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He who thinks he can find in himself the means of doing what others do is much mistaken; but he who thinks that others cannot do without him is still more mistaken.—La Rochefoucauld.

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

On the north reading room table of the Rockland Public Library will be found the March number of the magazine "The Public Health Nurse." The library has also bought "A Handbook for School Nurses" and "Sanitation for Public Health Nurses," two of a series published by Macmillan, called "The Blue and Gold Books." The three remaining books in the series it is hoped to purchase in the near future.

"Shakespeare from Botterton to Irving," by George C. D. Odell, professor of English in Columbia University, has been presented to the library by the Shakespeare Society. Prof. Odell's book gives the history of Shakespeare on the London stage, from the reopening of the theatre in 1660 down through the period of Irving and Tree. It is in two volumes and profusely illustrated, many of the originals from which the pictures are selected having never before been produced.

Mrs. J. F. Cooper has given to the library an autographed copy of "Literary Heartstones of Dixie," by La Salle Corbell Pickett. (Mrs. Gen. George E. Pickett) purchased by Mrs. Cooper for the library while in Washington. Those who have read "The Heart of a Soldier" by the same author and her editorials, short stories, poems, etc., will read with more than ordinary interest "Literary Heartstones." The book contains informal talks on Poe, Lanier, Hayne, Timrod, Simms, Harris, Key and other noted Southern writers. The author, knowing these writers personally or some members of their families, relates many interesting incidents, gives descriptions of their home life and illustrates the book with numerous portraits and photographs of their residences. It is not a literary criticism but strives to bring the reader in touch with those whose "Lives were given to their country as truly as if their blood had crimsoned the soil of hard-fought fields." Mrs. Pickett introduces you to the authors in her own charming way, then recalls to your mind bright bits of their life and literary triumphs.



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How Mary, Mother of George,
Disposed of Her Slaves and
Other Property.

What is it about a will that so fascinates? The story or play that revolves about a will always grips the attention. Here is a will that must interest every reader of The Courier-Gazette, particularly those to whom matters connected with colonial times appeal. It is the will of Mary Washington, mother of George Washington, registered in the clerk's office at Fredericksburg, Va. A copy of it was obtained several years ago by W. W. Harrison, when on a visit to Fredericksburg, and it is through his courtesy that we here present it to our readers:

In the name of God! Amen! I, Mary Washington, of Fredericksburg, in the County of Spotsylvania, being in good health, but desiring to mind the uncertainty of this life and willing to dispose of what remains of my worldly estate, do make and publish this, my last will, recommending my soul into the hands of my Creator, hoping for a remission of all my sins, through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, the Savior of mankind: I dispose of all my worldly estate as follows:

Item—I give to my son, General George Washington, all my land on Accokeek Run, in the County of Stafford, and also my negro boy George, to him and his heirs forever. Also my best bed, bedstead, and Virginia cloth curtains (the same that stands in my best room) my quilted blue and white quilt and my best dressing glass.

Item—I give and devise to my son, Charles Washington, my negro man Tom, to him and his assigns forever.

Item—I give and devise to my daughter, Betty Lewis, my phaeton and my bay horse.

Item—I give and devise to my daughter-in-law, Hannah Washington, my purple cloth cloak lined with shag.

Item—I give and devise to my grandson, Corbin Washington, my negro wench, old Bet, my riding chair, and two black horses, to him and his assigns forever.

Item—I give and devise to my grandson, Fielding Lewis, my negro man Frederick, to him and his assigns forever, also eight silver table spoons, half of my crockery ware and the blue and white tea china, with book case, oval table, one bed, bedstead, one pair sheets, one pair blankets, and white cotton counterpane, two table cloths, six red leather chairs, half my pewter and one-half of my iron kitchen furniture.

Item—I give and devise to my grandson, Lawrence Lewis, my negro wench Lydia, to him and his assigns forever.

Item—I give and devise to my granddaughter, Bettie Carter, my negro woman, Little Bet, and her future increase, to her and her assigns forever. Also my largest looking glass, my walnut writing desk with drawers, a square dining table, one bed, bedstead, bolster, one pillow, one blanket, and a pair of sheets, white Virginia cloth counterpane and purple curtains, my red and white tea china, teaspoons, and the other half of my pewter, crockery ware, and the remainder of my iron kitchen furniture.

Item—I give to my grandson, George Washington, my next best dressing glass, one bed, bedstead, bolster, one pillow, one pair sheets, one blanket and counterpane.

Item—I devise all my wearing apparel to be equally divided between my granddaughters, Betty Carter, Fanny Ball and Milly Washington, but should my daughter, Betty Lewis, fancy any one, two or three articles she is to have them before a division thereof.

Lastly, I nominate and appoint my said son, General George Washington, executor of this my will, and as I owe few or no debts, I direct my executor to give no security nor to appraise my estate but desire the same may be allotted to my devisees, with as little trouble and delay as may be, desiring their acceptance thereof as all the token I now have to give them of my love for them.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day of May, 1788.

Mary Washington.
Signed, sealed and published in our presence, and signed by us in the presence of the said Mary Washington and at her desire.

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The Lenten Mite-boxes should all be in by next Sunday.

The Guild meets every Thursday afternoon; the place of meeting is announced; the Guild meets every Thursday afternoon; the place of meeting is announced; the Guild meets every Thursday afternoon; the place of meeting is announced.

A special parish meeting is called by the Vestry, to meet in the parish rooms Tuesday, April 26th, at 7:30, for the election of two delegates and the alternate delegates to the Diocesan Convention in Portland May 18th, and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before it.

Bishop Brewster calls attention to the coupon books for Armenian relief; the Rector has a book, and will sell coupons from it at one dollar each; each coupon saves the life of one child for six days; have you bought YOUR coupon?

JOHN KOSKINEN DISCHARGED

His Alibi Convinces Judge Miller That He Could Not
Have Committed Crime—Dr. Crockett's Bombshell—
Mrs. Leino Says Her Father Was Bad and Cruel When
Drinking—Autopsy Showed Deranged Mind.

"The State has not shown that there was any particular trouble in the Koskinen family. The most recent instance, shown by the testimony of Edward Burgess was the quarrel about three years ago, when John pulled his father out of a wagon. There was a slight altercation on the morning of the murder when John returned from a fishing trip, and was taken to task by his father for having stayed away so long. No family, however high or low, however rich or poor, is entirely without its troubles. According to the evidence shown by the autopsy there must have been quite a fight in the vicinity of the Koskinen house. Could all this have been done in the light of day, when people were apt to be passing, and leave no signs of a struggle? Reviewing all the evidence carefully, and taking everything into consideration, I do not feel that I could go out of this Court House and justify my judgment or the confidence placed in me, by holding this man John Koskinen. I consequently discharge him from custody."

These words by Municipal Judge Frank B. Miller marked the close of a trial which had lasted from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Thursday and which had sought to establish the innocence or guilt of John Koskinen on the charge of having murdered his father, Joseph Koskinen, near Patterson's Mills, East Warren, April 4.

The State had shown through the evidence of Medical Examiner Crockett, corroborated by other physicians, that the victim had been clubbed to the point of death, and that he had finally expired about two hours after the alleged assault while suspended from a tree, with a rope around his neck.

A bombshell was thrown into the hearing when Dr. Crockett frankly admitted on cross examination that he had not named any person in his finding for the reason that he did not believe there was "probable cause." The State's case, materially weakened so far as John Koskinen was concerned, dragged along through its tedious process, but with no legitimate stone left unturned that might support the theory of foul play.

The defense, without a single witness of its own, produced an alibi which would account for the prisoner's whereabouts Monday and Tuesday, with the exception of 10 minutes, in which the crime as described, could not have been committed.

Judge Miller's decision was endorsed by a vigorous clapping of hands.

An affecting scene took place while the numerous witnesses were being sworn. One of the last to take the oath in the long line was Mrs. Joseph Koskinen, the aged widow of the victim, and mother of the accused. As she reached the chair where her son was sitting she suddenly stopped and threw both arms around him, sobbing freely. Her words were not comprehensible to many in the audience, but her actions were eloquent—the outpouring of a devoted mother's heart.

The details of the crime, if such it may still be called, are so fresh in the minds of readers that it is not The Courier-Gazette's purpose to review them through the testimony of the medical examiner. Dr. Crockett, as always, was a model witness and his version was given so clearly and concisely that the audience had no difficulty in seeing the grim details through his eyes.

One of the first sentences in his report of the autopsy caused his hearers to sit forward in their chairs and listen with a new interest. "The brain showed that Joseph Koskinen was not a normal man," said Dr. Crockett.

The medical examiner testified that the effect of seven blows on the man's head and face was such that the process of death had already been established. The man would never have got well, even if the subsequent hanging had not taken place. Death resulted while the rope was around his neck, but death was not due to strangulation alone. There were blood clots on the brain which could not have proceeded from strangulation; there was a congestion at the back of the head, which could only have been caused by a blow on the forehead while the man was against a solid object; there was no red ring around the neck as shown in the case of a man who has died from hanging; the heart was empty, and there was a dilation of the left pupil which indicated injuries to the brain.

Dr. Crockett admitted on cross examination that crazy men do things which are unexplainable.

"Did not one of the doctors at the autopsy say that the marks on the man's face could have been caused by the heat of the body after death?" asked Judge Oscar H. Emery, one of the counsel for the defense.

"Yes, there was one man who said that," replied Dr. Crockett.

"How do you know that the wounds were inflicted two hours before death?"

"My experience and medical education tell me."

"Were there not some lower limbs on that tree, 15 or 18 inches from the ground, where a man could have stood while fastening the rope?"

"Joseph Koskinen was hung?"

"Yes, a man could have stood there and tied the knot."

"Did you in your report mention the name of any person as contributing to death?"

"No."

"Did you direct the arrest?"

"I did not. I knew that a warrant had been issued before the testimony was taken out, but I did not know that

Aho, John Koskinen and two men he did not know.

Mrs. Joseph Koskinen denied that there had been any trouble at the house the morning her husband disappeared, or that she had ever told Harry Lehto such a story. When John had returned from the fishing trip her husband had accused him of being away too long. John replied: "I couldn't come any sooner. We got a lot of fish and I had to go down after them." Witness said her son was not out of her sight more than 10 minutes that day.

John Aho said that when he delivered hay at the Koskinen house Tuesday afternoon, following the old man's disappearance, both John and his mother had asked him if Joseph Koskinen had been at his house.

Judge Emery made the argument for the defense, asking that the prisoner be discharged. County Attorney Dwinall summed up the case for the prosecution, arguing that the evidence warranted holding John Koskinen for the September term of court.

In reviewing the evidence, with the result above shown, Judge Miller complimented the county officials on having fully done their duty.

The arrest, it appears, was made under the direction of the State officials. Miss Lucy Ball acted as stenographer at the forenoon session, and when compelled by other duties to relinquish the task at noon was succeeded by Miss Jessie Stewart. Walter H. Butler officiated in his capacity as recorder.

A portion of the trial was conducted with a great deal of difficulty, as some of the witnesses speak only the Finnish language, and the services of an interpreter were found necessary. Eric Harjula proved exceptionally capable in this capacity and his work expedited matters a great deal.

A TWENTY DOLLAR BILL

Judge Miller Thought That Allan Webster Spent the Wrong One.

When Judge Miller called the roll in Municipal Court yesterday forenoon three members of the same family were in the dock awaiting his official attention—John W. Webster, his son, Allan Webster; and his daughter, Mrs. Lucretia Perry. The father had been O. D. by his old enemy, Mr. Hootch; while the son and daughter were charged with the larceny of a twenty-dollar bill from Mrs. Sarah Abbott of Beechwoods street, Thomaston.

The trio went to Thomaston Wednesday morning, Allan Webster having in prospect the job of cutting a tree. The owner was not ready to have the work done at that time, so the three called on Mrs. Abbott and undertook to sell her some phonograph records, she says.

The visit to the Abbott house developed into a social call lasting about half an hour. An hour after they had taken their departure Mrs. Abbott found that a twenty-dollar bill and some change had disappeared from her sewing machine drawer. She told Chief of Police Meserve the circumstances, and that official came to Rockland and secured an arrest warrant for the arrest of the two Websters and Mrs. Perry.

Meanwhile the trio had returned to Rockland and engaged a public auto for a joy ride to Camden. Upon their return Allan Webster paid the fee from a twenty-dollar bill. In police court yesterday Mrs. Perry testified that the bill was one her husband, Eugene Perry, had given her Saturday night after being paid off—a statement which the husband corroborated.

Judge Miller found Allan Webster guilty of larceny and sentenced him to 60 days in jail. The elder Webster was sentenced to 90 days for intoxication, and Mrs. Perry, who was already in the hands of the probation officer, was discharged. Judge L. R. Campbell appeared for Mrs. Perry.

AN APPRECIATED TRIBUTE

Cambridge, Mass., April 12. Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—

Please accept my inclosed check for another year's subscription to the good old Courier-Gazette. I should feel entirely out of touch with the world if I did not get my home paper regularly. It keeps me in close relationship with the "Back Home Folks" and the happenings and serves to span the miles between us. I even read it while walking back and forth to work rather than wait for leisure moments.

As I read its columns—and by the way there is not much news that escapes my notice for I peruse its items thoroughly—my thoughts are carried back and I forget that I am many miles away. Its usefulness, however, does not stop there, for after I have gleaned its columns thoroughly I very carefully take it to Somerville and deliver it to friends there who take as much joy and pleasure in its pages as I do.

It certainly is a great joy to have The Courier-Gazette and thus keep in touch with the happenings at home and I deem it a pleasure to renew my subscription.

Ralph M. Hardy.

YOUR FAVORITE POEM

THE SUNSET CITY

There's a city that lies in the Kingdom of Clouds,
In the glorious country on high,
Which an azure and silvery curtain enshrouds,
To screen it from mortal eye.
A city of temples and towers of gold,
That gleam by a sapphire sea,
Like jewels more splendid than earth may be—
Or are dreamed of by you and by me.

And about it are highlands of amber that reach
Far away till they melt in the gloom,
And waters that bend an immaculate beach
With fringes of luminous foam.
Aerial bridges of pearl there are,
And bellies of marvelous shape,
And lighthouses lit by the evening star,
That sparkle on violet capes;
And hanging gardens that far away
Enchantingly float aloft;
Rainbow pavilions in avenues gay,
Several times to kill himself, the last time being not more than two weeks ago. Witness described her father as bad and cruel when he was drinking, and had used his wife harshly.

Sam Matson had heard John and his father "saw the rag." Mrs. Matson said she saw Joseph Koskinen leave the house Monday morning, go up the road, and return 10 minutes later. Aaron Starrett, town treasurer, visited the house Tuesday and saw John

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Rockland, Maine, April 16, 1921.
 Personally appeared Frank R. Loring, who on oath declares that he is pressman in the office of the Rockland Publishing Co., and that the issue of The Courier-Gazette of April 15, 1921, there was printed a total of 5,980 copies.
 Before me,
 FRANK B. MILLER,
 Notary Public.

