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**NEWSPAPER HISTORY**  
The Rockland Gazette was established in 1846. In 1874 the Courier was established and consolidated with the Gazette in 1882. The Free Press was established in 1885 and in 1891 changed its name to the Tribune. These papers consolidated March 17, 1897.

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- Calandry is man's true touchstone.  
- Beaumont and Fletcher.  
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### SAW POSTAL FILM

Rotary Club and Guests Enjoy a Picture of the Telegraph.

Rotary luncheon yesterday with a group of guests saw the tables at the Thorndike grill well filled and those seated at it in a similar comfortable condition. Fred R. Spear was cordially welcomed home from his California trip, with a record of attendance every week at some Rotary luncheon during his absence.

Chairman Wood of the Boys' Work Committee stated that the Friday luncheon on May 1 is to be served at the High School, followed by an inspection of the building. On the following day the Rotary Club is to join with the Forty Club in giving a junket to the boys of the city, in which a large group of automobiles will be enlisted.

The entertainment hour was given over to the production of the four-reel film "The Pulse of the World," produced by the Pathé people for the Postal Telegraph Co., a marvelous pictorialization of that great corporation whose wires have belted the globe and brought all corners of it into instantaneous communication. The laying and repairing of ocean cables, the line construction by land, the work carried on in the great offices showing the details of sending and receiving messages under modern conditions—all this and much more as presented on the screen making up the parts of a story as fascinating as it was instructive. For the use of the film the club is indebted to the courtesy of Frank C. Pratt, the popular manager of the local office of the Postal Telegraph Co. The reels were shown upon the machine belonging to Raymond Kittredge and operated by that gentleman, assisted by Raymond Jordan.

Besides the appointment of Glenn A. Lawrence as sergeant-at-arms, President Spear has named the following committee for the ensuing year:

Program—Frank W. Fuller, Glenn A. Lawrence, Philip A. Jones, James J. O'Hara.

Fellowship—Ralph W. Bickford, Fred R. Spear, Almon P. Richardson, Clarence E. Daniels, William Ellingwood.

Boys' Work—George B. Wood, William A. Glover, Albert C. McLaughlin, Philip A. Jones, Walter C. Ladd.

Business Methods—J. Albert Jameson, Edwin S. Levensaler, Horatio N. McLaughlin, Allan F. McAlary, Putnam P. Bicknell.

Public Affairs—Harold P. Blodgett, Arthur L. Orne, Eugene M. O'Neill, Alvin W. Foss, Israel Snow.

Rotary Education—Charles H. Duff, Edwin L. Brown, Charles M. Kallio, Walter S. Rounds, George L. St. Clair.

Publicity—William O. Fuller, Alan L. Bird, Elmer B. Crockett.

Classification—Melvin E. Wotton, Arthur L. Orne, Fred L. Lincoln.

Roster—William A. Glover, William O. Fuller, Walter C. Ladd.

## "MEET ME AT GONIA'S"

Handsomeness New Store Having Its Formal Opening At The Brook Today.

Three doors north of the store where he began business three years ago, almost to the day, Edward O.B. Gonias is today explaining to an admiring public the merits of his new emporium in the newest Rockland block. The Snappy Orchestra will furnish music from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10, and hundreds of people from all over the county will improve the opportunity to inspect the handsome and well ordered store.

"Meet me at Gonias's," is the proprietor's slogan, and it is being taken literally today. The new store is numbered 509-513 and occupies the entire ground floor and basement of the fine three-story block which represents the late Charles E. Bicknell's last and most notable contribution to Rockland's business street. The building was designed by Mr. Gonias and embodies the latest conveniences for business and apartments. It stands opposite the foot of Summer street, and has the distinction of being the only block in the business center of Main street which has light on all four sides.

The inside measurements of the store are 36x53. The arrangement represents a careful study of the customer's wants. The steel walls and ceilings are done in white, while all of the fixtures are finished in mahogany. The display tables are also Mr. Gonias's idea, everything being visible and prices plainly marked thereon. The plate glass front furnishes a splendid index of what the store carries in the way of coqueery, wall paper, toys, pictures and gifts of all kinds. There is one picture on the walls which carries no price, and money cannot buy. It was painted by a local artist, A. I. Mather, lifelong friend of the genial proprietor, and takes into account the fact that Mr. Gonias is a member of that well known order commonly called the Mystic Shrine. The picture shows a Shriner mounted on a camel, deeply engrossed in a Gonias catalogue.

The artificial lighting arrangement of the store is admirable and abundant heat is furnished by the one-pipe Glenwood furnace installed by the Burpee Furniture Co.

The patent rack for displaying wall papers is another institution in which Mr. Gonias feels considerable pride. It is so arranged that each sample can be clearly viewed by the customer seated in a chair.

The store has a distinctly unique feature, which savors of a metropolitan rather than a small city, and that is the rest room for women. It contains a writing desk, reading table, comfortable chairs and toilet accommodations. The proprietor has shown further consideration for the public by establishing a room in which the patrons can leave their packages, wraps, etc., while they are doing other errands about town.

The basement is high-posted, well lighted and handily arranged for stock distribution.

Few men are more widely known in local business circles than "Ed" Gonias. He was four years with L. E. Blackston, five years with the F. J. Simonton Co., and three with the W. O. Hewitt Co. In Portland he was three years with Porteous, Mitchell & Braun and in Boston he was with Henry Siegal Co., Gilchrist Co., and Houghton & Dutton, gaining through his various moves the broad experience which he covets.

The World War found him in the merchant marine service in the employ of the U. S. Shipping Board. Later he became master of an army mine planter, leaving these duties to fulfill his long cherished plan of going into business for himself, in the performance of which he is ably aided by the other half of his domestic partnership.

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**IN THE PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
KATHLEEN M. SNOW, LIBRARIAN

Week days: 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.  
Sundays: 3 p. m. to 6 p. m.

At the annual meeting of the trustees of the Rockland Public Library on April 11, the following officers were re-elected.

President—William T. Cobb.  
Vice President—William O. Fuller.  
Secretary—Jarvis C. Perry.  
Librarian—Kathleen Snow.

Committee on Books—W. T. Cobb, W. O. Fuller, Mrs. E. D. Spear, James A. Flynn.

Committee on Administration—R. S. Sherman, J. C. Perry, Willis A. Ayer, William D. Talbot, A. I. Mather.

The board contracted with Hutchins & French, architects of Boston, to install at the library entrance the pair of lamps to be purchased through the \$1000 bequest for that purpose under the will of the late Edward A. Butler, for many years one of the library trustees.

The design for the lamps is by Edward F. Caldwell & Co. the eminent New York artists and will be installed in about two months.

The board of trustees, elected by the City Government, three each year, to serve for a term of three years, consists of W. T. Cobb, W. O. Fuller, A. I. Mather, Rev. James A. Flynn, J. C. Perry, Willis A. Ayer, W. D. Talbot, Mrs. E. D. Spear and R. S. Sherman.

## COUNTY SALARIES

Clerk Griffin and County Attorney Campbell Get a Friendly Lift.

The salaries of a number of county officials were increased at the last session of Legislature.

In Knox County the clerk of courts salary was advanced from \$1500 to \$1800 and the salary of the county attorney was increased from \$700 to \$800. The salary of the clerk to the clerk of courts was increased from \$572 to \$720.

The Lincoln County increases were: County commissioners, \$300 to \$350. Judge of probate from \$500 to \$700 and register of deeds from \$1000 to \$1400.

It is doubtful if there was another county office in the State more deserving of a raise than that of clerk of courts in Knox County. This is an exceedingly difficult position to fill and very exacting in its requirements. In Milton M. Griffin the county has a model official, but he was serving at a salary that was entirely inadequate. The congratulations which will be extended to him, should go to the county, as the increase made it possible to keep such a valued official.

## A THUNDER-PSALM

[For The Courier-Gazette]  
Wild Thor comes driving his horses bold  
With the storm-cloud "crash his wheels";  
His hammer's blow the red earth walls  
And his wondrous coming feels.

The bright clouds split for the rushing flash  
Of the hammer driving home;  
The proud pine bows with the splintering crash  
And the rain-lashed waters foam.

The thunder-god draws back his arm  
And strikes with all his might—  
Then the cloud "crash his wheels" is gone  
And the sun streams golden light.

The strikes trees bow down to earth  
Like a troop of warriors slain;  
The rain-drenched earth is smiling up  
At a sky that is clean again.

X. H. Cassons.

You can now obtain in one-half pound packages under the Three Crow Brand, chemically pure Epsom Salts and Flowers Sulphur—adv.

**CHANCE FOR STENOGRS**  
The United States Civil Service Commission announces that a vacancy in the position of stenographer-typist at \$1320 a year exists in the office of the Federal Probation Director at Auburn. A junior stenographer and junior typist examination will be held at Lewiston, for the field service May 5, and applications for this examination must be received on or before April 28, by the District Secretary, Custom House Tower, Boston. There are also several vacancies in the office of the U. S. Commissioner of Immigration at Montreal, Canada, which will be filled as a result of this examination. Persons interested should apply at once to the Secretary of the Board of Civil Service Examiners at the Lewiston, Maine, Post-office, or to the District Secretary, Custom House Tower, Boston, for application blank and information concerning the examination.

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## A GAME SANCTUARY

Legislature Closes "The Bog" For Four Years, With Stiff Penalties.

Following is the full text of the act passed by the last Legislature creating the Knox County Preserve:

"Sec. 1. For a period of four years from the time this act takes effect, no person shall, except as hereinafter provided, at any time, hunt, pursue, shoot at or kill any wild animal or any game or wild bird, within the following described territory, situated in the city of Rockland and towns of Thomaston, Warren and Rockport, in the county of Knox, known as the Burnt Land or Bog, which territory is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at Willis Corner, so-called, on the Beechwoods road; thence westerly by the Warren Highland road to the Oyster River bridge; thence north following the course of the Oyster river to the Warren, West Rockport road; thence by said road and the Beechwoods road, easterly and southerly to Willis Corner at the point of beginning, containing approximately six thousand five hundred acres. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time wild animal or any game or wild bird or part thereof, in violation of any provision of this act. Provided, however, that it shall be lawful to hunt foxes and rabbits in the above described territory during the open season on the same as now or hereinafter provided by law, but no person shall kill in one day more than two rabbits within the limits of said sanctuary."

