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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 1855, and in 1891 changed its name to the Tribune. These papers consolidated March 17, 1897.

Take from men ambition and vanity and you will have neither heroes nor patriots.—Seneca.

### ON SAVING MONEY

Within the Power of Each of Us To Become "Well Off."

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—I have read with much interest your recent editorial under the caption "On Saving Money." It is a wonderfully interesting and important subject, and its truth can not too frequently be brought to public attention.

In some, the ability to save, to reinvest and to grow rich is, I think, as much a mark of genius as are the gifts of great artists who sing or paint. The majority of us, however, are destined never to reach great heights. But all can climb a little way. Consequently the criticism I have to offer on your editorial is that you choose to illustrate your argument with a large figure as \$50 per month. That is beyond most of us, and I imagine many after reading the article have said, "Oh, what's the use? I can't do that."

For the past thirty-seven years I have had the privilege and pleasure of being closely identified with the Rockland Loan and Building Association, one of a large group of organizations which have done a wonderful work throughout the United States among people, mostly wage earners, in teaching them to save monthly in small amounts. Out of each one hundred of our membership:

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It is not practical in this communication to write of the very many interesting things that occur in a business of this nature, but nothing gives the management more pleasure and encouragement than the tenacity with which the members hold to their investments, and in most instances increase them. I have in mind a friend who had for a long time hesitated over opening a small account, fearing that he could not keep up even a modest monthly payment. Finally, in October, 1914, he ventured on \$3 per month. Much to his surprise he had no trouble in making his deposits regularly, and in 1916 he increased them to \$5 and again in 1921 to \$7. Today his deposit amounts to \$947.84.

The average deposit of members is \$9 per month. The usual term is twelve years, and at the expiration of that time they have deposited \$1296; profits of \$532.98 have been added; and they receive in cash \$1828.98. Should they continue investing for thirty years, each would receive \$3,161.65, a profit of but slightly less than \$5,000.

Our mission is to emphasize the injunction "Despise not the day of small beginnings."

H. O. Gurdy,  
Secretary, Rockland Loan & Building Association.

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## DISCUSSED LOCAL TOPICS

### Open Forum Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Brings Out Many Good Points—George B. Wood Offers Word of Warning.

The open forum banquet of the Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday night, proved such a congenial and profitable affair that a unanimous vote was recorded in favor of making it a monthly institution through the winter. Vital topics were discussed and every member was free to express his shant to their merits or demerits. In this manner only can the sentiment of an entire community be gauged.

Roast fancy chicken, with dressing was the piece de resistance at the banquet, and in the cozy rooms of the Copper Kettle the feast was thoroughly enjoyed. Philip A. Jones who parks more musical legs to the square into than any other man this side of William B. Chapman, was in charge of the singing and it was found that vocal talent has increased amazingly in Rockland since he began his missionary work. It is evident, too, that the Forty Club is an excellent training school, for many members of that organization are also members of the Chamber of Commerce.

President Blodgett, well gagged by a strenuous day's work, impressed Col. Walter H. Butler into service as presiding officer, and if Rockland has a better one the fact is being successfully concealed.

The first matter taken up after dinner Tuesday night was the tourist camp. Supt. A. F. McAlary, chairman of the committee, was asked to give its status. He did so in one succinct phrase. "We haven't any," said he.

It developed from his report that the Chamber of Commerce had leased a camp site on Waldo avenue at \$75 a year and that it ran afoul of the State Board of Health and was closed last summer. When conditions were improved, and it was reopened, the season of revenue was over. The Chamber is unable to obtain a long lease of the land or to buy it. Supt. McAlary said that there had often been a dozen cars at a time at the camp, but property owners there could easily be double that number.

S. Nilo Spear was called upon because of his extended acquaintance with tourists' camps over the United States and in Canada. His audience laughed until it almost cried over his droll and impulsive recital, and did not fail to endorse the sentiments which he so quaintly presented. Mr. Spear made it very plain at the start that he would not sponsor a camp unless it is properly conducted, and in this connection he gave a graphic description of how undesirable tourists take advantage of such institutions. They are a detriment to the community, Mr. Spear said he had seen tourist camps in California, in Florida and in Canada, but none which could compare with Rockland's from a scenic standpoint. Most of the camps are conducted by municipalities. Mr. Spear illustrated his talk with several inimitable stories, one of the best of which was his description of how he took a stranger to Owl's Head to view the scenery, and of the subsequent benefits which the community received from this act of courtesy.

When the applause died away Rev. C. A. Kaizerbocker lost no time in nominating Mr. Spear as town booster, an appointment which the smiling Nilo promptly accepted.

The discussion as to a tourist camp was continued, and Supt. McAlary was asked to give his opinion as to cost and benefits.

"The benefits may be only negative," said he, "and I don't think \$500 would start it off. For the first two years it might not carry itself."

President Blodgett told of tourists who visited the camp last summer and became so disgusted that they motored back to Belfast. In that city two citizens were delegated each day to meet the tourists and to spend a certain amount of time at the camp.

A hand vote showed nobody opposed to having a tourist camp in Rockland, and the committee will continue its efforts.

What can the Chamber of Commerce do for you? was the next question, and had been assigned to S. Nilo Spear, a non-member. Mr. Spear said he had become interested in the Knox Trotting Park proposition but that when he approached a Chamber of Commerce member about it the latter said that he had an appointment to go fishing with Bert Angell. "I thought that if that was all the interest the Chamber of Commerce had in matters I didn't want to belong," said the speaker. Mr. Spear then told of the courtesies extended to him by the new secretary, Samuel S. Lord, and said he began to feel better toward the Chamber; in fact, if urged, he might join. He told of his experience in Lake Worth, Fla., where a banker had offered to finance him to the extent of \$10,000 in building an automobile repair shop, and how he had not accepted the kind offer because he wouldn't be content to remain away from Rockland in summer.

"We have a community that is a corker now, but we can make it better," said Mr. Spear. "Work together and overlook the little petty and personal things."

To Henry B. Bird of the Medomak Canning Co. was assigned the topic "How to help local industry." "Too often we forget the industries we have right here in our own locality," said Col. Butler in introducing him. "New industries are important," said Mr. Bird, "and we should do all in our power to get them, but in our anxiety to have new ones we are apt to go right by those we already have here. I had rather have 10 industries employing 500 persons apiece than one industry employing 500. Conditions would be more stable."

The matter was referred to William D. Talbot's committee, to report at the next meeting.

### JURORS ASSIGNED

The assignment of justices for the Supreme Court terms of 1926 was announced Tuesday in Augusta, where Law Court is in session. Knox County fares thus:

January Term—Associate Justice Luere B. Deasy of Eden.

April Term—Associate Justice Norman L. Bassett of Augusta.

September Term—Associate Justice Charles J. Dunn of Orono.

The Lincoln County assignments are:

April Term—Associate Justice Charles P. Barnes of Houlton.

October Term—Associate Justice John A. Morrill of Auburn.

The assignments for Hancock County are:

April Term—Associate Justice Guy H. Sturges of Portland.

October Term—Associate Justice Deasy.

## TALK OF THE TOWN

John Jay Perry of Lewiston is in the city for a few days on income tax business.

The shipment of foreign Christmas packages has been unusually large this year, according to Postmaster Blithen.

The holiday spirit is reflected even in the city's hydrants which with their coats of vermilion fairly cry their location.

The Fireproof folks are nearly ready to open their ice skating rink. They are merely waiting for Jack Frost to lend a hand.

The family of the late Roscoe G. Ingraham is very grateful to the police department for the manner in which the traffic was handled during the funeral procession Tuesday afternoon.

Walter O. Frost of this city, associate pathologist of the Department of Agriculture in Springfield, Mass., attending the 11th annual blister rust control conference and the second New England Forestry Congress.

The new bus has been withdrawn from the Thomaston-Warren route because of the law which prohibits the use of motor vehicles of three tons or more on the highways until frozen going. The Street Railway has replaced the bus with a seven-passenger Buick sedan, which is properly placarded to acquaint the patrons of the line with the change.

William E. Bunker, the Augusta architect, was in the city Tuesday telling friends, with pardonable pride, how he recently shot a 200-pound bear at Penobscot Lake. It was his 34th trip to the big woods and the advent of a bruin had ever fallen victim to his skilled aim. "When I realized I had him I was that excited I couldn't have hit another bear if he had been the size of a barn," Mr. Bunker told a Courier-Gazette reporter.