Any fear exhibited in some circles that Mr. Hughes because of inexperience in diplomacy was not of proper timber out of which to make a Secretary of State, vanishes like dew before the morning sun in the light of the three important papers thus far put out from his desk—his notes to Panama, his reply to the soviet trade invitation and his notification to the European nations with respect to this country's international rights. The best mental equipment that a Secretary of State can have is an abiding faith in the United States and a firm determination to uphold American dignity and rights. Secretary Hughes possesses those qualifications in the highest degree, and knows how to put his sentiment into vigorous language that all may comprehend.

Many of us can remember when it was quite the thing for parents to allow their children exposed to measles, regarding it as "the easiest way." We wonder if the practice is not still in vogue in some communities. The State Department loses no opportunity to enforce upon the people the truth that measles is a dangerous disease. "Parents," it says, "are urged to guard their children against measles and not subject them to the contagion 'so as to get it over with.' The evil companions of measles are weak eyes, abscess of the ears that frequently leads to deafness, and pneumonia. Next to stomach disorders, measles is the most deadly of all diseases, to children."

Up to the moment of writing this paragraph The Courier-Gazette learns of no action of a concerted nature being taken with respect to Clean-Up Week, but there is sufficient time between this and Monday morning for lots of things to take place. One thing in particular in the past has been of great value, namely the co-operation of the City Street Department by sending its teams about the streets to gather up refuse deposited by householders in front of their premises. We have no doubt Commissioner Ross will gladly lend this form of assistance.

There are four million or more men entitled to victory medals, but so far only 1,500,000 medals have found their way to the veterans. Secretary of War Weeks is making special effort for efficient distribution, having divided the country into six medal divisions, each of which will be in charge of an officer. National Guard instructors and reserve officers will help in placing the medals in the hands of the soldiers, and a group of officers and clerks in the Washington office of the War Department have been detailed to look after the work.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace announces that, effective July 1st, the bureaus of markets and of crop estimates in his department will be combined into a single bureau. The change is in line with the general Administration policy of increased efficiency and greater economy. The new organization will deal with farmers throughout the country who, Mr. Wallace says, depend upon the Federal Government for reliable market and crop news.

"Germany," says the Boston Transcript, "is still sweetly waiting for the Allies to come and apologize to her and pass her a consolatory check for a million billion marks."

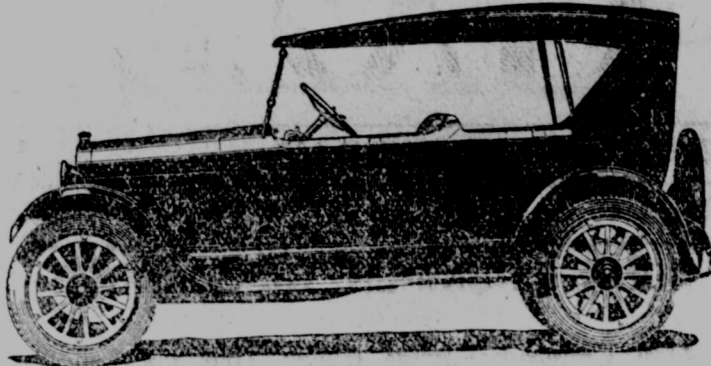
CUT OFF YOUR COUPONS

Coupons worth \$11,357,750, attached to Liberty Bonds owned by New Englanders, fell due yesterday and will be paid promptly when presented at a bank or postoffice. Thus the United States Government once more is demonstrating in the most convincing manner possible—by handing out cash in full payment of its interest obligations promptly on the day when due—that no matter how pinched others may be, the Government of the United States carries out its financial agreements to the letter. In the entire country coupons due April 15 on bonds of the Fourth Issue amount to \$136,293,000—quite a tidy sum of cash to be distributed—and amounting to nearly \$125 for every man, woman and child in the United States. The total amount of interest that will be paid out on Liberty Bonds and Victory Notes during 1921 is about \$836,544,000.

The only church maintained by colored people in Maine is the Portland A. M. E. Zion Church, which is now carrying on a drive for \$2000 in order to clear off a mortgage on the \$18,000 church building. George J. Simms, the well-known porter at the Maine Central railroad station in Rockland, is a former pastor of the church. During his pastorate, with the assistance of the late Rev. C. O. Mills of the Portland Methodist church and a member, F. M. Strout, he succeeded in saving the church from being sold to clear its debt of \$3000. Mr. Simms is now interested in helping the present pastor, Rev. S. G. Spottswood, who has done a great work for the church, carry out this task of clearing the entire debt. Mr. Simms is asking his friends here to help him to raise a small amount towards this purpose. Money or checks can be given him, or sent to the A. M. E. Zion church fund, Chapman National Bank, Portland.

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SIXTH KILN IS UP

Latest News Concerning Lime Industry. From Bulletin 58—The Editor's Mishap.

Point—No. 1 kiln is wooded and filled. Frank Childs is assisting the masons during their stay in this shed. R. Thomas is looking after the inspection for this shed and the Five-Kiln during the absence of Inspector Maurer. Concrete abutments are being put in at No. 5 kiln. The hearth is also being enlarged and when completed will be the largest hearth in the shed. Repairs on kiln No. 1 were completed last Friday, new pillars and scorch having been put in. The mason's crew was Clarence Gray, Dewey Tripp and Fred George. The same crew then proceeded to do the same thing to No. 5. Machinery adjustment at the barrel factory having been completed, work was resumed there Monday morning with the following crew: Ulmer, Larabee, Ludwig, Flanders and Sukerforth. Small barrels are being manufactured. The perfect work of the tongue and groove machine, an ingenious arrangement of power for the grindstone, and the up-to-date appearance of Ulmer's office, are all worthy of mention.

New Kilns—Recent additions to the steel structural crew makes 32 men now employed on this branch of the work at the new kilns. The sixth and last kiln is up. Corrugated iron is being put on and window frames placed and a lot of small work is being done. The steam shovel started on its trip to the quarries last Monday morning in charge of Roy Ulmer, engineer, assisted by Clyde Robinson, fireman, and Dexter Nelson and Fred Tabbutt utility men. The route was up Cedar street to Broadway, to Park to the quarries. The shovel will be fitted up with a grab bucket, and is to be used for removing dirt from edge of quarries.

Five Kilns—Eph Lothrop has taken the night foreman position permanently. J. Shaw, H. Graves and W. Flagg make up the jobbing crew at present. Fires were lighted in Kilns three and four last Wednesday. The kiln crews came on Thursday and are as follows: Kiln 3—Philip Dyer, James Dow, Wm. Young; kiln 4—Lorenzo Stanley, Wm. Staples, Clyde White.

By-Products—George Gray has joined the mason's crew at the new kilns. Lighter Berwick is being fixed up and painted by Capt. Sam. Chemist Earl Randall spilled hot sulphuric acid on his right hand last Thursday, causing a painful injury. Walter Maurer inspector, left for the west on part of Pennsylvania Saturday, on account of the serious illness of his mother. Al Hamilton, who has been off duty for three weeks on account of sickness, reports that he is getting along nicely now and improving every day. Extensive repairs are being made on the schooner Mary Langdon, now lying at the mill wharf. Andrew

and Olaf Larson of Mr. Fullerton's crew are doing the work. The Maine Industrial Accident Commission has awarded to Philip Burns \$382.72, additional payment for permanent disability. Mr. Burns lost the middle finger and received other injuries to the right hand in February, 1920. Joe Lagrasse of the Gregory shed left for Boston last Saturday for a three weeks' stay. When he returns there will be two Lagrasses, as he will bring a Boston bride back with him. They will reside at 26 Front street. B. Collamore stoutly maintains that the story about one of his hens laying fat eggs is true. The Bulletin man furnished a lot of fun for a crew of hard-hearted brakemen last Friday when a rheumatic kink struck him in the leg and he could hardly limp along the sidewalk. Hard-hearts Reed and Doherty mocked the limp and the trait of the afflicted man, and then they all laughed, and shouted, "Put that in the Bulletin." These people had better watch-out.

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BUSY FISH WHARF

Sea Products Co., With 40 Men on Payroll, Has Been Having Very Lively Week.

Anybody who thinks that Rockland, Me., isn't still on the fish map should have visited the Thorndike & Hix wharf yesterday. Witness the following receipts recorded by the Sea Products Co.:

Capt. Teel's smack, with 25,000 pounds of pollock from Matinicus.
 Capt. Slater's smack from Vinalhaven, with 27,000 pounds of pollock.
 Capt. Tolman's smack, with 19,000 pounds of pollock from Vinalhaven.
 Sloop Bessie, with 4700 pounds of large cod.
 Small boat fleet with 16,000 pounds of cod.

The pollock were an unusually handsome lot averaging 10½ pounds, while some of the cod tipped the scales at 65 pounds.

The company has just shipped two carloads of dried fish to Italy, and will start the dryers again next Tuesday on a contract which calls for the shipment of 100,000 pounds of dried fish to Italy. Recent shipments also included 70 barrels of sardine herring, going to Boston and New York and a carload of boneless cod, consigned to Western points.

The Sea Products Co. has had as high as 40 men on its payroll this week.

Arthur Gray of Chestnut street has gone to Boston for a visit of several weeks.

RAN INTO TRUCK

Patrolman Ward M. Bray, Formerly of Vinalhaven, Killed in Boston Accident.

Patrolman Ward M. Bray, 27, of the West Roxbury station, was instantly killed shortly before 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon when the motorcycle and sidecar he was driving crashed into a motor truck operated by Michael N. O'Meara.

The accident, according to the police, occurred when the motorcycle and sidecar hit a rut in the road and swerved over directly in front of the approaching truck. The truck was on the way to Boston. O'Meara attempted to bring the truck to a halt, but was unable to in time to avoid the collision. Bray was thrown to the ground and the car was practically demolished.

Mr. Bray was born in Vinalhaven, July 23, 1894, and was employed as a machinist until he joined the Boston police force on Dec. 6, 1919. Since then he had been stationed at West Roxbury and not only had given excellent service, but was very popular with his brother officers. He served at an aviation base in the South during the war. He leaves a mother, Mrs. Aurilla Bray, who formerly resided on Pacific street, Rockland; a sister Marion, who lives in Dorchester. O'Meara was held on a technical charge of manslaughter and was released on bail.

The remains will be brought to Rockland and funeral services will be held at the Burpee undertaking rooms Tuesday afternoon.

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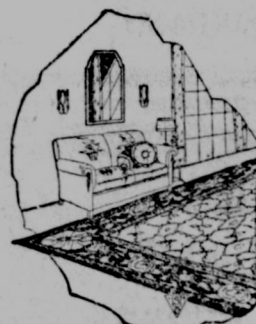


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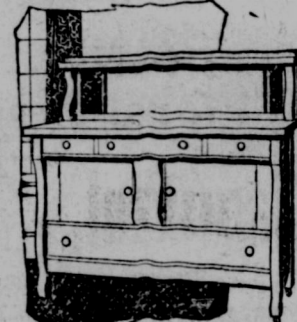
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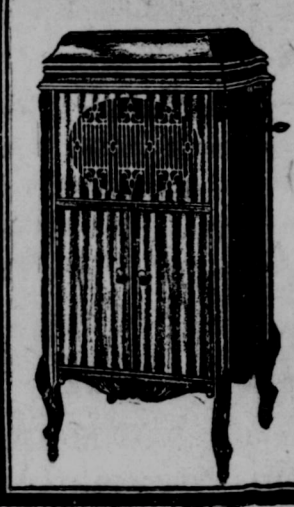
It took some pretty good bowling to beat the steamer Westport's crew Wednesday night, but the trick was done by Staples' quintet at Kennedy's alleys. The score:
 Staples' Team—Staples, 432; Dinsmore, 565; Freeman, 443; Mank, 449; Cook, 429; total 2258.
 Steamer Westport—Thomas, 529; Eaton, 452; Price, 404; Weed, 449; Witham, 385; total, 2219.

FAKE SCRAPPING

Rockland sports who went to Lewiston Thursday night, expecting to see a great scrap between Kid Dube and Harry Condon, were treated to a tame exhibition, which the Lewiston Journal resented bitterly in a half column writeup. "Dube probably made as little impression on his opponent as one could on a landlord's heart," says the Journal, "and if he showed his best Thursday night it's too stylish for Lewiston and Auburn."

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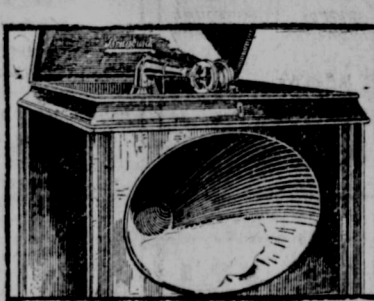
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Talk of the Town

COMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS

April 16—(2:30 p. m.)—Basketball—Rockland High girls vs. Portland High girls, in Kimball hall.
 April 18—23—Clean-Up Week.
 April 18—23—Champion Stock Co., Park Theatre.
 April 19—Patriots Day.
 April 19—King Hiram Council visits Vinal Haven.
 April 19—Supper and auction, men and women, at Country Club.
 April 20—Monthly meeting of Baptist Men's League.
 April 20—25—East Maine Methodist Conference in Guilford.
 April 22—Total eclipse of the moon.
 April 22—Lincoln Valley Pomona meets with Pleasant Valley Grange, Rockland.
 April 24—Country Club, concert at 4:30, luncheon at 5:30.
 April 24—Knox Lodge celebrates 102d anniversary of Old Fellowship in its hall.
 April 25—(7:00)—Regular bi-monthly meeting Woman's Educational Club, Methodist vestry.
 April 26—Woman's Auxiliary of Knox Hospital meets in p. m. at Nurse's Home.
 April 27—Dunsmuir-Knox County Public Health Association meeting, address by Dr. H. D. Worth of Bangor.
 April 28—Country Club, dancing at 8 o'clock, supper and auction.

The Past Noble Grands Association will meet with Mrs. Ilda Russell, Pleasantville, next Wednesday. Autos will meet the cars at 10:30 and 11:30 at Warren to take the members to the farm. Dinner will be served.

Herbert Philbrook, who recently returned from a cruise to Key West, Fla., on Eagle boat No. 29, has left the service, and is going quartermaster on the steamer J. T. Morse.

Nilo Spear has swapped his familiar Chevrolet "Green Goose" for a 1914 Ford. The Ford is almost old enough to vote, but the Green Goose has been through several wars. A fair exchange is no robbery.

The Chapin Class will hold a rummage sale in the vestry of the Universalist church, Friday, April 22, those who have material to contribute will kindly notify Mrs. Susie Davis, telephone 107-3, arrangements will be made to call for same.

Mrs. Austin Philbrook of The Courier-Gazette staff is taking ten easy lessons in the gentle art of learning to drive a Ford coupe. Telephone poles, brick blocks and unwary pedestrians are warned to keep a respectable distance while the course is in progress.

