, Oct. 5, Ella Estelle, daughter of George D. and Hattie E. Hayes, aged 1 year, 4 months.

LEWIS—Rockland, Oct. 1, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lewis.

NOTICE.

CATTLE IMPOUNDED.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, October sixth, A. D. 1888, I received from Clifford A. Hall, and impounded for running at large and doing damage, the following described animals, to wit:

One Holstein bull, black with white star in forehead, 4 years old.

One Jersey bull, white and red, one year old.

One Jersey heifer, red with light points, one year old.

The owner or owners thereof are hereby notified to pay damages and charges and take the beasts away.

N. K. ROBINSON, Found Keeper.

Warren, Me., October 8, 1888.

TO LET.

A small tenement for family of two. Inquire of MRS. J. W. COVELL, Broadway.

TO LET.

Small tenement on first floor, price \$3 per month. Inquire of C. M. WALKER, Pillsbury Block, Rockland.

NOTICE.

If the person who a few days ago took down my house sign will return the same, unaltered, no questions will be asked. If not a warrant will be out for the arrest and conviction of the thief.

DR. R. B. BAYNES.

HORSE FOR SALE.

A good driving horse 6 years old, weighs 850. A good trade for someone. Enquire of CHAS. STAPLES, 31 Rankin Street.

NICE FAMILY HORSE

Five year old, kind and gentle, for sale. Enquire of G. W. DRAKE, Stove Dealer, Rockland, Me.

FURNACES FOR SALE.

The Magic Furnaces in the basement of Purchase St. School House are offered for sale. These furnaces are in good condition and may be bought very low. They may be seen by calling on the janitor at school house. For terms, etc., inquire at the office of Supervisor of Schools. Office hours 8 to 6 a. m.

H. B. NEVINS, School Agent.

GIRLS WANTED.

Good Paid, Easy Work and Job. Apply to 37 ROCKLAND MANUFACTURING CO.

WANTED

A convenient house with stable. Apply to F. J. BICKNELL.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE.

One California Grain Cleanser. Will sell cheap or exchange for light machinery for churning work. 32-44. J. A. CLARK, West Camden, Me.

TO RENT.

One of Singh's cottages on Broadway. Call at southern cottage of the five for further information.

FOR SALE

A Fine Chickering Piano in good order. Also some Furniture, Carpets, Etc. Apply to W. L. HEVES, Thomaston, Me.

BOAT WORK.

J. B. Loring, boat builder, is prepared to do marine work of all kinds, new work and jobbing. Fancy pulling boats and yachts a specialty. LORING WHARF, Rockland.

CAMPAIGN FLAGS.

I am prepared to furnish flags of all kinds at short notice, with the portraits of the candidates if desired. Prices from \$1.00 upwards.

S. T. MCGILLIDE, Brown's Wharf, Rockland.

Cemetery Lots for Sale.

Desirable lots for sale in the Sea View Cemetery Extension. Apply to HENRY L. GREGORY.

Fine Residence for Sale IN ROCKLAND.

The homestead of Capt. J. P. Jones, situated on Masonic Street in this city, large house containing twelve rooms, furnace, elated roof, stable; all in perfect order; doors 12 feet high, running from Masonic to Grace Street; fruit trees. Easy terms of payment if desired.

For further information inquire of C. M. WALKER, Pillsbury Block, Rockland.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The firm which has been doing business under the name of Robinson & Edgerton is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Edgerton retiring.

E. C. ROBINSON, G. W. EDGERTON.

Rockland, Sept. 29, 1888.

BLACKSMITH BUSINESS FOR SALE.

Intending to make a change we wish to dispose of our business, and will sell the entire outfit. The shop is at the head of Rankin St., and is in connection with O. M. Lampan's whetstone shop. Has a good business and will be sold at a bargain.

CUSHMAN & ADAMS.

FARM FOR SALE.

Situated at the "Head of the Lake" in Hope, 20 to 25 tons of good hay, a good pasture, well watered; a good wood lot. Buildings consist of a story and a half house with ell, all finished, painted and blinded, and barn 40 x 50 with collar. Two wells

THOMASTON.

Warden Benn is in Bangor.
Capt. Wm. R. Harrington, of sch. Corn Dunn, is at home.
Capt. Jesse Wilson, of sch. Nellie A. Drury, is at home.
F. M. Bridges and wife, of So. Framingham, Mass., are at the residence of Capt. C. L. Gilchrist.
The Clinton House is being repaired and the roof lowered.
Mrs. Harvey Mills returned from her trip to Boston Saturday.
Henry H. Bucklin and wife have moved to Torrington, Conn.
H. M. Henderson has moved into the W. A. Medcalf house, Green street.
Charles W. Stimpson will occupy his former tenement in Stimpson Block.
Mrs. Anna Blodgett and children have returned to Brookline, Mass.
George Martin and wife, of New York, are at the house of Capt. Harvey Mills.
William A. Medcalf and wife have gone to Torrington, Conn., for the winter.
A very pleasant dancing party was held at Eureka Engine hall, Friday evening.
Alden Goady has moved his family into the Eben Creighton house, West Main street.
Levi Turner, a former student in the Gould office, is attending lectures at the law school, in Boston.

