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The best sort of bravery is the courage to do right.—Louisiana M. Alcott.

ONE YEAR AGO

From the files of The Courier-Gazette we learn that—

A notable event in the history of the Rubinstein Club was the review of the musical play "Of Thee I Sing" by Mrs. Lilian Sprague Coping, assisted by two pianists and a chorus of 12 voices.

A committee from the self-styled "Knox County Unemployed," stormed the City Government meeting and made demands which Mayor Charles M. Richardson classed as "ridiculous."

Frank K. Gardner died suddenly at the home of his son on Rankin street.

Mrs. Iola Rector won the ladies' graceful skating contest at the Spanish Villa.

Joseph Hamlin was confined to the house by injuries received in Bath while handling air hose.

Fred H. Smalley, Fred S. Seavey and L. R. A. Whitehouse were elected selectmen at St. George town meeting.

In other towns these selectmen were chosen: Warren—A. M. Hilt, C. C. Curtis and Clifford M. Spear; Owl's Head—H. S. Montgomery, J. Dana Knowlton and George Haskell; North Haven—Leon B. Stone, H. W. Crockett and Lamar K. Lewis.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

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A WINTER PICNIC

No sir, Not Here, But Down In Safety Harbor, Fla.—"H. E. M.'s" Account

Editor of The Courier-Gazette, and all of our friends in the North, Greetings—

While you are digging yourselves out of the snow, thawing out radiators, water pipes, ears and toes, perhaps you may be interested to hear about what we are up to in St. Petersburg, "The Sunshine City." Following is an article which appeared in the society news of the St. Petersburg Evening Independent, Feb. 24:

Winter Visitors Enjoy Outing

"A group of winter visitors enjoyed a picnic at Safety Harbor Wednesday, the event proving a reunion for many of those attending. After a bountiful dinner, shuffleboard was played and reminiscences enjoyed. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hoyt and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Messer, Union, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hager, Bingham, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bowes, Mrs. Estelle G. Perry, Mrs. Inez B. Hills, Mrs. Callie A. Sillick, all of Spruce Head, Me.; A. B. Allen, Rockland, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. George Gonia, Quincy, Mass.; Arthur Linnell, Boston; Mrs. Jane Andrews, Mrs. Rose E. Cutting and Mrs. Ida Libby, all of Warren, Me., who are spending the season at Safety Harbor joined the group for the picnic."

In regard to the dinner as mentioned in this item, we had a regular New England dinner of baked beans for the main dish, salads, sandwiches, cakes, pies, etc. The coffee was brewed on the spot by Mr. Hager, who is an expert. The writer observed that two in the party supposed to be on a reducing diet, were the last to stop eating. The writer must confess he did not sleep the sleep of the just that night.

The picnic was held in the Safety Harbor recreation park, a pretty spot surrounded by live oak trees, Spanish moss hanging from all the limbs nearly to the ground and swaying in the breeze; also palmetto, and a few large walnut trees. Table and benches are furnished free to visitors; also shuffleboard and tennis courts. Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Hoyt are amateurs at Shuffleboard as yet, but both showed fine form and evidence of becoming experts. Some day their names may appear as holders of title as champions.

The sun has been on the job, shining every day but one since we got here. We have had some quite cool nights, yet sleep comfortably with doors wide open. We have not had even a light frost here in St. Pete.

Feb. 27-108 tourists registered at the Chamber of Commerce up to noon today, bringing the season's total to 38,034—gain of 10,571 over last year. St. Petersburg is a very popular resort, and has this season more tourists according to its size than any other city in Florida. Like grape nuts, "There is a reason."

After spending this, the sixth season here, the writer knows the reason. The tourists are not all wealthy people by any means. If any have the idea that one has to be well fixed financially to come to Florida, "can it." On reading the papers and letters from home of the storms, extreme cold and the fuel bills, the writer puts himself on the back on figuring out he is saving money by coming.

H. E. M.
P. S.—There were several in the party more capable of this write-up, but for some reason it might be, I might be the oldest, laziest, or homeliest. The latter I think, I was delegated to the task.

Perhaps it will be comforting to remember that we are purchasing a recovery, now, instead of just paying for a depression.—San Diego Union.

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CLASS PARTS ANNOUNCED

Eleanor Tibbetts Will Be Valedictorian—Salutatory Awarded To Ruth Dondis

Class parts were announced at Rockland High School this morning, and it was learned that the valedictorian had been awarded Eleanor Tibbetts, daughter of Frank M. Tibbetts, of 16 Claremont street; and that the salutatory had been won by Ruth Dondis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dondis of 11 Tilson avenue.

Miss Tibbetts' school activities have included cheer leader, senior play, Latin Club, Press Club, and editor in chief of the Tattler. Miss Dondis' activities: Junior and senior plays, student council, school treasurer and secretary of student council.

The essay winners and their activities are:

Ruth Gregory—Parent, William Gregory, 12 Center street. Activities, Glee Club, Press Club. Finals of Public Speaking Contest.
Vincent Pellicane—Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pellicane, 139 Park street. Activities, football manager, basketball squad, winter sports, senior and junior plays, and winner of sophomore speaking contest.

Hervy Allen—Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hervy Allen, 27 School street. Activities, football, baseball, basketball, junior play, High School orchestra.

Charles Wooster—Parent's name, Oscar E. Wooster, 18 Hall's lane.

Charles Ellis—Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis, 67 Talbot avenue. Activities, class president two years, baseball, basketball and football squads, student council, junior and senior plays.

Norman Stanley—Parent's name, Freeman Stanley, 193 Broadway. Activities, Student council, senior play, Spanish Club.

Esther Chapman—Parent's name, Vernal Chapman, 16 Broad street. Activities, junior and senior plays, French Club, Press Club.

Dorothy Dimick—Parent's name, Walter G. Dimick, 19 Orange street. Activities, Latin Club.

WINTER VISITORS

Many Bird Varieties Seen Around Friendly Homes In South Thomaston

Writes our South Thomaston correspondent, Mrs. A. F. Sleeper:

Bird lovers will be interested to know that just previous to the last great snowstorm four Evening Grosbeaks were seen feeding upon a small patch of bare ground under the horse chestnut trees in A. F. Sleeper's dooryard. Although these birds are rarely seen here they were very easily identified by comparison with several authentic bird books. The writer was able to walk to within six feet of them before they flew. Their note was short and cheery.

Persons crossing the bridge frequently and who are in that section of the town have been interested to watch a pair of Sheldrakes (or Dippers) which have spent the winter in the small open space of water just above the bridge, and which eat eagerly the grain which has been thrown to them.