Winslow-Holbrook Post is contributing \$10 toward the decoration of American graves Overseas. There will be instances in which relatives of fallen comrades will wish a particular scheme of decoration carried out, or they may wish to contribute a certain amount of money to be used for decorating a grave in a manner conforming to their ideas. The American Legion can render distinct service by accepting the request and transmitting it with the amount of money contributed without individual communication. Available data concerning the location of the grave should be transmitted.

At the meeting of King Solomon Temple Chapter Thursday night the Past and Most Excellent degrees were conferred upon Ralph B. Loring, Earle Murphy, William Stearns, William Flint, Frank Prescott, Warren Noyes, Lee Dunn and Elmer Lord.

Miss Evelyn Tyler is home from Milton, Mass., on a week's vacation.

Some night prowler broke a plate glass window in the front of the J. H. Flint market, Case block, Thursday night and stole a dozen or so of oranges. The thief did not get away unscathed, for there were blood stains on the broken pane and some of the remaining oranges. It was doubtless the same person who smashed one of the plate glass windows in Samuel Alperin's fruit store, in the Dr. Gould block, corner of Main and Pleasant streets, the same night.

J. F. Woodsum of Norridgewock will be the guest of his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Allen, 29 Admontem avenue, the remainder of this month. He is a progressive farmer of that locality, his estate comprising about 200 acres, and he will be 79 on May 1. His farm is located not far from Skowhegan, and to converse with him one is readily assured of the fact that farming is still a profitable vocation. In regard to raising corn this year for canners, he hardly thinks there will be much doing at the prices they offer. In his early life Mr. Woodsum learned the printing trade, but the farm later made to him the greater appeal.

The Knox County Amateur Wireless Association will hold its regular meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the rear part of Mr. Davies' jewelry store at 301 Main street. Don't forget dues, \$1, please. Notice of this meeting will be broadcasted by a radio at about 7:30 p. m. Saturday, Q R X amateurs. There will be a lecturer at this meeting, if possible, and there will be code practice as usual.

The Great Blackstone does not claim to be possessed of supernatural powers, but those who witnessed his wonderful feats of magic at Park Theatre last night saw an exhibition of wizardry that would have lessened his chances of a long life had he existed in the days of Salem witchcraft. The conception which some persons have of a magician is a man who does card and handkerchief tricks, and who pulls a rabbit out of the back of your coat. Some of these things appear in the Great Blackstone's program, but it takes a special 70-foot car to carry all of the paraphernalia which goes with his show, to say nothing of the large corps of assistants, including young ladies, who are constantly on the stage in fanciful costumes. Skeptics are welcomed to the stage, and they are furnished an even greater surprise than the spectators in the audience, particularly when the hypnotized female, suspended in mid-air, vanishes before their astonished eyes. A prominent medical man who led the Missouri delegation last night, was a baffled investigator. The crystal gazing stunt was an interesting part of the performance. Blackstone may not have beheld more in the sphere than anybody else, but his answers to many questions, propounded by real people, were positively amazing. Questions relating to two murders were not answered, the magician and his assistants explaining that in one Michigan city he was detained three weeks because of a clew which he had furnished which led to the arrest of the real murderer and release of a man who was falsely accused. The climax to the Blackstone entertainment is furnished by the removal of the draperies in front of an apparently empty cabinet, revealing a boudoir scene in which there are three women and a dog. There will be a special matinee this afternoon.

CLEAN UP

Week of April 18

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

See that all rubbish is removed from your cellar, sheds and back yard.

Clean all windows and keep them open to fresh air and sunlight.

Ventilate damp cellars.

Report all neighborhood nuisances, such as stagnant pools and ill-smelling refuse piles, to the Health Officer. All complaints should be in writing, and will be kept confidential.

Ask your landlord to repair leaky roofs and plumbing, and to repair dirty, broken walls and ceilings.

If there is a vacant lot adjoining your house see that it is cleaned of all decaying and refuse materials.

A cheerful compliance with these suggestions will make our city a more healthful one in which to live.

DAVID L. McCARTY,

Health Officer.

The Rockland High School girls are handicapped by sickness for this afternoon's game with Portland High, but expect to win, and if so will make a final attempt to get a game with Deering High.

Parker F. Norcross, formerly with the Rockland Motor Mart, has taken the Oldsmobile agency for this section, and will handle all the varieties, specializing on the Light Four. A carload is momentarily expected. Mr. Norcross will have headquarters at Dyer's Garage, Park street.

Division Supt. H. P. Blodgett of the Knox County Electric Co. has moved into the Dr. Adams house on Chestnut street. Dr. Adams, who has been making his home at the Thorndike Hotel the past week, has the apartments in Mrs. Jennie Bird's house on Middle street, vacated by Supt. Blodgett.

James L. Burns, who has been spending the week at his home in this city, leaves next Monday for Salem, Mass., where he is to manage the Western Union telegraph office. Wednesday's Bath Times said: "With deep regret members of the Bath Rotary Club at their luncheon Tuesday noon at King Tavern learned that James L. Burns newly elected sergeant-at-arms and manager of the Western Union telegraph office in this city, is to leave Bath for Salem, where he will be in charge of the Western Union office. Mr. Burns has been one of the most enthusiastic members of the club and one of the hardest workers in behalf of the organization and his fellow Rotarians expressed the sincerest sorrow in losing him. Under the leadership of Arthur L. Pepper the members gave 'Jim' three rousing Rotary cheers."

William S. Healey, commander of Winslow-Holbrook Post, recently wrote to Senator Hale, asking that a battleship be assigned to this port for July 2-5, preferably the U. S. S. Pennsylvania, flagship of the Atlantic Fleet. His reason for making this special request is that Admiral Henry B. Wilson, commander of the Atlantic Fleet, is on board, and would be a particularly welcome visitor at this port, to which he often comes while president of the Trial Board. Senator Hale replied: "It may not be possible to get the Pennsylvania, but if I cannot get that ship I will try and get some other large battleship."

Mrs. Ellen Crocker, medium is at 31 Union street for the balance of this week and Monday of next week to give readings and treat the sick. Tel. 799M—adv.

CHANCE TO BUY

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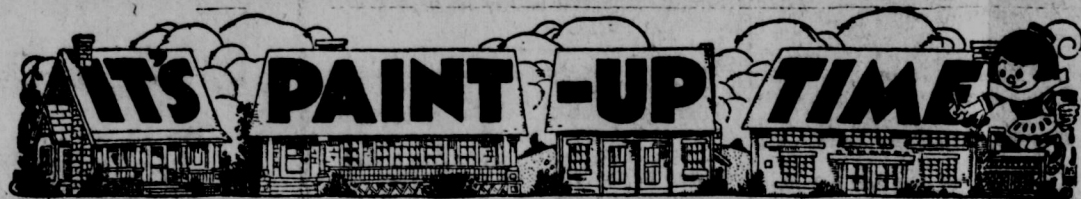
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ROSE CROIX WORK

Gen. Knox Chapter Conferred Degrees Upon 70 Candidates Yesterday.

Gen. Knox Chapter of Rose Croix conferred the 17th and 18th degrees on a class of 70 candidates yesterday, the 17th being worked in the afternoon and the 18th in the evening. It was one of the largest Masonic meetings ever held in this section, and the work was never done more beautifully. Plates were laid for 150 at supper time.

The illustrious Deputy for Maine, William C. Mason of Bangor, paid the Chapter a surprise visit, accompanied by Past Grand Commander Rev. A. A. Smith of Bangor. Both were much pleased with the size of the gathering, the interest shown and character of the work. The orator, Rev. W. S. Rounds, was presented with a fine testimonial for his services.

Following is the formidable list of candidates upon whom the degrees were conferred:

Joseph H. Young
Homer E. Robinson
Clifford E. Thompson
Clinton M. Libby
Thomas E. Leavitt
Irville E. Thurston
Alexander G. Grover
William F. Sherman
Hendrick J. Johansen
Headley V. Tweedie
Almore D. Brodman
Carleton E. Morse
Henry C. Chatto
Arthur F. Wisner
Allie M. Coby
Fred F. Pendleton
George W. Newcomb
Edward C. Payson
William G. Washburn
Edward W. Peaslee
Lewis S. Greenleaf
Maurice R. Snow
Robert C. Wentworth
Raymond E. Eaton
A. K. P. Harvey
Alton E. Perry
Harry L. Sanborn
Fred K. Allen
William C. Bird
Roland J. Waggett
Ralph H. Dunbar
Albert E. Lewis
William Hay
F. O. Bartlett
Earl T. Brown
Edward C. Leighton
Charles C. Gregory
Benjamin H. Hall
Herbert N. Brazier
Alvra W. Gregory
Harry Berman
E. E. F. Libby
Frank A. Richardson
Robert G. Blake
Dana E. Badger
Gardner F. Illsey
Ernest E. Abbott
Irvin Leslie Cross
Lewis E. Foss
Kenneth Stare
Arthur L. Taylor
Harold P. Blodgett
Joshua N. Southard
John A. Stevens
Benjamin H. Kellar
Raymond C. Duff
George B. Wood
Samuel Alperin
Eller C. Wentworth
Harry D. Mosher
Henry B. Cunningham
William A. Hosmer
Frank J. McDonnell
Percy L. McPhee
Foster S. Perkins
Everett S. Skiesian
Lewis L. Holton
J. F. Carver
Joseph F. Labbie

Miss Frances Bird of Boston is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Walker.

The Street Railway will have a big day May 27 when Rockland music-lovers will follow our High School boys and girls to Camden. What's up? The Maine Festival held at the Camden opera house. Persons interested in automobiles and unable to attend the big auto shows, will find a remarkable variety and a really impressive number of cars parked in the vicinity of the opera house on that day.

Crowds thronged V. F. Studeley's, furniture store, Thursday afternoon and evening, and crowds stood in front of the store, all interested in the opening of the new music rooms which have been provided through the recent extensive changes made in the Studeley block. The proprietor, V. F. Studeley, has been in the music line, and so it seemed, particularly as regards pianos and phonographs, with their accessories. The arrangement is exceedingly attractive, and Mr. Studeley and his associates blushing acknowledged many compliments. Marston's Orchestra furnished music. There were carnations for the ladies, cigars for the sterner sex and roly-poly dolls for the children.

MET IN ROCKLAND

Fish Wardens Conferred With Department Heads—Director Crie's Present.

The complete state of harmony which exists in the Sea and Shore Fisheries' department was never better demonstrated than yesterday, when the wardens and other officials had their annual get-together with the commissioners and director in this city. There were 40 in the group which sat down to the excellent dinner prepared by the Rebekahs, and it was a fine looking body of men. Hon. Elmer S. Bird, a former member of the Executive Council was a special guest, occupying a seat beside Hon. A. E. Farnsworth of Brooklyn who preceded him in the Council from this district, and who is now of the commissioners on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

The afternoon and evening were devoted to profitable discussion of departmental affairs interrupted only long enough for proper attention to the nice supper which the vigilant Rebekahs had in waiting. The climax of the occasion was the presentation of a gold chain and charm to Horatio D. Crie, who as director of Sea and Shore Fisheries, is held in the very highest esteem by the men chosen to enforce the laws of this department. The charm is a facsimile of the State seal, and on the reverse side bears the inscription "Presented to H. D. Crie, Director, by the Wardens, 1921." The presentation speech by W. A. Ricker of Saco voiced the good fellowship which exists between the wardens and director, and the response by Mr. Crie showed a deep appreciation of the esteem shown by his associates.

Director Crie acted as toastmaster at the noonday banquet, when brief speeches were made by Ex-Councilor Bird, Commissioner E. W. Gould and E. A. Farnsworth, Capt. A. J. Eaton of Stonington, Wardens E. S. Vose of Cushing, Charles S. Coughlin of Rockland, Mr. Stockton of Portland, H. M. Woodard of Jonesport, Joseph Wallace of Long Island, and W. A. Ricker of Saco and others.

All of the Wardens gave a summary of their enforcement work, the past year, and agreed that a more strict enforcement is possible with the laws as amended by the last Legislature, and which give the department ample authority. The amendments will be in force July 1. The interests of all fishermen who obey the law will be safeguarded to the limit.

There had been talk of not putting the State patrol boat Enterprise in commission this year, but the commissioners gave out word at the close of the meeting that the fast craft will be used during the summer months. Capt. H. B. Webber will again be in command and Thomas McKinney will have his old position as chief engineer.

The visitors were invited to take part in the Rebekah dance last evening, and it furnished a very pleasant finishing touch to a well spent day.

WITH THE CHURCHES

St. Peter's Church (Episcopal) Sunday services at 7:50, 10:30, 12:15 and 7:30. See the parish notices on the first page.

Congregational Church, Walter S. Rounds, Minister: Sunday morning worship at 10:30; sermon subject, "The Truth That Makes Men Free," Church school at noon. The public is invited.

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

At the Littlefield Memorial Church Rev. Oscar Stuart of Waterboro will preach at 10:30. Anthem, "Oh Wondrous Love"; solo, Mrs. Hoche; Sunday school, 11:45; Christian Endeavor, 6:15; Evening service, 7:15; anthem by the choir.

Pratt Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church: "The Conquering Horseman" will be the sermon subject. Sunday morning at 10:30. Anthem by the choir, "Even Me," Warren, and solo by Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, "Hearken Unto My Voice." Cox At this service a special address will be given to the young people. The school attendance was again over the 200-mark last Sunday and we look for 225 this Sunday. Epworth League at 6:15 p. m.; leader Miss Margaret Long. Young people are especially invited. Evening service in the auditorium at 7:15 p. m. The subject at this service will be "Making A Choice." The opening song service will be bright and helpful. Come prepared for a good sing. Miss Zuleta Staples will be the soloist. Full choir, violin, and organ. Everybody invited.

At the First Baptist Church Rev. B. P. Brown will take for the morning subject Sunday "Is Protestantism Dying?" April 17 is the 400th anniversary of the Diet of Worms, which marks the beginning of the Protestant movement by Martin Luther. The choir will render "Thou Shalt Tread Upon the Lion." Sunday School convenes at 11:45, with classes for all ages; at 4 o'clock the children are invited to the Happy Hour, and at 6:15 the young people will hold their regular B. Y. P. U. service, with Miss Caroline Sherer as leader. The topic is one that should interest all progressive young people, "How Can We Improve Our Recreations?" At 7:15 the evangelistic service will open with a thrilling song service with piano and organ combined. Besides the choir anthem, "Onward Christian Soldiers," the special music will include a male quartet selection, a concerto solo by Mrs. Robert Snow, and an instrumental trio (violin, cornet and cello). The pastor's subject is "What Shall It Profit?" A special feature will be an illuminated cross. All are welcome to this homelike church. Tuesday evening the prayermeeting will be held at 7:15. Subject, "Trusting, or Why Worry?"

MARRIED

Roberts-Simmons—Rockland, April 14, by Rev. B. P. Brown, Chester Roberts of Rockport and Miss Elva Hart Simmons of Rockland.