At its last meeting Edwin Libby Relief Corps elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Winifred Butler; vice president, Mrs. Velma Marsh; secretary, Miss Doris Hyler; treasurer, Mrs. Hattie Higgins; chaplain, Mrs. Annie Douglass; conductor, Mrs. Liza Plummer; guard, Mrs. Maggie Graves; past president, Mrs. Clara Curtis. The officers elect will be installed at their first regular meeting in January, with the State installing officer, Mrs. George Wilson of Portland officiating. An invitation is extended to the patriotic organizations to attend and the installation is to be public, with light refreshments and a fine program.

Bath Times: Although ex-Gov. William T. Cobb resigned from membership in the Colonial Club the club turned about and gave him an honorary membership for life at its monthly meeting Monday night. The club did more than that for having had advance knowledge of the ex-governor's intention caused the surrender of his key, the officers had the key gold plated and forwarded to him in a case with a suitably engraved card. During the years of his presidency of the Bath Iron Works, Ltd., Mr. Cobb whose home is in Rockland found great comfort in the club rooms and to show his appreciation of what the club had meant to him he accompanied his resignation by a check for \$50.

City Clerk Keene received 76 applications for absentee ballots, and that number was promptly mailed from his office. Some of the applications were received so late that it was not humanly possible for the ballots to get back to Rockland in season for Monday's election, and in at least two instances the applicants did not give their correct postoffice address. In the case of Alfred S. Black, noted in a previous issue, it should have been stated that Mr. Black's secretary in Boston placed the application in a letter file and the oversight was discovered too late to make it possible to get a ballot back to Rockland in season. City Clerk Keene is extremely conscientious in the performance of his duties, and no absentee voter was deprived of franchise through his fault.

### YOUR FAVORITE POEM

If I had to live my life again I would have tried 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 Durrell

### THE FOOL'S PRAYER

The royal feast was done; the King sought some new art to banish care, And to his jester cried: "Sir fool, kneel now, and make for us a prayer."

The jester doffed his cap and bells, And stood the mocking court before; They could not see the latter smile Behind the painted grin he wore.

He bowed his head, and bent his knee Upon the monarch's silken stool; His pleading voice arose: "Oh Lord, Be merciful to me, a fool!"

"No pity, Lord could change the heart From red with heat to white as wool: The rod must heal the sin; but, Lord, Be merciful to me, a fool!"

"Tis not by guilt the onward sweep Of truth the river of Lord, we stay: 'Tis by our follies that so long We hold the earth from heaven away."

"These clumsy feet, still in the mire, Go crushing blossoms without end; The King and jester, hand in hand, Among the heart-strings of a friend."

"The ill-timed truth we might have kept— Who knows how sharp it pierced and stung! The word we had not come to say— Who knows how grandly it had rung!"

"Our faults no tenderness must cleanse them all; But for our blindness—oh, in shame Before the eyes of heaven we fall."

"Earth bears no balm for mistakes; Men crown the knave, and scourge the fool That did his will; but Thou, O Lord, Be merciful to me, a fool!"

The room was hushed; in silence rose The King, and sought his garden cool, And walked apart, and murmured low, "Be merciful to me, a fool!"

—Edward Rowland Sill.

## The Courier-Gazette

THREE TIMES A WEEK

**CIRCULATION AFFIDAVIT**  
 Rockland, Maine, Dec. 10, 1925.  
 Personally appeared Frank S. Laidley, who on oath declares that he is pressman in the office of the Courier-Gazette, and that of the issue of this paper of Dec. 8, 1925, there was printed a total of 6,630 copies. Before me.  
 FRANK B. MILLER,  
 Notary Public.

A morning prayer:—Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.—Psalm 51:10.

Today's ballot inspection will settle definitely, it is hoped, whether James F. Carver is to be the city's mayor the next two years, or whether the tally clerks made a sufficient number of mistakes to warrant Walter T. Prescott in petitioning the Supreme Court for a recount. Court action involves an extended delay, as was seen in the case of Mayor Charles M. Harrington's election in 1915. On the face of the returns Mr. Harrington had three majorities. His opponent, Philip Howard, asked the Court for a recount, and Mayor Harrington, to whom a certificate of election had been given, served his full term before a decision was reached. This decision sustained Mayor Harrington, whose majority was increased by the recount. It is gratifying all around that the cry of fraud is not raised in the canvassing of Monday's returns, or even hinted at. If there were mistakes they were human ones. Some of the rest of us have been known to make them.

### THRIFT, THRIFT, HORATIO

Mr. Gurdy's communication upon the always interesting subject of thrift adds emphasis to the articles which from time to time have appeared in the columns of this paper. That the past few years should have shown in our own immediate territory of Knox County an extraordinary increase of deposits in the several institutions of saving furnishes impressive testimony to the growth of a spirit of thrift on the part of our people. It is scarcely possible for all of us to acquire the independence of large wealth, but it does lie within the grasp of every man and woman, through the open channels of consistent saving, to provide snugly against the period when the earning capacity narrows and the need of an accumulated capital becomes accentuated. Through various engaging devices the savings institutions of our country make it possible for accounts to be opened upon even the smallest scale, inculcating thereby the principle of consistent saving and supplying an object lesson in what can be accomplished through the fascinating processes of compound interest. Perhaps there is some reader of this paragraph—boy or girl, man or woman—who has not yet enrolled himself in this army of savers. He should repair that omission by starting an account today.

### THE COUNTRY CLUB

This evening sees inaugurated another winter season of the Rockland Country Club. We hope it is to register a success beyond any of its past satisfactory seasons. There is every reason why this club should receive from its large and excellent membership a character of support that shall maintain it upon a high plane of community activity. Quoting President Brown's recent address at the annual meeting: "No Country Club has a more attractive location, surely the most beautiful spot in Rockland, overlooking the bay and islands. It is an important factor in the social life of our city and gives us standing among the progressive cities and towns of Maine." The prosperity of an organization of this kind depends not upon the exertions of a few but rather upon the co-operation of the many. The club's membership list furnishes a cross-section of Rockland in its social and business aspects. Its activities should tend to draw those various groups into a closer club association, developing thereby a spirit of club loyalty and enthusiasm upon which its year-around prosperity shall remain assured. The Country Club is an important adjunct of Rockland life and deserves to be maintained at a high point of efficiency.

The remains of the late Roscoe G. Ingraham were laid at rest in Achorn cemetery Tuesday afternoon, after funeral services which had been rendered especially impressive by the presence of the Rockland Band. The services were held at the Bowes-Crozier undertaking rooms, and as the family left that establishment the band played "Lead Kindly Light," following with "Nearer My God To Thee," as the casket was removed to the hearse. The procession passed down Masonic and Spring streets, and up Main with the band, as escort as far as Rankin block, playing Webster's Funeral March. A funeral hymn was played as the procession passed up North Main street. All traffic ceased on Main street while the cortege was passing, and pedestrians and storekeepers stood with bared heads as the body of the beloved bandmaster proceeded on its last journey. Rev. E. V. Allen conducted the funeral services and "taps" was sounded at the grave by Kenneth V. White, who made the arrangements for the band's participation. Many beautiful floral pieces surrounded the casket. The bearers were Thomas H. Chisholm, Fred Eastman, Albert R. Marsh, E. C. Ingraham, P. A. Winslow and Joseph Cohog. The interment was in Achorn cemetery.

## KNOX COUNTY SENATORSHIP



George W. Walker



Z. M. Dwinall

Knox County Republicans will learn with much regret today that State Senator George W. Walker will not be a candidate for renomination in the June primaries.

"I am withdrawing for purely business reasons," Senator Walker told The Courier-Gazette reporter over the telephone yesterday afternoon. Mr. Walker is president of the Georges River Woolen Mill. He received a splendid endorsement as a candidate for the Senate and his presence on the ticket was a strong factor for Republican success.

In the Legislature he was assigned to several of the most important committees and his efforts in behalf of the Kennebec Bridge were in no small measure responsible for the great victory which crowned that undertaking. Knox County voters are deeply regretful that he is not to represent them at least another session.