There will be a social dance in Counce Engine Hall next Wednesday evening with music by Gale & Atkins.

Charles L. Clough of San Francisco, a native of this town, who has been here on a visit, has left to visit friends in Boston.

Rodney I. Thompson, esq., who has been in Waldoboro the past year in the practice of law, is here engaged in the office of the late A. P. Gould.

Wallace E. Manson, formerly principal of Thomaston High School, has left for the west, and proposes to locate in the practice of law in Denver, Colo.

Mrs. James McLellan, who has been at the house of Capt. Geo. W. Robinson the past few months, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Blodgett at Brookline, Mass., previous to her return to her home in the state of Texas.

Geo. W. Edgerton, having left the tailoring business at Rockland, has located here in company with E. D. Daniels in the manufacturing of clothing in the Daniel Levensaler building, Knox street.

Schooner J. H. Perry, belonging to the line fleet of J. O. Cushing & Company, and commanded by Capt. Emerson Gilchrist, of St. George, with a cargo of cement from New York for Boston, ran ashore on the Sow and Pigs reef in the Vineyard, Oct. 3d, and is a total loss. This schooner was built in Bath in 1877 and was 170 tons burden. A year ago she was brought here from New Bedford. Nine-eighths were owned by J. O. Cushing & Co. and enough of other parts to make three-fourths owned here. The remaining quarter was owned in New Bedford. The crew were brought by steamer to New Bedford, Oct. 4th. Capt. Gilchrist was not in the vessel this trip.

HURRICANE.

Obed Back visited Thomaston, Sunday.
T. F. Landers spent Friday in Rockland.
Mrs. John Reed has returned from Rockland.
F. M. Chandler visited Rockland Saturday.
Mrs. Julia Hanson has gone to Massachusetts.

Sloop Island Belle returned from Portland Friday.

G. E. Tilden visited Rockland Monday of last week.

There was a social dance in the hall Thursday evening.

Miss Minnie Coughlin has returned to her home in Rockland.

Mrs. Wm. Hill has been visiting friends at Wintport and Belfast.

Steamer Hurricane went to Rockland Saturday night, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Moses Shields and daughter returned from Massachusetts Saturday.

Our street lamp is a great improvement and something that is very much needed on dark evenings.

The cannery factory, under the able management of G. E. Tilden, is a very important industry here, furnishing employment to a large number of people. The work is conducted in a very orderly manner, and is done by the piece, most of the hands making good pay. Work is plenty now and more girls are needed. More than 270 bushels of fish were brought in by the Hurricane Thursday.

UNION.

We want the railroad!

N. D. Robbins and wife went to Boston last week.

The Piper Packing Co. is turning out about 9000 cases of corn a day, now.

Mrs. O. A. Burkett will be in Boston this week, purchasing her fall stock.

Will Besse is making preparations to set up a photograph gallery in this place.

C. R. Dunton went to Springfield last Friday where he will make a short stay.

Mamie Ware went to Boston last week to take a three years course in a medical school.

Mrs. S. D. Wiley and Mrs. S. J. Barton went to Boston where they will remain several weeks.

The funeral of Edward Davis, who died in Warren Friday night, was held at the residence of Miss Mossman.

The cannery factory is working full blast now, and putting up corn of excellent quality in spite of the frost.

In the premium list last week the Washington town team about have been reported as receiving second premium, \$9.

The Relief Corps are invited to visit the Relief Corps at Appleton, Tuesday, Oct. 10th. The invitation is accepted and we anticipate a good time.

Interesting railroad meetings are held frequently and the committee have petitioned to the selectmen to call a town meeting. It looks as though the "Doodle Bug" road would go.

NORTH APPLETON.

Mrs. Myra Thorndike and children of Hope are visiting at Joseph Bartlett's.

Capt. and Mrs. A. N. Ames of Rockland are visiting Mrs. Ames' father, Allen H. Towle.

Mrs. C. B. Merriam and children of Rockland are visiting at her father's, W. P. Wentworth's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard of this place spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Rockland.

Mrs. Wm. T. Gregory of South Camden is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert T. Wentworth, who is very ill at A. Wentworth's.

Artist W. Bartlett and family of Kelsey, D. T., have arrived here and are stopping at Mr. Bartlett's father's, Joseph Bartlett's, on the Ridge.

The stage route from Searsport to Camden has again changed hands, Obed Fuller the driver having sold to W. A. Meserve, the former driver.

We were pleased to receive a pleasant call Thursday last from Mrs. H. C. Crockett of Seattle, Wash. Ter., who is visiting her brother Fred Davidson at Appleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth B. Conant spent Monday and Tuesday in Rockland. They went to attend the funeral of their niece, Miss Nellie Kimball, daughter of Mrs. Victor Dow, formerly of this place.

Doctor Sanborn accompanied by three other doctors from Augusta were in this place Friday to investigate the case of Dan G. Wentworth who had his arm broken while under treatment at the asylum.

CAMDEN.

The lime kilns are all out at present.
E. C. Fletcher is repairing his residence and store.