A flock of about 50 gulls has spent its entire time feeding or watching for a "handout" from the back doors of A. F. Sleeper, Frank Wade, Mrs. Dan Pollach, Waldo Tyler, Azora Clark and Mrs. Bertha Hanly. The flock watches from a vantage point on the ice which commands a view of each home and the rattle of a dish outside either house will bring the whole flock on short order.

Following the gulls is a large flock of Starlings and still later about 50 beautiful snowbirds. The smaller birds seem to be able to feed well upon what is too small for the gulls to pick up.

A little earlier numerous purple grackles were seen on the same feeding places. About once in a fortnight a pair of large ravens and a large bald eagle appear on the ice and can be seen all day. One day last week the raven seemed to be alone and anxious to make trouble for the gulls by alighting in the midst of the flock as soon as it settled upon the ice. The gulls seemed quite frightened and he kept them on the move for several hours, yet he did not seem to try to harm them. The eagle is very large and has visited this vicinity regularly in winter for many years.

A pair of robins has also wintered in this section, and several times each week is seen hopping over the same spot of bare ground. The birds refuse all offered food, make no sounds and seem very shy.

The writer wonders if everyone knows of the great amount of pleasure that can be obtained for 30 cents by going to the 5 & 10 cent store and buying the small books called The Blue Book of Birds of America, which deals with Grosbeaks, Swifts, and many birds; The Green Book of Birds of America, dealing with Tanagers, Waxwings, shrikes, etc. and The Red Book of Birds of America, which deals with diving and swimming birds and others. These books are found to be authentic when compared with Audubon books and others. One misses half the pleasure of life if he doesn't enjoy birds.

THE MORNING NEWS

The Civil Works program, the expedient used by the Administration to carry 4,000,000 unemployed through the winter, is expected to end March 30, a full month ahead of the scheduled closing announced last week by President Roosevelt. Harry L. Hopkins, Federal emergency relief and civil works administrator, announced all civil works employees in cities of 5000 or over would be dropped from civil works March 30 and taken over by work divisions of State and local relief administrations April 1.

Three children lost their lives in swollen Connecticut streams.

The British freighter Concordia sank 40 miles northeast of Sable Island, after collision with the American steamship Black Eagle. The crew was saved.

IN OTHER CITIES

How the Municipal Elections Resulted Yesterday—Honors Divided

Harold P. Small, Republican, was elected mayor of Bath by 200 majority. The Republicans carried four wards. Dr. Robert J. Wiseman was re-elected mayor of Lewiston by the usual large Democratic majority, and the Democrats carried all of the wards.

John D. Fernald, Democrat, was re-elected mayor of Saco, and Democrats carried six of the seven wards.

Roscoe C. Emery, Republican, was elected mayor of Eastport, and the Republicans carried six of the eight wards.

L. Eugene Thayer was re-elected mayor of Waterville, but the Republicans control the City Government.

FULLER GETS PERMIT

Clyde Fuller of Camden, truck operator, was granted a limited contract carrier permit by the Public Utilities Commission yesterday.

He had asked for a permit to operate between all points within the State. He may transport only agricultural products, products of the forest, fertilizer and boats between points in Knox County and from points in that county to Belfast in Waldo County, and furniture from Camden and Rockland to any point in Maine and from any point in Maine to Camden and Rockland.

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THE VOTER'S DAY IN COURT

Warren Rejects High School Building—An Upset At North Haven—Owl's Head's Largest Town Meeting

WARREN

School matters were very much to the fore in yesterday's annual town meeting but strangely enough the heavy voting did not come on the matter of building the schoolhouse, but rather on member of the school committee.

It was voted 87 to 40 to rescind the action taken Dec. 23 in regard to

Selectman Spear is serving his ninth consecutive year.

The appropriations were made: Common schools, \$5750. Text books and supplies, \$700. Repairs on school buildings, \$300. High School, \$1500. Fuel for High School, \$100. Roads and bridges, \$3000. Sidewalks, \$150. Support of poor, \$5000. Snow bills, \$5000. Miscellaneous expenses, \$1600. Officers' salaries, \$2025. Street lights, \$565. Hydrant rental, \$600. Cutting bushes, \$75. Free Public Library, \$100. Patrolling State highway, \$385.20. Graveling roads in outlying districts, \$1125. State aid road, \$533. Maintenance of special resolve roads, \$140.50. Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, \$50. Mothers' aid, \$900 (from exise tax). School nursing, \$70. Maintenance third class road, \$800. It was voted to publish in the annual town report the amount of uncollected taxes each year, on both real and personal estates. According to the treasurer's figures \$9,048.33 is the amount of uncollected taxes.

The selectmen were empowered to put the temporary notes outstanding on a permanent basis.

During the discussion of the schoolhouse question it was brought out that since the meeting in December the town had received a \$1000 gift toward the building of a new schoolhouse, and \$900 additional had



Mr. Moderator, the time has come—

building a new schoolhouse, which evidently means that the proposition will not be undertaken. Charles E. Starrett, who ran as an independent candidate for member of the school committee received 198 votes defeating his opponent Chester Wallace by 160 votes.

The first act of the town meeting was to install that veteran moderator Chester B. Hall in the chair, and G. D. Gould was elected town clerk for the 33d consecutive year.

Other town officers chosen were: Selectmen, Overseers of Poor and Road Commissioner—A. M. Hilt, C. C. Starrett and C. M. Spear.

Assessors—H. L. Kenniston, C. B. Hall and Harold Pease.

Treasurer—Willis R. Vinal. Town Agent—A. M. Hilt. Tax Collector (to receive one cent)—Arthur L. Perry.

Fish Agent—C. B. Hall. Fish Committee—Three selectmen, Percy R. Bowley and Silas A. Watts, the last two to act also as fish wardens.

The other officers will be appointed by the selectmen.

The town of Warren believes in keeping good men in office. First Selectman Hilt is serving his 15th consecutive term as chairman and 17th term as member; Second Selectman Starrett is serving his 12th consecutive year and Third



"Say boy didn't we skin 'em"

been given toward the purchase of a lot.

There was a spirited discussion on Article 18 regarding pay of town laborers and hours of work.

Affirmative action was taken on the following matters:

To sell the South Warren schoolhouse and lot on which it stands.

To sell the surplus fish for a term of years.

To place an electric light at the junction of the State highway near the Cogan & DREWETT garage.

Appropriations totaled \$32,473 as compared with \$23,523 in 1933.

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THE PRIDE OF CAMDEN

Is the Girls' Basketball Team, Which Goes Into Livermore Falls Tourney

The past campaign has been one of the most successful in the history of Camden High girls' basketball.

The Camden "lassies" are without doubt one of the rangiest and fastest teams ever to represent the town and gray.

To date, the team has played in 14 games, 13 of which they won, the only loss of the entire season being to the strong sextet from Cony High School by a one-point margin.