Coincident with Senator Walker's statement comes the announcement that Representative Zelma M. Dwinall of Camden will seek promotion to the upper branch of the State Legislature. What Mr. Walker was to the Senate Mr. Dwinall was to the House at the last session, and he will be a most formidable candidate for the vacant berth.

Mr. Dwinall has been county attorney and has held the most important offices in his home town, where he is an attorney, and an insurance and real estate broker.

## INSPECTING THE BALLOTS

This Is Merely a Preliminary Examination To See If There Is Basis For An Official Recount.

An inspection of the ballots cast in Monday's municipal election is in progress at the city clerk's office as this paper goes to press. Mayor-elect James F. Carver being represented by Judge Frank B. Miller and Walter T. Prescott, the Democratic candidate by Ensign Otis. City Clerk Keene is assisted by A. H. Newbert.

On the face of the clerk's returns Mr. Carver had eight majorities.

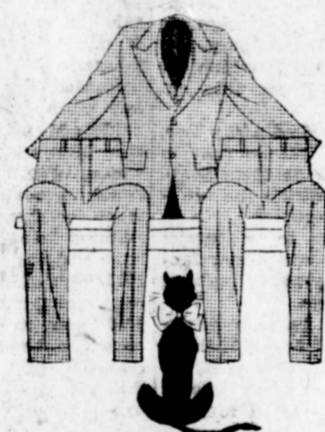
In view of the many conflicting reports circulated on the street as to the cause and purposes of the inspection of ballots, Ensign Otis, attorney for Mr. Prescott, makes the following statement:

"This inspection is a wholly unofficial proceeding, designed only to permit the attorneys for the opposing candidates to examine the ballots and ascertain whether, in their opinion, there is reason to believe that the result as announced and canvassed would be substantially changed in the event of a recount. It is a preliminary step only, and both candidates and attorneys will approach the view with open minds, and in an effort to agree upon the actual vote and upon whether substantial errors have been made."

"The inspection is asked for by Mr. Prescott, and agreed to by Mr. Carver, simply because the result as announced is extremely close; certain ballots on both sides are believed to have been counted as defective which should have been good, and tallied for one or the other of the candidates. It is possible that there are enough of these ballots to affect the result. These seem also to exist a possibility that, in one ward at least, a considerable number of ballots may have been returned as unmarked which were actually marked and should be counted."

"Absolutely no charges of misconduct are made by Mr. Prescott and no claim is made by him that the result is otherwise than as canvassed. After the inspection is completed, a statement of findings will be made by the attorneys. In the meantime, citizens are urged to keep an open mind and to ignore all unfounded and premature rumors. No intelligent statement of the situation can be made until after the conclusion of the inspection."

HARRISON STEIN CLOTHES



## Suits with 2 Trousers and 9 Lives for 35 Dollars

The oft taled feline with nine lives has four legs so have these suits.

And, due to the quality of the fabrics of which they are tailored, they will wear until the last cat is dead and you are tired of the pattern. Double and Single Breasted models with the very same lapels and lines that are in coast to coast demand.

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Christmas Pajamas.

Christmas Night Robes.

Christmas Neckwear.

Christmas Handkerchiefs.

Christmas Traveling Bags.

Gregory's

## MRS. E. W. THURLOW

Founder of Rockland's Noted Ice Cream Resort Dies At Age of 81.

Sarah F., widow of Edward W. Thurlow, died at her home on Oak street Tuesday night, aged 81 years. Her health had been failing gradually for two years and four months, during which time she had been confined to her room and most of that time to her bed. Her final illness, however, was of brief duration.

The deceased was born near West Meadows April 18, 1844, a daughter of Oscar F. and Elizabeth Ann (Monroe) Healey. Her marriage to the late Edward W. Thurlow resulted in the birth of two children, one of whom—a daughter—died in infancy. The other, their son George, was 22 years of age when claimed by the grim reaper. Charles A. Mitchell, who has made his home with the family since he was seven years of age, has been regarded in the light of a son and to him Mrs. Thurlow extended a mother's love. Of the Healey family there now survive but two members—Mrs. Rebecca Ingraham, a sister of Mrs. Thurlow and Herbert W. Healey of Belfast, a brother.

For 46 years, ever since she established her ice cream business, Mrs. Thurlow's name has been a household word in Rockland, and her establishment has been the mecca for people who came literally from all over the world. Her ice cream parlor became not merely a place of business, but an institution.

In 1879 there existed in Rockland but one place in which ice cream could be bought—John McNamara's in Central block.

Mrs. Thurlow had a wonderful recipe and a 3-quart ice cream freezer. "Do you suppose I could do any business if I opened ice cream parlors in my house?" she asked a lady friend. The friend was not only positive that the plan would work well, but added a gallon freezer to Mrs. Thurlow's modest equipment.

At first Mrs. Thurlow's efforts were confined to the manufacture of strawberry and vanilla—good old standbys, which have today lost none of their popularity. Business was good from the start and chocolate was added to the list. Today the establishment presents 10 varieties regularly, and manufactures numerous others, according to the season. In the height of the season Mrs. Thurlow made for the regular trade 100 gallons each of vanilla and strawberry, with chocolate and walnut coming next in quantity—probably 350 gallons in all. This does not take into account the many special orders, which came from far and near, for weddings, picnics, parties, etc. Her ices have been sent as far as New York.

Mrs. Thurlow received many other recipes for making ice cream, but none that ever seemed to give satisfaction equal to her own. And as the public never offered other than favorable criticism, no change was made in her lifetime.

The public had not seen Mrs. Thurlow for nearly three years—in fact never saw but little of the master mind of this notable industry, but those who were brought intimately within the scope of her acquaintance found it easy to understand why everybody felt an instinctive affection for this kindly and courageous woman. Her life work was of such a strenuous character that she did not find an opportunity to join those organizations so dear to women, but her circle of friends was a large one and her demise leaves in its wake a long trail of sorrowing ones.

The funeral services will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. E. V. Allen officiating.

Solve your Christmas problem with one of the famous Brewster-made shirts, hunting coats or sport jackets. These make ideal Christmas gifts. Ask John McLoon, telephone 253-M, 147-149.



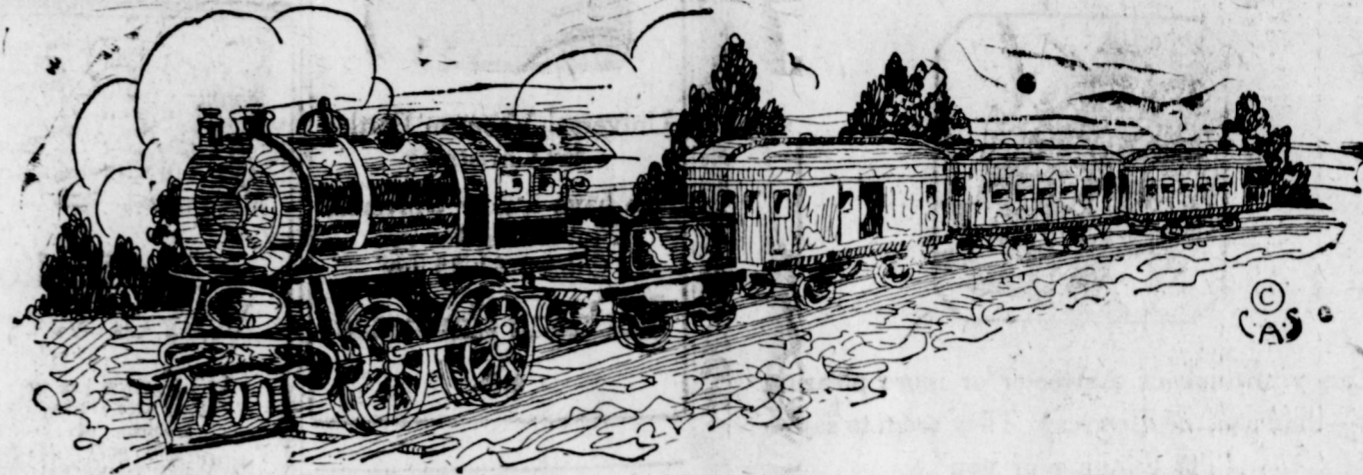
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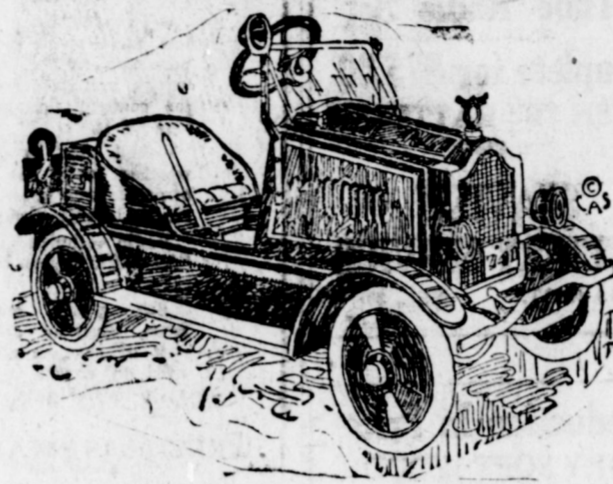
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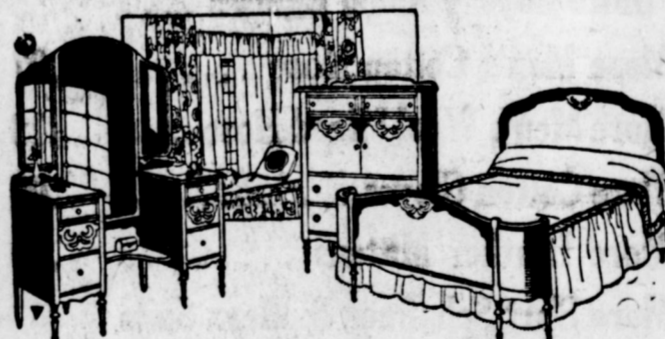
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 ROCKLAND — MAINE