Mrs. D. H. Bisbee is on a tour through the western states.

Capt. Uriah Lamb has just arrived home from Australia.

Autumn is beginning to paint the foliage on Sherman's point.

House building is frequently hung up by very wet weather.

Our watchmaker, E. H. Young, has renovated his store thoroughly.

G. F. Burgess is building a granite wharf between Carleton's and J. Knight's.

W. R. Gill, our new grocer, has gone to buy goods for his new store on Elm street.

Geo. Burd has erected another street lamp in front of his residence on Mountain street.

The corn factory is doing quite a business notwithstanding the heavy frosts all around us.

Franklin H. Tinker and family have left their summer cottage, Samoset, for their New York home.

Trim street is being extended to McQuint-cook, making the entire street as straight as an arrow.

Our machinist, C. M. Barstow, finds it difficult to fill the orders for his barrel heading machines.

Mr. Codman of Philadelphia has closed his cottage for the season and with his family returned home.

O. J. Blaise has built a house on Park street, a new street, and others have bought lots with a view of building soon.

Seacroft, the summer home of Reuben Lealand and family, was vacated by them a few days ago for their winter home, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

W. D. Lewis, of the Mount Desert and Eastern Shore Land Company, is again in town looking up more land to add to his Camden Highland property here.

Mrs. Sawyer of New York, who has occupied Highland View Cottage this season, left for her home, Oct. 1. She has purchased a lot on Belfast road, and will build a cottage next season.

Lake City is situated at the outlet of Cannon Lake with Mt. Megunticook towering 1300 feet above, and is a delightful spot for the rusticators in summer. Business has been good the past season and it is expected that a new hotel and new cottages will be erected another season.

It is one year the 16th of this month since a man was found dead on the summit of Mt. Megunticook. The coroner's jury pronounced it a suicide, two weeks previous. Bills amounting to more than \$100 for embalming the body, casket and other expenses against the state remain unpaid today. The remains were interred after keeping them for identification twelve days. It has not been identified yet.

New England capitalists, who have invested tens of millions of dollars in western land mortgages, had better look to the more desirable investments at their very doors. Desirable shore lands, that can now be bought for a few hundred dollars an acre, cannot be obtained at any reasonable price in a few years.

At the rate the land companies are now buying on the coast of Maine, he who wants a lot for a summer cottage must soon buy by the foot instead of by the acre.

ROCKPORT.
S. D. Carleton is in Boston.

Robert Cain is on the sick list.

Fred Carleton lost a valuable horse recently. Aggie Carey is spending some time in Boston.

Capt. E. T. Amesbury arrived home Tuesday.

Mrs. R. O. Patterson of Belfast is visiting here.

J. E. Peabody is confined to the house by sickness.

Hon. Fred E. Richards is away on business for a few weeks.

Chas. McFarland has moved into S. F. McAllister's new house.

Dr. H. B. Eaton has gone to Boston for a few days visit.

Sch. Exchange, Dillingham, is being recalled by Chas. Carey & Son.

The heavy rains have washed out the roads considerably in this part of the town.

Mrs. McIntire has been in Rockland the past ten days on a visit to her father, John B. Sch. Susan H. Rutledge Perkins, sailed the 2nd for Key West with ice from Carleton & Co.

Fred Amesbury, mate of bark Jennie Harkness, has arrived home after a year's absence at sea.

C. E. McIntire is expected home soon from Chicago, where he has been employed for several months.

Sch. Banner, Closson, arrived Monday from Bangor, with lumber and bricks for Carleton, Norwood & Co.

Sch. Susan M. Pickering, Haskell, arrived Sunday to load ice from the Rockport Ice Co. for Pensacola.

J. S. Foster, esq., has a sprained wrist, but we are glad to learn that he is protected by an accident policy, as all should be.

Herbert T. Clough, who is attending the University of the City of New York, arrived Tuesday on a flying visit to his parents.

Sch. Pennsylvania, Young, of Rockport, from Bangor, for Boston, lumber laden, put into Boothbay leaking badly, and discharged cargo.

WASHINGTON.
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hall of Belfast are visiting at J. L. Rockwell's.

C. I. York and C. A. Lynch went to Rockland Friday on business.

Miss Stella Wright has gone to Waltham, Mass., for a ten weeks visit to her brothers.

Miss L. B. Wilson has sold her stock of millinery to Mrs. L. M. Staples, who has taken charge.

Mrs. Mary C., widow of the late Henry Sucke-forth, died at the residence of her son, Albert Robbins, Tuesday, aged 77.

John Johnson went to Marlboro, Mass., last week for a short stay. If he can make proper arrangements he may locate there.

John G. Slater of China, a former townsman, and son of the late Capt. William Slater, who was a hero in the battle of Trafalgar, died in China the 21st ult., aged 64.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hanly of Rockland were in town last week. Mr. Hanly coming as referee to hear the parties in the case of Andrews vs. Rice, a suit pending in the Lincoln Co.

Sabra, wife of Obed Luce, died suddenly of paralysis Tuesday, aged about 70. Mrs. Luce was a kind-hearted and superior woman whose loss will be greatly felt. She leaves a husband and three sons, Fred, John and William, who have the sympathy of all.