DIED

Bray—West Roxbury, Mass. April 14, Ward M. Bray, native of Vinal Haven, aged 26 years, 8 months, 19 days.

Fales—Bath, April 11, Abbie C. Fales, widow of Eugene B. Fales, aged 86 years, 11 months, 23 days. Burial in Thomaston.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for the kindness shown during the sickness and death of our mother, and for the floral tributes. J. E. Kinney and family, M. H. Kinney and family, Mrs. E. E. Robinson and family.

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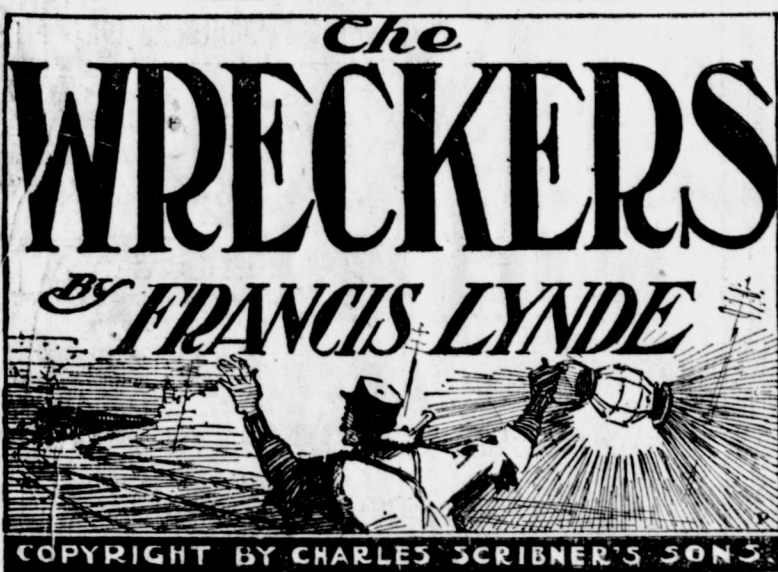
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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Graham Norcross, railroad manager, and his secretary, Jimmie Dods, are marooned at Sand Creek siding with a young lady, Sheila Macrae, and her small cousin. Unseen, they witness a peculiar train hop-up, in which a special car is carried off.

CHAPTER II.—Norcross recognizes the car stolen as John Chadwick's, financial magnate, whom he was to meet at Port City. He and Dods rescue Chadwick. The latter offers Norcross the management of the Pioneer Short Line, which is in the hands of eastern speculators, headed by Breckinridge Union, president of the line. Norcross, learning that Sheila Macrae is stopping at Port City, accepts.

CHAPTER III.—Dods overhears conversation between Rufus Hatch and Gustave Henkel, Port City financiers, in which they admit complicity in Chadwick's kidnapping, their object being to keep Chadwick from attending a meeting of directors to reorganize the Pioneer Short Line, which would jeopardize their interests.

CHAPTER IV.—To curb the monopoly controlled by Hatch and Henkel, the Red Tower corporation, Norcross forms the Citizens' Storage and Warehouse company. He begins to manifest a deep interest in Sheila Macrae. Dods learns that Sheila is married, but living apart from her husband. Norcross does not know this.

CHAPTER V.—Hatch, aware that Dods has knowledge of his and Henkel's participation in the Chadwick kidnapping, offers him inducements to leave Norcross. Dods refuses. Leaving the office, he is knocked senseless. Recovering consciousness, he learns that Norcross has disappeared and is believed to have resigned and gone east.

CHAPTER VI.—Dods connects Norcross' disappearance with machinery of Hatch and Henkel, and on recovering strength sets out to solve the mystery.

CHAPTER VI—Continued.

"Tell them to try Gatesburg. That's where his people live."

"I know," he said; and he made a note of the address on the back of an envelope. Then he came at me again, on the "direct," as a lawyer would say.

"You've been closer to Norcross in an intimate way than any of us, Jimmie. Haven't you seen or heard something that would help to turn a little more light on this damnable blow-up?"

I hadn't—outside of the one thing I couldn't talk about—and I told him so, and at this he let me see a little more of what was going on in his own mind.

"You're one of us, in a way, Jimmie, and I can talk freely to you. Mrs. Macrae insists that there has been foul play of some sort. You say you weren't present when Hatch called on Norcross at the office that night?"

"No; I came in just after Hatch went away."

"Did Norcross say anything to make you think there had been a fight?"

"He told me that Hatch was abusive and had made threats—in a business way."

"In a business way? What do you mean by that?"

I quoted the boss' own words, as nearly as I could recall them.

"So Hatch did make a threat, then? Can you add anything more?"

I could, but I didn't want to. Mr. Van Britt didn't know anything about the Sand Creek siding hold-up, or I supposed he didn't, and I didn't want to be the first one to tell him. Besides, the whole business was beside the mark. Maisie Ann knew, and I knew, that the boss, strong and unbreakable as he was in other ways, had simply thrown up his hands and quit because somebody had told him that Mrs. Sheila had a husband living. So I just said:

"Nothing that would help out, and after he had talked a little while longer our only millionaire went downstairs again."

It's so funny how things change around for a person just by giving them time to sort of shake down into place and fit themselves together. After a while the chin edge of the wedge that Mrs. Sheila had been trying to drive into me began to take hold, just a little, in spite of what I knew—or thought I knew. Was it barely possible, after all, that there had been foul play of some sort?

In the first place, something had been done to me by somebody; it was a sure thing that I hadn't cringed and half-killed myself all by my lonesome. Then they had said that the boss stayed up with Mr. Ripley that night until after ten o'clock, and had then gone up to go to bed. That being the case, how could anybody have got to him between that time and the leaving time of the midnight Fast Mail to tell him about Mrs. Sheila?

Anyway it was stacked up, it made a three-cornered puzzle, needing somebody to tackle it right away; and when I finally went to sleep it was with the notion that, sick or no sick, I was going to turn out early in the morning and get busy.

I was well enough to get up the next morning, and when I phoned to Mr. Van Britt he sent his car over to the major's to take me down to the office. Just before I left the house, Mrs. Sheila waylaid me, and after telling me that I must be careful and not take cold in the burnt hand, she put in another word about the boss' disappearance.

"I want you to remember what I said last night, Jimmie, and not let the others talk you over into the belief that Mr. Norcross has gone away because he was either discouraged or afraid. He wouldn't do that; you know it, and I know it. We are his friends, you and I, and we must stand by him and defend him when he isn't here to defend himself."

It did me good to hear her talk

that way. I had been sort of getting ready to dislike her for letting the boss get in so deep and not telling him straight out that she was a married woman and he mustn't; but when I saw that she was trying to be just as loyal to him as I was, it pulled me over to her side again.

Though the boss' disappearance was now four days old, things were still in a sort of daze down at the railroad offices. Mr. Van Britt, being the general superintendent and next in command, had moved over into the boss' office, and Fred May was doing his shorthand work. They couldn't let me do anything much—I couldn't do much with my right arm in a sling—so I had a chance to hang around and size up the situation. If you want to know how it sized up, you can take it from me that it was pretty bad. People all along the line were bombarding Mr. Van Britt with letters and telegrams wanting to know what was going to be done, and what the change in management was going to mean for the public, and all that. You see, Mr. Norcross had laid out a mighty attractive program in the little time he had been at the wheel, and now it looked as if it was all going to be dumped into the ditch.

Mr. Van Britt saw and talked with everybody, and when he could wedge off a minute or two of privacy, he'd go into the third room of the suite

and thence it out with Jeneman, or Billoughby, or Mr. Ripley. From these private talks I found out that there was still some doubt in the minds of all four of them about the boss' drop-out—as to whether it was voluntary or not.

Also, I found out what had been done during the four days. We had no "company detective" at that time, and Mr. Hornack had borrowed a man named Grimmer from his old company, the Overland Central, wiring for him and getting him on the ground within twenty-four hours of the time of Mr. Norcross' disappearance.

Grimmer had gone to work at once, but everything he had turned up, so far, favored the voluntary runaway theory. Mr. Norcross' trunks were still in his rooms at the Bullard; but his two grips were gone. And the night clerk at the hotel, when he was pushed to it, remembered that the boss had paid his bill up to date that night, before going up to his rooms.

Past that, the trace was completely lost. The conductor on the Fast Mail, eastbound, on the night in question, swore by all that was good and great that Mr. Norcross hadn't been a passenger on his train. And he would certainly have known it if he had been carrying his general manager.

Over in the other field there was absolutely nothing to incriminate the Hatch people. So far from it, Hatch had turned up at the railroad office, bright and early the morning after Mr. Norcross had gone. He had asked for the boss, and failing to find him, he had hunted up Mr. Van Britt. What he wanted, it seemed, was a chance to reopen the proposition that had been made to him the day before—the offer of the new Citizens' Storage & Warehouse company to purchase the various Red Tower equipments and plants.

Mr. Van Britt had referred him to Mr. Ripley, and to our lawyer Hatch had made what purported to be an open confession, admitting that he had gone to Mr. Norcross the night before, determined to fight the new company to a finish, and that there had been a good many things said that would better be forgotten. Now, however, he was willing to talk straight business and a compromise. He had called his board of directors together, and they had voted to sell their track-bordering plants to Citizens' Storage & Warehouse if a price could be amicably agreed upon.

With Mr. Norcross gone and a new general manager coming, Mr. Ripley was afraid to make a move, and Hatch was pressing him to get busy on the bargain and sale proposition; was apparently as anxious now to sell and withdraw as he had at first been to fight everything in sight.

By the morning I came on the scene the man Grimmer had, as they say, just about done his do. He was only a sort of journeyman detective, and had run out of clues. When he came in and talked to Mr. Van Britt and Mr. Ripley, I could see that he fully believed in the drop-out theory, and even the lawyer and Mr. Van Britt had to admit that the facts were with him. The boss had written a letter saying definitely that he was quitting; he had paid his hotel bill, and his grips were gone; and two days later President Dunton had appointed a new general manager, which was proof positive, you'd say, that the boss had resigned and had so notified the New York office.

When the noon hour came along, Fred May took me out to luncheon, and we went to the Bullard Cafe. It was pretty rich for our blood at two dollars per, but I guess Fred thought his job was gone, anyway, and felt reckless. Over the good things at our corner table we did a little thrashing on our own account—and got a lot more chaff and no grain.

Fred didn't want to agree with Grimmer and the facts, but there didn't seem to be any help for it. And as for me, I had other things in mind all the time—the big scary fear that somebody had got to the boss after he had left Ripley on the night of shockings, and had just bashed him in the face with the story of Mrs. Sheila's sham widowhood.

By and by we got around to my burnt hand, and Fred told me Grimmer had at least succeeded in clearing up whatever mystery there was about that. The wall switch for the electric light in the lower hall at the headquarters was right beside the outer door jamb—as I knew. It had burned out in some way, and that was why there was no light on when I went down-stairs. And in burning out it had short-circuited itself with the brass lock of the door; Fred didn't know just how, but Grimmer had explained how a 110 volt light current could cook me like a fried potato, and he said he hadn't.

The afternoon at the office was a sort of cut-and-come-again repeat of the morning, with lots of people milling around and things going crooked and cross-ways, as they were bound to with the boss gone and a new boss coming. Nobody had any heart for anything, and along late in the afternoon when word came of a freight wreck at Cross Creek Gulch, Mr. Van Britt threw up both hands and yipped and swore like a pirate. It just showed what a raw edge the headquarters' nerves were taking on.

Though it wasn't his business, Mr. Van Britt went out with the wrecking train, and Fred May and I had it all to ourselves for the remaining hour or so up to closing time. Just before five, Mr. Cantrell, the editor of the Mountaineer, dropped in. He looked a bit disappointed when he found only us two. Fred turned him over to me, and he came on in to the private office when I asked him to, and smoked one of the boss' good cigars out of a box that I found in the big desk.

I liked Cantrell. He was just the sort of man you expect an editor to be; tall and thin and kind of mild-eyed, with an absent way with him that made you feel as if he were thinking along about a mile ahead of you when you were striking the best thing-guy you ever knew of.

"No word yet from Mr. Norcross, I suppose?" he said.

I told him there wasn't.

"It's very singular to me, and to all of us, as it is to you," I threw in. The editor smoked on for a full minute without saying anything more, and he seemed to be staring absent at a steamship picture on the wall. When he got good and ready, he began again.

"You don't need any common plain-clothes man on this job, Jimmie; you need the best there is; a real, dyed-in-the-wool Sherlock Holmes, if there ever were such a miracle."

"You think it is a case for a detective?"

"I do," he replied, looking straight at me with his mild blue eyes. "If I were one of Mr. Norcross' close friends I should get the best help that could be found and not lose a single minute about it."

Since there was nobody around who was any closer to the boss than I was, I jumped into the hole pretty quick.

"Can you tell us anything that will help, Mr. Cantrell?" I asked.

"Not specifically; I wish I could. But I can say this: I know Mr. Rufus Hatch and his associates up one side and down the other. They are hand-in-glove with the political pirates who control this state. From the little that has been published in the Hatch-controlled newspapers all over the state during the past few weeks, it is apparent that Mr. Norcross' removal was a thing greatly to be desired, not only by the Red Tower people, but also by the political bosses. That ought to be enough to make all of you suspicious—very suspicious, Jimmie."

The tall editor got up and made ready to go. "If I were in your place, or rather Mr. Van Britt's, I'd get an expert on this job—and I shouldn't let much grass grow under my feet while I was about it. Call me up at the Mountaineer office if I can help." And with that he went away.

It was just a little while after this that I put on my hat and strolled across the yard tracks to Kirgan's office in the shops. Kirgan was an old friend, as you might say; he had been on the Oregon building job with us and knew the boss through and through. I didn't have anything special to say, but I kind of wanted to talk to somebody who knew. So I loafed in on Kirgan.

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CLARK ISLAND OWNERSHIP

Fogg Seeks To Dissipate the Fog Surrounding Early Proprietors

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—

In one of Boze's letters some years ago, writing about the Tennant's Harbor brass band he quoted one of the members as saying, "When the band toots I'll toot too," as there is a band toot about Clark's Island I will toot too.

I suggest that the people who wish to know about early ownership of the island write to the register of deeds at Wiscasset and get an abstract of some of the ancient deeds of what is known as the "Middle Neck," of which I think Clark's Island is or was a part. For a description of the Middle Neck see Eaton's History of Thomaston, Rockland and South Thomaston, page 32, under the year 1762. As Dodge Hall says, John Clark owned the island when he came from England. He must have bought it in England of Francis Waldo. It is possible that Mr. Vaughan of Hallowell, who owned three-fourths of the Middle Neck, may not have owned the island which had been previously sold to Mr. Clark.

W. S. Clarke says his grandfather, John Clark came from Metinic, which perhaps is true, but he could not have owned any of the island of Metinic, as Ebenezer Thorndike, of this town, (from whom Thorndike Point takes its name) leased Metinic from the Indians in 1755 (Eaton's History) and it has been held by his descendants down to the present time, I believe.