## TALK OF THE TOWN

**COMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS**  
 Dec. 11—Rockport H. S. Senior Fair, "Bigger and better than ever" at Rockport Town hall.  
 Dec. 15—Monthly meeting of Baptist Men's League.  
 Dec. 16—Thomson—M. E. Church Christmas Fair.  
 Dec. 18—Opening meeting of Woman's Educational Club at Methodist vestry at 7.15.  
 Dec. 18—Fall term of city schools ends.  
 Dec. 19—Limerick Valley Pomona Grange meets with Meganticook Grange, Camden.  
 Dec. 21—Dickens party at Congregational vestry, by entertainment committee.  
 Dec. 21—First day of winter.  
 Dec. 22—Christmas Eve.  
 Dec. 23—Annual levee and ball of American Hook & Ladder Co. at The Arcade.  
 Jan. 1—New Year's Day.  
 Jan. 1—New Year's Ball by Harmony Club.  
 Feb. 14—St. Valentine's Day.  
 Feb. 22—Washington's birthday.

There will be a special rehearsal of Christmas music of the First Baptist church choir Friday evening at 6.45.

District Deputy Grand Chancellor Whaley of Camden will make an inspection of Gen. Berry Lodge, K. of P. tonight. There will be work on the rank of page, and supper.

Two officers' schools for Major Brown's battalion are to be held during the winter, one in January and one in March. Major Brown will be in charge.

Under the caption: "Talented Musician Will Preside" a Miami, Fla. paper says: "Mrs. Ruth E. Sanborn of Rockland, Me., recently arrived in Miami to make her home. Mrs. Sanborn is a fine musician, and has been added as a special teacher in music departments of the Miami city and Dade County schools under the direction of Miss Sadie Lou Lindemeyer. \* \* \* Dr. and Mrs. Sanborn will make their home in Miami Shores, where they are building a new home."

The Cloverdale Company has recently held its annual sale, and of the 1200 stores taking part 40 exceeded the quota assigned to them by headquarters. On this exclusive list was the Rockland store, which has been so ably managed the past five years by H. E. Winchenbaugh. Mr. Winchenbaugh was presented by the corporation with a set which included a gold fountain pen and gold pencil, but he is even prouder of the letter of commendation which he received from the president. The Rockland store, he it known, exceeded its quota by 25 per cent.

The opening meeting of the Rockland Parent-Teacher Association will be held in the High School auditorium Monday night at 8 o'clock. Supt. E. L. Toner and Principal E. R. Verrill will make brief talks. Local school problems will be touched upon and it is essential that every parent know the situation. The matter of studying at home will be especially discussed.

Four o'clock tomorrow afternoon is the hour set for a brief meeting of the Rockland Community and School Improvement Association at the Postoffice. The question of participation in Community Fair will be settled as well as the dates of the fair and the place. This will probably be the last meeting until after Christmas.

Gym shoes for men participating in the business men's classes recently organized at the High School by Athletic Director Jones may be obtained at L. E. Blackington's shoe and clothing store.—adv.

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If you want to make her happy this Christmas give her a

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The annual Christmas fair of St. Peter's church takes place this afternoon and evening with supper served at 6 o'clock.

A supper and dance is scheduled for the Country Club tonight. Reservations should be made at the clubhouse.

John McLoon, captain of this fall's High School football team has become a captain of industry as authorized agent of the Brewster shirts, hunting coats and sport jackets.

At the Elks Club tonight the executive committee of the Knox County Fish & Game Association will dine at 6.30. A Smallwood menu being served and afterward hold its regular monthly get-together.

From Worcester, Mass. writes Carl M. Benson, former manager of Park Theatre, "Saw 'The Road to Yesterday' and it is a wonderful picture which is going over big here." It is one of the finest of the de Mille productions and it is coming to Strand Theatre in the near future.

A. J. Cervantes of New York has the night light at the Western Union telegraph office during the illness of Night Operator Pease. Although handicapped by a crippled arm Mr. Cervantes is one of the most expert operators in the country, and has handled thousands of words of press matter in his time, being assigned to many of the important events which newspaper correspondents cover. Like many another skilled operator he has risen from a messenger boy, and will probably tickle the key to the remainder of his days.

This is to inform the public that I shall continue the business of dealing in musical instruments as conducted by my late husband and myself for 33 years. It will be my aim to give the same satisfaction for which we have always striven.  
 Mrs. Marie Ingraham.

Basketball at the High School at 7.30 tomorrow night. R. H. S. girls vs. Stonington High girls, followed by a dance. Admission 35 cents.—adv.

Do your Christmas shopping at Rawley's Hosiery and Specialty Shop, Lindsey street, Opp. Water Co.—adv.

## Removal Sale

I have bought the northern section of Rankin Block and will remove to that location as soon as it is ready. It will make a fine new home for my business, and what is more important Reduce the Overhead Expense and allow me to Give Still Greater Values!

Meantime I shall dispose of my big stock of Men's Furnishings just as far as possible in order to have less to move and to get new capital. I have Cut My Already Low Prices Still More.

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## COUNTRY CLUB PLANS

Popular Institution Will Be Center of Social Whirl This Winter.

A winter of unusual social brilliance is promised at the Country Club the coming season. Cards, dances and dinners will form the basis of social rotation, but there will be a number of detours from the beaten path as well as the usual private parties. No definite plans have been made as yet regarding the Sunday concerts.

Follows the winter's schedule:

Thursday, Dec. 17—Ladies' Afternoon

Auction, 2.30 p. m. Mrs. E. H. Rose, Chairman.

Christmas Holiday Dance, 8 p. m.

Miss Doris Black, Chairman.

New Year's Supper and Auction, 8 p. m.

Mrs. Arthur F. Lamb, Chairman.

Thursday, Jan. 7—Ladies' Afternoon

Auction, 2.30 p. m. Mrs. A. T. Thurston, Chairman.

Thursday, Jan. 14—Café, 8 p. m.

Mrs. Homer E. Robinson, Chairman.

Thursday, Jan. 21—Ladies' and Gentlemen's Supper and Auction, 6.30 p. m.

William C. Bird, Chairman.

Thursday, Jan. 28—Sewing and Supper, 2.30 p. m. Mrs. R. W. Bickford, Chairman.

Thursday, Feb. 4—Dance, 8 p. m. Mrs. H. B. Fales, Chairman.

Thursday, Feb. 18—Ladies' and Gentlemen's Supper and Auction, 6.30 p. m.

Mrs. C. M. Kallio, Chairman.

Thursday, March 5—Ladies' Afternoon Auction, 2.30 p. m. Mrs. Jane Bird, Chairman.

Thursday, March 12—Masquerade, 8 p. m.