In these games Camden has amassed a grand total of 732 points to the opponents 354. This is an exceptionally high average of 52 points per game.

The Camden girls swept through the Knox-Lincoln League with eight straight victories, thus capturing the undisputed crown.

In the pre-league games, Camden won over Boothbay Harbor, Crosby and Alumnæ by overwhelming scores. Then came Cony. After leading Cony throughout by five or six point margins, Cony had a last minute rally and barely nosed out the Camden lassies 25-24. Although Camden was disappointed at losing the game, after having apparently won it, the girls were proud of their showing against a school many times their size.

The week following the Cony game, the Knox-Lincoln league opened. In the league, the Camden girls met little opposition, with the exception of the Rockland girls' outfit. Rock-

land has a great team, and it put up a grand battle in both games with Camden.

Since the league games ended, Camden has played Boothbay Harbor and Crosby, winning both games.

The climax of the season was an invitation to the Girls' State Tournament at Livermore Falls. The girls are practicing hard on two-division basketball, the method used in the tournament, and with two weeks longer in which to practice it, this method should not be a drawback to them in the tournament. They did exceptionally well in the two-division game at Crosby, Thursday, and won by a large score.

The Livermore Falls tournament starts March 15, and lasts five days. It is the first time that a Camden girls' team has been chosen for a tournament, and all are excited at the prospect.

Four of the six players chosen for the Knox-Lincoln All Star team were Camden players. The following team was picked:

Taylor, Camden, left forward.

Feyer, Thomaston, right forward.

Dwinal, Camden, center and captain.

Dauette, Camden, side-center.

Cunningham, Camden, left guard.

Korpinen, Rockland, right guard.

Too much praise can not be given for the success of the team to Miss Helen McCobb, Camden's popular coach, who has for years been coaching outstanding teams.

PERSISTENT TAX DELINQUENT

Is the Man the City Is Going After—Lime Company's Offer of Settlement Accepted—New Assistant Engineer

E. L. Toner superintendent of schools was last night directed by the City Government to inform all teachers that the schools will close April 6 unless the city treasury is meantime enriched to the extent of \$20,000 by tax collections.

In subsequent remarks Edward C. Payson, chairman of the publicity committee, said that the statement to this effect which had already appeared in The Courier-Gazette, was accepted by some persons as a bluff.

"I wish to God that were true!" fervently declared Judge Payson.

Expressing the wish that the public better understood the situation he pleaded with the many listeners not only to do their share but to urge their friends to also do it.

There would seem to be a silver lining to the cloud as seen in the accepted proposal of the Rockland & Rockport Lime Corp. to settle its last three years' taxes for \$30,000 within a period of 60 days, the remaining obligation to be abated. It is understood that with this settlement the lime company will be in a position to go ahead with the desired reorganization.

Alderman Sullivan's motion to have assistant tax collectors appointed for the immediate collection of the desired amount had a prompt passage. These men will receive compensation.

Mayor Thurston suggested the use of some sort of a questionnaire so that the collectors might bring back a definite picture with relation to the property owners' position.

The resignation of Albert C. McIntosh as assistant engineer of the Fire Department was accepted, and Captain George W. Wheeler, a long-time member of the department, and one of its most valued workers, was elected to succeed him.

These men were drawn for traverse jury service at the May term of Superior Court: George L. Brackett, 77 North Main street; Thomas M. Anderson, 216 Rankin street; Percy L. McPhee, 28 James street; and Francis S. Lorraine, 25 Water street. The triennial revision of the jury list was made.

The petition of Oliver R. Hamlin to hold weekly boxing contests at the new quarters, 143 Tilson avenue was referred to the licensing committee, but when it was discovered that this would not permit Friday night's exhibition to be held, the committee was directed to grant the permit as soon as deemed proper.

Mayor Thurston went on record as objecting to advertising such events

before the promoters knew they would be permitted.

An order to reimburse the city physician \$140 for medical supplies was passed.

The monthly reports showed briefly: That there is \$3161 in the city treasurer's till; that tax collections amounted to \$10,858; that there were only two arrests last month, both for drunkenness.

The cemetery bequest of \$500 in the will of the late E. Mont Perry was accepted.

In the course of an address which was received with much applause Judge Payson said that the plan calls for strenuous action against persistent offenders and that there is no disposition to cause distress among the destitute.

"What the city intends to do," he said, "is to get after those who are in a position to do something about the adjustment of their taxes, and after it has been found that the property owner is able to pay but has made no reasonable effort to do so the names of such delinquents shall be published in the newspaper. There will be no ruthless methods used against those who cannot pay. The law covering tax liens will be used against the persistent delinquent."

The Committee Recommendations

The special committee on recommendations appointed at

The Courier-Gazette

Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord. —Psalm 27:14.

An editorial, entitled "Was Rockland Slighted?" which recently appeared in this newspaper, aroused the ire of Harrie B. Coe, manager of the State of Maine Publicity Bureau, and he did not hesitate to hit from the shoulder in the extended reply which he made to the sentiments therein expressed. The subsequent interchange of correspondence has, however, had the effect of considerably clarifying the troubled skies and it is believed that the Bureau will operate much more effectively for this section, and will be much more fully appreciated.

The first indictment brought against the State of Maine Publicity Bureau by The Courier-Gazette was that the new booklet—"Maine, the Land of Remembered Vacations" had entirely ignored Rockland, which we have styled the cross-roads of the Penobscot Bay summer section; and that neighboring resorts of prominence received very little attention. In reply to this Mr. Coe says:

When I started to lay out this publication, my first thought was to introduce into it a distinctively Maine atmosphere so that it would have individuality and a different appearance than similar publications sent out by California, Colorado, New York State, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, etc. when made up largely of pretty pictures of scenery and people. Because of the position which Maine has always occupied in the affairs of the Nation and in Literature and the Arts, I wanted to publish two pages showing a combination of the Maine birth-places or homesteads of people who have become known nationally and internationally.

Mr. Coe then goes on to tell of his unsuccessful quest for photographs of the birthplace or early home of Maxine Elliott and Edna St. Vincent Millay and of his equally hard luck in obtaining photographs of scenery and other recreational features in the vicinity of Rockland. Correspondence on file at the Rockland Chamber of Commerce (date of Dec. 19) shows that Mr. Coe was informed where the Elliott and Millay pictures could be obtained, and the explanation was made that both were winter scenes.

Mr. Coe suggested that the Portland radio station WOSH be utilized in broadcasting stories from this section of Maine having historical and recreational backgrounds, but thus far there has been no reaction along that line. As to financial contributions from this section Mr. Coe rather tartly rejoined that there had been none since 1931; neither has there been any response to his letters soliciting advertising in "Maine Invites You," which was started last year so that hotel subscribers might receive additional service.