The "cottage by the sea," of which Dodge Hall writes, I remember well. I called there once with my mother, and Mr. Hall's grandmother, Mrs. Seavey, was very social with us, bidding my mother to be sure and come again. At that time (in the middle '50's) I think the town road ended at their house. The road is now grown up with bushes.

I suppose the schoolhouse Mr. Hall refers to was on the main, as I remember none on the island in those days. I knew John Jones well but never of his having a school. Can Mr. Hall give the name of Dan Over's fishing schooner? I have forgotten it. The Geer and Chapman he mentions boarded in our family before and after they worked on Clark's Island. Capt. Willard said to me, "I once owned all the land where the Company's store stands," from which I have always thought he owned the middle part. Mr. Hall says he owned the northern part of the island, and Capt. Pearson's the middle. My father bought their interests in 1858.

L. E. Fogg P. S.—In a recent letter Boze asks if the ship, Frederick Billings was a four-masted ship built in the middle '50's by Carleton, Norwood & Co. of Rockport.

South Thomaston, April 11.

EAST WALDOBORO

Mrs. Clara Fletcher of Arrowsic was a guest of her brother George Benner last week and was accompanied home by her mother Mrs. Sarah Benner.

Miss Mildred Bryant was a weekend guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bryant in Damariscotta.

Mrs. Flora Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jameson and son Harold of East Friendship were at L. L. Mank's and Charles Bowers' Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mank and Miss Mamie Winchenbaugh were in Warren, Saturday.

Mrs. Addie Snow Waltz called on Mrs. Nellie Reeve Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzie Shuman who has been caring for Mrs. Charles Bowers has returned to her home at Winslow's Mills.

Mrs. Atwell Keene and son returned to Gardiner Saturday.

Charles Coffin and family and John Coffin and family motored to Wiscasset and Alna Sunday.

Mrs. Lucretia Kaler called on Mrs. N. Reeve and Mrs. A. Bowers Saturday.

The Social Club met with Mrs. Joseph Waltz Thursday, ten members and two visitors being present. Clippings and items of interest were read. Each member helped to furnish the program of recitations, readings, songs and comedians. Refreshments were served.

A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mank Thursday evening, their birthdays occurring April 6 and respectively. Several relatives and friends were present to wish them several more happy birthdays. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Josiah Jameson and son Dyson were recent guests at L. Newbert's, North Waldoboro.

Mrs. John Witham and son Frank of Pleasantville were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orff. Mrs. John Miller of North Waldoboro were guests at W. E. Leonard's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ross and child were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Miller.

Fred Burns called at John Rines Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Burrows and Miss Doris Burrows called at L. L. Mank's and C. C. Bowers' Thursday.

Philip Lee is at Frank Johnson's.

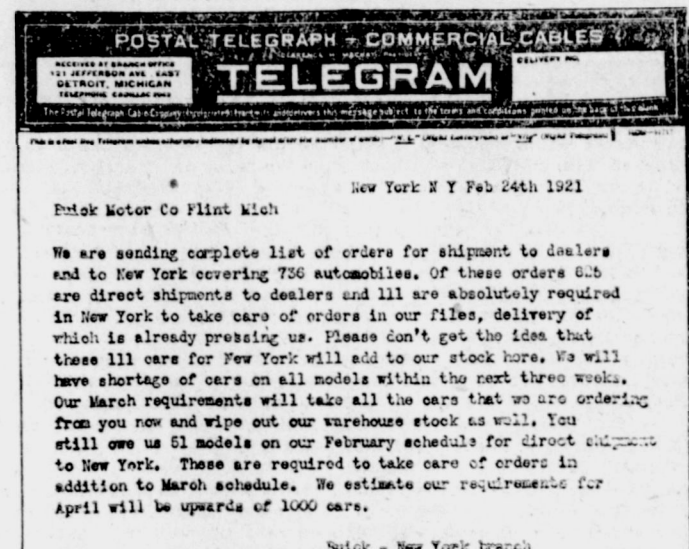
Loren Simpson of Augusta was here last week.

Misses Emma and Addie Pitman

BUICK

THESE two telegrams, one from the far East, the other from the far West, are typical of the many telegrams which are being received from every section of the country asking for immediate shipment of Buick cars and for an increase in dealers allotments.

They prove in a most conclusive manner the demand for Buick cars—a demand which is particularly gratifying now when motor car values are being scrutinized as never before and when final sales are consummated upon the basis of greater relative values and actual demonstrated worth.



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This telegram demonstrates Buick popularity on the Pacific Coast.

ROCKLAND MOTOR MART

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WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT, BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

and Mrs. Frank Johnson called on Mrs. Nellie Reeve and Mrs. Leavitt Mank. Mrs. Isaac Mank and Miss Rena Wiley were at Mrs. Augusta Bowers' Thursday.

ROCKVILLE

Mrs. Hannah Wotton had an attack of acute indigestion Tuesday which necessitated calling Dr. Weldman of Rockport. She is very much better at this writing. Mr. Curtis is home. Mrs. Nora Fores is assisting in caring for her.

Sylvester Barrows had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow last week. Vernie Gray of Camden was in town Tuesday. The smelt brook deer him. The smelt brook deer seems very contagious.

Peter Johnson of Boulder, Colo., is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Blake. His arrival was a happy surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Blake as he was unexpected. Mr. Johnson is in poor health and is hoping that his visit to Maine will be of benefit to him.

School has closed on account of measles, nearly every pupil having an attack.

Rev. E. A. Davis, State Evangelist, who is conducting a series of meetings here was at Mrs. Kirkpatrick's Sunday. He has a very pleasing personality and has met with very gratifying success in communities where he has been preaching.

Mrs. Mary Maddocks who has been at Knox Hospital for several weeks for treatment and an operation is so far recovered that she is able to leave the Hospital. She will be the guest of her brother in Rockland for awhile.

Oscar Carroll, our enterprising cattleman, is doing considerable repairing to his buildings.

John Fuller of Union is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll.

Mrs. A. B. Kirkpatrick who has been confined to the house by illness nearly all winter is much better and is out again.

REACH—DEER ISLE

Capt. and Mrs. E. L. Haskell left Tuesday for Boston, the captain to join a yacht which he is to command this coming season owned by Mr. Brennan of Boston.

Mrs. Margaret Adams is a guest of Mrs. Medina Pickering this week.

Mrs. Cook who has occupied Capt. Jack Haskell's store the past two years has moved her goods into the store owned by Charles Ferguson.

E. W. Pickering and William Eaton went to Belfast Wednesday. Harold Howard is clerking for Mr. Pickering while he is away.

Capt. Caleb Haskell of the five masted schooner Hesper, who arrived in Portland recently from Jacksonville, Fla., has come home to spend a few days with his family.

Mrs. Laura Damon went to Seal Harbor last Sunday, called by the illness of her daughter Mrs. Grace Clemens who is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. S. T. Lowe went to Rockland for the weekend.

School began last week, Miss Avis Hale of Brookville teacher.

Fred Eaton left for Stamford, Conn., last week. He has charge of a club-house there.

Miss Sarah Marshall was a recent guest of Mrs. Fred Eaton.

Mrs. Carrie Johnson of West Deer Isle spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Levi Knight.

Frank Greenlaw who has been ill

SOMERVILLE

Justus D. Turner of Palermo recently ran his raft of logs down Turner-mill pond to the Colby Bros. mill.

Mrs. John E. Wing was at Mrs. Gustavus Brown's Saturday.

Mrs. B. D. Brown and Mrs. F. A. Turner were at the Fuller home Sunday.

Schools in town opened Monday, with the following teachers: Somerville Corner school, Miss Marion Hayes of Chelsea; Sand Hill school, Miss Iva Turner of China; South Somerville, Mrs. Ella M. Brann of this town.

P. A. Turner and daughter Marie were at William MacDaniel's recently.

Mrs. MacDaniel still remains in a practically helpless condition.

Mrs. Bertina Colby was at Mrs. Caro E. Turner's Monday.

Miss Marion Hayes of Chelsea, who is teaching the Corner school is boarding at C. F. Brown's.

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THE GALLANT "FROSH"

High School Boys Make Basketball Showing Which Offers Much Hope For Athletes.

Another basketball season has passed, and although the R. H. S. Freshman boys' team has not been successful in every game, a team was developed that had the old R. H. S. spirit in every game played. The season opened rather fortunately by defeating a mixed team, four players of which were R. H. S. varsity men. This game showed the real ability of the "Frosh," and their fighting spirit.

The Camden game, was the first out of town contest, and proved interesting, as two new men made their debut—Record and Baum. Unfortunately for Camden's second team one of its best men was injured by one of its own players, and was carried from the court, by the husky Record. Satisfaction and content was plainly shown as the victorious quintet visited Chisholm on their return.

More confident than before were the Frosh, after their first defeat, at the hands of the Sophomores, since three of the regular team were ill.

The next game at Rockport, although unsuccessful from the standpoint of scores, showed the quality and excellent team work of this Freshman team. Rockport's quintet was composed of the second team, plus one post-graduate who has played five years and who was their star in this game. Notwithstanding this, two extra periods were played because of tied score. At the end of the second extra period, however, Rockport, marched forth victorious. The manager of the Freshman team tried a number of times to get a return game, but in vain.

The Camden return game at Rockland showed marked improvement but again they fell victims to the home team to the tune of 21-12. In the two games of the season against the R. H. S. Sophomores, the Frosh were defeated, but considering the strength of the former team, scores such as 11-7 and 25-18 show fine playing. These games forfeited the interclass championship to the Sophomores.

For the first time in the history of R. H. S. numerals were awarded for class athletes—that of Freshman basketball. The numeral men were: H. Ludwig, Rising Record, Baum, C. Staples, R. Snow, S. Snow and Fred Stewart, all of whom earned them by their untiring effort to make a clean team worthy of representing Rockland High School. It might also be interesting to note that the averages of all of the players are above 80% in their courses for this year. The Freshman second team also deserves a great deal of credit, for, owing to its faithfulness to practice it was made possible to develop a first team. Among the most faithful of the second team were Cassens and Perry.

If Frosh continues to show that spirit and "fight" in baseball and in all the sports for the next three years Rockland's outlook in athletics will be brighter than at present.

The R. H. S. Freshman basketball schedule for this year was:

R. H. S. Frosh, 21; R. H. S. Mixed team, 12.
R. H. S. Frosh, 80; R. H. S. Juniors, 7.
R. H. S. Frosh, 12; R. H. S. Sophomores, 51.
R. H. S. Frosh, 16; C. H. S. 2nd team (at Camden), 4.
R. H. S. Frosh (2nd team), 26; R. H. S. Juniors, 8.
R. H. S. Frosh, 23; Rockport 2nd team (at Rockport), 29.
R. H. S. Frosh, 21; C. H. S. 2nd team (at Rockland), 12.
R. H. S. Frosh, 18; R. H. S. Mixed team, 25.
R. H. S. Frosh, 7; R. H. S. Sophomores, 11.
Total—R. H. S. Frosh, 224; opponents, 167.

VINALHAVEN

Mrs. Charles H. B. Seliger has returned from a two weeks' vacation in Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. Frank Winslow and son Malcolm returned Tuesday from Stonington where they were guests of Mrs. Nellie Webster.

Mrs. Alley of Camden is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Ray Knowlton.

Mrs. B. K. Smith visited Rockland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Vinal who have been spending the winter in Wollaston, Mass., arrived home Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph Claylor was in Rockland Monday.

Marguerite Chapter, O. E. S., will confer degrees on six candidates Monday evening. There will also be balloting and ice cream and cake will be served by Mrs. Llewellyn Thomas, Edith Smith, Florence Smith and Helen Sanborn.

Rev. Mr. Seliger was in Rockland Friday evening to attend the Scottish Rites.

Mrs. Bertha E. Raymond and mother, Mrs. Marcia Healey, on April 22 will leave Fruitland Park, Florida, where they have spent the winter and expect to arrive in Vinalhaven about May 1st.

Island Home Enactment conferred the Golden Rule degree Thursday evening, on A. G. Johnson and Albert Anderson.

Churchill O'Donnell of Loring, Short & Harmon, Portland is in town this week.

De Valois Commandery K. T. conferred degrees on candidates Thursday evening.

April 17 is the third Sunday after Easter and will be observed at the Union Congregational church by reading the appropriate lessons for the day. Rev. C. H. B. Seliger will preach on "The Challenge to the Church." Morning worship at 11:30, with fine singing. Evening worship at 7 o'clock. There will be the usual lively singing. The pastor will speak on an up to date subject. The Bible school is advancing steadily. The parents are cordially invited to take an interest in the adult classes.

The club connected with the Knights of Honour class of the Union Congregational church held their first meeting for the year Wednesday evening at the home of their teacher Mrs. William Cold. One new member who had filled the requirements of regular Sunday school attendance was admitted to membership. The officers elected were as follows: President, Neil Calderwood; Vice Presidents, Warren Beggs, Milton Ames, Ernest Tolman, Curtis Webster; secretary, Max White; treasurer, Malcolm Winslow. Plans were made for an entertainment in the middle of May. Luncheon was served by Mrs. Cold assisted by her mother Mrs. Grinnell.

THE PAST WEEK IN REVIEW

The Courier-Gazette's Brief Glance At the Most Important Things Engaging the World's Attention.

The New Congress.

The new Congress, which opened its special session April 11, confronts such a mass of important business as few of its predecessors have had to cope with. And it is so constituted that, whatever it does or fails to do, it will be an easy matter to assign party responsibility, for the new Senate has a Republican majority of 32 in place of the meagre margin of 2 in the last Congress, and in the House there are 301 Republicans to 132 Democrats and 15 Absentees. A natural consequence, also, of the Republican landslide last November, is the presence in both houses, of an unusual number of new members, a considerable proportion of whom are inexperienced in public affairs. There are some differences of opinion among the Republicans and some possibilities of Republican "insurgency" on some issues, but there is little chance of anything like a Republican "split."

President Puts Home Questions First.
President Harding, in his message to Congress, which he delivered in person as President Wilson was wont to do, gave home questions the first place. He urged revision of taxation, an emergency tariff bill; economy in expenditures; the creation of a national budget system; investigation of the railroad problem; improved highways; the establishment of a great merchant marine; ample cable and radio service; the encouragement of aviation; the consolidation of all agencies for veteran relief under one directing head; the creation of a department of public service to coordinate activities in the realms of education, public health, sanitation, conditions of workers in industry, child welfare, proper amusement and recreation, the elimination of social vice and many other subjects.

The Race Question.

Turning to a consideration of the race question, the President urged Congress "to wipe the stain of barbaric lynching from the banners of a free and orderly representative democracy." He emphasized the difficulties arising from the presence in our population of millions of people of African descent, constituting in some states a large proportion of population, and suggested that some of the difficulties might be ameliorated by humane and enlightened consideration of the situation, "and an effort to formulate, if not a policy, at least an attitude of mind calculated to bring about the most satisfactory possible adjustment of relations between the races, and of each race to the national life." He spoke favorably of the commission embracing representatives of both races, to study and report on the entire subject.