Mrs. Horace Lamb, Chairman.

Thursday, March 19—Ladies' Afternoon Auction, 2.30 p. m. Mrs. A. S. Black, Chairman.

Thursday, March 26—Dance, 8 p. m.

Ernest C. Davis, Chairman.

Thursday, April 1—Ladies' and Gentlemen's Supper and Auction, 6.30 p. m.

W. H. Spear, Chairman.

Thursday, April 15—Dance, 8 p. m.

Mrs. George B. Wood, Chairman.

Thursday, April 22—Ladies' Afternoon Auction, 2.30 p. m.

Mrs. C. L. Sleeper, Chairman.

Thursday, April 29—Ladies' Supper and Dance, 6.30 p. m.

Elmer C. Davis, Chairman.

Thursday, May 6—Ladies' and Gentlemen's Supper and Auction, 6.30 p. m.

Mrs. M. E. Wotton, Chairman.

Thursday, May 13—Dance, 8 p. m.

Mrs. Henry B. Bird, Chairman.

Women visitors from out of town are reminded that a rest room has been established for the holiday season in the American Legion rooms (formerly the Y. M. C. A. building) and is open from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Holiday shoppers will doubtless appreciate the courtesy.

Sergeant Perceval H. McCusick has been recommended to Gov. Brewster for appointment as 2d Lieutenant of Battery G, 240th Coast Artillery. There were five candidates and an exceptionally fine examination was passed by Sergeant McCusick. The examining board comprised Major Ralph W. Brown, Captain Harrison P. MacAlman and Lieut. Francis D. Saville.

Christmas Club checks were payable at the Security Trust Co.'s banking quarters yesterday, and in less time than it takes to tell it a very large proportion of the \$102,000 saved by thrifty citizens had been paid over the counter. About 10 per cent of this money remained on deposit at the bank and the remainder went into the channels of trade—coal bills, taxes, etc. Christmas traffic immediately felt the stimulus of this money, but it really did seem too bad to part with Elmer C. Davis' autograph so soon. The 1926 club has already started, payments being due this week.

A flood of impostors and fakers in the guise of Salvation Army officers and workers has swept New England and are reaping a golden harvest. In almost every community in the five New England States these impostors have appeared and in one manner or another have been collecting Christmas and charitable funds intended for the Salvation Army. Wearing uniforms similar in design and color to the uniforms of the Salvationists, this horde of impostors, either openly or by subterfuge, have represented themselves as members of the Salvation Army. If one of these impostors appeals for funds and cannot produce the card signed by Col. McIntyre, the police should immediately be notified.

**RESERVATIONS.** Make your supper reservations early. This is very important to the House Committee, and means much to you as well.

**SUNDAY CONCERTS** have afforded our members much pleasure and enjoyment in the past, but definite dates will not be set for concerts this season.

**THURSDAY** is Country Club Day. Remember this when making your engagements.

**YOU** are a member of the Rockland Country Club, and upon your cooperation depends the success of the Club's social activities.

## Western Beef

SIRLOIN ROAST, lb. .... 35c, 45c  
 FIVE RIB ROAST, lb. .... 25c  
 CHUCK ROAST, lb. .... 15c, 18c, 20c  
 POT ROAST, lb. .... 25c, 30c, 35c  
 SIRLOIN STEAK (Boneless), lb. .... 50c  
 TOP ROUND STEAK, lb. .... 40c  
 HAMBURG STEAK, lb. .... 25c, 30c, 35c  
 STEW BEEF, lb. .... 20c, 25c, 30c  
 LEGS RAMP ROAST, lb. .... 35c  
 PORK TO ROAST, lb. .... 28c, 30c  
 NATIVE FOWL, lb. .... 35c

NATIVE VEAL AT ALL TIMES

**SPECIAL—FOR SATURDAY ONLY**

NATIVE SPRING CHICKENS, lb. .... 30c  
 (3 to 4 pound average—young and tender)

3 LOAVES CONSOLIDATED BREAD .... 25c

TRY OUR SAUSAGE, links and packages

SPINACH, ICEBERG LETTUCE, CELERY, GRAPES, LAYER FIGS, GRAPE FRUIT, ORANGES, BANANAS, MIXED NUTS

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

## TRAVELER SERVICE

Local Banks Hook Up With United Hotels Company.

J. A. Mason, representative of the United Hotels Company of America and the American Hotels Corporation, was in Rockland yesterday for the purpose of establishing through the banks and other prominent organizations a system of hotel reservation service. This service enables the traveler to secure room reservation by wire without cost through the local banks to any unit of the widely known and much patronized hotel system which Mr. Mason represents.

The Rockland National Bank and Security Trust Co. have adopted this plan and are taking an active part in extending the service to the depositors. The service which Mr. Mason is introducing here is being conducted through a like manner throughout the entire country and is meeting the hearty approval of the general public.

Mr. Mason is a Virginian, at present residing in New York, and expresses himself as well pleased with his reception in the North from a social as well as a business standpoint.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We take this method of thinking friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness in our bereavement in the loss of our wife and mother, also for the flowers, and especially to those who so kindly furnished cars for conveyance for funeral.  
 John Hall and family.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to express our deep appreciation of the thoughtfulness and kindness shown by the hand boys who furnished music for the funeral of their late associate, Roscoe G. Ingraham, aged 89 years, 8 months, 13 days.  
 Mrs. Marie Ingraham, Mrs. Katherine Barclay.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 Through the columns of The Courier-Gazette I extend thanks to all the voters of Ward 7 who so loyally supported me in Monday's election. I wish particularly to express my appreciation of the honor conferred upon me by the Democrats in the ward, who selected and endorsed me as their candidate.  
 Lucy E. Rhodes.

**GATH**

In loving memory of our dear daughter Florence Gath, who passed away Dec. 10, 1921.  
 Remembrance, 'tis a golden chain  
 Death tries to break, but all in vain;  
 For all of us she died her best,  
 May God grant her eternal rest.  
 From Father, Mother and Sisters.

**BORN**

Ames—At the Whitney Maternity Home, Ingraham Hill, Dec. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Laron Ames of Matineus, a son—Laron, Junior, weight 8 lbs.

**MARRIED**  
 Heath-Smith—Rockland, Nov. 18, by Rev. W. S. Rounds, Edward Heath of Portland and Mrs. Helen Smith of Rockland.

**DIED**

Morton—Thomson, Dec. 6, Sarah Ellen Morton, aged 79 years, 2 months, 3 days.

Weaver—Norton, Dec. 5, Silas V. Weaver, aged 62 years, 9 months, 3 days.

Mitchell—Rockland, Dec. 9, Andrews Mitchell, aged 89 years, 8 months, 13 days.

Funeral Friday afternoon from late residence, Titman—Appleton, Dec. 5, William H. Titman, aged 81 years, 2 months, 21 days.

Funeral Friday afternoon from late residence, Oliver—Rockland, Dec. 7, Mary M. wife of Herbert Oliver, aged 66 years, 1 month, 2 days.

Funeral from Bowes and Crozier parlors today at 2 o'clock.

Lernond—South Hope, Dec. 8, William A. Lernond, aged 37 years, 3 months, 10 days.

McLaughlin—Rockland, Dec. 9, Eliza J. widow of Isaac McLaughlin, aged 80 years, 6 months, 16 days. Funeral Sunday at 2 p. m., from 44 Gay street.

Thompson—Rockland, Dec. 8, Sarah F. widow of Edward W. Thurlow, aged 81 years.

## "Horsman" Dolls



We are the only store in Knox County featuring the famous "Horsman" Unbreakable Dolls, Baby Dolls, Walking and Talking Dolls, all sizes.

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Gifts of Leather, Fitted Cases, Week End Cases, Bags, Hat Boxes, Hand Bags,

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A large assortment of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Handkerchiefs, put up in beautiful Christmas packages, all prices. Handkerchief Folders. Under Arm Bags, etc.