In the course of correspondence which has ensued since the publication of the editorial it was stressed from the local angle that coast towns were being shunted off the map through the manner in which incoming tourists were being routed from Portland. Mr. Coe admits that this is a sore spot; also that tourists from the interior States want to see the seashore. Along this line he writes:

If you would sit in our office half a day anytime during the summer, you would appreciate what we are up against on the question of routing traffic. We have to be absolutely fair and entirely honest with the traveling public. I know you will agree with me that we cannot be otherwise. We regret having to divert traffic over routes on which our subscribers and friends are located but after all is said and done, it is only a temporary condition and when that condition is relieved, it gives us an opportunity to make up to our friends what temporary loss or inconvenience they may have sustained.

Tourists from the interior States do want to see our seashore communities. We recognize that just as much as you do and if you could check up in this office, I know you would be surprised at the number of times we have told people of the beautiful scenery from Bath to Belfast via Rockland and suggesting to them that they could not afford to miss the views between Rockland and Belfast of Penobscot Bay even though they did have to travel over a rough stretch of road under construction.

So far as road construction work is concerned there should be comparatively little interference between Portland and Northport at least, and with a clear conscience the State of Maine Publicity Bureau can route tourists over that highway—or, if they wish to do so, they can come into Rockland over Route 101 from Jefferson. We have suggested to Mr. Coe that the local remonstrants and the State of Maine Publicity Bureau "co-operate instead of quarrel" and he assents to this proposition in a very courteous letter. The thing to do, it seems to us, is to have an early and friendly conference which will

be to the advantage of all interests. If the thing cannot be settled amicably in that manner there is still plenty of time for fighting.

A SLIP OF THE PEN

Happy Hope Farm Writer Admits She Meant Groundhog Instead of Hedgehog

Waldoboro, March 3. Editor of The Courier-Gazette:

I had intended to mention the error I made in my letter of Feb. 24, in calling a woodchuck a hedgehog instead of groundhog, in my next "Happy Hope Farm" letter. But since Mrs. Cuddy has mentioned it I will answer—"You are entirely correct, Mrs. Cuddy, and why I made the mistake I do not know, unless it was because my mind was more or less upset by a recent happening of a depressing nature. So, in writing that letter, my mind was wandering to other subjects more than it should have been.

I "wankerknow," Mrs. Cuddy, if you have ever seen a hedgehog? I've been told they are quite common in England. Can you inform me where else they're found? The only description I have at hand is that they're "an insectivorous mammal covered on the back with spines or prickles."

Nancy M. Savage.

NINETY-FOUR SOON

Col. O. N. Blackington Tells of Honors Which Have Been Thrust Upon Him

One of The Courier-Gazette's oldest subscribers—possibly the oldest—is Col. O. N. Blackington of Lime Rock, Conn., who taking the chance of living another year (as he expresses it) has again renewed his subscription. Col. Blackington enters upon his 94th lap March 14. He writes:

"Honors have flowed upon me the past year. I find that I can trace my ancestors back 300 years (see 'Perry's of Maine'); that I am the sole survivor of my family of 11, also the last Civil War veteran of the town in which I am now living; the last chaplain of Seth Williams Post, G.A.R.; the last of the officers of the 81st U.S.C.I.; also the 4th Maine Vol. Inf. I was very much interested in Col. F. S. Philbrick's article, as I happened to have been at Fort Hudson at that time. My regiment garrisoned that post for a year after capture. Seems queer that three of us, Col. Huntley, Col. Philbrick and myself, were in that siege and all lived to tell about it. I would like to send greetings to all kindred of members of the good old Fourth Maine now living."

THEN AND NOW

Hope School District Which Once Had 86 Pupils Now Has Less Than Five

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—Just what is depression? A lack or loss of something desirable. Now take a look at this picture. In former times towns were divided into school districts. In the district where I was born and first went to school there were some 26 farmhouses. Each was a home for families of from three or four to 10 persons, the farms of each producing an ample support for those living and working on them. That was just before the Civil War.

The winter that I was six years old I was not allowed to go to school, there being 85 scholars older than six, and scarcely room in the "Little Old Red Schoolhouse" for 70. All under seven years had to stay at home that winter. Thirty years later I visited that district. Of the 26 original houses here were less than 10 left, and not all of those were inhabited; less than 10 school children there. Today, 1934, I think only four or five original houses are left and scarcely that number of pupils. Some of the farms are yet partly cultivated, but the larger number have not a plow on them in 15 or 20 years. Is that depression, or worse?

During the Civil War 24 or 25 men and boys went from that district into the war. Of those 24 only one is known to be living, he is the writer of this, and of 80 boys who went from his home town (Hope) only two are known to be living. One is that "grand old man" from Hope, Albion Allen, now 99, and that youngster Fernando S. Philbrick who is only 90 and it is a coincidence that they served in the same company and regiment (Co. G, 21st Maine) whose service was in Louisiana, away down South. Both saw active, hard service and neither received a serious wound.

D. Pression

UNION

Friday of last week the Ladies' Aid held an all day session in the vestry. Two quilts were knotted and other work was done. The next meeting is to be with Mrs. Mertie Messer, March 16, an all day meeting. The Woman's Home Missionary Society is to meet Thursday of this week with Mrs. Jennie Thurston. All were pleased to have Mrs. J. C. MacDonald of Rockland as speaker for the Sunday morning service. The many friends of Rev. C. H. B. Seliger are glad to learn that his condition is much improved.

"ON MY SET"

"The News Reel of the Air" as presented by Olsen and Johnson, is far from real! News as it never was—on land or sea—will be the subject of their Friday night contribution to "The Swift Revue," heard over WABC from 10 to 10:30 p. m.

The Saturday night broadcasts to and from the Byrd Antarctic Expedition are drawing lots of new customers, as well they should. The expedition has said farewell to the Bear, and listeners should visualize this colony of 56 brave and hardy adventurers 100 miles south of Little America, cut off from the world, except by radio. The daily menu of the explorers was given Saturday night. "We won't get fat on it, but it will stick to the ribs," said the announcer.

The Will Rogers Sunday night broadcasts have been discontinued for a while. Everybody will miss the famous smile-manufacturer.

I have fallen into the habit of listening to that German Band on WLW Saturday nights, and it recalls a local incident which some readers of this item will probably remember.

I don't know how many radio fans have told me how they have lost interest since the Globe news bulletins were discontinued.