The League of Nations Rejected.

The President declared plainly that in the existing League of Nations, "world-governing with its super-powers, this republic will have no part." The highest purpose of the League of Nations, he said, was defeated in linking it with the Treaty of Peace and making it the enforcing agency of the victors of the war. But, he added, in rejecting the League covenant, and uttering that rejection to the world, "we make no surrender of our hope and aim for an Association to Promote Peace, which we would most heartily join." The United States, he said, is not alone among the Allied and Associated Powers, in continuing in a technical state of war against the Central Powers of Europe. To remove this anomaly, the President would approve a declaratory resolution by Congress, declaring the state of peace which all America craves, but going no further.

Many British Mines Ruined.

The refusal of the striking miners to allow men to work the pumps and keep the mines clear of water resulted in the ruin of many of the mines. Especially in the Rhondda valley, one of the richest coal fields in the world, water poured into some of the pits at the rate of thousands of gallons a minute, and some of the mines will never be workable again, while others will require months to make them productive. Stirred by the gravity of the crisis, increased by the threatened participation of the railwaymen and transport workers in the strike, the Government called the army and navy reservists to the public defence, and thousands of volunteers, especially those of the so-called Middle Class Workers, offered their services. In some districts, local mine workers refused to join in the strike—denouncing it as a soviet movement. On the 9th of April, the Miners' Federation agreed to abstain from interfering with measures necessary to secure the safety of the mines, and a conference was called for April 11th.

A Very Grave Crisis.

It is interesting everywhere that the obstinate refusal of the miners to conduct negotiations or to defer their strike brings the British Government to the most serious crisis it has had to face since the beginning of the world war. What the miners are really contending for is not a mere wage question, but the nationalization of the mines, and a pooling of profits. On April 13, the Triple Alliance of railway men and transport workers issued a manifesto in support of the miners' claims, and calling a national strike in their support, beginning at 10 o'clock on the night of April 15. A number of other labor unions have expressed sympathy with the strike, and may join it.

The Georgia Peonage Cases.

In the Georgia peonage cases, to which reference was made in this column two weeks ago, the court made quick work of the trial of John S. Williams, who was charged with murder in connection with the deaths of 14 negroes on his plantation. The verdict of the jury was "guilty" and the sentence was imprisonment for life. The testimony of his farm boys, Clyde Manning, who helped in the killings under Williams' orders, disclosed such ruthless cruelty as has rarely been known outside of Russia. April 11, new indictments were brought in Jasper county against Williams, his three sons, and Manning, for the murders committed in that county. The earlier trial was in Newton county. These murders were the outcome of the iniquitous peonage system widely prevalent in some of the Southern States, under which unscrupulous farmers pay the fines of negroes sentenced for small offences, and carry them off into a state of practical slavery.

Death of the Former German Empress.

The former German Empress, Augusta Victoria, who had been for some time in failing health, died at Doorn, Holland, April 11, just one year after she suffered her first attack of heart disease. Frequent attacks during the year had so reduced her strength that when her mother, former Princess Joachim, committed suicide in Berlin last July, the news of his death was kept from her for a long time, and the fact that it was suicide was never communicated to her. Former Emperor William and Prince Adalbert were at her bedside when she died. The body was taken to Potsdam for burial in the Temple Tomb.

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It is said that middle age is the most trying period in a woman's life, and owing to modern methods of living not one woman in a thousand passes through this perfectly natural change without experiencing very annoying symptoms. Those mothering spells, the dreadful hot flashes that send the blood rushing to the head until it seems as though it would burst, and the faint feeling that follows, as if the heart were going to stop, those sinking or dizzy spells are all symptoms of a nervous condition, and indicate the need for a special medicine. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a root and herb medicine especially adapted to act upon the feminine system. It acts in such a manner as to build up the weakened nervous system and enables a woman to pass this trying period with the least possible annoying symptoms.

Women everywhere should remember that most of the commoner ailments of women are not the surgical ones—they are not caused by serious displacements or growths, although the symptoms may be the same, and that is why so many apparently serious ailments readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it acts as a natural restorative and often prevents serious troubles.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent to you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information.

WATERMAN'S BEACH

I can't say that I am pleased that there is another town to be put on the map of the State of Maine. We regret to lose the town's head, even if it was an Owl's Head. Time is a great healer. It will not be long before we forget that we had our head cut (or rather set) off.

His good natured having dug a well near his back door and has it walled up in good shape. He used the stone wall to build the well wall. It rained several times while he was working on it and it was no one man's job to keep the water out. Mrs. Cowling was his right-hand man in bailing water and carting stone. Who says the women have a right to vote?

The Waterman Farm is being very useful to them, not only in a business way, but they can now talk with their son Harrie, who is taking a two-year course in college, and Emily can of course talk with her fellow when she feels lonely.

W. W. Godfrey has bought the Sidney Jackson lot and intends to cultivate blueberries as a side line. This lot was deeded to Alexander Jackson in 1856 by Joshua Thorndike. Alexander Jackson's first wife was a Thorndike but not Sidney Jackson's mother.

I had a little brush fire about three weeks ago, to try to make two quarts of blueberries grow where one quart has hitherto grown. In trying to put the fire out I burnt my foot so severely that I am still on the limp. I tried all kinds of salve on the burn and finally got some from Dr. Bartlett that did the trick. I was obliged to use something else also to cool it off and found that corn starch was just the thing.

While I was nursing that foot the rats raided my henpen and killed 20 of my early chicks. If the rats had killed only what they could eat at one meal I wouldn't kick, but they left them in a pile to rot away some other time. Those chicks were fed on rolled oats and hard boiled eggs in order to make them good layers next winter. I didn't see a rat in the place last year.

Chancy Morrell and L. S. Godfrey have left Norfolk for North Carolina. Their wives are on the way home. I had an order for 18 dozen eggs from W. O. Fuller and 10 dozen from Dr. Bartlett. James Baum got the orders mixed. After waiting a week and not hearing from Mrs. Fuller I telephoned her and found she hadn't received the eggs. It turned out that while the doctor was composing that salve his housekeeper was sitting down the Fuller eggs. Thus the doctor got 18 dozen and Willie got only 10.

I had a letter Thursday from E. A. Clark of National City, California. Bert says that at one time there was no rain for seven years and it put the place on the bum. It was very dry there when he wrote, April 6. They had had strawberries all winter, some as big as hen's eggs. Bert says he has me down and out on the smart old people and sent a clipping from a local paper to prove the fact. Here it is:

"John Jennings, who gave his age as 104, but does not look more than 40, was fined \$25 for speeding this morning in police court by Judge Davin, and was sentenced to three days in the county jail for driving while drunk. Jennings was arrested on the National City dyke yesterday afternoon by Motorcycle Officer Armstrong, who stated that Jennings was going more than 40 miles an hour, and was drunk. Armstrong stated that Jennings narrowly missed crashing into several machines, and was so drunk that he could hardly keep his machine on the road. Why Jennings gave his age as 104 when booked at the county jail is still unexplained."

C. D. S. G.

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

The mind was deep; the wind it roared; But what cared we as we soared, For we had bought a brand-new Ford

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A Sedan for the business man,

To keep out snow and rain,

And a natty, little Roadster,

Which is well fitted by men,

A Coupe for the lovers,

As cozy as can be,

And a nice roomy Touring Car

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A Model 90 Overland. Only \$400.

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2 Model 490 Chevrolets—vintage of 1917; \$250 each.

A Buick 4, 1917 Model. Only \$450.

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MRS. HANSON SIMMONS

Mrs. Victorine Simmons, widow of the late Hanson B. Simmons, died April 5 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Burton, in Woodfords, after an illness of 15 weeks, caused by a fall down a flight of stairs. She bore this painful illness with remarkable courage. Everything that loving hearts could do for her was done by her children and friends. Mrs. Simmons was devoted mother and a staunch friend and neighbor. Any who came to her in any trouble always received her sympathy and her help if it was possible. She will be greatly missed by everyone. She leaves to mourn her loss her sons, William F. of Rockland, Fred C. of Waterville, N. Y., Arthur H. of Portland; a daughter, Mrs. W. J. Burton of Woodfords; and two brothers, Charles M. Auspaul of Bridgton and Wilbert N. Auspaul of Union.

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STEAMSHIP CAMDEN

Leave Rockland Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 8 P. M. for Boston.

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Leave Bangor 2 P. M. for Rockland, Boston and way landings.

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Return—Leave Bar Harbor 1:00 P. M. for Rockland and way landings.

BLUE HILL LINE

Leave Rockland Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 5 A. M. for Dark Harbor, Eggemoggin, South Brooksville, Sargentville, Deer Isle, Brooklin, South Blue Hill, due Blue Hill 11:45 A. M.

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Leaves Camden every morning on arrival of electric car from Rockland at 8:00 A. M., Sunday excepted.

Returning, leaves Lewis Wharf, Belfast, at 1:30 P. M. for West Islesboro and Camden, arriving at 3:45 in time for the car for Rockland.

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The direct route between ROCKLAND, VINALHAVEN, NORTH HAVEN, STONINGTON, ISLE AU HAUT and SWAN'S ISLAND.

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THOMASTON

Russell Davis has bought a Ford limousine.

The Beta Alpha will hold its regular meeting in the vestry Monday evening. The Baptist church has extended a call to Rev. Roy H. Short of Roxbury, Mass.

Peter Hill is spending a few days with his daughter in Bristol.

Mrs. Ora Bryant has returned to Bath after making a short visit with Mrs. B. F. Kellar.

Mrs. Anne Kallach has returned from Searsmont, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kallach. They are guests at Fred Fernald's.

Miss Elvira Ireland was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening, at her home on Knox street, with a utility shower, given by her friends of Rockland. Many useful articles were received. Refreshment were served and games, dancing and music were enjoyed.

Miss Sallie Fairbrother of Ellsworth is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sturtevant.

Miss Dorothy Whitney has returned to Boston where she will resume her studies at the N. E. Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Edgar French returned to Everett today.

Miss Anna Dillingham who has been spending her vacation in town returned to Boston today.

Wilbur Strong and sons Billy and Walter returned Friday from Waterville where they have been spending the week with Mrs. Strong.

At the Methodist church Sunday Rev. Arthur E. Hoyt will preach his farewell sermon, after a most successful pastorate of three years. In the evening Arcana Lodge, K. of P. and Mayflower Temple will attend in a body. Special music will be rendered at both services by a mixed quartet, also solos by Stanley Cushing.

Capt. John Brown is very comfortable after an operation at Knox Hospital.

Rehearsals are progressing finely for the Japanese operetta "Princess Chrysanthum," to be presented soon in Watts hall by the pupils of the Grammar school, under the direction of Miss Elvira Gardner and Miss Margaret Ruggles, assisted by Miss Margaret Ahern of Rockland.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rider and children of Providence, R. I., arrived Friday in their car and will visit Mrs. Ella Rider. They were accompanied by Mrs. Alice O'Brien who will visit relatives in Rockland.

S. E. Smith has recently purchased a Haynes touring car.

The Baptist Mission Circle will meet in the church parlor at 2.30 Monday afternoon. The social circle will hold an all day session in the vestry Wednesday, box lunch being served at noon.

Mrs. W. B. Foster returned to Rochester, N. H. Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Richards of Bath, Mrs. H. G. Fales of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Fales and Eugene F. Fales of Wrentham, returned to their respective homes Thursday, having been called here by the death of their mother, Mrs. Abbie Fales.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barry have returned from Boston.

Everybody interested in health is invited to attend the April meeting of the Knox County Public Health Association, to be held in the Congregational vestry in this town Wednesday evening, April 27, at 7.30 o'clock. Dr. H. D. Worth of Bangor, District Health Officer, and Dr. J. W. Loughlin, Health Officer for this district, will be present to address the meeting.

Worth will speak on "The Individual's Responsibility in Public Health Work." At the regular meeting of Grace Chapter O. E. S. Wednesday, Seaside Chapter of Camden was entertained. Supper was served at 6 o'clock, with the following menu: baked beans, cold ham, scalloped potatoes, salad, doughnuts, assorted cake and coffee. Degrees were conferred upon Mrs. Alice Leonard and Miss Hortense Wilson. In the program that followed, mandolin duets rendered by Messrs. Bramhall and Gleason were enjoyed, and Miss Gee Gee of the Fiji Islands in native costume and song was the hit of the evening. It was voted to accept the invitation of Harbor Light Chapter, Rockport, for next Tuesday evening, and all who are able to will please take the 5.15 car.

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CAMOUFLAGED EGGS

How a Thomaston Hen Turned the Joke on Miles Weston.

Do hens think?

Miles Weston of Thomaston believes he has the answer, and it is a decided affirmative.

Mr. Weston had a setting hen, but for the time being no setting of eggs with which to accommodate her. So he made a very alluring nest, and in the middle of it deposited three porcelain eggs.

Biddy seemed quite content, and sat upon the camouflaged eggs as though her life depended upon it.

Eventually a setting of genuine eggs arrived, and was placed with the imitation ones in the nest. The hen's happiness was now surely complete.

Fancy Mr. Weston's astonishment next day when he went into the shed and found that the hen had shifted her nest, carefully transferring all but three of the eggs into it.

The three porcelain eggs had been rejected.

Do hens think?

CAMDEN

The Past Noble Grands Association will meet with Mrs. Ida Russell, Pleasantville, next Wednesday. Autos will meet the cars at 10.30 and 11.30 at Warren to take the members to the farm. Dinner will be served.

A nicely bound copy of "The Glimpses of Camden" has recently been sent to President Harding by Wilder W. Perry, who has done much to bring Camden to the notice of a fine class of people.

He received the following reply: "The White House, Washington, Apr. 5, 1921.—My Dear Mr. Perry: The President has received the copy of the book which you have been good enough to send him and he asks me to thank you cordially for your courtesy in the matter. He appreciates your thought of him. (Signed) George B. Christian, Jr., Secretary to the President."

Representative and Mrs. A. V. Elmore have returned from Augusta.

Mrs. Reuel Robinson has arrived home from a winter's visit in Florida.

On the return journey she visited Orlando, Daytona and Deland and was delighted with each resort, but thought none of them quite equalled St. Petersburg in beauty, activity and interest.

Miss Mary Hanley of Lewiston has been the guest of Miss Marion Knowlton.

Mrs. E. B. Clark and son Lewis have been spending a few days in West Rockport.

The Comique will close next Tuesday for about a week, to be renovated outside and in and to install a large booth for two machines. The management will show the pictures in the opera house during that time.

Charles Henderson has been caught in Lake Megunticook the past week. Dan Dickens led with a hand-some 6½ pound salmon which has been the envy of local anglers. H. P. Libby of the fish hatchery was not far behind him with a 6 pound salmon and a 3 pound trout. Forrest Young also caught a nice salmon.

Mrs. Henry Fogler has returned to West Rockport after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Clark.

Misses Porter of High street have returned from a winter's visit in Florida.

Mrs. Stanton Dearborn and son Edward are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Thomas in Bangor.