"Sec. 2. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten nor more than three hundred dollars and costs for each offense, or imprisonment for sixty days, or both said fine and imprisonment.—Approved March 23."

**LARGE JAIL CROP**  
Results From Recent Work of Federal Authorities In This City.

In Wednesday's session of the U. S. Court Judge Peters disposed of 41 cases on the criminal docket, 38 for violation of liquor laws. Twenty-eight pleaded guilty which made final disposition of their cases possible.

Total fines imposed amounted to \$1,140 and jail sentences imposed made a large increase in the list of inmates in Cumberland, Andros, Joggins and Knox County jails. It is the policy of the Court to cause imprisonment of Maine respondents, convicted on indictments, in the jails of their home counties.

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## "OLD IRONSIDES"

School Children of America To See That She Is Preserved.

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—The American youth for more than three generations has been inspired by the story of "Old Ironsides." No single ship in American history has ever occupied the unique place held by this famous frigate, the Constitution. For a few years lacking a century, this old ship has remained a shrine in Boston harbor. She should be reconsecrated and repaired.

One of the last bills passed by Congress authorized the Secretary of Navy to receive private donations to pay for the work that must be done to the ship to preserve her for another generation or two. It is particularly appropriate that the appeal should be made to the school children of America. The sum asked is an average of two and one-half cents for each pupil in the schools. Of course there is no compulsion about it and none will be needed, for when the children discover that "Old Ironsides" is in need of their pennies, they will see to it that she does not longer suffer.

Completed in 1793, the Constitution was put to sea for service against the French. During 1805-6 she was the flagship of Commodore Preble in the war against the Barbary States, and by her performance she rose to a high place in the affections of the sailors of that day. In August, 1812, by her victory over the British frigate Guerriere, the Constitution received world-wide fame. Throughout the war of 1812 her sailing qualities established her as the most valuable ship in the American Navy. She escaped from the pursuing quadrone, and was successful in battles with the Picton, Java, Levant and the Cayne. Then, after 15 years, she was declared unseaworthy and was ordered dismantled.

It was then Oliver Wendell Holmes, a youthful poet, wrote "Old Ironsides." The poem, three stanzas in length, published Sept. 16, 1830, kept the country like wildfire and found a place in every home. It was recited in every school and inspired thousands of patriotic addresses. Since then the ship has been an American shrine. It is best that she should be retained as such.

M. M. Brown.

Utica, N. Y.

In his volume of collected poems Oliver Wendell Holmes tells us follows the story of the famous "Old Ironsides."

This was the popular name by which the frigate Constitution was known. The poem was first printed in the Boston Daily Advertiser, at the time when it was proposed to break up the old ship as unfit for service. I submit the paragraph which led to the writing of the poem. It is from the Advertiser of Tuesday, Sept. 14, 1830:—

"Old Ironsides.—It has been affirmed upon good authority that the Secretary of the Navy has recommended to the Board of Navy Commissioners to dispose of the frigate Constitution. Since it has been understood that such a step was in contemplation we have heard but one opinion expressed, and that in decided disapprobation of the measure. Such a national pride as Old Ironsides is, should never by any act of our government cease to belong to the Navy, so long as our country is to be found upon the map of nations. In England it was lately determined by the Admiralty to cut the Victory, a one-hundred gun ship (which it will be recollected bore the flag of Lord Nelson at the battle of Trafalgar), down to a seventy-four, but so loud were the lamentations of the people upon the proposed measure that the intention was abandoned. We confidently anticipate that the Secretary of the Navy will in like manner consult the general wish in regard to the Constitution, and either let her remain in ordinary or rebuild her whenever the public service may require.—New York Journal of Commerce"

The poem was an impromptu outburst of feeling and was published on the next day but one after reading the above paragraph.

Ay, tear her tattered ensign down!  
Long has it waved on high,  
And many an eye has danced to see  
That banner in the sky;  
Beneath it rung the battle shout,  
And burst the cannon's roar;  
The meteor of the ocean air  
Shall sweep the clouds no more.

Her deck, once red with heroes' blood,  
Where knelt the vanquished foe,  
When winds were hurrying o'er the flood,  
And waves were white with foam,  
No more shall feel the victor's tread,  
Or know the conquered knee;  
The harpies of the shore shall pluck  
The eagle of the sea!

Oh, better that her shattered hulk  
Should sink beneath the wave;  
Her thunders shook the mighty deep  
And there should be her grave;  
Nail to the hull her broken name!  
Set every threadbare sail,  
And give her to the god of storms,  
The lightning and the gale!

Mayo P. Simonton is "on the door" at Park Theatre while George J. Kenney is having a vacation.

## YOUR FAVORITE POEM

If I had to live my life again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once a week. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness.—Charles Darwin.

**CONCORD HYMN**  
[Sung at the Completion of the Battle Monument, April 19, 1826.]  
By the rude bridge that arched the flood,  
Their flag to April's breeze unfurled,  
Here once the embattled farmers stood,  
And fired the shot heard round the world.

The foe long since in silence slept;  
In the great silence of his dream,  
The conqueror slept in silence,  
And the dark stream which seaward crept,  
On this green bank, by this soft stream,  
We set today a votive stone;  
That memory may their deed redeem,  
When, like our sires, our sons are gone,  
Spirit, that made those heroes do,  
To die, and leave their children free,  
Bid Time and Nature gently spare  
The shaft we raise to them and thee.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

## UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

It is the purpose of this announcement to acquaint the public with the fact that Walter T. Duncan and Clayton E. Gilley have acquired the stock and good will of the Larrabee & Dodge Market. It is their purpose to continue the business on the old scale of high grade marketing. They will welcome all the Larrabee & Dodge patrons and will be glad to serve all new customers and friends.

WALTER T. DUNCAN

CLAYTON E. GILLEY.

## THE WOOLWORTH BUILDING

In New York, 51 Stories, 750 feet high, was built up from "Nickel and Dime" sales!



## TALK OF THE TOWN

**COMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS**  
 April 19—Patriots Day—Observed Monday.  
 April 20—Singling of "The Redemption" at First Baptist church.  
 April 22—Candle—Supper and Prize Speaking in Baptist vestry.  
 April 25—Warren Baseball Minstrels in Glover hall.  
 April 27—Annual conference of Methodist Episcopal Churches in Augusta.  
 April 28—(7:30) Address by Prof. Wilbur G. Mallett at First Baptist church.  
 April 29—Old Fellow anniversary service in Universalist church.  
 May 1—Public breakfast at First Baptist church.  
 May 1—(7:15) Address by Prof. Orren C. Hornell of Brunswick, auspices of Woman's Educational Club, Methodist vestry.  
 May 2—Heavy Club and Fory Club junket to town of Rockland.  
 May 3—Ball (all), Miriam Rebekah Lodge.  
 May 7—Candle—Musical comedy "Kathleen" presented by Heat-Are Post, A. L. May 10—Mothers' Day.  
 May 15—Mrs. Percival's dance recital at the Arcade.  
 May 30—Memorial Day.  
 June 11—Rockland High School Graduation in New High School auditorium.

The April term of Knox County Supreme Court cost the county about \$2000.

Miss Margaret Nutt has leased the Lady Knox Beauty Shoppe, taking possession May 1.

The Salvation Army will hold a special series of revival meetings beginning Tuesday.

Practically every place of business will be closed Monday in observance of Patriots' Day.

The city's motor sprinkler presents a startling contrast to its old battleship gray, for it is now painted hose wagon red.

Schooner William Booth, Anderson, was in the harbor yesterday with coal from South Amboy for the Central Maine Power Co.

The Jazzminous Orchestra re-housed at the Elks Club last night, greatly to the satisfaction of the brethren present.

Timothy J. Sullivan is again able to be out, but plans to take quite an extended rest before resuming his duties as porter at the Thorndike Hotel.

The City Council's special meeting Tuesday night is held to clear up the accumulation of licenses, permits and applications for the year beginning May 1.

The steam roller is again in commission, and yesterday was coveting on Thompson street, which has recently been heavily surfaced with macadam chips. The roller will have few idle moments from now until another winter shuts in.

Operations in the new cement plant on Thompson road are at a standstill pending the arrival of the steel work which will be used in the construction of the new kilns. The delay is a vexatious one for the company which had done its preliminary work in record time.

The W. C. T. U. is to hold a public meeting at the Baptist church next Friday evening. The speaker will be Prof. Wilbert G. Mallett, principal of Farmington Normal School, subject of his address, "How Are We Fortifying Young Lives to Win on Moral Battlefields?" A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to hear this very pertinent question treated by one of the able educators of our State.

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# "THE MAN FROM VERMONT"

## CHARLES I. PACKARD

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 22

8:00 o'clock

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Austin Brewer is now employed as janitor at Strand Theatre, which accounts, perhaps, for why everything is looking so spic and span.

May 22 is the date for King Hiram Council's visit to Waldoboro. The story as told by our Waldoboro correspondent today indicates that one great big time is in store.

Dr. C. H. Leach of Tenants' Harbor was in the city yesterday enroute for Seal Harbor on business. Mrs. Leach accompanied him as far as Rockland and was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Williamson, Chestnut street, for a few hours.

Avaguhn M. Ames popular clerk at Johnston's drug store is being heartily congratulated on having successfully passed the examination by the State Board of Pharmacy, and thereby becoming a registered druggist. Only five of the 21 candidates passed.

A telegram to Dr. J. H. Damon Tuesday brought news of the death in West Somerville, Mass., of Alfred E. Richards, a brother of Mrs. Damon, also of Dr. Harry L. Richards of this city. The deceased was for many years a prominent business figure in Rockport and was well known in this city.

The busy crews of the New England Telephone Co. seldom get an opportunity to accumulate rust. One of the recent activities was the running of a new combination toll and local cable to the Southend to care for the wires which run through the submarine cables to Vinlandhaven and North Haven. The toll line carries 16-gauge wires and the local line 19-gauge wires, the latter taking care of the subscribers at the Head of the Bay and South Thompson, with the additional patrons.—An aerial cable has been strung from the Thompson office to Mill Creek.—R. M. Packard has a crew in Waldoboro, building two miles of cable line.—Wire Chief Victor P. Hall, who has been off duty about five months on account of ill health, is expected to rejoin the staff about the first of May.

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The V. F. Studley trucks are almost in their new colors and attracting much attention. The bodies are pea green outlined in red, letters in gold paint, fenders brown and running gear gray.