LINNEE IS OUT

Mr. Linnell of Portland who was being strongly urged to enter the June primaries for the Republican gubernatorial nomination seems to have quite eliminated himself as a possibility. In Fred K. Owen's gossip Sunday, Mr. Linnell is quoted thus:

"I cannot at this time become a candidate for Governor, or serve as Governor without a great sacrifice to myself, and these sacrifices would involve others, to whom any such action on my part would be unfair."

"I do not feel therefore that I should take the step. I suppose that if there should come an overwhelming or practically unanimous demand for myself to be my party's candidate for Governor, a feeling based on the conviction that I and I alone was the only man who could meet the requirements demanded in a candidate, I might not feel that I could shirk the responsibility, I am not vain enough to think that there will be any such overwhelming demand for me."

The reasons prompting Mr. Linnell to reach this decision are both personal and of a business nature. His statement is to be taken literally, just as he has said it. He would like to be Governor and he is highly appreciative of the offers of support that have been pouring in on him. Sometime he may be in a position to accept the nomination, but he doesn't feel that that time is now, except upon the conditions outlined by him, which he has no idea will develop.

WITH THE BOWLERS

The jinx is still camping on the trail of the Rockland Lions, who were defeated a single point in their match with the Camden Lions.

The first of a six-game series for the city's championship between the two local alleys was rolled at the Star alleys last night. The Star team winning by 73 pins. Lawry had high single 118, losing out on the total to Jennes Thomas by one pin. Fourteen strings were in the century class. Gardner still remained "kind of cold." The score:

Star Alleys			
Lawry	90	118	91 106-407
Howard	101	88	90 116-395
Rackliffe	96	102	113 88-399
J. L. Thomas	94	101	87 95-367
Jeff. Thomas	109	93	117 89-408

Recreation Alleys			
Gardner	97	94	85 92-368
Marshall	98	97	117 97-400
Dudley	91	116	104 90-401
Gay	100	100	94 81-375
Stewart	87	95	82 95-359

464	502	482	455 1903
There seems to be no stopping the Three Crows, which won another Friday night at the expense of Snow's Snags. Jordan had high single (113), and high total. The summary:			

Three Crows—Horrocks 526, Cummings 543, Mason 553, total 1622. Snow's Snags—Parsons 488, Jordan 587, Snow 533, total 1628. Perry's Market won a comfortable victory over Armour's Stars Friday night. Abbott had high string (112) and ran only two votes behind McPhee for high total. The summary: Perry's Market—Schofield 252, O'Donnell 247, Abbott 265, Melvin 266, McPhee 287, total 1337. Armour's Stars—Higgins 207, Flagg 245, Jackson 273, Glidden 283, Black 270, total 1278.

THE CAMDEN TOURNEY

Eight Smaller Schools Participating—Thomaston Is the Favorite

The first annual Camden Y.M.C.A. basketball tournament begins tomorrow. The teams competing are Rockport, Clinton, Thomaston, Camden, Besse High of Albion, Freedom, Boothbay Harbor, Erskine. The teams will meet thus: 6:15, Rockport vs. Besse; 7:15, Clinton vs. Freedom; 8:15, Thomaston vs. Boothbay; 9:15, Camden vs. Erskine.

As an added feature there will be a consolation tournament for the teams defeated in the first round and there will be a trophy.

Awards are made to the winners of the first four places and the consolation tournament winner. Two all tournament teams will be awarded medals along with most valuable players.

Semi-finals in both tournaments will be played on Friday and the finals Saturday night.

Picking the winner is a hard thing to do but on paper it looks like Thomaston High School as it was runner up in the Two County League and furnished plenty of entertainment at the Small School tourney at Lewiston last week and was barely nosed out.

But Camden is to be reckoned with as it is one of the few teams which boast of a victory over Thomaston.

The dark horses are Clinton and Boothbay Harbor High Schools. Clinton was the winner of the Somerset County Conference and is undefeated in that loop and has only lost a close one to Fairfield.

Boothbay was barely nosed out in its game with Camden and boasts among its wins a victory over Richmond on the latter's court, a stunt that very few high schools have been able to do this year.

BY A SINGLE POINT

Thomaston High Lost Chance To Figure In Finals At Lewiston Tournament

Norway High won the "small schools tournament" at Lewiston Saturday, defeating Gould Academy 31 to 22. Losing by a single point to Gould Academy, Thomaston High missed its opportunity to appear in the finals.

Thomaston and Gould battled through four sensational periods of basketball in the semi-finals, to provide the feature of the tourney to date. Gould emerged the victor by a 33 to 32 score after the hardest kind of a battle which was not decided until the closing minutes of play.

In the first game of the afternoon Norway had little trouble defeating Jay 49 to 25. Allen, Stanley and Perry starred in the Gould-Thomaston tilt, playing smart ball throughout and bringing their team from behind in the fourth quarter. Perry, Thomaston center, was outstanding for the losers, his five baskets, all long shots, came at crucial moments in the game, and served to keep the plucky Thomaston team in the running. The score:

Thomaston			
Anderson, lf	4	1	9
Jacobs, rf	2	3	7
Delano, rf	1	0	2
Perry, c	5	0	10
Stackpole, lb	1	2	4
Johnson, rb	0	0	0
Totals	13	6	32

Gould Academy			
P. Browne, lf	2	1	5
R. Browne, rf, lf	0	0	0
Stanley, rf	5	0	10
Allen, c	5	3	13
Bartlett, c	2	0	4
Wight, lb	0	0	0
Hamlin, lb	0	0	0
Martinson, rb	0	1	1
Totals	14	5	33

Referee: Spinks (Alabama). Umpires: Kelley (Maine); Morrill (Bowdoin).

The Consolation Game

Thomaston won over Jay, rallying in the second half, after holding a one point, 29 to 19 lead at the end of the first two periods. Stackpole and Anderson did most of the Thomaston scoring. The score:

Thomaston			
Anderson, lf	7	2	16
Libbey, lf	0	0	0
Jacobs, rf	3	1	7
Perry, c	1	2	4
Stackpole, lg	8	0	16
Delano, lb	0	0	0
Johnson, rg	0	0	0
Upham, rg	0	0	0
Totals	19	5	43

Jay			
Berube, lf	4	1	9
Pomeroy, rf	4	0	8
Walsch, lf	1	0	2
Fournier, c, rg	4	0	8
Noyes, c	0	0	0
Parker, c	0	0	0
McCourt, lg	0	1	1
Crafts, rg	0	0	0
Totals	13	2	28

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GREGORY'S

ROCKPORT

Mrs. Charlotte C. Dillingham and Miss Marion Weidman were entertained Friday evening at the home of Miss Josephine Wentworth in Camden.