A spring meeting of the Garden Club will be held next Tuesday at the Y. M. C. A. There will be a discussion of the plan for the new clubhouse. Through the generosity of Mr. Bok, Dorothy Perkins rose were taken from the roadside bordering his estate on the Hope road. Members are requested to attend the meeting, when the roses will be given each one present.

Children of Mr. George Dearborn, who have been spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maker, have returned to Lincolnville Beach.

Mrs. Ruby G. Cross left Thursday for Quincy, Mass., to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thomas and guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dearborn.

Mrs. Laura Drinkwater has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. W. Thorndike in Thomdikeville.

Mrs. John Gould visited her sister, Mrs. R. F. Ames, in Roxbury, Mass., last week.

Mrs. M. S. Smart of Concord, N. H., is in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freeman of Rockland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Greene this week.

Arnold Calahan '22, and Maurice Edwards '22, are to represent Camden High at the annual Lyford Speaking prize contest at Colby on May 8, a contest open to all schools in Maine and New Hampshire. The prizes aggregate \$100.

The baseball schedule as far as it has been arranged will be as follows: April 23—Vinalhaven.

April 24—Thomaston at Thomaston.

May 14—Lincoln Academy, pending.

May 21—Rockland.

May 25—Rockport at Rockport.

May 28—Bucksport Seminary, pending.

May 30—Thomaston.

June 4—Vinalhaven at Vinalhaven (excursion).

June 8—Lincoln Academy at New Castle.

June 11—Rockland at Rockland.

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Cash in Office and Bank 551,184.29

Receivables 6,717.56

Interest and Rents 68,313.06

All other Assets 6,482.65

Gross Assets \$5,762,253.46

Deduct items not admitted 362,384.94

Admitted Assets \$5,399,868.47

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1920

Net Unpaid Losses \$791,700.00

Unearned Premiums 2,297,792.69

All other Liabilities 138,283.83

Cash Capital 1,000,000.00

Contingent Reserve Fund 875,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities 875,000.00

Total Liabilities and Surplus \$5,399,868.47

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Rockport

INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA

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Assets Dec. 31, 1920

Real Estate \$779,477.20

Mortgage Loans 159,224.25

Stocks and Bonds 32,895,868.73

Cash in Office and Bank 3,3

In Social Circles

In addition to personal notes recording deaths and arrivals, this department especially desires information of social happenings, parties, musicals, etc. Notes sent by mail or telephone will be gladly received.

Miss A. F. Pillsbury of Minneapolis is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Fields, Summer street.

Mrs. Julia Kellam, after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Ellingwood, has returned to her home in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gross of Swan's Island announce the engagement of their daughter Alice to William Babson of Deer Isle, Me.

Mrs. Hugo Cross of Guilford is in town for a week, the guest of her father, Capt. Israel Snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Lody Cross and the former's grandfather, Al. Kelley, arrived yesterday from Hollywood, Calif., where Mr. Kelley has been making his home the past year, and where Mr. and Mrs. Cross have been spending the winter. The trio made the trip from New Orleans to New York by boat, and journeyed the remainder of the distance in Mr. Cross' motor car. Home and home friends looked exceedingly good to the travelers.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church April 6 the following officers were elected: Mrs. George Lurvey, president; Mrs. A. W. Gregory and Mrs. L. N. Littlehale, vice presidents; Mrs. David Connors, treasurer; Mrs. S. H. Rogers, secretary; Mrs. H. V. Tweedie, assistant secretary; Mrs. George Merchant, chairman of work committee. The society has closed a very pleasant and successful year.

Miss Kathleen Snow, librarian of the Millinocket Memorial Library, comes home today for the weekend.

In connection with the East Warren tragedy which for the past week has occupied public attention, a special word of commendation is due to the officials upon whom fell the responsibilities of investigation and the court hearing. That every channel of examination was intelligently explored is clearly recognized and the conclusion reached by Judge Miller was based upon common-sense. It would have been easy to saddle upon the county the heavy costs of a trial, with no prospect whatever of a conviction.

Mrs. Lillian Joyce returned Tuesday night from a weekend visit with Miss Helen Kellar, West End, Portland. Sunday Mrs. Joyce witnessed the military funeral procession from the City hall to the cemetery in which the remains of Harold T. Andrews, the first Maine boy to fall in the World War, and recently brought back from France, were carried to their last resting place.

Hyman Alperin has returned from Worcester, Mass., where he was the guest of relatives while on a business visit.

Mrs. Edward Kirby of Weymouth, Penn. is spending the week at her home in this city, after which she will go to Portland for the summer.

A very pleasant evening was spent Tuesday when Misses Edna and Leola Benner gave a tin shower for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heath, Old County road. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Benner, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Benner, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Austin Gardner, Alfred, Milton, Arthur and Everett Benner, Dorothy, Audrey and Maxine Blackington, Caroline Sherer, Orrin Benner, Mrs. Walter Benner, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Benner and son Theodore and Hattie Vernal. The evening was spent in playing games and singing songs, refreshments were served and many gifts were presented.

Miss Esther Chapman of Chester, Pa., is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Koster, Broad street. Her father accompanied her to this city and is now the guest of relatives in Nobleboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Wilkie (Helen Snow), who have been making their home in Ridgewood, N. J., are now residing at 50 Mechanic street. Mr. Wilkie is in the employ of the Rockland Motor Mart.

Eleven members of Bird Branch, Sunshine Society, visited the telephone exchange on School street, by special invitation, recently, and viewed with interest verging upon amazement the work and equipment of the several departments. In the party were Mrs. W. B. Miles, president; Mrs. E. J. Southard, past president; Mrs. J. S. Jenkins, vice president; Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Merchant, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Wiley, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Hatch and Mrs. Samuel Aylward. The members enjoyed their visit very much and appreciate the kindness and courtesy shown by Mrs. Hazel Foss, chief operator, and Victor P. Hall, wire chief. The Society meet next Monday with Mrs. Miles, and a quilt will be tacked.

The fifth birthday of Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Hanson, and a very popular young miss, was celebrated Tuesday afternoon at the home, 20 Grove street. The table was decorated in pink, a large pink plant in the center containing favors to which were attached ribbons extending to each of the little guests. There was also an attractive May basket at each plate. Two handsome birthday cakes, with pink and white frosting, added to the attractive effect of the table decorations. Ice cream and cake were served. In the contest to pin the tail on the donkey, Miss Bertha Knight and William Rounds won the prizes. The guests were Lucy French, Erna and Clinton Pickett, Ruth Leach, Charles Bicknell, Edward Lawrence, William Glover, Jr., Gail Sharpe, Virginia Norman and Wilbur Condon, Virginia Healey, Cynthia Wasson, Mary Lawrence, Bertha Knight, Howe Glover, William Rounds, Boardman Fish and Robert Hanscom.

ROBERTS-SIMMONS
Chester Roberts of Rockport and Miss Elva Hart Simmons of this city were united in marriage Thursday evening at the First Baptist parsonage by Rev. B. P. Browne, the double ring ceremony being used. They were attended by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts of Rockport. Mrs. Roberts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Simmons of Gay street, and has a position as stenographer in Rockport. Mr. Roberts is an electrician and member of the American Legion. The good wishes of many friends will follow these popular young people.

CUTE CHILDREN

Delighted the Spectators At Miss Harvey's Third Annual Juvenile Ball.

Miss Harvey's third annual juvenile ball and dancing recital at the Arcade last evening brought out the usual large gathering of parents and friends of the pupils. Marston's Orchestra furnished music for the occasion, and from the opening march, led by the two smallest pupils, Virginia Proctor and Virginia Healey, to the closing number, everything went off to perfection. Even the violent downpour of rain all day and evening failed to interfere in any way with the great success.

The first special number was the Spanish gypsy dance by Gertrude Smith, dressed as a boy, and her partner, Clemmie Blackington, both in striking Spanish costumes, using tambourines and castanets.

Huckleberry Finns and Sunbonnet Sues by the little beginners class was a lively number, the girls being in aprons and sunbonnets and the boys in overalls and farmers hats.

A graceful number was the Blue Danube Waltzes, with waves by 10 girls dressed in pale blue nature costumes; duet in pink; trio in green; solo by Charlotte Cahill Rausser in pink orchid.

Little Virginia York did a cute little composition of her own make up, to waltz music. The trio waltz by Frances Atwood, Lucy Marsh and Marion Marsh with its many intricate changes, was very well done.

Shadowland Gavotte was one of the prettiest numbers on the program, six little misses presenting it. Nature Studies by Charlotte Cahill Rausser was an interpretation dance. She represented Dawn, Birds Awake, Daisy Chains, Shepherd's Pipe and Sundown, in appropriate color scheme of costumes.

The solo, "Joy," by Charlotte Cahill Rausser, was the event of the evening. Dressed in white and gold ballet costume, her toe dancing and posing was perfection and an encore was given. The young dancer is a pupil of the celebrated Russian ballet master, Michael Fokine of New York City, and has had wide stage experience.

The class dances, one-step, waltz, fox-trot, clapping one step, Swedish schottische, baby polka and Swedish pixie were all well done by the classes.

The finale march, led by Ruth Clark and Ruth Stevenson, ended the interesting program and as they passed, each couple made a graceful bow and courtesy to Miss Harvey. Then the floor was cleared for general dancing for all. It was a most successful exhibition in every way, and a credit as usual to Miss Harvey, whose career here for several years as a dancing teacher has been little short of phenomenal.

The full program of the juvenile ball and dancing recital appeared in Thursday's issue. By mistake the names of Ruth Mealey and Estelle Hall were omitted from the list of pupils in the Swedish schottische.

Mrs. Jennie Bird was in Bangor this week to attend the performance of "The Egyptian Princess," which was given by co-eds of the University of Maine, under the direction of Miss Madeline Bird. The Bangor newspapers praised the performance very highly.

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Something decidedly new will be shown Monday and Tuesday, under the title of "Shipwrecked Among Cannibals." Never have there been pictures like these—absolutely authentic, yet surpassing in drama the wildest fictions of scenario writers. When Edward Laemmle and William F. Alder set out to obtain for Universal, in co-operation with the Southern California Academy of Sciences, some pictures of the South Sea Islands, they had no expectation of being shipwrecked—least of all on a cannibal island where only other foreign visitor, a missionary, had met his terrible end only a few months before. As a result, these pictures have a reality about them which convinces as nothing else could do. You will look on these marvelous scenes of savagery and know that at last you are seeing cannibal life as it really is—and throughout you will feel the same dread that Messrs. Laemmle and Alder felt until happily they were rescued and were able to bring these wonderful pictorial records back to civilization.—adv.

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2 yards plaiting @ 50c 1.00
¾ yard organdy @ \$1.00 .25
1 pattern .30
Findings .30

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9430—1½ yds. 32-in. Gingham @ 75c \$3.38
¾ yd. 40-in. organdy @ \$1.00 .50
1¾ yds. plaiting @ 50c .63
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Scalloped pattern No. 12578 .30
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About this time of year The Courier-Gazette begins to have inquiries by mail from persons who wish to visit this part of Maine during the summer season. They seek to rent a cottage or to find board. There is no prepared list of such accommodations anywhere to be had, but there ought to be. We purpose carrying in our column of classified advertising announcements of this character, which the paper will convey to distant points and copies of which we can mail in response to inquiries for information. The attention of those with boarding accommodations, or cottages for rent or sale, is invited to this opportunity to obtain publicity at very small cost.

THE DERELICT

[For The Courier-Gazette]
Adrift and alone on a storm-tossed sea.
Far out on the ocean of life.
A soul that is tortured with doubt and despair
Cries out to be freed from the strife.
Embittered, disheartened, defiant,
Unmindful of friends that are true.
I ask you, last one, to all kindness,
Have you acted the best that's in you?
Take your bearings again, my dear brother,
Another look at your compass and chart,
Forget the past and its failures,
Resolve that you'll make a new start;
After the tempest the sunshine,
After the darkness the dawn,
'Tis nature's creed, in word and in deed,
And as true as the day you were born.
You have tasted the dregs that are bitter,
Seen your hopes and ambitions collapse;
Do not give up the ship, my dear brother,
You're on a course that was ordered, perhaps,
To mourn or to hate avails nothing.
The battle is won by the strong,
To murmur is simply to weaken,
To fall, an admission of wrong.
Rockport, April 11. Burton F. Richards.

SOUTH THOMASTON

There is to be an entertainment,
dance and ice cream sale in Grange
hall next Thursday evening, the
proceeds to be applied to the fund being

raised for repairs on Pleasant Valley
avenue, more commonly called Butter-
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MONDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

IN THE MOVIE WORLD

Items Which Deal With the Public's Most Popular Recreation.

(By R. Wall Doe)

Mary Pickford has established in New York a home for orphan children. Mary is always mothering some little unfortunate, and from the way she cares for her pets in the pictures it is plain that her maternal instinct is very pronounced.

Charlie Chaplin is reported as again considering matrimony, but as far as can be ascertained nothing definite has yet been announced. This time it is said that he has selected a young Broadway star, not yet out of her teens. Charlie's first wife, Mildred Harris was scarcely more than a child when she became the wife of this world famous comedian. Incidentally, the management of Park Theatre tells the writer that the latest Chaplin release "The Kid" has positively been looked for showing here in May. No one will want to miss this one, heralded as Charlie's most famous production.

Exhibitors all over the country report an overwhelming request from patrons for Tom Mix productions. Surely this unkempt "cow man" has developed himself into a real star. As hero of "The Texan" at Park Theatre recently his looks certainly had its effect on a couple of young ladies in the balcony who were heard to remark, "Oh he used to be so homely I never liked him, but now he is just wonderful." Rockland fans are fortunate to see Mix so often.

"How Movies Are Made," a very interesting and instructive series of articles now running in the Boston Post has attracted a lot of attention, especially the articles telling of the first motion pictures. The first real movie drama was made by the Edison Co. at the outrageous cost of \$400. People were astounded by this enormous outlay of money on such a foolish venture. But according to the article, this picture which was 900 feet long, titled "The Great Robery," and published without a foot of reading matter between the scenes, netted the Edison the tidy sum of \$30,000. The writer recalls seeing this picture in the Fairland Theatre in Camden years ago.

Those who were disappointed at not being able to see Mary Miles Minter in "All Souls Eve" which was booked to appear here last month but was cancelled on account of the High School play, will have the opportunity of seeing this picture at Park Theatre April 25 and 26. Another picture in which this pretty little player stars is booked here May 13 and 14, titled "The Little Clown." Another picture, which was cancelled early in March, and which will be shown here the 6th and 7th was "The Last Of The Mohicans," a Maurice Tourneur special production by J. Fenimore Cooper.