HOPE.
The corn factory closed Friday.

Miss Elsie Wistaff of Boston is visiting at Mrs. D. A. Payson's.

Our people gladly welcome back Mr. Meserve, our old mail carrier.

Burton Quinn, of Milbury, Mass., and his sister Della came home this week.

F. K. Allen has gone to keeping house in Camden in the Mountain View House.

The Helping Hand had a social at Mrs. Gould's Wednesday, with a baked bean supper.

Frank Calderwood of Providence, R. I., and Miss Evie S. Berry of Searsport were married Oct. 1st, and The C.-G. offers its congratulations. Mr. Calderwood has returned to his work in Providence.

OWLS' HEAD.
Grand Worthy Chief Templar Hamilton instituted a lodge of Good Templars here last week. Daniel Pierce was elected Worthy Chief, Fred Smith, Chaplain, Carrie Pierce, Secretary, Chandler Pierce, Treasurer, Zealor Young, Lodge Deputy, Henry Pierce, Sentinel, Mrs. W. A. Mason, Inside Guard, Lucy Arcy, Past Worthy Chief.

VINALHAVEN.

Wm. Coburn is very ill.
Sunday was a very rainy day.

The girls arrived in town Saturday.
Frank Roberts has bought J. A. Mantor's house.

Joseph Rowe of Gloucester passed the Sabbath here.

Both the Ocean View and Central House report good business.

H. C. Grant and E. R. Graftam arrived here Saturday from Boston.

Wm. Sand has had his summer cottage moved several feet nearer the street.

Joseph Black and wife have gone to house-keeping in Mrs. G. Webster's house.

Edward Russell and wife left for Gloucester last week to visit their daughter Annie.

John R. Frohock, who has been in Boston the past week, returned home Saturday.

A. P. Green is putting a bay window in his house and otherwise improving its appearance.

James McDonald has his cellar nearly completed. He will not erect his house until spring.

Edwin Lane, who has been very ill of neuralgia in the head, is able to be on the street again.

Carver's Pond has been stocked with lobsters recently by P. S. Wallis, J. H. Sanborn and R. T. Carver.

He left with a travelling troupe a few days ago for Rockland and from there to Belfast. The last we heard from he was bound up over Belmont Bar.

James M. Lowe has his building raised and boarded. When completed, we understand it will be used for the headquarters of the ice boating feet during the winter.

De Valois Commandery, Knights Templar, held a meeting on Friday evening. Although their numbers are small they responded to the Jacksonville sufferers by sending them \$25.

A certain man, who has some choice sweet corn growing in his garden, after a cow had been in and destroyed part of it, was overheard saying: "Oh, Grant the cow may be taken away!"

Last week as schooner Maynard Sumner, Capt. Dyer, was bound for Roberts Harbor to load paving for J. S. Black, she touched on the rocks off Sheep Island. It being flood tide she soon came off. She was slightly damaged and was taken to Rockland for repairs.

The funeral of Adriel F. Smith took place at Union church Sunday a goodly number of citizens and Lafayette Carver Post, of which deceased was a member, being present. After services the remains were carried to the cemetery. On account of stormy weather the G. A. R. services were held in the church.

RAZORVILLE.
John A. Carroll is repairing his buildings.

John A. Pinkham is repairing his house.

A. C. Vanner is running the road machine.

James Witham has been granted an increase of pension.

Chas. Witham has moved into the Fred Griffin house.

We are glad to report that Miss Ellen Jones is improving.

Charles Irish of Lawrence, Mass., is visiting at George Clark's.

Will Sayward of Union is to teach the winter term of school here.

Miss Fanny Marr of Palermo visited Miss Ida Farrar last week.

Mrs. Parker Mears, Mrs. John Savage and Mrs. Nathaniel Overlook are on the sick list.

Sam'l Vanner has recently purchased a nice yearling colt of Mrs. Deane of West Washington.

Mrs. Rose Cunningham, who has been spending the summer in Lynn, Mass., returned home last week.

Mrs. James W. Farrar and daughter Ilda attended the Adventist Quarterly Meeting held at Rockland last week.

James W. Jones' youngest child (May) received the premium for beauty at the North Knox Fair last week.

There is to be a baptism at the head of Pleasant Pond near the residence of Wm. Colligan, Sunday, Oct. 14th.

Mrs. M. J. Shattuck gave a "donkey" party on Wednesday evening. Sam'l Vanner won the prize and Miss Myrtle Ingalls the booty.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barnes have adopted the infant daughter of Edward Jones of Warren, formerly of this place, whose wife died recently.

Geo. H. Shattuck and wife and Mrs. Fanny Ellis and son, who have been spending their summer vacation at Mrs. M. J. Shattuck's, returned to their home in Boston Saturday.

W. E. Overlock and Miss Edith Howard desire to express their thanks to the North Washington correspondent for his words of praise in THE COURIER-GAZETTE a few weeks ago for their slugging at Reuel Cunningham's apple paring.