Due to illness of Rev. F. F. Fowle the morning and evening services at the Methodist Church were omitted on Sunday. Sunday school and Epworth League, however, met as usual. Republican voters of the town are requested to meet in caucus at the selectmen's office this evening at 7:30 for the purpose of electing a town committee; to choose four delegates and four alternates to attend the State Convention in Portland, March 23; and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting. Preceding this meeting the Democratic caucus will be held, the hour set at 7 p. m., at which time three delegates and three alternates will be elected to attend the Democratic Convention at Bangor on March 27.

The Twentieth Century Club enjoyed a social afternoon last Friday at the home of Miss Marion Weidman, substituting for Mrs. Mary St. Clair as hostess. Questions on slips of paper were distributed and the answers given by the members proved both entertaining and instructive. An added attraction was a skip-rope tap dance by Barbara Richardson. Miss Weidman will entertain the club again Friday, this week substituting for Mrs. Elizabeth Spear.

In connection with the R.H.S. minstrels to be presented on the evening of town meeting day, March 19, a three act play will be given, "Dimme Dem Peanuts," with this cast: Previous the Hungry, Arthur Turner; Money Penny, the nut, Earle Deane; Gladys, the nurse, Arline Ingraham; Dinty, the crook, Raymond Snow; Dusty, the tramp, Everett Morong; McGinty, the cop, David Grant; Miss Doris Ballard of the faculty is

acting as coach and the young folks are proving themselves well adapted to the parts assigned them.

Through a typographical error it was stated in the Saturday issue that the assembly to be held Wednesday evening at Masonic hall was sponsored by Harbor Light Chapter. This assembly is the first of a series under the auspices of Harbor Light Club, and is open to all Masons and Star members and their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blakely and Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Bisbee, Sr., are the committee on arrangements. Fish's orchestra will furnish music.

The officers and committees of the newly organized Rockport Garden Club met recently at the home of Miss Marion Weidman to discuss various matters and prepare by-laws, to be submitted at the club meeting on the evening of March 13. Those who wish to be listed as charter members must be present at this meeting if they have not attended either of the previous meetings.

The La Communaute Francaise Club will meet Thursday evening at the high school building, at which time there will be initiation.

Elmer and George Crockett returned Saturday night from a motor trip to Boston.

The Baptist Ladies' Circle will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. William Whitney for an all-day session. Theodore La Folley returned Saturday from a week's business trip to Boston.

An afternoon for sewing followed by a picnic supper and social evening will be the calendar of the Methodist Ladies' Aid Wednesday, the gathering to be held at Miss Marion Weidman's home, Russell avenue.

The semi-finals and finals will be played Friday and Saturday evenings. Several valuable trophies are to be awarded.

At the business meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church held Friday evening these officers were elected: President, Roland Richards; first vice president, Gwendolyn Buzzell; second vice president, Ruth Miller; third vice president, Frances Staples; fourth vice president, Mrs. Beatrice Richards; secretary, Helena Upham; alternating organizers, Ruth Miller and Gwendolyn Buzzell. A program followed with Mrs. Richards, Miss Miller and Miss Lois Burns in charge. The remainder of the evening was devoted to games.

The Edgar Whittens, whose home on Richards Hill was destroyed by fire last week, have sub-rented of Mrs. Mabelle Crone, half of the Minnie Barrett house on Commercial street.

As usual, the Fred A. Norwood, W.R.C., will serve a public baked bean dinner at the G.A.R. hall on town meeting day. Mrs. Hazel Cain is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

MINTURN

A group of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stockbridge Friday of last week to celebrate the birthday of Frederick Gott. "Uncle Fred," as he is known to everyone, is 77 years old and this was his first birthday party. Music and other entertainment was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. William Sprague, Burleigh Staples, George Moulton, Roly Black, George Grant, George Turner. Clam chowder, pickles, hot coffee and cake were furnished as refreshments. The birthday cake was made by Mrs. Harry Stockbridge. Many gifts were presented. "Uncle Fred" said "This is the best time I've had for 20 years." Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Abner Sadler, June

Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sprague, Alma Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. William Sprague, Milton Sprague, Mrs. Bernice Carlson, Mrs. Marjory Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh Staples, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Page, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Staples, Mr. and Mrs. George Moulton, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gott, Louise Gott, Roly Black, Coris Sprague, Rev. Elbert Wentworth, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stockbridge, Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Geneva Stinson, Mrs. Clementine Ranquist, Paul Stockbridge, George Grant, Amos Staples.

Friends are glad to see Addison Parker out around the yard again; also to hear of the improvement of Rev. Mr. Osgood after his serious operation.

Everything looks dark when a goose hangs himself. Such was the case, when Fritz Johnson went to feed his goose the other morning. In some way he had got a piece of cloth around his neck and had choked. This goose came to Mr. Johnson four years ago and had been a family pet ever since. It is believed that the goose (which was a tame one) had followed some wild geese and had gotten winded when he dropped near the home of Mr. Johnson.

TALK OF THE TOWN

COMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS
March 6-10—Central States Amateur Basketball tournament at Camden Y. M. C. A.
March 7—Winter picnic of Junior Harmon Club at American Legion hall.
March 8—Opening of New Rockland Athletic Club on Tillson avenue.
March 9—Postponed meeting of Rutland Club.
March 10—Limerock Valley Pomona meets with Pleasant Valley Grange, Rockland.
March 12—Camden—Town meeting.
March 12—Vinalhaven—Town meeting.
March 12—Cushing—Town meeting.
March 13—Monthly meeting of Bop-tist Men's League.
March 16 (3 to 9:30)—Woman's Educational Club meets at G. A. R. hall.
March 17—St. Patrick's Day.
March 19—St. George—Town meeting.
March 19—Rockport town meeting.
March 19—Rockport High School minstrel show.
March 21-22—State Conference of the D. A. R. at Augusta.
March 23—Republican State Convention in Portland.
March 25—Palm Sunday.
March 26-29—Farm and Home Week at Orono.
March 26—Thomaston town meeting.
March 31-April 1—State Convention of Socialist party in Auburn.
April 1—Easter Sunday.
April 3—"An Evening With Ma Parker," at the Universalist vestry.
April 14—Limerock Valley Pomona meets with Wessaweskeag Grange, South Thomaston.
April 19—Patriot's Day.
April 20—Costume recital by Alice Bradley Fowler, auspices Methebesec Club.
May 12—Limerock Valley Pomona meets with Megunticook Grange, Camden.
May 18-19—State Convention of Maine Federation of Music Clubs.
May 27—Annual convention of Maine State Letter Carriers' Association at The Thordike.
May 30—Memorial Day.
May 26-June 4—State Garden Club exhibit at the Danish Village, Scarborough.
June 4-8—State convention of Foreign War Veterans and Auxiliary in Bath.
June 18—Primary election.