## CHRISTMAS CLOSE BY

The public is invited to visit Mrs. Kirkpatrick's studio in Rockville and look over her large collection of Pictures and choice Hand Painted Christmas Cards. Come early, while the roads are fine; the drive is beautiful. Hours from 9.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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BONED SIRLOIN STEAK ... 45c

BEEF ROASTS, Cut from Chuck ..... 14c, 16c, 18c

FIVE RIB ROAST, Cut from Corn Fed Cattle ..... 30c, 35c

We have Pascal and White Celery, Cucumbers, Radishes, Brussels Sprouts, Mushrooms, Iceberg and Boston Lettuce, Sweet Potatoes, Spinach, Cranberries, Hubbard Squash, Turnips, Large and Small Onions

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WILL MEET DEC. 18

To Decide Upon Location of Kennebec Bridge — Borings Completed.

The Kennebec Bridge Commission and the State Highway Commission met Monday in Bath to confer with Dr. J. A. L. Waddell of New York, the consulting engineer, and Shortridge Hardesty, associate engineer, relative to the proposed new bridge over the Kennebec river between Bath and Woolwich. The preliminary details have not reached the stage so that any steps can be taken toward locating the structure. When the conference adjourned it was agreed to call the next meeting at the State House in Augusta on Friday, Dec. 18, when it is believed work will have reached the point where the bridge can be located. It is hoped at that time to have a representative of the Maine Central Railroad present to talk with authority relative to agreements as provided in the bridge act passed by the last legislature.

There have been 24 borings made thus far, under the direction of S. K. Allen, field engineer representing Dr. Waddell, and of this number 20 have been completed. The remaining four were lost due to unavoidable circumstances caused principally by the weather. Two of them were lost when one of the lighters broke adrift due to ice a week ago. Up to that time two lighters had been used for this work but as only one is now in commission it will be necessary to place all the paraphernalia on that one and the crews will work in shifts both by day and night to complete the number, at least a half dozen more being required.

In addition to the number of borings required by the engineers in order to complete their plans the bridge commission has asked for borings near the sections where the four corners of the proposed piers will rest. Present plans call for eight piers, but two of them will be near the shore, leaving six in deep water. The caissons surrounding the piers will vary in size from 20 feet by 40 feet to 22 feet by 55 feet.

Dr. Waddell and Mr. Hardesty passed the afternoon along the river front to look over the proposed location of the bridge and returned to New York on the four o'clock train.—Bath Times.

NORTH HAVEN

Mrs. Hattie Duncan and daughter Faustie left Thursday for Florida.

Mrs. Gertrude Waterman and daughter are occupying the Gaston house for the winter.

Rev. M. G. Perry delivered a very able sermon Sunday morning. His subject was the "Golden Rule." Parler Stone and Mr. Perry sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" which was greatly enjoyed by all.

The Pythian Sisters held their annual election of officers last Wednesday evening and the following were chosen: M. R. K. E. Eva Hopkins; Ex. Senior, Hattie Bray; Ex. Junior, Edith Beverage; Manager, Emma Stone; M. of F. Alma Levenberg; M. of R. & L. C. Monica Stone; Protector, Catherine McDonaid; Guard, Edna Ames; Past Chief, Nellie York.

Sister Woodner was chosen installing officer. Representative to Grand Lodge, Emma Stone and Mabelle Stone, grand alternate.

Eva Grant has gone to Florida.

The K. of P.'s and Pythian Sisters gave a supper last Thursday night and it was well patronized.

Mr. Morrison and family are moving to the village for the winter.

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RAZORVILLE

Owing to the roads being in such bad condition on account of the recent heavy rains only 25 got out to vote Monday. On the Question No. 1 the vote was 21 Yes, 3 No and 18 No, one spoiled.

The schools went on to fast time Monday before the vote was decided and now begin at half past eight in the morning. This senseless idea brings a great hardship to teachers and students who can get up 15 minutes before school time and then get there in ample time, even on short days when the sun does not rise until nearly school time, under this new rule.

Last week one of the worst rain storms ever known here was experienced, lasting four days, when a pouring rain fell almost continuously with Saturday morning a heavy thunder shower mixed in. The roads are almost impassable and so badly washed out in places that it will take hundreds of dollars to repair them. The ponds have again thawed open.

Willard Clark is visiting his brother Ellis, who is in Chelsea and Augusta.

One of our young men who owns and operates a gasoline portable saw saving outfit and is of an economical disposition, when he found gasoline had gone up one cent, tried to substitute kerosene, so the story goes, claiming after his engine got used to the change he would then try water in the place of kerosene, and lastly thought after it got used to running on water, he could change and run it on the engine's reputation. But he says he thinks it's a failure and at last reports, he had gone back to gasoline and given up the whole experiment.

The stage from Augusta was compelled to use horses to make the return trip Monday.

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ROCKLAND, MAINE

CAMDEN

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Chandler, Mrs. Joseph Pomeroy and Mrs. L. H. Storey motored to Augusta Wednesday.

The Mac Edwards Players are in Camden this Saturday evening and will present a new road play. They were scheduled for two nights, but will only play one on account of being held up by snow in the northern part of the State, and the long jump they have to make to arrive here.

M. L. Keene was called to Bridgton this week by the death of his sister.

Business Men's Gym Class today at 4 o'clock. A good start last week so all can be on hand today.

Mrs. Ruth Perry entertained at auction Tuesday evening in honor of her house guest, Miss Miriam Cobb of Mansfield, Mass. First prize went to Mrs. M. P. Chandler.

The Methodist Christmas sale yesterday was a big success and the ladies wish to thank the public for their generous patronage.

Yesterday's snow flurry was of short duration in Camden but quite a bit fell at Lincolnville Beach and surrounding territory.

The storage buildings of the Camden Yacht Building and Railway are being reinforced with a metal roof. This property is on Atlantic avenue.

Everybody is rejoicing over the Christmas Club checks which are being paid this week from local banks, and it seems certain that a larger number of people will find in line for this idea of saving next year. Now is the time to start.

The Parent-Teacher Association had a large and spirited meeting at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening and the organization is more interesting and beneficial with every meeting.

Camden jurors drawn are: Miss Florence Kirk, Mrs. E. W. Robbins and Samuel Simpson.

Many Camden members of the Rockland Country Club will be present at the supper and auction party to be held there this evening.

ORFF'S CORNER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Creamer were recent visitors in Augusta, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bessey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jackson are in Bangor this week attending State Grants.

Mrs. Arthur Roman of Jefferson is visiting Mrs. Cora Roman for a few days.

The baked bean supper at the Community House Friday evening was well attended, in spite of the storm, and a good sum realized.

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Stew Beef	25c	Dates, 2 lbs.	25c
Pork Chops	30c	Prunes, 2 lbs.	25c
Pork Roast	28c	Lard	20c
Fresh Ham	35c	Comp. Lard	16c

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		2 lbs. Ribbon Candy .....	.50
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1 lb. Peanut Butter Kisses	30
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1 lb. Chocolates	50

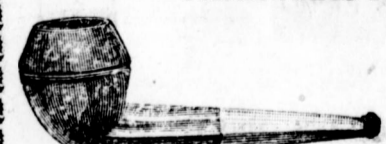
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## THOMASTON

During the past year, Thomaston Branch of the American Red Cross has provided the services of a Public Health Nurse in the public schools and responded to a few calls for civilian relief. This has entailed an expenditure of about \$170. By a judicious handling of Red Cross funds the local branch has been able to meet all demands without calling upon the public for help. If, however, the local organization is to be maintained, it must have members. Now is the time to join or renew your membership. One-half of the membership fee of \$1 is retained by the local branch for work, the other half sent to the national organization. There will be no house-to-house canvass, but memberships may be sent to Miss Jessie M. Stewart, Miss Margaret H. Jordan or Mrs. Richard O. Elliott. Report of the physical examination in the schools made by Miss Louise W. Sawyer, R. N., is here given: Children examined, 218; children defective, 147; children with defective teeth, 88; children with defective eyes, 19; homes visited, 5; talks in school, 2.

Mrs. Edwin Vose is very ill at her home in North Cushing.

Miss Ardelle Maxcy is having repairs made upon the verandah of her house.

The Baptist Ladies' Circle will meet Thursday at 9.30 for all day session. Come and help on the work for there is plenty to do.

The funeral of Miss Ellen Morton was held Wednesday afternoon, Rev. H. S. Kilborn officiating. The bearers were Edward Brown, Charles C. McDonald, Edward Keating and Stanley Cushing. Friends paid their last tribute of respect in goodly numbers. Interment was in the Elm Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Arvesta Bucklin is attendant nurse to Mrs. Edwin Vose.