Mrs. Percival has chosen Friday, May 15 as the date for her dance recital, which will be given in the Arcade. Some brilliant features are being rehearsed weekly by the children for the event.

"North West Arm," a Halifax scene served as the cover design for the last issue of the Literary Digest. The sketch was executed by A. W. Merchant of this city, whose sketches are being received with such wide favor.

Al Boggs, the popular commercial traveler, is driving a stylish Hupmobile, bought through George M. Simmons' agency. He looks almost as proud as though he was driving down the home stretch at Union fair grounds away ahead of the field.

The old Webster fish market building at the junction of Water, Ocean and Suffolk streets is being demolished, preparatory to widening the street in that locality. The city was able to make a favorable "buy" and will be able to make a distinct improvement.

An ancient manuscript book has been left at the Courier-Gazette office. It contains the name of Tristram Rindlett, Epping, and bears date of 1794. Nobody in the office has knowledge of where the book came from. Will the person who owns it, or left it here, kindly make himself known.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that stenographer and typist examinations will be held at Rockland Post Office and at various other places in New England for the purpose of filling vacancies as they may occur in any of the Government establishments in New England. The usual entrance salary for typists is \$1140 and for stenographers \$1320 per annum. Examinations will be held quarterly on three different dates in 1925. Applications for the May examination must be filed not later than April 25. Full information concerning the examination may be secured from the Local Secretary at Rockland, Maine, or from the Secretary of the First U. S. Civil Service District, fifteenth floor, Customhouse Tower, Boston, Massachusetts, with whom the application must be filed not later than the closing date.

Miss Elizabeth Fitch, extension secretary of the Girls' Friendly Society in America, is to visit Rockland on Thursday, April 23, and will speak at St. Peter's church at 7:30 p. m. She will talk about work for girls and expects to organize here a Girls' Friendly Society. This is an organization for girls only, and is worldwide in extent, much on the order of the Y. W. C. A. All girls and citizens interested in girls are invited to hear Miss Fitch.

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Ruth Mayhew Tent, Daughters of Veterans, has a regular meeting next Monday evening. Supper at 6 o'clock. Rehearsal in the evening.

In the report of the Easter service at the M. E. church the name of Mrs. Emma Harvey was omitted from the program participants. Mrs. Harvey contributed several delightful saxophone numbers.

There will be degree work at the regular meeting of Miriam Rebekah Lodge Tuesday evening, following the circle supper at 6 o'clock. Members unsolicited please furnish cake or pastry.

This is the night of the free educational pictures at the Ford station, Knox County Motor Sales Co. salesrooms. Settees have been provided and the enjoyable evening remembered from last year will be repeated.

Frederick H. Hewett, a former Rockland man and a cousin of E. L. Hewett, Ingraham Hill, died Tuesday in Foxboro, Mass. The remains were brought to this city and buried in the family lot at Sea View cemetery.

Among the diploma engrossing orders received by Howard & Brown this week were those of the American Mission School in Alexandria, Egypt, and Palmer College, Kobe, Japan. The penmanship of this concern is far reaching.

Ernest Crie is at home from Wentworth Institute, Boston and Hiram Crie from Cully for the weekend and holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Kelley B. Crie motored to Boston for Ernest yesterday and R. Anson Crie brought Hiram from Waterville today.

Next Wednesday night will bring to the Universalist church "The man from Vermont," Charles I. Packard, who will give an evening of musical and dramatic entertainment. Mr. Packard is a particularly accomplished gentleman and his coming will be greeted with enthusiasm.

"Tamed Youth," the great picture which is to be presented at the Strand Theatre April 23 and 24, won the Pulitzer prize of \$5000 under the title of "The Magnificent Ambersons." The Chapin class of the Universalist church will aid in the exploitation of this picture, receiving a percentage of the profits.

An error in the types made us say that Charles T. Smalley applied for the libellant and E. W. Pike for the libellee in the Warren contested divorce case of John E. Davis vs. Josephine Davis. The order should have been reversed in order for Mr. Smalley to have received proper credit for winning the case.

George H. C. Smythe, the Canadian canoeist, who is paddling from England to Rome, was in Genoa Wednesday confident of reaching the Italian capital one day ahead of time. He was tendered a very enthusiastic reception by the Genoese sportsmen. Smythe was here last August on the initial stages of his journey.

A correspondent writes: At the annual meeting of the Somerville (Mass.) Sons of Maine Club April 13 the officers were installed by Albin B. Crocker, Grand Whist, assisted by Past President Edmund W. Curtis, as Grand Cockleorum. An official ritual was used for the first, and probably the last time. A minstrel show and supper followed.

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## SUNDAY

10:30

## "THE CHURCH AT CORINTH"

By Rev. B. P. Browne

7:00 P. M.

## Oratorio

## "THE REDEMPTION"

By Charles Gounod

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First Baptist Church

## WITH THE CHURCHES

Sunday services at the Advent church conducted by Rev. Curtis Stanley of South Hiram, at 10:30 and 7 p. m.

The Salvation Army Sunday services are: Holiness meeting, 11 a. m.; Salvation meeting, 8 p. m.; company meeting (S. Y.) 2 p. m.; Young Peoples' Lecture, 6:30 p. m.; William Milliken of Boston will assist in the services.

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. The reading room is located in the new Bicknell block and is open every week from 2 to 5 p. m.

At the Congregational church tomorrow morning Mr. Rounds will preach on the subject, "Living With Our House." The Pilgrim Choir will repeat the Easter Cantata, "The Resurrection." Church school at noon. The Fellowship League will meet in the vestry at 6 o'clock.

The Sunday school hour in the Saints' room, 471 Main street, will be changed to 10:30 a. m. during the summer months. Social service at 11:30 a. m. and preaching at 7 p. m. Regular prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening and doctrine and covenant class on Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Rev. C. A. Knickerbocker will preach tomorrow morning at 10:30 at the Universalist church, topic, "How To Perform Miracles." Sunday School at 12 o'clock. Kindergarten will be held during the church service. Y. P. C. U. at 6 o'clock. Music will include the anthem "Like As The Heart" by West, and contralto solo, "Not Understood" by Houghton sung by Miss Jones.

Episcopal notices. Sunday—At St. Peter's holy communion at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m. with sermon, school following latter service. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 at St. Peter's church at 7:30. The Thompson Guild meets at the church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 and St. Peter's Guild at the rectory Thursday. Saturday is St. Mark's Day with holy communion at St. Peter's at 7:30 a. m.

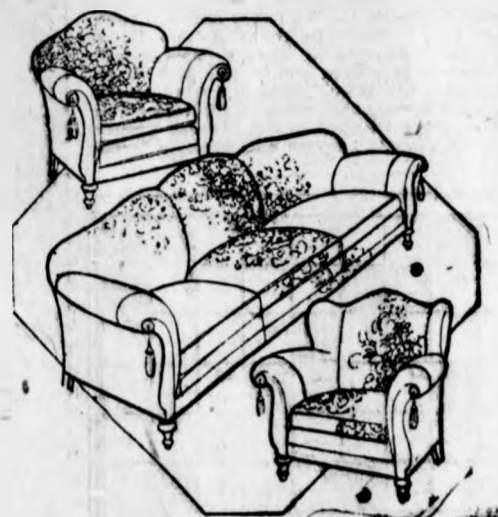
The regular preaching service at Littlefield Memorial church Sunday morning is at 10:30. The music will consist of a soprano solo "Hell Drive the Shadows Away," by Miss Jessie Conant and the choir will render the anthem "The Lord is Exalted." Hall. Bible school is at noon and the lesson subject is "Life in the Early Church." The Junior boys' group will conduct the Christian Endeavor service at 6:15. The Easter topic "What does the Resurrection of Jesus Mean to Me?" will be used. Gospel preaching at 7:15. There will be special music by the young people.

Rev. B. P. Browne, pastor of the First Baptist church, will preach Sunday morning at 10:30 on "The Church at Corinth." The choir will sing "It is a Good Thing To Give Thanks Unto The Lord" Schnecker. Sunday School convenes at the close of the morning service. The Children's Happy Hour group at 4 p. m. followed at 5:45 by the Young People's service with Theodore Sylvester in charge. At 7 o'clock (note the change in time) the choir, assisted by soloists will render Gounod's "The Redemption." Come early and be sure of a seat. The subject of the prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30 will be "Songs in The House Of My Pilgrimage." Psalms 119, 51, 54.

At the Pratt Memorial M. E. church Sunday morning the pastor will speak on "Patriot's Day." In the evening the subject will be "Rockland Problems and Churches." The music will be under the direction of Miss Bertha McIntosh, chorister, and in the morning will consist of the anthem, "The Sands of Time are Sinking," Gounod, by the senior choir with baritone solo by Carleton Porter and "Blessed be the Fountain," Ogden, by the junior choir. The evening service will begin at 7:15 with a praise service conducted by Otto L. Hatch after which the senior choir will sing "Rejoice the Heart of Thy Servant." Southard. A male quartet will be sung by Messrs. Milligan, Porter, Smith and Clark, and the junior choir will sing "The Shades of Evening." Burgess. Prayer meeting Tuesday will be led by the pastor. Next Sunday there will be no preaching service owing to the absence of the pastor, but the Sunday School will meet as usual.

The young people of the Congregational and Universalist churches joined forces last evening at a remarkably enjoyable evening at the Copper Kettle. About 40 couples danced to the music of Miss Harvey's Orchestra. Light refreshments were served. Mrs. C. A. Knickerbocker and Mrs. A. L. Orne were patronesses.

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**DIED**  
 Porter—Rockland, April 18, Emma C. Porter, aged 77 years. Funeral Tuesday from her residence, School street at 2 p. m. Nash—Friendship, April 11, Laura (Waller) Nash aged 48 years, 3 months. Donnell—Lincolnton, April 16, Clara (Faulkner) wife of Herbert M. Donnell, a native of Rockland, aged 60 years. Hewett—Foxboro, Mass., April 9, Frederick H. Hewett, aged 66 years, 6 months, 25 days. Burial in Ambury Hill cemetery, Rockport, April 17. Grant—Thompson, April 16, Edwin H. Grant, aged 51 years, 10 months, 11 days. Funeral Saturday at 2 o'clock from Davis' undertaking rooms. Rivers—Sears House, April 17, Amos E. Rivers, aged 71 years, 2 months 23 days. Funeral Sunday at 2 p. m. from the Sears House chapel.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses rendered by our good neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow and also at other times of special need. Mary E. Ware, Eva E. Ware.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to thank our good neighbors who were so thoughtful and helpful during the illness of Mrs. Bert Witherspoon, those who sent flowers for the funeral, the Eastern Star of Canada and Rev. Mr. Smith. Bert Witherspoon, Mrs. John E. Turner, William Farnham, Mr. and Mrs. Milton French and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Melvin.