WEATHER
A dense fog smothered the city this morning, but nobody felt sorry, for it was cutting into the snowbanks like a sharp scythe in a hayfield. Yesterday saw the temperature high up in the 40's, and that class of humanity which is never satisfied with anything was complaining about the heat. Today is not so warm, however, and the forecaster sees scattered snow flurries and increasing wind.

Rockland Lodge, F.A.M. will have an inspection Tuesday night.

Sheriff Richardson has appointed Percy A. White as deputy sheriff at Vinalhaven.

King Solomon's Temple Chapter has a special meeting Thursday night for work on the three M's.

Rev. Charles H. B. Seliger of 95 North Main street is gaining and hopes to be out again in a few weeks.

Looks like Principal Sturtevant would have to forego the enlargement of his High School building in Ellsworth. But should the CWA remain in existence after May 1st there may be a chance.

"Jim" Hassett, the former American League umpire who died in Portland Sunday, used to umpire in Rockland occasionally when the team on which Simonton and Gray were the battery was in existence.

The Pine Tree Outboard Club holds its monthly meeting in Legion hall, Camden, tonight at 7.30. Commodore Wilbur Fogg of Rockland is anxious to have all of the members in attendance because of the important business matters which are to be considered.

Fewer vehicles and persons crossed the Kennebec Bridge last month than did on the corresponding month a year ago, and the cash receipts were \$1022 less. But wouldn't this be accounted for by the abnormally cold and stormy month through which we have lately passed?

Kendrick Libby of the Corner Drug Store sent regards to Kenneth White at Togus Hospital in approved manner, to wit: short wave. And he got this reply: "MTG Friday, Togus, Maine. Via WYOGC NR 79 Mar. 3 to Ken Libby Mgr. Corner Drug Store, Rockland, Maine. Thanks Ken for your nice wishes. 73 Ken White."

We don't know so very much about snow down this way, after all. Herbert Mills, former manager of the Western Union office sends The Courier-Gazette a postcard showing drifts on the road between Farmington and Kingfield. What appears to be a good sized residence is almost buried. "Very few black flies in the telegraph office here this season," writes Herbert.

The Lions meeting tomorrow noon will touch upon a very vital subject—the matter of uncollected taxes, possible closing of schools. John M. Richardson, an ex-alderman and member of the advisory committee; and Supt. Toner will be the principal speakers, and time will be afforded for an open forum, in which several ex-aldermen who are Lions may take part.

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A deputy collector of internal revenue will be at the Rockland post-office March 4 to 15 to assist taxpayers in making out their income tax returns. 26-30

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Clifford Ladd was home from University of Maine for the weekend.

Golden Rod Chapter O.E.S. meets Friday evening. The 6 o'clock supper will be in charge of Mrs. Belle Frost.

"Fashions of 1934," an elaborate musical revue, will be shown at Strand Theatre tomorrow.

The meeting of the directors of the Home for Aged Women, scheduled for tomorrow, will be omitted.

Mrs. Margaret Rockliffe who has been having two weeks' vacation from Senter Crane's resumed work there yesterday.

Among the students at Hebron Academy attaining an average grade of 85 to 89 percent for the first month of the second semester was Douglas Starrett of Warren.

Dr. F. O. Bartlett is again located in his Limerock street office, and will be occupying the residence the coming week. Speedy repairs have been made since the recent fire by Lewis Rokes.

Miriam Rebeckah Lodge meets tonight, with supper at 6.15. The postponed roll call will take place, and there will be degree work. Mrs. Lillian McRae is in charge of the afternoon card party.

Patients at Knox Hospital have been cheered by the generous gift from the Little Flower Shop of jonquils and narcissi. The gracious thought is much appreciated, not only by the patients whose rooms the joyous blooms have lightened, but by Miss Daly and others of the staff.

Prof. F. Hyland of the Botany Department, University of Maine, who was speaker at the Garden Club last week is scheduled to be in this section of the State this spring and early summer engaged in taking a census of all trees and shrubs growing hereabouts. This census is to be made statewide.

The postponed meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will take place Monday, March 12. While Judge Max L. Pinansky of Portland will be unable to be speaker at this meeting, Principal Blaisdell, president, and Supt. Toner, program chairman, are arranging a program of timely interest, to be announced in Thursday's issue. Judge Pinansky plans to be speaker at the April meeting.

The charming play "The Paper Hat" was presented at the Synagogue Sunday evening for the benefit of the Hadassah Chapter's Zionist fund. Mrs. Joseph Dondis coached the production. Members of the cast were Sylvia Shafter, Gwendolyn Rubenstein, Joan Berman, Harold and Meredith Dondis, Ruth Dondis, Ruth Goldberg, Esther Shapiro, Anna Green, Evelyn Segal and Jeanette Gordon. Specialty numbers included vocal solos by George Goldfarb and readings by Mrs. Anita Goldfarb.

Although omitted in 1933, the Maine championship milking contest will again feature the opening of Farm and Home Week at University of Maine, March 26. Hamlin G. Osgood of Bradford, the 1932 champion, has issued the following challenge to all Maine milkers and near milkers to meet him in the tan bark arena: "I now toss my milk pail into the ring. That is my formal challenge to any and all to meet me in a catch-as-catch-can bout with bovine stubbornness at the statewide meet in Orono."

Friday was observed as Temperance Day in the schools. Members of the W.C.T.U. who visited the schools and addressed the children were Mrs. Hope Brewster, Crescent street school; Mrs. Amelia Johnson, Camden street; Mrs. Nellie McKay, Purchase street; Miss Mabel Seavey and Miss Ada Young, Tyler school; Mrs. Jeanette Dunton, Grace street; Mrs. Clara Emery, Miss Florence Hastings and Mrs. Kate Brown visited the McLain school, specially addressing the students of the sixth grades.

Scores of sport fans have inspected the quarters of the New Rockland Athletic Club, opposite St. Clair & Allen's candy factory on Tillson avenue, and are of the opinion that it is the cat's whiskers—just what the fans wanted. And such seems to be the program with which the club will be dedicated Friday night. Chet Littlefield, the Waldo County ace, said to be the best boxer in Eastern Maine, is matched with Gabby Poulin of Augusta in the main bout, and there will be two semi-finals—Walter Reynolds of Rockland vs Joe Wood of Belfast vs Jimmie Kid Ramsey of Bath. These are all smart with the mitts, and have orders to show their wares in this exhibition. Flash Miller, Andy Tuttle, Ed Childs and Shono Collins will be seen in the prelims. Oliver Hamlin third man in the ring.

Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy lovingkindness; according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions.—Psalm 51:1.

Party night at the Spanish Villa rink tomorrow night with all the fixings.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet Thursday at 2.30 with Miss Minnie Smith.