Orient Lodge, F. & A. M., raised their candidates to the first degree Tuesday evening and 125 members partook of a fine supper. Orient lodge is prospering.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Frye are planning to spend some weeks in the West leaving home the Wednesday before Christmas.

The Highway Commission ordered the large passenger bus off the Thomaston-Warren route. A five-passenger car is running in its place.

Mrs. George Edgerton will leave for New York Friday to spend some weeks with her son John Edgerton.

Mrs. Katherine Simmons and Mrs. Ida Colley will spend the remainder of the winter in Chicago. They are planning to leave about the 16th.

The World Wide Guild will have a Christmas tree Monday night at the home of Lucille Reed. Each member is asked to bring a ten cent gift.

The attendance at the revival meeting Tuesday night was one of the largest. The evangelist gave a fine talk, both the solo singers were at their best, and the congregation sang heartily.

The meetings will close next Sunday with union of Sunday school at 9.45 and preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Friday evening the Camden and Rockport churches are expected to attend. All the services will be held in the Baptist church.

The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Hogan of St. Petersburg, Fla., was held at the residence of Mrs. Harriet Whitney, Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in Elm Grove cemetery.

Christmas sale at Ruby's Shop Unique, 27 Main Street, Thomaston, adv.



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Swift's Pure Lard, lb.	19c
Compound, lb.	16c
Beefsteak, good, low price	25c to 40c
Smoked Ham, whole or half, lb.	25c
At Smoked Shoulders, lb.	20c and 22c
Fresh Ham, whole or half, lb.	27c
Fresh Shoulders, lb.	23c
Little Pig Pork Roast, lb.	30c, 33c, 35c
Maine Sweet Corn, 2 cans	25c
Maine String Beans, 2 cans	25c
Maine Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c
Wisconsin Little Sweet Peas 2 cans	25c
Marshmallow Foam, large can	15c
Sunshine Soda Crackers, 6 pkgs.	25c

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PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR, bag	\$1.35	CORN CAKES, dozen	10c
FINE GRANULATED SUGAR, 16 lbs.	\$1.00	JELLY MONGE, 6 pkgs.	25c
100 lb. bag	\$6.00	5 lb. Pails PRESERVES, each	95c

PURE LARD, lb.	18c	CREAM TARTAR, lb.	35c
COMPOUND LARD, lb.	15c	BAKING SODA, 5 pkgs.	25c
SALT PORK, lb.	20c	SPLENDID COFFEE, lb.	45c
WHOLE HAMS, lb.	25c	OOLONG TEA, lb.	35c
HALF HAMS, lb.	30c	WHOLE HEAD RICE, lb.	10c
Sliced to fry, lb.	35c	LAUNDRY STARCH, 3 lbs.	25c
SMOKED SHOULDERS, lb.	21c	CORN STARCH, 3 pkgs.	25c
(6 to 10 lb. average)			
CORNED BEEF, lb.	10c	LIGHT COLORED MOLASSES, gal.	\$1.
LIVER, lb.	15c	ROLLED OATS, large pkg, 3 Minute, each	25c
HAMBURG STEAK, 2 lbs.	25c	PEA BEANS, quart	15c
HONEY COMB TRIPE, 3 lbs.	25c	Y. E. BEANS, quart	20c
PORK ROASTS, lb.	30c		
SALTED GREENS, 2 lbs.	25c	PRESERVED FIGS in heavy syrup, can	30c
SAUER KRAUT, 3 lbs.	25c	CORN POPPERS, each	50c

CREAMERY BUTTER—Brookfield or Cloverbloom, lb.	52c	PRESERVED FIGS in heavy syrup, can	30c
GEM NUT BUTTERINE, lb.	23c	CORN POPPERS, each	5c
5 lbs.	\$1.10	TOMATO KETCHUP, large bottle	19c
CHEESE—Full Cream, lb.	30c	SHRIMP, can	15c; 2 cans 25c
PRUNES, 2 lbs.	25c	PEANUT TAFFY, lb.	28c
NEW DATES, 2 lbs.	25c	PEANUT BUTTER KISSES, lb.	30c
FIGS, 1 lb. pkgs., each	35c	THREE LOAVES BREAD	25c
WALNUTS, lb.	35c	SEEDED RAISINS, pkg.	12c
MIXED NUTS, lb.	30c	MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, 3 pkg.	25c
FANCY RIBBON CANDY, 2 lb.		MATCHES, pkg.	35c
Boxes, each	39c	COMB HONEY, each	29c
POP CORN, 3 lbs.	25c	SUNBRITE CLEANER, 6 cans	25c
ORANGES, dozen	45c		
LEMONS, 7 for	25c		
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NEW SAGE CHEESE, lb.	39c
GRAPE FRUIT, 64s	10c
WALDOBORO SAUER KRAUT, 3 lbs.	25c
FRESH FIG BARS, 2 lbs.	25c

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MAE EDWARDS' — APPLETON RIDGE

Letter to Friends—Tells the Story of "The Girl From Childs."

Park Theatre, Dec. 10, 1925.

The most difficult job in the world is to tell a story that will appeal to, and thoroughly please, every man, woman and child who attends the theatre.

Plays of universal popularity are rare. We consider ourselves fortunate if we secure a good percentage of entertainment for almost 50 percent of the populace. We can't help it—most of the other ten percent of the audience are "bunny" comes the following nights, anyway.

However I am convinced that I have purchased a great play that will be enjoyed from start to finish, and in every single line of dialogue, by every man, woman and child in the city.

In other words I am going to promise you that our opening play "The Girl From Childs" is a low percent entertainment for young and old.

It has an absolutely new and original plot. It is an absolutely new and original plot. It has a laugh and smiles in abundance, and there are a few tears. And it has an exceptionally strong and appealing love theme. Last, but certainly NOT least, I consider the title role of this exceptional comedy drama the very best that Miss Mae Edwards has played in years. The role of "Mary," the "Girl From Childs," in my opinion, ranks with the very greatest parts ever seen upon the stage. Miss Edwards will be a positive revelation and a delight in this role.

I am not writing this for the sake of "my name in print," but because I do not want any theatre goers of this city to miss this play. It is going to be the most talked-about offering of the season; so come early and avoid the rush.

Yours for 100 percent entertainment, Charles T. Smith, Mr. Mae Edwards Players.

P. S.—Mae Edwards Players open a week's engagement at the Park Theatre next Monday, Dec. 14.—adv.

## Lost and Found

LOST—Short haired yellow tiger kitten, half grown. MRS. WILBERT CROSS, Chestnut St.  
LOST—Rabbit hound, white with red on head and rump, in East Warren. Research W. E. CARROLL, Rockport.  
FOUND—An automobile jack near Rockland P. O. Owner may have same by calling at Courier-Gazette, proving property and paying for this ad.  
LOST—Female hound, white and black with tan head, near South Hope. Answers to name "Trixie." Tel. 11-22 Union. 146-143

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### THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

He Approves the Mellon Tax Cut—Willing To Enter Disarmament Parley.

Renewing a number of recommendations he already had made to Congress, President Coolidge, in his annual message transmitted Tuesday to the House and Senate outlined a comprehensive legislative program dealing with pressing domestic and international problems. His suggestions included:

Tax reduction along lines mapped out by the House Ways and Means Committee.

Adherence to the World Court.

Continued effort to strengthen aviation, without radical change in the organization of the army and navy air services.

Curtailed of the Shipping Board's powers, with the government fleet under the control of a single executive.

Increased authority for the President and Departments of Commerce and Labor to deal with disputes in the coal industry.

Encouragement of cooperative marketing as an aid to agriculture.

The President devoted a section to the prohibition question, appealing for law observance by the public and vigorous action against violators by enforcement officials.

He also declared that the advocacy of railroad consolidations and development of inland waterways, recommended retention, for the present, of property seized from aliens during the war, reiterated that reorganization of government departments and states and local communities must cooperate more with the federal government in reclamation work.

Urging sale of Muscle Shoals to the highest bidder who will agree to produce nitrate fertilizer, with power development incidental, he contended that the Muscle Shoals problem had "assumed a place all out of proportion with its real importance."

"It probably does not represent in market value much more than a first class battleship," he added, "yet it has been discussed in the Congress over a period of years and for months at a time."