A social gathering assembled here at G. F. Lesser's Tuesday evening and spent a very enjoyable evening listening to instruction in music, consisting of violin played alternately by J. B. Howard and G. F. Lesser and organ played by Miss Myrtle Ingalls. The choir was present and sang several pieces.

CUSHING.
F. G. Young is at home.

Miss Octavia Hunt is in town.

A. L. Wall returned, Tuesday.

G. I. Young is at home for a few days.

Miss Cora E. Davis has gone to Brunswick.

Miss Carrie Robinson is in Rockport stopping with her grandparents.

A new organ has been purchased for the Free Church, and is pronounced very fine.

There is to be a baptism at the Free Church Sunday, Presiding Elder Wharf officiating.

School in District 3 is progressing finely under the instruction of Miss Callie J. Bucklin.

The Helping Hand met with Sister Moore in So. Cushing, Thursday. Reported a pleasant gathering. Will meet with Sister Fogarty next week.

NORTH HAVEN.
Sch. Mand S. is hauled up for the winter.

C. E. Littlefield and D. N. Mortland of Rockland and J. O. Robinson and R. H. Counce of Thomaston were in town Tuesday in regard to the reference case between Lewis and the town of North Haven. A road was laid out across Mr. Leadbetter's farm last June and a small sum awarded him for damages, with which he was not satisfied. The case was settled by the town's paying \$215.

The cannery factory will soon start up canning claims.

WILEY'S CORNER.
J. A. Ewell has completed an ice-house which he will fill.

Robert Charles of this place has been quite dangerously sick the past week.

Sch. Eliza Levensaler, Kellar, arrived from New York last week with coal for Thomaston.

The outside of the new poor-house is completed and the masons are now putting in their work.

Sch. John B. Perry, which has been reported in the papers as being wrecked on Long Island Sound, was partially owned in this place and was at the time commanded by Capt. Albert Leach, Capt. Gilchrist stopping at home for the trip.

WARREN.
We heard the click of the mowing machine the other day. The farmer was mowing his second crop. It now lies in winrows waiting for the sun.

Mrs. Conant, being about to leave town for the winter, held a circle at A. W. Fowler's house on Friday evening, when a number of invited friends met to listen to her views, and test her knowledge of various articles placed upon the table. These were fully explained to the satisfaction and delight of those present, and on her return she was warmly engaged.

It was no doubt but those present will want to meet her again and others.

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THIRD.—In its directions for treatment it is not confined to the practice used by any one class of physicians; but it gives, separately, and for each disease, the methods used by each of the different "schools" of medicine; and in all cases the prescriptions are made by the most eminent men in their respective modes of practice. This makes the work specially suited to the needs of every family, no matter what "school" of medicine they prefer. No Other Book Published Does This.

Besides this there are three chapters in the work which are worthy of special mention, namely, those on "Diseases of Women," "Diseases of Infants," and "Care of the Sick."

The first of these is a model of its kind. It is chaste in language, contains no disgusting pictures for children to happen on and be shocked by, and is in all respects the most practical, sensible and straightforward treatise upon this delicate subject that has ever been printed.

This chapter alone is worth many times the cost of the book to every mother, even if it had to be purchased at its regular price.

The other chapters referred to are equally well written and valuable.

Read the Following Indorsements of Distinguished Physicians.

Having examined the advance sheets of the work entitled "Our Family Physician," I can say that I find it accurate in its descriptions of diseases and reliable in its therapeutic department. H. F. Cook, M. D., Professor of Theory and Practice, Hahnemann Medical College.

I hereby certify that I have examined a work entitled "Our Family Physician," and find it to be correct in its diagnosis, and, in my opinion, worthy of the confidence of the public. H. S. HANS, M. D., "Our Family Physician." It gives me pleasure to recommend the work as correct in its mode of treatment of diseases, and it deserves wide circulation.

J. F. COOKE, M. D., Professor in Burnett's Medical College, Chicago. After examining the publication, "Our Family Physician," I can fully indorse the opinions expressed of its merits by the above gentlemen.

R. A. GUNN, M. D., Professor of the Burnett Medical College.

The book contains a valuable chapter of symptoms, which will aid wonderfully in diagnosing diseases, and the proper remedies are given for

Marine Department.

Sch. Aristo is on the North Railway for general repairs.

Sch. Mabel Hall, Bartlett, is at Snow's wharf receiving a new bowprit.

Sch. Carrie G. Crosby, Hall, goes to Portsmouth for a load of apples.

Brig M. C. Haskell, Perry, arrived Saturday from New York via Salem.

Sch. Wm. Rice, Gregory, is on the way from Roundout to Boston with cement.

Sch. G. M. Beal, Mullen, is chartered to load coal in Baltimore for Camden.

Louis Finner, Thordike, Portland, arrived last Thursday with corn to C. I. Spear.

Sch. Alfred Kene, Greely, is discharging coal at Beverly, Mass., from New York.

Sch. Kyle H. Hall, Hall, is on the way to Philadelphia with ice from the Kennebec.

Sch. Ada A. Kennedy, Kennedy, discharged coal at Bangor last week from Baltimore.

Sch. J. K. Bodwell, Metcalf, is chartered to load paving at Vinalhaven for New York.