ST. GEORGE

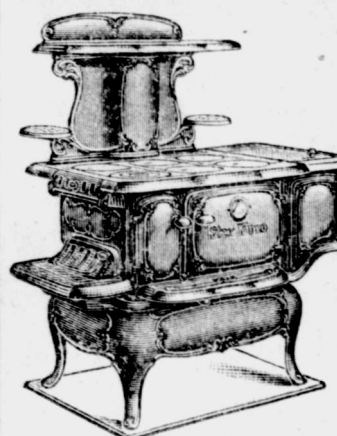
Mrs. Eliza Hathorn died Tuesday night of pleuro pneumonia. She will be missed very much as she always had a kind word for everyone. This makes three persons who have been taken from our midst within a month. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson were called here Sunday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Elsie Kinney.

Harry Kinney has returned to Auburn where he has work.

Wallace Brown is home from South West Harbor on a 10 days furlough. The road machine is in operation and will soon have some good roads, which are much needed.

J. A. Ewell has traded his old truck for a new one.

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SOUTH SOMERVILLE

Gilmore Bowman who has been away two years is visiting relatives here and at West Washington.

William Hall of Union was a business caller at Charles Allard's and S. L. Bartlett's Monday.

L. W. Bartlett went to Jefferson Sunday to visit his son Erville who is attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Brewer who have been visiting their daughter in Brunswick for a week returned Saturday, driving a new car.

Allie James of West Washington while calling at the home of A. A. Bartlett, where he had employment last year, received a surprise by being given some things by Mrs. Bartlett which he left there and thought he had used.

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Tanlac is sold in Rockland by Corner Drug Store; in Washington by F. L. Ludwig; in North Haven by W. S. Hopkins; in South Thomaston by L. O. Hanley, and by the leading druggists in every town.—adv.

AT PARK THEATRE

Champlin Stock Co. Will Present Delightful Plays Next Week.

The Charles K. Champlin Stock Company, which is the attraction at Park Theatre next week possesses a most enviable reputation in the theatrical world. Mr. Champlin, the head of the organization, has had one of the most successful careers of any actor who ever engaged in the presentation of stock shows, which, incidentally is regarded as the most difficult branch of the show business. To be a successful stock actor is the highest tribute that can be paid any artist, and Rockland theatre-goers are, it is claimed, exceptionally fortunate in the fact that the cast Mr. Champlin has surrounded himself with this season is conceded to be, not only the best that has ever supported him but one that is second to none in the country.

Mr. Champlin has given each play in his repertoire a great amount of attention and forethought, and special scenery and electrical effects that he carries enable him to mount his productions in a lavish manner. That he certainly has the plays is evidenced by the fact that his list for the week includes, "Cappy Ricks," last season's big New York success; "Daddy Long Legs," Ruth Chatterton and Henry Miller's most successful starring vehicle; "Broadway Jones," one of the best plays George M. Cohan ever penned; "The Crimson Alibi," the sensation of New York last season; "The Unmarried Mother," a play of today; "Broken Threads," another big Broadway success; "The House of Guilt," a play of gripping interest and "Kick In," one of the best crowd plays ever written. The opening play is "Daddy Long Legs."—adv.

RAZORVILLE

The following were guests of Alonzo and Verneta Farrar Sunday: Sebra and Frances Crocker, Marcia Hatch, Blynn Sidelinger, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Humes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Clark. Refreshments were served.

Missionary W. E. Overlock has returned from a trip to some of the islands. While at Vinalhaven he was the guest of Rev. C. H. E. Sellinger, also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kimball at their beautiful home on Leadbetter Island. Mrs. Kimball will be remembered by a host of friends as Miss Angie Collins, second daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Osgood Collins, who lived in the north part of the town for many years.

Mont Grotten attended court at Rockland last week.

The highway roads, with the exception of being rough, are in the best condition they have been for years. In a few places there are yet some mud holes which are in the woods where the sun and wind cannot reach them.

What came near being a serious conflagration was averted by the use of the telephone last week when Ralph Hibbert carried a pall of ashes which he thought all fire was out of and spread them on the grass ground in his field, which is a custom with many. He was fitting wood at the door and smelling smoke he stopped work to investigate the cause and saw flames which the wind was rushing toward his house. He tried to stamp the fire out and called Mrs. Hibbert to assist, but the wind was so strong and flames had gained such headway that it was impossible to conquer. They had left their little daughter Irene in the house to care for their four weeks old baby. Irene had the rare presence of mind to ring up on the telephone for help and finding it in use she persistently called and soon help arrived and saved the buildings. The fire had reached to within 20 feet of the house.

MONHEGAN

Mr. and Mrs. George Pierce of Worcester, Mass., arrived here this week and will spend the summer.

Mrs. Elva Moody has been ill in Boothbay.

Capt. George Cook and Mr. Gray were in Portland last week.

Dr. Lough of Newcastle gave an interesting talk in the church Wednesday evening.

Leslie Davis was in Thomaston Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Grey, who spent the winter here went to Bangor Wednesday where they will visit their daughter and family before she moves to New Orleans. We shall miss those congenial people and hope to have them return to the island next winter.

"Chris" Nicholson has returned from a trip to Block Island.

Telephone that item of news to The Courier-Gazette, where thousands of readers will see it.

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PORT CLYDE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ingerson and daughter Alice have returned from Attleboro where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pease have returned from Newton Highlands where they spent the winter. Mr. Pease has opened his barber shop.

Rev. Mr. Wales is holding special meetings in the Advent church.

James Taylor moved his family to Tenant's Harbor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall of Portland are in town, called by the serious illness of Andrew Marshall.

Wesley Ellis has opened a fish market.

Mrs. Lena Reno of Bath is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop Thompson.

The many friends of Mrs. Fannie Elwell are grieved to learn that she was the victim of a severe shock last week. She is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lena Tibbets, in Beachmont, Mass.

Capt. Gilmore's family have returned from Thomaston where they spent the winter.

The Monroe family has returned from Rockland and is occupying one of the Balano tenements.

Mrs. Vicie Lowell visited her parents in Wiley's Corner recently.

Edward Murry's family has returned from Ash Point where they spent the winter.

Langdon Hall and Morris Wilson have been ill with the measles.

Mrs. Esther Teel has returned from a visit in Glenmere.

Miss Celia Chadwick is a guest of Mrs. Maud Stone.

Mrs. Rose Seavey has added a full line of millinery to her stock.

The Harmony Club held its regular meeting Friday evening at the home of Miss Nellie Bartlett. Special study was made of the life of Haydn. Music and games were enjoyed, refreshments were served.

The K. of P.'s held another very successful social Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Brown has been confined to her home by illness.

Schools opened Monday.

Little Melba Ulmer is recovering from her illness.

The family of Oscar Stanley is ill with the measles.

NORTH WALDOBORO

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Carrol of Union were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Teague.

Alice Winchenbach is ill and is attended by Dr. Pierpont of Washington.

Mrs. Mabel Mank who has been caring for Mrs. Lawrence Heyer and little son has returned to her home at Mank's Corner.

Capt. Arthur Thomas and two children and Miss Dorothy Shuman of St. George were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmus Shuman.

W. F. Teague made a business trip to Warren Tuesday.

G. B. Walter and D. O. Stahl attended the camera's meeting at Winslow Mills Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Johnston and son of Washington were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller.

George Grotton of Somerville is visiting George Flanders.

Frank Stone of Edgcomb and Ralph Stahl of this place have purchased Waterman's Garage at Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. George Soule and son of Waldo were Sunday guests of Sylvanus Orff.

Mrs. Lydia Belcher is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice Morse, at South Washington.

Mrs. Lawrence Heyer and little son who have been very ill with the measles are gaining.

Mrs. K. P. Teague who has been ill for the last three weeks is able to sit up.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Calderwood and Mrs. Erickson and two children of Union attended church here Sunday, and were the guests of their brother, Fred Calderwood.

W. R. Shuman of the Village called on friends here Wednesday.

Evangelist Greenwood will hold meetings at Monroe Chapel at Mank's Corner this week.

SOUTH WARREN

Percy Lermond was in Long Cove Monday on business.

Mrs. Rose Marshall and Mrs. Nettie Copeland spent Sunday with Mrs. Cleveland Burns in Friendship.

Mrs. Annie Robinson has returned to her home in Cushing, after spending the winter at Charles Libby's.

Mrs. Swartz of Bath came Monday to resume her position as housekeeper for Amasa Morse.

Mrs. Martha Kirkpatrick has finished her duties as housekeeper for Miss Susan Crighton and has gone to West Warren where she will act as housekeeper for Frank Stahl.

John Spear is building a brooder house for O. B. Libby and Nathan Copeland is building one for O. A. Copeland.

Mrs. Fannie Lermond who has been housekeeper for Leslie Copeland for the past year has gone to Rockland.

Walter Bucklin had the misfortune to be kicked by a horse belonging to Herbert Newbert Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearl Hall of Rockland was a guest at O. B. Libby's Wednesday.

Richard Spear, who has been stopping with his grandparents for the past few weeks, has returned to his home in Thomaston.

Capt. Alton Chadwick of Thomaston is doing an extensive job of painting for O. B. Libby.

ROCKVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Clough were in Rockland last week.

Are you planning to raise chickens? Is so, you had better try the Plymouth Rocks. Mr. Ranlett has 10 Plymouth Rock hens, and gets 16 or 17 eggs a day. Neighboring hens we think.

Miss Abbie Tolman was the recent guest of Mrs. Joseph Hamlin of Rockland.

Charles Barrows spent the weekend with his family.

Rockland beat us to it with that 4 1/2 pound salmon caught by Knott Perry in Chicawaukie Lake, but we are proud to say that it came from Rockville. There are many more. Better come up.

A couple of our young ladies dipped 1 1/2 pecks of smelts, Tuesday night. At least, they say they did. Lame, girls?

There may be less than a million people at Matineus, but they do have breezy items, and we enjoy reading them.

Miss Alice Tolman left Saturday for Sherman, where she will teach the spring term of school.

The hospitable doors of Camp Antlers were again opened by Mr. and Mrs. Ranlett to a party of young people for a steak fry. There have been no kinks as yet, and those who were present seem to be happy, in fact they seem hilarious.

Enoch Rawley is having a new rowboat built. It will be christened Fred, so we shall expect to hear some fish stories soon.

Mayflowers are in full bloom. Straight ahead for Rockville.

Many of the school children are down with the measles. The school house will be closed for a few days, but it is hoped that the exhibition of schoolwork can be given this month, as planned.

Lorin Lee, who has been visiting John S. Ranlett for several days left Monday for Hesperia, South Dakota, to take the baths. He will also visit San Francisco, and Southern California. He expects to return the latter part of June and spend the summer at Camp Antler's, Chicawaukie Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Orey Tolman and Mrs. L. K. Staples were in Rockland, Tuesday.

Mystery! Who brought the measles to Rockville?

APPLETON

The selectmen are in session this week.

Lysander Norwood who has been confined to his home during the winter was out riding Monday.

Mrs. Alice Robbins and little daughter recently visited her sister, Mrs. Georgia Norwood.

Fred Pease was in Rockland Monday.

Edgar Ripley and son will soon move to the place which he recently bought of his sister, Mrs. Inez Creighton.

Mrs. Irene Mink opened the spring term of school in the Elmwood district April 4.

Mrs. Lenora Fish was at Mrs. Bryant's and Mrs. Norwood's Tuesday.

George Wellington has sold his motor car.

Robert Clark is working for Leon Norwood, and George Wellington is working for Arthur Fish.

THE CALL OF SPRING

[For The Courier-Gazette]
Just about this time of year
When my thoughts go wandering
Back to other times and days,
Seems I see the old place
See the smoke-wreaths, blue and thin,
Rise and vanish in mid-air;
Pretty soon I hear the song
Songs that put to flight each care
And I seem to have more spunk
When the frogs all go "ker-chunk!"

On the crowded city street
All are strangers whom I meet;
None to care or understand,
None to give me the glad hand.
But a white cloud sailing high
Takes my thoughts back many miles,
Where an iriscent sky
At the sunset hour smiles;
And I long to pack my trunk
When the frogs all go "ker-chunk!"

Pussywills, silvery white,
Standing straight and tall tonight;
Yellow and black gleam
On the margin of the stream;
Here and there
Trembles in its sleep, then wakes;
And the earth with dew is wet,
Grass by the side of ferns and brakes
With the wine of spring I'm drunk
When the frogs all go "ker-chunk!"

Alienated and estranged
From the past; I have not changed
In my love for these things
Known these many, many springs;
Though it almost seems today
In a cluster's shade I am;
All the dull, secluded way,
All life's bitterness and shame;
But no more am I a monk
When the frogs all go "ker-chunk!"

From my hand I drop the pen,
Wondering when I'll see again
Lakes and rivers, gurgling streams,
Other dreams;
And the mist-enveloped hills
Such as April mornings show;
Life for me would have no ill
If I could leave all and go—
Take a tent and simple bunk
When the frogs all go "ker-chunk!"
Bernard Aubrey Pitman.
Appleton, April 8.

SOUTH WALDOBORO

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Little of Bristol were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Palmer.

O. S. Borneman bought a cow and calf of Albert Genthner Saturday.

A. T. French has arrived at his home here.

Miss Marcia Waterman has returned home from Massachusetts, where she spent the winter with her brother.

Norman Brown, A. W. Turner and Fred Genthner have returned home from up country on a fishing trip. Wonder who was the Jonah?

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hemenway are housekeeping at W. J. Ewell's.

George Simmons, the real estate agent has sold the Frank Haupt place to Mrs. Fannie Harding of Brighton.

Mrs. A. E. Davis was at Mrs. Emily Davis' Sunday.

Miss Sybil Creamer of West Waldoboro spent the weekend with Mrs. Freeland Vannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Wotton and Mrs. J. Wotton of Friendship were at L. E. Wallace's Sunday.

Mrs. B. R. Winchenbach has returned home from the village.

Mrs. Ella Wallace has moved her household goods to Lawry.

Mrs. E. R. Burnes and daughter Myrtle were guests of relatives in Friendship Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Turner was at Mrs. James Hottel's Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Turner and Mrs. Nellie Wallace attended the Ladies Aid meeting at Mrs. Flora Simmons' in Lawry Wednesday.

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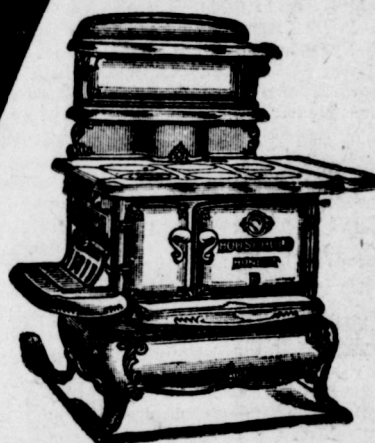
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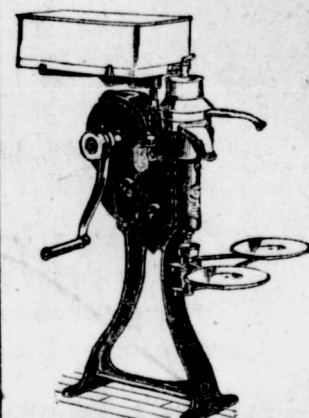
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