Prefacing his recommendations with a statement that "the country does not appear to require radical changes from the policies already adopted so much as it needs further sustenance of these policies and the improvement of details" and an appeal for continued vigilance against extravagant governmental expenditures, the President emphasized the need for further tax reduction and declared he approved "in principle" the bill drafted by the Ways and Means Committee.

"In so far as income-tax exemptions are concerned," he continued, "it seems to me the committee has gone as far as it is safe to go, and somewhat further than I should have gone."

In a long discussion of foreign relations Mr. Coolidge made these assertions:

That the Locarno security agreements represent the success of the policy of having European countries settle their own political problems without involving the United States.

That reduction of land armaments is not only of prime importance but a problem peculiarly European in its practical aspects, and that "our country would look with particular gratitude upon any action which those countries might take to reduce their own military forces."

That "the general policy of our country is for disarmament, and it ought not to hesitate to adopt any practical plan that might reasonably be expected to succeed. But it would not care to attend a conference which from its location or constituency would in all probability prove futile."

That American participation in the World Court would be a mean in the League of Nations, but would "contribute greatly to the advancement of our ideals."

That debt settlements already negotiated "impose no undue burden and are mutually beneficial" and that "every reasonable effort will be made to secure settlements for liquidation with the remaining countries."

Turning to domestic issues the President advocated a new enactment of a selective service act for mobilization of materials as well as men in emergencies. He declared, adding that the Departments of War,

Navy and Commerce "should each be provided with an additional assistant secretary, not necessarily with statutory duties but who would be available under the direction of the secretary and give special attention to air navigation."

"We must have an air strength worthy of America," he said. "Provision should be made for two additional brigadier generals for the army air service. Temporary rank corresponding to their duties should be awarded to active flying officers in both army and navy."

With reference to agriculture, the President regarded its position as a whole improved although many localities and individuals still are in a distressing condition. In his opinion farmers generally do not wish meddling by the government or direct or indirect price fixing "which would result from permitting the government to operate in the agricultural markets" and now should be given the Department of Agriculture to aid marketing associations without undue regulation.

In his analysis of the merchant marine problem, he took the view that while elimination of the regional representation feature of the Shipping Board is not desirable, "it has become apparent that without centralized executive action the management of this great business will founder in incapacity and languish under a division of council."

Pointing out that the federal government has little to deal with the situation in the coal industry, he advocated authority for appointment of temporary boards with authority to call for witnesses and documents, conciliate differences, encourage arbitration and in case of threatened scarcity exercise control over distribution.

As for prohibition, the President said:

"Under the orderly processes of our fundamental institution the Constitution has lately amended providing for national prohibition. The Congress passed an act for its enforcement, and similar acts have been provided by most of the states. It is the law of the land. It is the duty of all who come under its jurisdiction to observe the spirit of that law, and it is the duty of the Department of Justice and the Treasury Department to enforce it. Action to prevent smuggling, illegal transportation in interstate commerce, abuse in the use of permits, and existence of sources of supply for illegal traffic is almost entirely imposed upon the federal government."

"Through treatise with foreign governments and increased activities of the Coast Guard, revenue agents, district attorneys, and enforcement agents effort is being made to prevent the sale of liquor. But the institution also puts a concurrent duty on the states. We need their active and energetic cooperation, the vigilant action of their police, and the jurisdiction of their courts to assist in enforcement. I request of the people observance of the public officers continuing efforts for enforcement, and of the Congress favorable action on the budget recommendation for the prosecution of this work."

With reference to railroads he recommended authority for consolidations under the supervision of the Interstate Commerce commission, and expressed gratification that railroad employers and employees are in substantial agreement as to legislation necessary to regulate and improve their relationship.

Along with development of inland navigation, the President held should go every possible encouragement for development of waterpower. He advocated investigation of expenditures and the success of laws in Alaska to determine whether too much is being spent for administration and urged increased authority for the Governor of the Philippines with a view to preparing the islands for "ultimate independence."

He also expressed the view that the time had come to consider civil service classification of all postmasters, collectors of customs and internal revenue and prohibition agents, and advocated passage for the District of Columbia of a mothers' pension law that would serve as a model to the states.

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SEVEN PARDON CASES

Will Be Heard By Governor and Council Next Thursday.

Hearing on seven petitions for a pardon will be held before the Governor and Council Thursday, Dec. 17.

The petitioners are Joseph Blais of Lewiston, serving a sentence of not less than 10 nor more than 20 years in the State Prison at Thomaston for felonious assault on a female under the age of 14 years. Daniel Fallon of Portland, serving a sentence of not less than five nor more than seven years in the State Prison for manslaughter; James E. Gallagher of Bangor and Fred Suecile of Brewer, serving terms in the Penobscot County jail for maintaining a common nuisance; James H. Simonton of Rockport, serving a term in the Knox County jail on a conviction of being a common seller of liquor; Harry Smith of South Thomaston, also serving a term in the Knox County jail on conviction of the illegal possession of liquor; and Alphonse J. Merritt of Bangor, serving a term in the Franklin County jail at Farmington on conviction of maintaining a liquor nuisance.

Fallon asks that his sentence be commuted to four and one-half years. He states that he was not present at the time of the commission of the crime and knew nothing about it.

"I have never entertained any felonious intent, and the unfortunate outcome of the affair has made me a cripple for life, as I lost three fingers while working in the prison wood shop," says Fallon in his petition for executive clemency.

Gallagher was convicted at the last January term of the Superior Court for Penobscot County and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000 and costs and to serve one year in jail. Gallagher is a veteran of the World War.

Suecile was sentenced in the Superior Court for Penobscot County to pay a fine of \$800 and costs and to serve eight months in jail and in default of payment to serve six months additional in jail.

Simonton was sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and costs and to serve four months in jail and in default of payment to serve six months additional in jail. He says that he is not guilty of the offense of which he was convicted and that his health, which is very poor, is being impaired by his confinement.

A petition for the pardon of Smith, which is signed by several residents of Rockland, says that he served during the World War and was discharged on account of tuberculosis and on this account confinement is detrimental to his health.

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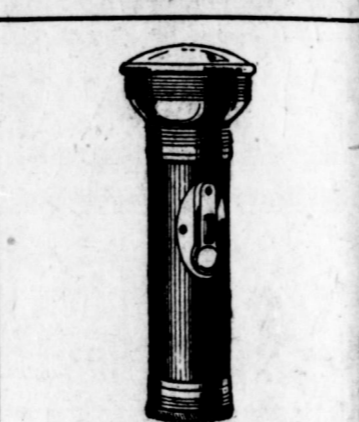
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I don't care much for Annabelle; I'm cold as ice to Jessie; my heart's awfully for just one girl—dainty, delightful Tessie. And when you see her at the Strand Theatre Friday and Saturday you'll agree with me. I'm sure. May McWay plays her in the new Arrow picture of that name, which is said to be one of the outstanding pictures of the year.

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Gloria Swanson in "Stage Struck" is the feature attraction at the Park Theatre today. It is the general opinion of those who attended the Park yesterday that Gloria Swanson was never better and that "Stage Struck" was even better than "Manhandled." A Fox Comedy, Pathe Pictures and the International News make up a very enjoyable entertainment.

Friday and Saturday the Park Theatre will offer its patrons a double feature bill of all star attractions. James Oliver Curwood's "The Ancient Highway," with Jack Holt, Billie Dove and Montague Love, the story gets its name from the fact that most of the scenes take place on a famous road through the quiet regions of Quebec, known as "The Ancient Highway." The other feature for Friday and Saturday will be "When Husbands Flirt," with Dorothy Revier and Forrest Stanley.—adv.

## EMPIRE THEATRE

Today will be your last opportunity of seeing one of the best double feature programs seen in Rockland for a long time. The Empire Theatre offers House Peters in "The Storm Breaker," a story of the sea. Richard Barthelmess and Dorothy Gish in "The Beautiful City," a dramatic adventure of East Side New York.

Friday and Saturday the Empire will present "As No Man Has Loved." This immense production is a picture version of the matchless story written by Dr. Edward Everett Hale and published in 1863 under the title, "The Man Without a Country." The story of Lieutenant Nolan, is a drama of tremendous pathos—a love story; a mother story; a story of vivid and thrilling action and conflict. So tense and true that it has made hundreds weep without embarrassment.

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