Sch. Clara Coleard, Colcord, was still in the harbor yesterday, waiting a chance to sail.

Sch. Helen, Jameson, is bound here from New York with a cargo of coal for Gurdy.

Sch. J. S. Becham, Ginn, loads iron at Richmond for Stamford, Conn., at \$2 a ton.

Sch. Lake, Johnson, Boston via Saco, arrived Thursday with sand for W. H. Glover & Co.

Sch. Gen. Ames, Jameson, is at the South Marine Railway receiving her half time class.

Sch. Wm. H. Allison, Kenniston, was loading stone at Hurricane last week for New York.

Sch. Luella Snow, Strout, arrived in New York Sunday, from Charleston with bag phosphate.

Sch. Adie Weesels, Miller, is loading coal in New York for Crockett; also sch. Maggie Belle, Cushman.

Sch. Charlie & Willie, Philbrook, is here from Vinalhaven with cut stone for the Brooklyn Custom House.

Sch. Jennie A. Cheney, Cushman, comes to New York from Alexandria with poplar wood at \$2.50 a cord.

Sch. Adie Snow, Hinckley, at this port, is chartered to load barrelled plaster at Red Beach for Philadelphia at 25 cents.

Sch. M. Sumner, Dyer, which went to Vinalhaven to load stone, received some slight damages, and is now here receiving repairs.

Sch. Annie J. Russell, Sprague, arrived Friday from New York via Coosset where she discharged coal. She will probably go to the island after stone.

Sch. Edward Lameyer, Reals, and Brigadier, Tolman, are in New York, the former with iron from Richmond for New York, and the latter with coal for New Haven.

Sch. Warner Moore, Crockett, and A. F. Crockett, Thordike, are chartered to load ice at Bangor for Richmond. The Crockett is in Newburyport and the Moore in Boston.

Sch. Jonathan Sawyer, Reynolds, arrived in Saco the 5th from Philadelphia. Made the round trip from Wood Island Harbor to Philadelphia and return in 11 days, 18 hours.

Sch. George E. Prescott, Truworthly, arrived Thursday from Saco where she discharged coal from Philadelphia. She goes to City Point and Vinalhaven to load stone for Philadelphia.

Sch. J. B. Holden arrived in New York Sunday from Fernandina, Mate George Tenney in charge. Capt. Look has been at home some time, being quite severely injured at Fernandina while taking in cargo.

Four of the Ames fleet are loading lumber for South America. The Nina Tillson is in Boston loading for Rosario and will probably get away this week. Capt. Green returned to Boston yesterday. The Fannie, Whitmore, Capt. J. T. Whitmore, is in Portland, loading for Buenos Ayres. Capt. Whitmore's family will accompany him. The M. Luella Wood, Capt. E. C. Spaulding, is loading in Boston for Montevideo or Buenos Ayres. Capt. Spaulding's family will also accompany him on the voyage. Sch. Mabel Hooper, Capt. J. Hooper, is loading at Boston for Buenos Ayres, and Mrs. Hooper will make the trip with her husband. This is a fine fleet and as a quartet of master mariners as ever commanded a floating city.

LIMESTERS.—Maria Theresa, Kelloch, was loading Saturday from Abbott for Boston. Idaho, Smith, was in the stream Saturday from Farrand for New York. Chase, Mills, arrived Friday from New York via Boston and loaded Saturday from Farrand for New York. Nellie Gray, Pinkham, arrived Friday from Boston where she discharged fire clay from New York. She was loading Saturday from Gay for New York. J. L. Mayo, Bennett, was loading Saturday from A. J. Bird and Ames for New York. Sch. Monticello sailed Saturday for Boston with lime from Ames & Co. Capt. Henry Bradbury has taken command of her. Sch. American Chief, Snow, was discharging lime in Providence last week from Crockett. Ida Hudson, Collins, arrived Thursday from Boston. She loads this week from Gurdy for Boston. Mary Ellen, Grant, sailed for Salem Saturday from A. J. Bird. Sardinian, Lord, was ready to sail Saturday from A. J. Bird for New York. Sch. St. Elmo, Rogers, discharged coal last week from New York for Crockett and was loading lime Saturday for Providence. Sch. Carrie G. Crosby, Hall, Portsmouth; Comanewhite, Kenney, Aristo, Elwell, Wm. McLean, Smith, Boston; Red Jacket, Arey, New York via Boston; Adie E. Snow, Hinkley, New York, arrived last Thursday. Ardit, Lozie Gupitli, Pinkham and Mountain Laurel, Bangor, Boston. Sld 3d, Ella Francis, Foster, New York; Oregon, Candage, Boston. Sld. 4th, Mary, Snow, Racehorse, Henshaw, Mary Brewer, Kenney, Richmond, Merrim, New York. Sld. 5th, Martha Lewis, Hunt, W. M. McLean, Smith, New York. Flora Woodhouse, Hall, was at Turkey Cove, yesterday, from L. A. Snow & Co., Thomaston, for New York. Sch. Nautilus, Tolman, is at Messer's ready to load. Sch. Horace E. Glover, Spear, sailed Saturday for New London and New York for White & Case. Nite, Manning, was in New York the 1th from this port with lime for Norfolk. Sch. Thomas H. Thordike, has been on the South Railway for repairs. She loads lime this week from Perry Bros. for New York. Sld 9th, subs. Maria Theresa, Kelloch, and Mountain Laurel, Kelloch, for Boston.