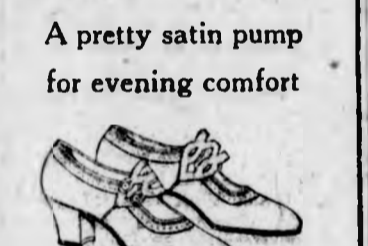
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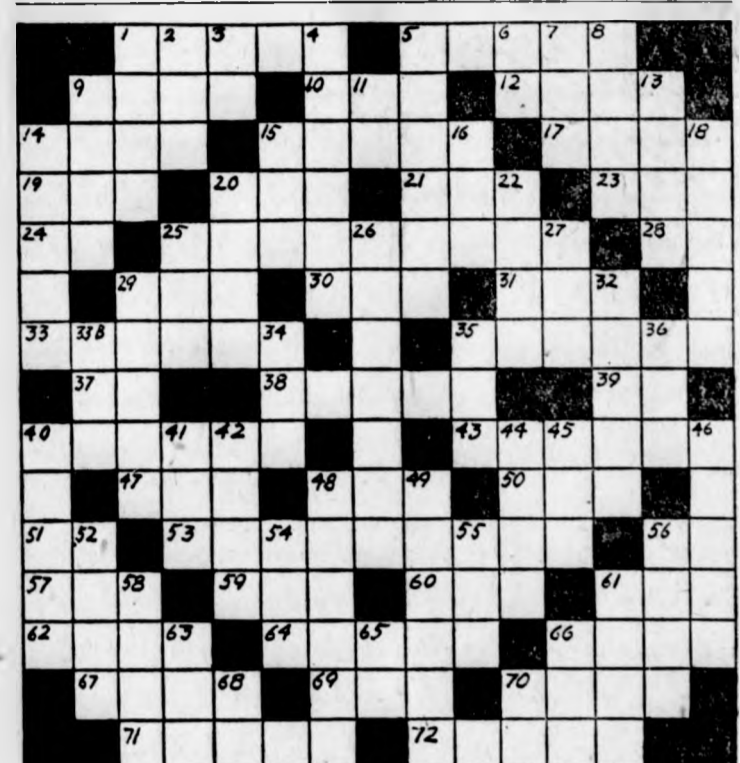
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## COURIER-GAZETTE CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE  
When the correct letters are placed in the white squares this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white squares up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.



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- Horizontal.**
- Sharp point, as line of fork
  - At an early date
  - Long, narrow inlet
  - Skeletal structure
  - Flavor
  - Body with legal authority
  - Restrained
  - Part time
  - Light brown
  - End of the day
  - Exist
  - Extravagantly complimented
  - You (arch)
  - Native metal
  - Belonging to us
  - Part of "to be"
  - Constructed again
  - Modes
  - Note of musical scale
  - Expensive Russian fur
  - Proceed
  - Surgeon's tool for opening wounds
  - Disciplines
  - Gloomy
  - Receptacle for holding ashes of dead
  - Personal pronoun
  - Judgments
  - Greek letter
  - Short sleep
  - Short for an alcoholic beverage
  - Linger
  - By way of
  - Ado
  - Slang for man
  - Frozen rain
  - Hair on horse's neck
  - Large beer container
  - Preterit of "dare"
- Vertical.**
- Game played on horseback
  - Decompose
  - Preparation
  - Month of Hebrew calendar
  - Slang for policeman
  - Leg joint
  - Wise man
  - Part of "to be"
  - Coveit
  - Part of head
  - Overflows
  - Snow vehicle
  - Tidy
  - Brother
  - Falls
  - Indications
  - City of Illinois
  - Period of time
  - Fix
  - In (French)
  - Indefinite period of time
  - Deplets
  - Pop
  - Famous garden
  - Ladder step
  - Land measures
  - Stoop
  - Bird of dove family
  - Consumes
  - Kind of fish
  - Cereal
  - Number under ten
  - Eaten together
  - Decay
  - Indefinite article
  - Aeriform fluid
  - Man's title
  - You and me
  - Man's title

Solution will appear in next issue.

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## UNUSUAL DESSERTS

Farmers' Week Address By Claire Herrick, Home Demonstration Agent.

The question arises, why should we eat fruits—what do they do for us? "Cane sugar," Mrs. M. S. Rice says, "if taken in moderate quantities is readily digested and is therefore valuable as food. If taken in the form of pies and candies it is likely to result in an upset stomach."

Fruit contains natural sugars, which are easy to digest. These fruit sugars should replace candy as far as possible. Women have found that children who have two fruits a day do not crave candy and other sweet foods.

Fruit helps to counteract acid condition in the blood.

Fruit contains vitamins and minerals which help regulate body processes and to make rich blood.

Fruit, because of its beauty and flavor increases appetites.

Fruit, especially figs, dates, prunes and apples are laxative.

In the adolescent age boys usually want huge quantities of food; and girls may care more for sweets or for highly spiced food. It is important to guide young people at this period, so that they will choose the things which will make strong, healthy men and women.

Fruit is usually well liked, and the expense involved, need not prevent having the necessary amount. Canned fruits or dried fruits solve the problem. Some people dislike dried fruits because they have been served too often, or because they have not been well cooked. It is a mistake to serve stewed prunes day after day until the family gets tired of seeing them. Even though we like the old "stand by's," we do like a variety, too.

If dried fruits—apricots, peaches, prunes, etc., are carefully prepared they keep their flavor and make interesting desserts. The first thing to do is to wash the fruit thoroughly, and then soak in clean water (3 or 4 cups to a pound) for several hours, 8-12 under to replace the water lost in the drying process. Since some of the mineral matter dissolves out, use the water in which the fruit has soaked.

In order to get the natural flavor cook very slowly.—Fruits may be cooked in a double boiler to accomplish this result. The natural sugars are developed during the slow cooking, so that only a small amount of sugar is needed.—Some people prefer no sugar at all in stewed prunes. If you do use it, add it toward the end of the cooking process. The flavor of dried fruits is improved by using lemon, cinnamon, whole cloves, etc., for seasoning.

There is a great variety of desserts which can be prepared from dried fruits, by the use of cornmeal, gelatin, tapioca, whites of eggs, cream, etc.

**WEST ROCKPORT**

Mrs. Geneva Collamore and Miss Hazel Parker have returned from Augusta where Mrs. Collamore has been caring for her niece, Miss Ruth Keller, who has been ill.

Mrs. Mary Graves is at her home here after spending the winter with relatives on the Mountain road, Rockland.

Harry Brown and family called on Mr. Brown's mother, Mrs. Aubine Haskell, at Charles Fernald's recently.

The Ladies' Mission Circle served a public supper at the church dining room Thursday evening.

Mrs. Grace Parker has returned to her school at St. George after spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parker.

Mrs. Lottie Simmons of Portland is the guest of Mrs. Cassie Hussey.

Mrs. U. E. Leach has blood poisoning in her right hand.

Robert Nutt returned Friday from Augusta, Ga., where he has been employed during the winter months.

The Mission Circle met at the church Tuesday afternoon to tack a quilt.

**LINCOLNVILLE**

Mrs. Herbert M. Donnell

Mrs. Clara Donnell died at her home in East Seaboard on April 10. She was born in Rockland Dec. 6, 1855, the daughter of Capt. George and Nancy (Graves) Cables. She is survived by a husband, Herbert M. Donnell, three sons, George C. of Salem, Mass., Herbert M. Jr. of Belmont, Alvah E. of Seaboard, and one brother, Stephen Cables of Rockland. She was a Christian, a loving wife and mother and good neighbor who will be greatly missed by her many friends. Funeral services were at her late home on Monday, April 13, interment in Belmont. The abundance of beautiful flowers testified the esteem held for the deceased.

**EAST UNION**

There was degree work in the Grange Thursday night on two candidates.

W. E. Dornan & Son have recently set a monument on the Leonard lot in the cemetery at Thomaston.

Fred Simmons who has been quite ill with an attack of the grippe, is improving.

Miss Gretchen Grassow spent the weekend with her sister in Camden.

Several from this place attended the pictures in Rockland Saturday night.

Oliver Young was home from Rockland this week owing to a bad cold.

The ladies of the Farm Bureau will meet in the Grange hall Tuesday for an all-day session. "Millinery" will be the subject.

## VINALHAVEN

The Senior Christian Endeavor will take charge of the Sunday evening meeting at Union church, with Miss Helen Orcutt as leader. There will be special music with Mrs. Arthur Aray at the organ.

Union Church Sunday school will be at 10:15. David Duncan, superintendent. Everyone is welcome. Fathers, do your sons go to Sunday school? Mothers, do your daughters go to Sunday school? If not why not? We will find classes for all who wish to attend.

Choir rehearsal was held at the home of Miss Flayilla Aray Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Boman entertained the Buddies at their home Wednesday evening. A 6 o'clock supper was served.

Arthur Thomas who this week underwent a critical operation at Knox Hospital is now convalescing.

Capt. Edward Greenleaf has returned from New York where he has been on a business trip.

Mrs. L. W. Finch entertained the Silent Sisters at her home Wednesday night. Supper was served. Mrs. E. M. Hall and Mrs. N. Cook Sholes were guests.

Samuel Thomas returned Tuesday from Rockland.

Miss Lillian Johnson has returned from St. Petersburg, Fla. where she spent the winter.

L. C. Smith returned from Rockland Tuesday.

Miss Meta Ingersoll, who has been spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ingersoll, left today for New York to resume teaching.

A party of neighbors and friends gave a surprise shower to Mrs. Elmer Simmons at her new home Tuesday night. Refreshments were served.

Dr. W. F. Lyford returned from Rockland Tuesday.

C. S. Roberts and Frederick Jones have returned from Rockland.

Miss Constance Carver of North Haven was in town Thursday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carver.

There will be a regular meeting of Marguerite Chapter, O. E. S., Monday night. Members are requested to attend.

Atlantic Royal Arch Chapter conferred the Mark degree on candidates Thursday evening.