IMPORTANT MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Vessel Owners and Captains' National Association was held at the Meisano, Boston, on Thursday, when the following officers were elected:

President, J. A. Van Brunt, of New York; First Vice President, C. P. Lovell, of Boston; Second Vice President, J. S. Winslow, of Portland; Secretary, F. D. Litchfield, of New York; Treasurer, J. H. Cox, of New York; Board of Commissioners, C. A. Pett, of Philadelphia, F. M. Bartlett, of New York, Henry Sutton, of New Haven, S. M. Thomas, of Taunton, Henry Lord of Bangor.

Mr. Parker, of Richmond, Va., was present and made a statement regarding the efforts made to abolish compulsory pilotage. A committee was appointed to continue the effort to abolish compulsory pilotage on coasting vessels. Committees were also appointed to take measures to prevent the illegal registry of foreign built vessels; to confer with the harbor and land commissioners with a view to secure legislation for the more frequent passing of vessels through the bridges at the North End; to confer with coal receivers for the purpose of facilitating the receiving and discharging of vessels at Cambridge and to secure legislation to prevent extended tows along the coast. Permanent counsel were retained for members of the association and the scope of their services enlarged.

LOOKING ABOUT.

Capt. Orris Ingraham of this city, first pilot of the steamer Winthrop, running from Portland to New York, was in this city Thursday, looking up wharf privileges, and rumor has it that there is talk of putting on another line of boats between Boston and Bangor.

'Twill be found difficult to give us better service than we are furnished by the old reliable Boston & Bangor Co.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Our local electric light company has offered its franchise for a certain sum to the New York Electric Construction Co., Nicholas R. O'Connor of New York coming here in the New York company's interest. Vice President Hagood of the company was to have been here Saturday, but was unavoidably delayed, and the company now asks for an extension of its option.

If the new company takes the franchise an electric plant will be put in at once. True P. P. Pierce, esq., is attorney for the New York Company.

GOOD DEEDS.

The First Maine Heavy Artillery Association recently presented C. L. Stevens Post, of Castine, with \$25 for additional expense incurred by the Post upon the occasion of the reunion at Castine in August, and as a token of their appreciation of their efforts. The receiver of the gift in turn gave the money to Mr. Isaac B. Goodwin, of Penobscot, a comrade of the First Maine Heavy Artillery, who while on the way with his wife to attend the reunion, was thrown from his carriage and severely injured. It was a thoughtful and generous act upon the part of the donors.

THE MEADOWS.

Arthur A. and Fuller C. Blackington, twin brothers, were married Saturday evening, the former to Abbie B., daughter of Geo. Smith, and the latter to Ida B., daughter of F. W. Smith. A. C. Blackington of Boston is expected home this week. A slide of several tons of limberock and dirt near the head of Limerock street fell into the quarry on Friday, coming very near killing Edward H. Bartlett, who was working directly underneath. Mr. Bartlett saw a few small rocks fall near him, when he at once ran away, just in time to save himself from being crushed and buried. A derick in the McLain quarry was erected last week for hoisting rock for the new railroad. Another one is nearly ready a short distance south. Our farmers are considering the project of a butter factory favorably. Some of them will put in cows as soon as they can dispose of their team horses. Cows will evidently yield more profit with very much less work.

THE CHURCHES.

Rev. C. S. Cummings will preach the second sermon of the series on "Impure Literature" next Sunday. The heavy rain of Sunday was conducive to small congregations at the churches. At the First Baptist church the Baptist and Congregationalists united and listened to an able and interesting sermon by Rev. Albert Greene, of Warren. Sunday evening services in the various churches now begin at seven o'clock. The meetings of the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention, held in Lewiston last week, were very profitable and interesting. Rev. W. S. Roberts and L. S. Tripp of this city, Rev. W. A. Newcomb of Thomaston and Rev. Albert Greene of Warren attended. Great interest is manifested in religious matters in the various city churches. Two young men took a decided step in the Sunday afternoon Y. M. C. A. meeting, and at the M. E. church five persons went forward for prayers in the Sunday evening meetings. During the year 60 persons have taken a start in matters religious in this church. Next Sunday morning will be observed as Children's Sunday at the Congregational Church, as the storm of last Sunday prevented any service.

BIG INJUNS.

The Biggest Plum in the Pudding Falls to Rockland.

The Past Schemes of the Improved Order of Red Men of Maine at a preliminary meeting held in Auburn Thursday nominated the following Grand Officers of the Grand Council of Maine:

Grand Sachem, A. I. Mather of this city; Great Senior Sagamore, R. M. Libby, Portland; Great Junior Sagamore, Victor Brett, Bangor; Great Prophet, H. G. Foss, Auburn; Great Chief of Records, F. L. Bartlett, Auburn; Great Keeper of Wampum, H. R. Sargent, Portland. The other four officers are to be appointed by the Grand Sachem. The Grand Council will be formally instituted at Bath, the 25th inst.