Mrs. Elmer Simmons was hostess to the Pals at her new home Thursday night. She was given a surprise shower by the members. Supper was served.

**SOUTH THOMASTON**

Harry L. B. Smith has had a T-dol gasoline service station installed at the Wessaweskeag Inn.

The village school reopened Monday with 33 pupils and Miss Susie Sleeper teacher.

Charles Peterson came from Bangor Saturday for a short visit at his home here and returned there Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Mildred Elwell, who has been employed as head waitress at the Hotel Rockland since October, completed her duties there Monday and returned to her home here for the summer season.

E. D. Doty, State supervisor of roads was in town Tuesday and met the selectmen in the Town hall to make plans for the year's road work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sleeper entertained the following guests during the first part of the week: Mrs. Clark and daughter Elizabeth of Dorchester, George Sleeper of Boston, Mrs. Ruth Till of Boston and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sleeper of Brunswick.

Franz Simmons has been exercising a fine string of horses on our roads this week.

B. F. Stanton and Mrs. Mary Young are both employed by Mrs. Talbot of Rockland during the housecleaning season.

Mrs. Miriam Sellers returned to her home here Thursday afternoon after an extended visit with Mrs. Alford Snow at Warrenton Park.

Mrs. Snow left for Boston on the boat Thursday night. The position at Warrenton Park filled by the late Alford Snow is now held by Ed. Hall of Gloucester.

Le Roy Jackson of Clark Island was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Hattie Jackson over the weekend.

It is regrettable that the weather prevented so many from getting out to church Sunday morning. A fine musical program had been prepared which meant considerable work for the participating and for Mrs. Ella Watts who had charge of the music for the occasion. Mr. Winchenbaugh's sermon on Easter was very pleasantly spoken of by all who heard it. Next Sunday is Patriots Day and Mr. Winchenbaugh is making a special effort to observe it appropriately. In the evening he has a set of stereopticon views to show and a lecture also special music.

Mrs. Azora Clark, who has been visiting relatives in Boston and Portland, returned to her home last Saturday.

At Grange Wednesday night it was voted to alternate the weekly dances with the Village Improvement Society. The same committee to serve for both and the same music. Dances to be held every Friday night; the next one to be held for the Village Improvement Society. Smalley's orchestra.

Limerock Valley Pomona is to meet here Saturday, April 25.

Great concern is felt by a number of citizens over the disgraceful conduct of the couple lately married in town. It is rumored that divorce proceedings are to take place soon. If counsel can be secured Mr. H. B. Outhouse will be brought before a court of justice, in the Grange hall, after the session of Pomona a week from tonight.

Mrs. Hattie Jackson has rented the lower half of Harvey Sleeper's house and with her little granddaughter Ruth Huston will make her home there.

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Charles Graves Thursday afternoon. Sunday services at the church are as follows: At 10:30 in the morning, preaching by the pastor followed by the Sabbath school; in the evening at 7:30 the service will be of a patriotic nature with special music by a selected choir and under the leadership of Mrs. Ella Watts. The pastor will deliver a patriotic sermon which will be followed by an illustrated hymn of 17 slides, "America, the Beautiful."



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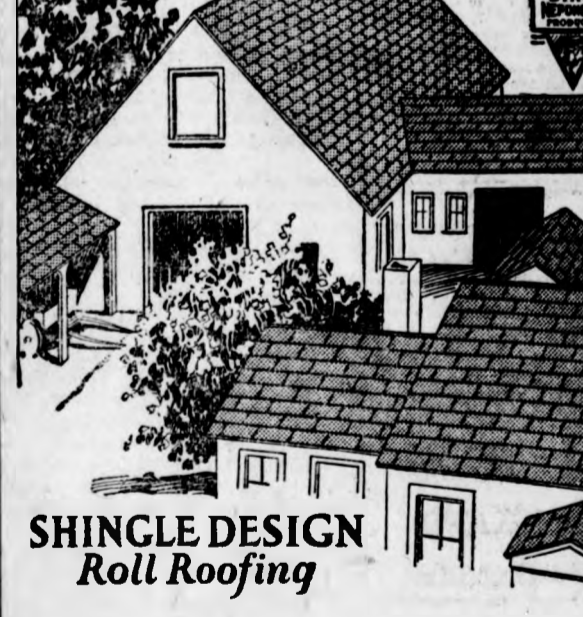
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## THE BUSY GRANGERS

## County Project For Boys and Girls In Which Order Scores Highly.

An outstanding example of Grange leadership towards worthy ends, done under the auspices of a county branch of the organization, is reported from Washtenaw county, Michigan, where work done is quite out of the ordinary, both in methods and results.

There the Pomona Grange has for several years past maintained at a beautiful lakeside within the county a boys' camp and a girls' camp, for a specified period each, to which have come for recreation, instruction and fun, not boys and girls from the city but from the farms of the county. In connection with the camp project a two days assembly is conducted at the lake pavilion, with speakers of note, high class musical talent and other entertainment features, some of which entice the boys and girls themselves.

Results are seen in greater contentment among the young people in their farm environment, greater attachment to their Grange and increased willingness to work for it; and all through Washtenaw county a more loyal, optimistic spirit and particularly increased courage among the farm families.

The recent death in Washington, D. C. of Miss Fannie L. Kelley removes the last member of a family made famous in connection with the formation of the Grange organization, of which Oliver H. Kelley, affectionately known as "Father Kelley" was the original promoter. Only two persons now living were connected with the early Grange founders, one being Mrs. Eva S. McDowell of Weymouth, Mass., whose husband was associated with Mr. Kelley as a founder, and Major Wm. M. King of Washington, D. C., now in his 93d year, who has spent a lifetime of service in the United States Department of Agriculture. Both these veterans retain membership and an active interest in the Grange. Mrs. McDowell having served for 25 years as treasurer of the National Grange while Mr. King was recently chosen one of the officers in the newly-organized subordinate Grange at the Capital.

The Grange in Pennsylvania is enlisting the farmers in a state-wide endeavor to check the depredations by deer, and the movement is rapidly gaining headway. Damage to farm crops and fruit is every season becoming greater and farmers are demanding protection from the legislature against further depredations. Under certain restrictions Pennsylvania farmers may shoot deer found doing damage to their property but the killing must be immediately reported, the carcass promptly dressed and the meat turned over to the state. Such a revision of the present law is demanded as will cut much of the red tape and permit the farmer who has suffered deer damage to retain the dressed meat. This is a lively topic among the Pennsylvania Granges and a strong sentiment for a changed law is the result.

The Grange has an influential standing in Oregon and enjoys in its work the co-operation of many other organizations. This was recently illustrated at Baker, where the Grange is engaged in building a hall. The city chamber of commerce and the Kiwanis club joined forces and staged a snappy minstrel show, announcing that the entire proceeds would be turned over to the Grange building fund. The people of the city responded enthusiastically to the undertaking and as a result nearly \$500 was turned over to the grateful Grange.

A Grange official who is coming into prominence as an agricultural leader as well as Frank P. Willets of Pennsylvania, long treasurer of that State Grange and two years ago named as secretary of agriculture of his state. He has put new life into the agricultural program of Pennsylvania and is heartily supported by the 100,000 Grange members in the Keystone State. "On a recent public occasion Secretary Willets' work was highly commended by Gov. Pinchot. In several other states Grange leaders are heading up the agricultural department.

During the past 12 months, 12 new Grange halls have been dedicated in the state of New York and at least a half dozen more are ready for that interesting ceremony. The most expensive of the group cost \$40,000, and ranged in cost all the way down to \$100. In New York state there are 512 Grange-owned halls, whose total value exceeds \$2,000,000. In many instances Grange members gave liberally of time, timber and other materials and thereby made possible a successful building project which could not otherwise have been achieved.

## ROCKVILLE

Mrs. Nathaniel Carroll is very sick with pneumonia. Mr. Lawry of Rockland is in attendance.

Mrs. Ellen Cushman and daughter Mrs. Millett of Rockland are in town for a visit.

The smelt brooks are the center of interest at present and have been for some time, although there are but very few smelts being caught. The lack of them does not lessen interest in the sport however. The first catch was Saturday and it was small. The autos have been coming and going every night, parking around the brook until 11 and 12 o'clock (at night). One fisherman was seen there at 2 and another at 5 in the morning, probably forgetting that standard time was in use. Perhaps they camp there all night.

Wednesday's rain did a lot of good laying the dust, settling roads and filling brooks. It is surprising how green the grass looks in places since Brown buds are swelling on bush and tree and the resurrection of nature has begun. Winter has departed and none can find any fault with it, for it was a beautiful season. Now all are hoping spring will be as mild and lovely.

Chickawaunkie Lake is very low. Mr. Kirkpatrick says he never saw it so low at this time of the year as it is at present.

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Brunswick, A. 7:00 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 11:10 p. m.  
Calais, A. 7:00 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 11:10 p. m.  
Lewiston, A. 7:00 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 11:10 p. m.  
New York, A. 7:00 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 11:10 p. m.  
Portland, A. 7:00 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 11:10 p. m.  
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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1924

Real Estate	\$3,154,539.91
Stocks and Bonds	2,274,206.99
Cash in Office and Bank	292,274.86
Agents' Balances	234,186.52
Interest and Rents	33,349.01
All other Assets	33,349.01
Gross Assets	\$5,995,206.57
Deduct items not admitted	395,486.81
Admitted Assets	\$5,599,719.76

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1924

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,187,813.09
Unearned Premiums	1,751,208.25
All other Liabilities	2,655,787.45
Stagnant Deposit	7,960,867.07
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,390,867.07
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$2,976,813.76

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1924

Real Estate	\$4,400,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$7,108,358.87
Cash in Office and Bank	\$89,334.50
Cash in hands of Agents and	2,416,057.19
transit	220,291.82
Accrued Interest	66,893.28
Other Admitted Assets	47,588.87
Total Assets	\$15,000,961.81

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1924

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,231,004.01
Unearned Premiums	\$2,968,828.00
Reserve for Dividends	300,000.00
All other Liabilities	\$5,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$11,422,127.17
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$13,333,825.95

**FIDELITY-PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE CO.**  
80 Maiden Lane, New York

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1924

Real Estate	\$1,630,296.67
Mortgage Loans	401,061.43
Stocks and Bonds (Actual Mar-)	890,334.50
Net Value Dec. 31, 1924	36,013,875.42
Cash in Office and Bank	2,416,057.19
Agents' Balances	2,416,057.19
Interest and Rents	154,211.01
All other Assets	1,423.50
Gross Assets	\$13,825,932.87
Deduct items not admitted	490,107.92
Admitted Assets	\$13,335,825.95

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**PHENIX MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.**  
Concord, New Hampshire

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1924

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Metropolitan Office, 80 William Street, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1924

Real Estate	\$1,586,746.61
Mortgage Loans	1,458,599.28
Stocks and Bonds	12,819,240.50
Cash in Office and Bank	1,061,291.47
Agents' Balances	2,573,124.47
Bills Receivable	49,790.73
Interest and Rents	1,042,575.02
All other Assets	22,174.18
Gross Assets	\$20,567,831.64
Deduct items not admitted	129,661.81
Admitted Assets	\$20,438,169.83

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1924

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,265,509.43
Unearned Premiums	\$11,839,841.86
All other Liabilities	\$5,613,908.89
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$2,948,909.89
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$20,048,261.98

**THE COMMONWEALTH INSURANCE CO.**  
of New York

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1924

Mortgage Loans	\$1,174,000.00
Cash in Office and Bank	1,716,169.00
Agents' Balances	680,802.33
Bills Receivable	9,368.16
Interest and Rents	60,713.23
All other Assets	1,529.20
Gross Assets	\$3,541,512.92
Deduct items not admitted	25,077.78
Admitted Assets	\$3,516,435.14

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1924

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,304,002.33
Unearned Premiums	\$2,002,166.41
All other Liabilities	\$136,022.80
Cash Capital	\$50,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,936,022.20
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**THE CONNECTICUT FIRE INSURANCE CO.**  
of Hartford, Conn.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1924

Mortgage Loans	\$460,400.00
Collateral Loans	16,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,726,329.00
Cash in Office and Bank	783,229.73
Agents' Balances	\$1,018,759.82
Bills Receivable	1,197.92
Interest and Rents	144,739.88
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All other Assets	1,423.50
Gross Assets	\$13,825,932.87
Deduct items not admitted	490,107.92
Admitted Assets	\$13,335,825.95

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1924

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,231,004.01
Unearned Premiums	\$2,968,828.00
Reserve for Dividends	300,000.00
All other Liabilities	\$5,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$11,422,127.17
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy are painting, painting and papering the house they recently bought of Roy Cook.

The Adventist church has bought the home of the late Etta Geyer for a parsonage.

Work is being done in the upper story of the old school building which is to be used for the public library.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis of Monhegan are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young.

Capt. Wallace Brown and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson of Wiley's Corner spent Sunday evening at R. R. Thompson's.

The funeral services of Mrs. Byron Nash were held at her late home Tuesday afternoon, Elder Samuel Clark officiating. The deceased was the oldest daughter of George and Emily (Simmons) Wallace. Early in life she took up the domestic duties of the home and mothered the younger brothers and sisters and also cared for her mother who was in failing health many years and to whom she was very devoted. Mrs. Nash was a lover of home, flowers and pets. She is survived by a husband, a brother, Mel Wallace and Mrs. Swansey Burns. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

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for rainy days. Serviceable enough for the home and Stylish enough for the most exacting.

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D. L. Maloney has bought a cow of Morris Morton of Friendship.

Mrs. Lena Cushman of Friendship has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Seavey the past week.

The members of the Pleasant Point Improvement Society are planning to have a May night concert, and rehearsals are now being held.

**NORTH HAVEN**

"A Message to the Converted" will be the subject of Rev. M. G. Perry's address at the Baptist church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock with special music by the children's choir. Bible school meets at 9:45 with classes for all. Sunday school at the Northeast schoolhouse at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon will be held by the pastor. At the 7:30 o'clock evening service at the church the pastor will give a book review of "Food's Tests of Character." The High School choir will have singing and furnish special music. The Unity Guild will meet in the Guild sewing room at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when further plans are made for the fair to be held during the coming summer. An entertainment and social will be held by the Guild, April 23 to which all members and their families are invited. Pictures will be shown and there will be other special features on the program.

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# Social Circles

In addition to personal notes recording departures and arrivals, this department specially defines information of social happenings, parties, musicals, etc. Notes sent by mail or telephone will be gladly received. TELEPHONE 776

The Rockland friends of Mrs. L. Wilbur Messer will learn with great satisfaction that she is making highly gratifying recovery from her recent illness, which has kept her in Boston for several months, and is looking forward to occupying her Ingham Hill cottage the coming summer. Mrs. Messer is among the most loyal of Rockland's summer colony—a spirit which is shared by her sister, Miss Garcelon—and her coming this season for continued recuperation and rest will give special pleasure to the circle of friends who hold her in such affectionate regard.

Mrs. H. B. Fales went yesterday to Portland where she is the guest of Mrs. G. M. Barney.

Robert Barham of Oliver street, with Sherwood Butler as chauffeur, is touring greater Boston, and some parts of New Hampshire.

Mrs. John O. Stevens is in Boston.

Herbert B. Barter has left the Hart Private Hospital and is at 817 South street, Roslindale, Mass.

Mrs. Harry Berman arrived home Thursday night from a visit in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. O'Hara leave Monday for Boston where they will spend a week's vacation.

E. Carl Moran left yesterday afternoon for Kansas City, Mo., whither he is summoned by the vice president of the Employers' Indemnity Corporation for a conference. The trip has no political significance.

Miss Grace Knowlton is making a fortnight's visit in New York.

Miss Frances Flanagan and Jerome Burrows gave a five-table auction party at the Burrows home on Beech street Wednesday night with prizes falling to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hary, Miss Shelby Freethy and Frederick Hull.

Mrs. May V. Richardson is quite ill at her Granite street home.

The Sunshine Society will meet with Mrs. Charles Hall, 21 Ocean street, Monday afternoon from 2 to 4.

Clayton La Crosse is home from Bangor on a short vacation.

Miss Dorothy Cross comes today from Wrentham, Mass., for a week's home visit.

William Trainer is critically ill at his home on Main street. His daughter, Mrs. Sherman Hoar is here from Rangeley and his son Errol Trainer is on the way.

Miss Mary Jackson who was called from Washington, D. C., by the death of her mother, returns next Monday.

Miss Ethel York is leaving today to visit her sister, Mrs. M. J. Currie in Fairfield.

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Mrs. F. M. Tibbets of the New England telephone staff is spending a fortnight's vacation in Monmouth, the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Gavett. Mrs. Marjorie Glidden, a former employee, is substituting for her.

Miss Margaret Nutt is on a vacation visit with Mrs. Freeman Blodgett in Somerville, Mass., and Mrs. Frederick Sparrow in Arlington. Upon her return early in May she will take possession of the Lady Knox Beauty Shoppe which she has leased for the summer.

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## MANY NEW MEMBERS

Woman's Educational Club Growing So Rapidly Limit Will Be Fixed.

The Woman's Educational Club had another profitable session last night, deriving much enjoyment from the usual departmental features and, drinking eagerly the valuable information contained in Grube C. Cornish's address.

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city. The town pauper has a right to expect humane treatment, which cannot be given in an institution where there is not a comfortable bed or a cozy chair. Why should we deprive them of the ordinary comforts of life? It is not crime to be poor. It is reported that nineteen out of twenty persons fail to provide for old age. Sixty-five percent of the people of the United States who reach the age of sixty-five years are dependent upon others for their support. Thirty-five percent of all the widows in our country have to work for wages in order to support their families.

There are more than four hundred prisoners in our County Jails. The two greatest defects in our County Jail system are association in idleness and unrestrained communication of prisoners. I honestly believe that some of the jails are ideally arranged as criminal finishing schools for the first offenders. Conditions will not be materially changed until the management and control of all county jails is vested in the prison commission and the expense of their maintenance is borne by the State. The conditions at the reformatories are different to those at the county jails only in degree. There are nearly seven hundred persons in custody of the industrial schools and reformatories.

There is a growing interest in the department of Mother's Aid. More than five hundred mothers receive a monthly allowance. This enables them to keep their children with them. It is a recognized fact that the mother is the best person to supervise her children. The average allowance for February was \$29.94 per month. There are nearly two thousand children in the homes of mothers who receive State aid. The greatest problem with which we are now concerned is making allowances within our appropriation which is \$100,000 for the present fiscal year. This is supplemented by a like amount from towns and cities. There are more than two hundred approved applications on the waiting list. Many of these cases are very urgent but we must wait until there is more money available.

I wish that one Sunday during each year might be devoted to actual social service. I would even eliminate the preaching services with the understanding that all the church people would put into actual practice the teachings of the Christ in reference to helping others. For he is from me to criticize the church as an organization, but dear friends, I thoroughly believe that if the various organizations of the Church would spend less time in promoting money raising schemes and banqueting at 35 cents a plate and devote more time to helping others the need of the State Board of Charities and Corrections would be greatly decreased.

Our program for our children is:— 1. That the child shall have every opportunity to develop normally, both materially and spiritually. 2. That the child who is hungry shall be fed; the child who is sick cared for; the backward child brought forward; the wayward child led back; the orphan and the destitute taken in and succored. 3. That in time of distress the

child shall be first to receive aid. You may think that policy is generally practiced. I doubt it.

4. That the child shall be equipped to earn his living, and protected from all exploitation. Maine is the only State in the Union that sends its wards to the higher institutions of learning. We have students in the special preparatory schools, normal schools and Nassau Institute. They are making good. In 1920 we received a 12-year old girl who weighed 142 pounds. She had been brought up in most miserable surroundings. She was so stubborn that she would throw herself on the floor and howl rather than obey. She put up a fight whenever she was made to properly clothe herself. She begged for a smoke. It was difficult to find a home for her. Today that girl is an honor student in one of our preparatory schools, a credit to the State.

5. That the child shall be taught that his finest qualities should be placed at the service of his brothers. In this we are succeeding even beyond our highest expectations. Let us have greater faith in our children.

## DOUBLES HIS GIFT

Fred E. Briggs of Jacksonville Has Given \$200,000 For Odd Fellows Home.

Maine Odd Fellows were greatly encouraged in their efforts to create a home when they received word that Fred E. Briggs of Jacksonville, Fla., had added \$200,000 to his original contribution, which was a like amount.

Announcement to this effect was made by Past Grand Master Frank B. Miller of this city, chairman of the special committee named by the Grand Lodge to arrange for the acceptance of the fund. Both donations are in the form of stock in loan and building associations.