The nomination of Mr. Mather of this city to the position of Great Sachem is a deserved recognition of his work for the order in this state and a fortunate choice as regards the prosperity of the order in the year to come. Mr. Mather has instituted a majority of the Red Men organizations in this state, comprising the following flourishing Tribes and Councils: Nahamada Tribe and Alhara Council in this city; Mecadeut Tribe and Nawahwah Council, Rockport; Segotchet Tribe, Warren; Pokumkeswawamokesis Tribe, Lewiston; and Mavoonban Tribe, Penaquid. Mr. Mather did not attend the convention of Past Sachems, but his work evidently spoke in his interest. We congratulate Maine's first Grand Council, I. O. R. M., on its wise choice of a Great Sachem.

Y. M. C. A.

The first concert in the Farwell Hall course will be given Monday evening, Oct. 29, by the Park Concert Co.—the Park Sisters, instrumentalists, and Melvin H. Day, humorist. This will make a strong attraction for the opening concert. Tickets for the entire course with reserved seat \$1.50. Monday evening the association will give a reception to the members of both association and auxiliary. An interesting entertainment will be given. A large number should attend. Entertainment will commence at 8 o'clock. Morning meeting next Sunday at the Baptist church at 9:30 a. m. The new male choir will sing at the men's meeting at the building at four p. m.

A HANDSOME

Crayon Portrait of Rev. Father Phelan, made by Garrity & Co. of Bangor, through J. O. Larr, has been received. The picture is 23x30 and a very fine piece of work.

AT WORK.

The Rockland Edge Tool Company Begins Its Operations.

A week or so ago we stated that a partnership had been formed in this city by Arthur Holmes and Charles Waller for the manufacture of edge tools. The new firm has taken the name of the Rockland Edge Tool Co. and is now fairly at work in the rear of O. S. Truett's machine shop, Park Place. Mr. Holmes the manager of the firm was employed for a long time in a responsible position in the office of one of the big Sheffield, Eng. edge tool manufacturing companies, and is thoroughly conversant with the business in all its branches. Mr. Waller, the practical man of the firm, has quite a history as an artisan. He is a native of Sheffield and learned the edge tool trade from his father who learned it from his father and so on through a long line of ancestors. When 21 years old Mr. Waller made the edge tools for the exhibit of Newbould & Co. of Sheffield which won the gold medal at the Paris Exposition, in 1878. In 1883 he worked for the same firm preparing exhibits for the exposition at Melbourne and Adelaide, Australia. The six months previous to his leaving England for this country he was at work upon an exhibit for the Melbourne Exposition now in progress. For this exhibit he made the largest chisel ever manufactured, it being three feet long. In this way Mr. Waller has been enabled to acquaint himself with the most approved processes of manufacture, and thus has become possessed of certain secrets of the trade which will prove of inestimable value in his business here. Mr. Waller also worked in this country three or four years for Buck Bros. of Milbury, Mass., coming over as an expert.

A reporter of THE C-G. called on the new firm Saturday and was kindly shown the process of manufacture. The steel used is of the best English make. To show the method of working Mr. Waller took a steel bar, 3-8 by 1-2 inch, and proceeded to fashion a razor. Perhaps the unshown face of the reporter may have had something to do with the choice of an illustration. The steel bar was put into the forge and heated to the necessary degree when it was put onto the anvil and hammered, the square bar rapidly assuming the form of a razor beneath the skillful blows of the artisan's hammer. Then the razor in the rough was put on a coarse grind-stone and the coarse surface left after forging entirely removed and the blade brought down to the proper size. Then it was put into the forge again and then came the tempering, one of the secrets of the trade. After being tempered it was put on another stone and concaved—a very difficult process calling for the greatest skill. Then came the glazing process, giving it a surface. This is done by wheels on which are various preparations known to the trade. And here the work ceased and a complete razor was banded the scribe on the end of the original steel bar, the work being done that way to show the contrast. This razor now reposes in THE C-G. collection.

The first work of the firm was a set of turning chisels. A dealer in such goods when shown them said that he never had seen such fine work, while others who work with such implements were equally pleased and were loud in their praise of the goods. The firm will manufacture all kinds of edge tools such as razors, chisels, gouges of all kinds, screw-drivers, etc.

In the Rockland Edge Tool Co. our city has a new industry that bids fair to assume goodly proportions. The members of the firm are experts at the business and have commenced the proper way and we bespeak for them the encouragement of all our people. Their goods are such that Rockland can well be proud of them and those who have seen them say that no such tools can be purchased in the markets. The firm will be able to put them on sale at such a price as will enable them to compete with other firms and we look to see them do a rattling business.

Since the above was written we have had one of the company's chisels tested, picking it out at random from a lot of various sizes and shapes. It was taken to G. F. Kaler & Co. and tried on the lathe and proved itself a fine implement. Two of the razors made by the firm were taken to one of our best barbers, honed and used to remove some very stubborn beards and the barber said that he hadn't a razor that equalled them. And this class of goods is manufactured here in Rockland! Rockland is quite a place, dear reader.

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