Mr. Briggs is a former Portland man and is greatly interested in the idea of establishing a permanent home for the order in his native State. The Grand Lodge was presented with a plot in Auburn about 15 years ago.

## TENANT'S HARBOR

Movies tonight. Don't forget this one—Feature picture "Hollywood"—it's a star production, Comedy "It pays to Exercise, Regular." Pathe

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## COMMON THINGS

Often Overlooked, But Highly Entertaining When Once Looked Into With Inquiring Mind.

By Adella F. Veazie

### Various Plants and Roots

When we children got tired of "playing house" on the ledges in the pasture, with broken dishes for our table and red cap moss for our candles, we would sometimes say "Let's go over in the field and dig grass roots."

We never looked at the top of the grass, but simply dug with a stick or piece of stone—anything that would penetrate the earth to the depth of an inch or two—and we always found plenty of "grass roots." Little bulb-shaped things they were, about as big as peas and with their smaller end upward where it joined the grass stem. It was sweet, somewhat like the flat sweetish taste of a cornstalk, and we had to chew it a long time, for its texture was much like half-dried hay and there was no pulp whatever, only a mangled and shapeless wisp of straw to be ejected after we had sucked it dry.

Many times in later years have I passed over the sods in my own field, after spring plowing, to see if I could find roots like those I enjoyed as a child, but I have never found any, neither can I find anyone now who knows what I mean by "grass roots," and the companions of my childhood who assisted in the digging process are all dead. I have studied catalogues and hunted my old botany over, but all in vain; no mention is made of any grass with bulbous roots. Not that I have any particular desire at the present time for grass roots as an addition to my daily diet, for under present conditions I fancy my mastication would prove a more complex problem than in the olden days, but I'd really like to know the name of the grass and what its top looks like.

How many times I hear middle-aged persons say that nothing tastes as it used to—and I cannot understand why, for whenever I have revisited my old tramping places on the mountainside, I make it a point to taste of every familiar plant, root or berry that I used to know, just to see if it tastes the same, and it always does.

Black saxifrage, brake roots, wild cucumber roots, birch sprouts, pine sliver (long "I" please!) young juniper cones and leaves, rose petals, thorn plums—what a medley of stuff went down our ever-waiting throats in those days! And I eat them all now, though I must confess not so ravenously as in the olden days. Children had few dainties then. An apple was about the only fruit we ever saw, so it is not to be wondered at that we experimented with every strange article in our attempts to vary our somewhat restricted diet.

What pretty things those young juniper cones were, and what a rich shade of red! I often wonder why we never see them on the many fancy cards and calendars which are so popular in these times, for it seems to me that a slender juniper twig, set with its deep red cones among threadlike green leaves, would be a bit of woodland beauty worth painting and cherishing. I believe botanists do not usually refer to this as juniper, but call it by various names, among which are larch, tamarack, hemlock, and while the larch sprouts, prickly stuff, with dingy blue berries, which women generally call "snake's nests," is called juniper or ground juniper or running juniper. Out in the country however where it grows into large trees the farmers will seldom recognize the word "larch," but they all know "juniper" as well as they know pine and spruce.

One plant in particular which I liked much was the wild cucumber or medeola. It was not very plentiful near my home, in fact I do not remember seeing it in the mountain pastures at all, but some could be found in the lower pastures between the "new road" and the Blackington farm, and plenty of it in The Bog pastures. It sent up one straight stem from ten to eighteen inches tall, with two or three whorls of leaves around the stem and a small cluster of inconspicuous blossoms at the top. It grew in damp, shady woods among the light spiny leaf mold. We dug straight down about six inches and found the milk-white tuber at nearly right angles to the stalk and connected with it by a very slender threadlike stem extension. It doesn't taste at all like a cucumber, and I can only account for the name by the fact that it is white and very crisp. It is from one to two inches long and from one-half to three-fourths of an inch thick and rather pointed at one end. It isn't sweet, has very little flavor, hence I can see no reason why we ate it, but to this day when I see a particularly fine rank medeola stalk I cannot resist its call, and the root is soon on its way to my mouth as of yore.

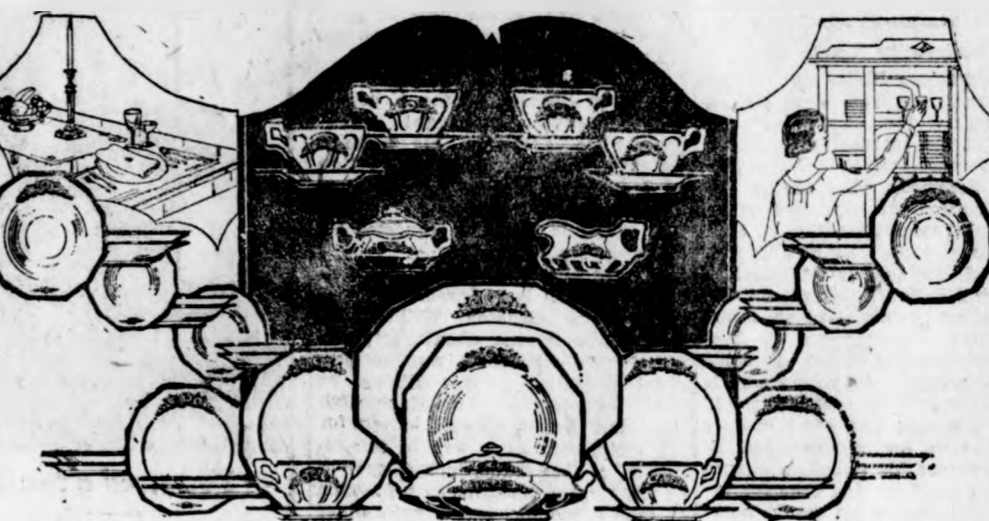
Another plant we used to dig was yellow root, or gold-throat. This grew on mossy knolls and was supposed to be a remedy for cancer. The root had a pleasant bitter taste, but I think we dug it and ate it because of its beautiful yellow color, rather than from any real pleasure derived from its taste, just as we devoured large quantities of bunchberries because they were red. Bunchberries and milk! How many quarts of this mixture have I eaten, enjoying the sight of the clear red against the milk, fully as much as I enjoyed the taste, which was mostly milk, as the berry itself has very little taste and its texture is much like that of a fine sponge.

There was a plant which we called "water cress" that grew in the brook in "Jon's pasture." It was fresh and

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## MEMORIES OF AN ACTIVE LIFE

"Men and Ships and Sealing Wax"—The Story of a Thomaston Boy Who Made Good.

(By Charles R. Flint)

[Continued—Began Feb. 26]  
Chapter XIII—James G. Blaine and Reciprocity Treaties

I met Secretary Blaine for the first time on the train from New York to Washington a few days before the opening of the International American Conference, which I have previously described. In talking of trade extension, he expressed a desire to bring about treaties of reciprocity with the Latin-American States and said that it was his idea to ask for free flour and free oil. He asked me my opinion—as an international trader—regarding the best basis for such treaties. I could have answered his question immediately, but I felt my opinion would have more weight with the Secretary if I took time for consideration. So I told him that his question was so important that I wanted time for reflection, and that if he would mention an hour when I could see him I would give him my views. He then named nine o'clock on the following morning at his home.

When I called upon him at the appointed hour, I told him that after giving the matter thoughtful consideration, it seemed to me that in arriving at the basis for treaties with Latin-American countries we must consider the fact that their revenues are principally derived from imports. I suggested that, instead of asking for the free admission of a few of our products, it would be wiser to request a small reduction on many articles, which would be sufficient to increase trade along many lines without seriously reducing the revenues of the Latin-American states.

I also pointed out that the adoption of this policy would cause every section of the United States to be interested in the success of the proposed treaties—because of the variety of products affected—and that when those treaties came before the Senate, every section of the country would naturally advocate their confirmation.

Secretary Blaine replied that my suggestions were not only practical from the standpoint of an international trader, but that they pointed in an interesting way to the fact that the country was good statesmanship; and he asked me to open negotiations with Dr. Mendonça for the formulation of a treaty with Brazil on the basis that I had outlined. Dr. Mendonça was one of the ablest of the Latin-American ministers, and within a few days the basis of the treaty was settled, submitted to Secretary Blaine, and received his approval. The fact that every section of the United States was in-

terested in those reciprocity treaties proved to be of great value, as there were men of weight who opposed Blaine's Latin-American policies. At that time Reed, known as the "Czar," was Speaker of the House of Representatives. I thought it important to ascertain his attitude toward Blaine's reciprocity policy. In his case there was no personal prejudice against Blaine, as there was in the case of Speaker Reed, but Evans, instead of regarding reciprocity as a step in the direction of free trade, looked upon it as the highest evolution of protectionism, that it would extend the wall of protection from the states of the United States to many of the states of the Americas and might lead to a war of tariffs.

Secretary Blaine, some time after the adjournment of the First International American Conference, telegraphed me to meet him on the train at Philadelphia, to ride with him to New York. As soon as I met him he remarked that action had been taken to bring about the passage of the Aldrich Amendment to the McKinley Bill and that Harrison had sent a message to Congress advocating that amendment. I told him that in my opinion that message would probably be filed away in the dusty archives of Congress, that it would be far more effective if, immediately on his arrival at Bar Harbor, he would write a vigorous open letter advocating reciprocity. This he did and his letter was published from one end of the country to the other. The nation was stirred by the statement of this old-time protectionist that "the McKinley Bill without the Aldrich Amendment would not make a market for a single bag of flour or barrel of pork."

In this interview Blaine complimented my foresight in having at the outset proposed as a basis for the treaties of reciprocity differential duties on many articles, so that every section of the country would be interested in the passage of the Aldrich Reciprocity Amendment. I suggested that we should get reciprocity passed by the boards of commerce throughout the country, remarking that it was very much easier to bring an idea east than to push it west—which he approved. Resolutions were first passed by the trade organizations on the Pacific Coast; the movement swept eastward, the last resolutions being passed by the Chamber of Commerce and trade organizations of New York. The Aldrich Amendment became law, and many treaties of reciprocity were entered into under it.

In formulating the Brazilian and other reciprocity treaties, I suggested to Secretary Blaine that it would be advisable to have a lawyer draw these documents, but that it would be very prejudicial if a lawyer changed the figures. Secretary Blaine then asked me who I thought would be the best lawyer to draw said treaties, and I told him John Foster, which I knew accorded with the secretary's own views. "The State Department carriage is at the door," he said. "And in order that you may be entirely satisfied as to the conditions, I suggest that you take my carriage, go to Mr. Foster's residence and retain him on behalf of the government, to draw the reciprocity treaties. In that way you can clearly state to him that he is retained with the understanding that no changes will be made in the basis of the Brazilian treaty as negotiated by you with Dr. Mendonça."

A very interesting situation arose in Canada during the election cam-

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paign in 1890. The most prominent plank in the Liberal platform was a proposed treaty of reciprocity between Canada and the United States. If the Conservatives could destroy that plank by merely negotiating with the United States they would increase their chances of success. Information was received that negotiations to that end would be opened by Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador. The idea of the Conservatives was that the mere publicity of the negotiations would destroy the reciprocity plank of the Liberals.

Sir Julian called at the Red House and congratulated Mr. Blaine on the success of his trade expansion policy, and advanced the idea of a reciprocity treaty with Canada. Blaine responded promptly, and, taking a large telegraph blank, such as is used at the State Department, commenced writing conditions of the proposed treaty. It was manifest that Sir Julian was very much pleased with the progress he was making until, at the end of the memorandum, Secretary Blaine wrote:

"It is mutually agreed that no publicity will be made of these negotiations without the written consent of both parties."

The next day Secretary Blaine showed me a four page letter from Sir Julian couched in the most delicate diplomatic terms in which he tried to pry open the door sufficiently to give an excuse for making the negotiations public. But the letter which Secretary Blaine wrote in reply not only closed the door, but locked it.

[To Be Continued]

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The ideal home—the goal that every husband and wife seek to attain—is to be exemplified by Chester I. Campbell in the Home Beautiful and Building Trades Exposition in Mechanics Building, April 25 to May 2 that gives promise of being the largest and most complete exposition ever shown in the historic edifice. Every known art that goes into the up-to-date home; the latest and best in building materials; every element of modern architecture; landscape gardening and planning; every type of building design; the ensemble idea of line and decoration and finishing—all will present an irrepressible appeal that, with the many educational features, will make this year's show a treasure spot for the eager public.

The Home Beautiful idea is being furthered by architects, builders, craftsmen, inventors, interior decorators, constructors, mechanics and manufacturers. These men are united with but one set purpose and that is to make the environment of the home more cheery, comfortable and useful.

The added incentive of having experts in necessary educational matters of import to housewives is a progressive plan toward the accomplishments of a set purpose. The women in the home are the vital factors in making or breaking the lives of their husbands and children. They are the backbone of humanity and the many and varied problems that beset their paths will be materially lessened by careful attention to the instructive talks that will be given for their benefit.

Of special interest will be the exhibitions and health programs conducted by the Camp Fire Girls, the Girl Scouts, Durant and the Massachusetts State Department of Public Health. These active organizations will show the methods now in vogue for the betterment of health of children in the home, in schools, at play and on vacations. Prominent doctors will donate their services for these worthy causes.

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## IN THE REALM OF MUSIC

What Our Home Artists and Others Are Doing To Promote the Interests of This Engaging Art.

The Rubinstein Club has been asked to send a singer from its members to appear on the program in connection with the Maine Federation of Music Clubs to be held in Portland, April 29 and 30, and it is announced that Miss Margaret Harrington, soprano, has been selected. Mrs. Harrison Sanborn will be her accompanist and it is certain that these two artists from the Rockland club will appear to great advantage with the others who will participate in the program. Miss Harrington has not decided on her solo but it will probably be an aria. She is one of our most promising and talented young singers, possessing a fresh sweet voice, which she uses with keen intelligence and perception. A charming personality and poised much to her singing. Miss Harrington is the pupil of Mrs. Lillian Copping of this city, and is a sincere conscientious student.

The different Festivals are beginning to announce their artists. Scanning the list which the North Shore Festival of Chicago will present May 25-30, I note the names of Lawrence Tibbett, baritone, who will be starred at the October Maine Festival, and William Gustafson, bass, who delighted Maine hearers at last October's Festival when he substituted at short notice.

Feodor Chaliapin is not to sing with the Chicago Civic Opera this year. Although he will appear in a limited number of performances at the Metropolitan, he is to do so in the management of S. Hurok, Inc., one concert tour being a coast-to-coast proposition.

Rev. Robert E. Laite, who is known to many in Rockland, conducted the Easter Sunday services at Vinhaven with much success. His son Gilbert, who is attending Kent's Hill Seminary, was soloist for the day and charmed his hearers with his fresh and musical voice and fine selections.

We are urged to make a will to protect our property when the final call comes, yet a will isn't so much of a protection after all, judging from the hectic proceedings that have been instituted against that of Lotta Crabtree, who died recently in Boston, and who is remembered by the older theatre goers as one of the greatest entertainers on the stage of many years ago. Miss Crabtree left an estate of \$8,000,000, and to date scores have come forward, claiming all sorts of relationship from that of being a daughter to obscure cousinship. Her early life, especially when she was beginning to rise as a stage star in San Francisco in the early seventies and as an entertainer in the frontier towns of the Southwest, has been investigated by the attorneys acting in behalf of a number of claimants for the estate, and although they state the investigations are completed, they refuse to make them public at the present time. This principal claimant is Mrs. Carlotta Cockburn, said to be one of the closest living relations of the actress. Miss Crabtree will was of interest to the musical world in that she left large funds for the training of young musicians who were handicapped by lack of sufficient funds.

I have already alluded to the real treat in store for the music lovers in the presentation in part of Gounod's "Redemption" by the First Baptist Choral Society with assisting artists tomorrow (Sunday) evening at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Browne has gotten together a chorus of thirty or more voices, and has as assisting soloists, Mrs. Katherine Veazie, Mrs. Lillian Joyce, and Mrs. Helen Wentworth, sopranos; Mrs. Kathleen Marston and Miss Gladys Jones, contraltos; Harold Greene and Chester Wyllie, tenors; John Robinson, Charles Rose, and Raymond Green, basses. The accompanying instruments are organ, Miss Eliza Hayden, piano; Faith Berry, violin; Albert N. Marsh, cello; Dr. I. E. Luce, trumpet; Herbert Kirkpatrick.

As I have dwelt upon in previous issues of The Courier-Gazette, Gounod's "Redemption" is one of the grandest pieces of the world's musical repertoire—wonderfully dramatic, poignant music, with exquisite melody and richly descriptive. "None, unless they can sing it, can realize how difficult it is, even the simplest chorus. I am dwelling upon this point at this time to bring to the reader's notice the work it has been necessary for Mrs. Browne to give to the presentation of this oratorio—unlimited time and energy—and all music lovers should make the effort to attend to show their appreciation and admiration for her work, in addition to the musical treat they will enjoy.

I note that the fine movie "Janice Meredith" is to be shown again in the near future at Strand Theatre. Mr. Donahue shows good judgment in having this been a universal regret by those who did not see the first showing, and a desire by many who did to see it again. I am delighted, for I found it one of the most engrossing and thrilling movies I have ever seen. It is the very soul of America, a masterly picture of the country's history, beginning with the birth of the Boston Tea Party, up through the Revolutionary period, with a light love theme running through it. As most of us know, it is adapted from the novel of the same name by Paul Leicester Ford, which, although well written and worth while, could not hope to drive home the historical importance of the period. Those who did not see this film before should make the effort to attend this time and see what a lot of American history they have forgotten, and discover what real feeling of patriotism is in you for this glorious and wonderful country of ours. I am hoping Mr. and Mrs. O'Hara again play the score for this film, using the organ and piano, as they did before. The music is thrillingly descriptive and the combination of organ and

piano lends a body that one instrument does not seem to give to such a strong story.

I had a chat with Mrs. Sanborn, teacher of music in the public schools of Rockland, Rockport and Thomaston, and while necessarily brief, being over the telephone, I learn that plans for the memory contest which she is to conduct during National Music Week, May 4 to 9, are developing along the lines she has laid out, and she feels that it is going to be a real event. She is receiving splendid cooperation from Mr. Fickett and some of the clubs which she has approached, and others whom she hoped to especially interest are falling into line. She realizes the project is so entirely new that it is difficult to reach all who she desires, but feels that she will have the way for the future. These contests are being conducted in many schools throughout the country, and are proving beneficial, not alone in training the pupils in music, but in developing the memory, keenness of thought, alertness, etc.

Previously I have mentioned the book "Music and Musicians of Maine", by George Thornton Edwards of Portland, and it was with interest that I note that the Legislature enacted a resolve authorizing the purchase of 100 copies of the book, to be placed in the leading libraries in the State and country. Undoubtedly these will be widely read by those seeking information regarding the early history of music in America, for Maine musical history furnishes

much of interest in its relation to music in America as a whole.

Like many other things in Maine, we do not realize their greatness and plentifulness until something like this book brings it home to us. Few can name readily the musicians from Maine who have become famous—such singers as Anne Louise Carey, Lillian Nordica, Emma Eames, Minnie Searlar, Flora Barry, Arthur Hackett, Charles Marshall, Helen York and many others who have given the State prestige. This book tells us that the man who is now declared by historians of authority to have been the very first American composer, was a resident of Machias a quarter of a century; that John Knowles Paine was born in Portland; that the author of our own "My Country 'Tis of Thee" was a resident of Waterville for a period; that Luther Whiting Mason, who was rewarded by the Empress of Japan for introducing American music into that country, was a native of Turner; that the oldest woman's musical club in America is right in Portland, the Rossini Club.

Mr. Edwards spent more than seven years gathering material for this book. Though nearly all other branches of Maine history have been written up, this represents the first attempt to gather into one volume the history of the musical progress of the State. Mr. Edwards was fortunate in having the co-operation of many of the leading musicians in the State with whom he has a wide acquaintance. In addition, he is well equipped for such an undertaking, having studied under George V. Marston, Herman Kotschmar and other teachers of the classical forms of music. He has kept in close touch with all the musical events of this State for many years. Undoubtedly the book will appear in our own public library and should prove of keen interest to music lovers, and many others for that matter.

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winter the road for the first two or three months shows a surplus of \$40,000.

"While the first three months looked good, April, May and June do not look especially bright," he said, "but with favorable conditions the year should show a \$200,000 surplus." He expects to see a little shrinking in passenger business but not so much from competition by buses as by individual ownership of automobiles. "I do not expect, however, to see the State of Maine permit the operation of buses running parallel to the Maine Central tracks," he said.

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