L. J. Dandeneau has been down from Barre, Vt., for a few days. It is understood that he will relocate here when Park Theatre reopens.

Water company workmen found frost to a depth of 56 inches on Tillson avenue yesterday. Supt. McAlary has no doubt that it is five feet deep in places.

Referee Charles C. Wolton and Ralph W. Fowler officiated at the Hancock County basketball tournament in Bar Harbor Friday and Saturday.

Economies about to be practiced in the Postoffice department will mean only one delivery on certain days in the residential district. Due announcement will be made

Thomastons' six-inch water main froze Sunday morning, necessitating a busy half day for the crew and Central Maine assistants. Only two houses were inconvenienced.

Robert Russell has recently graduated from the New England Institute of Embalming, and is now associated with his father in the undertaking business (successor to Bowes & Crozier).

Mrs. Mae Reed, Mrs. Josephine Lothrop and Mrs. Elizabeth Barton will be in charge of 6 o'clock supper preceding the meeting of Auxiliary of Sons of Union Veterans tomorrow night. Mrs. Velma Marsh will be hostess at the afternoon card party.

Mrs. Belle Bowley was in charge of the supper given at Pleasant Valley Grange Friday evening with a remarkably good attendance. The supper was followed by a card party with Miss Susan Spear as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hazel Bartlett. Prizes were awarded to Clarence Wyllie, Miss Harriet Grover, Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, Mrs. Eben Elwell, Miss Spear, and Austin Moody.

NORTH WARREN

Mrs. Nellie Benner of Thomaston is visiting Mabel Crawford.

Misses Gertrude and Doris Mank spent the weekend with Mary Gracie. Donald Mank has been working for H. A. Hawes in Union the past week.

White Oak Grange had a jolly time last Friday evening, it being the birthday party for February. The Worthy Ceres has many pretty and novel ideas for such occasions and all the members enjoy them.

VINALHAVEN

Dorothy, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maland R. Ames, formerly of Vinalhaven, is critically ill at her home in Stratham, N. H.

The New York Tailor Shop, H. Polise, proprietor, will be closed tomorrow and until Monday, March 12, adv.

BORN

PAYSON—At Camden, March 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Payson, a son.

LOUD—At Damariscotta Memorial Hospital, Feb. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Amos P. Loud of Louisville, a daughter, Florence Louise.

BRAY—At Knox Hospital, Rockland, March 3, to Mr. and Mrs. I. Lawton Bray, a son, Maynard Earl.

MERCHANT—At South Thomaston, to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Merchant, a son.

GOODWIN—At Owl's Head, March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Goodwin, a son, William Harry, weight ten pounds.

MARRIED

SICILIANO - ARMATA - At Rockland, March 3, by City Clerk E. R. Keene, Joseph A. Siciliano and Josephine Armata, both of Boston.

DIED

VANNAB—At Gloucester, Mass. March 2, Fred D. Vannab, formerly of South Waldoboro, aged 65 years.

LOUD—At Damariscotta, Feb. 16, Florence Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos P. Loud, aged 5 days.

LEAVITT—At Rockland, March 4, Mrs. Emmaetta (Lawrence) Leavitt, widow of Henry Leavitt, aged 77 years, 8 months, 4 days. Funeral Tuesday at 2 o'clock from the late residence, 26 Franklin street.

RICHARDSON—At Camden, March 3, Mary Angeline, widow of John R. Richardson, aged 54 years. Funeral Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

BENNER—Locust Valley, L. I. March 4, Capt. George Clark Benner, native of Waldoboro, aged 69 years.

BOGUES—At Waldoboro, March 5, Jacob C. Bogue, aged 99 years, 11 months, 20 days. Funeral Thursday at 2 o'clock from the home.

SANBORN—At Waldoboro, March 5, Dr. J. Warren Sanborn, aged 66 years.

DANIELS—At Union, March 3, Gardner P. Daniels, aged 72 years, 4 months, 20 days. Funeral Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the home.

GREER—At Lincolnville Center, March 5, Albert F. Greer. Funeral Wednesday at 11 o'clock from the Crozier home in Rockport.

CLARK—At Warren, March 4, Margaret A. (Wootter), widow of Luther Clark, aged 87 years, 1 month, 10 days. Private funeral. Burial at East Union.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Mother, Mrs. Julia A. Shaw, who died March 6, 1932. Just two years ago you left us. Our hearts are sad and sore. And as the days fly swiftly by, We miss you more and more.

The Family.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank the nurses for their kindness to me during my recent illness, while at Knox Hospital; also friends for their cards and letters of sympathy. Rockland. Mrs. Grace Allen.

ENJOYED THE "WRECK"

Forty and Eight Parade Drew Laughter and Applause All Along the Line

There was fun aplenty last night when the "Forty and Eight" in full regalia took possession of the city and staged a most awe inspiring wreck. The first sign of activity was the seizing of the local candidates, Ted Collette, Charles G. Hewett and Milton T. French, in the late afternoon and clapping them into the strong cells on Spring street for safe keeping.

At 7 o'clock a street parade of the time honored torch light variety formed at Legion hall and marched to police headquarters where the candidates, properly disguised, were haled forth and joined the procession which had the three Belfast candidates, Charles Taylor, Joe Kelly and Edward Johnson. Austin Brewer was Chief de Gare.

The parade itself was greeted with an uproar of laughter and applause. The mighty Collette was astride a venerable horse drawing a hayrake, and Hewett, in the seat, carefully manipulated the rake itself. Messrs. French, Kelly, Taylor and Johnson qualified as deep water sailors by navigating a boat drawn by an automobile. The parade was followed by the regular ceremonies at Legion hall and topped off with one of Tom Anastasio's best Italian dinners.

GORHAM NORMAL

(By Edna Delaney)

The house committee which is the student governing body of the school, recently presented a very interesting program on "Leadership". Mildred Turner of Jefferson, who is vice president of the House Committee, reviewed briefly the life of "Alice Freeman Palmer", president of Wellesley College.

The Y.W.C.A. is making plans for a social to be sponsored by the Junior Cabinet in collaboration with the Senior Cabinet. At the last meeting of this group a discussion on "Lynch-ing" was carried out. It was led by Mr. Louis B. Woodward, teacher of science and ethics.

Guardianship courses are to be given to members of the Camp Fire who wish to take them. They are to be sponsored by Miss Lessendorn, who is Camp Fire advisor in the village of Gorham. Mildred Turner, is to take the courses.

At a recent chapel program, Earle Achorn of Rockport, sang "Whispering Hope". He has a very fine voice and is very active in musical presentations at the Normal School.

The Library Club is making plans for the chapel program which is to be given March 16, in honor of St. Patrick's Day. Earle Achorn is a member.

The last of the series of entertainments is to be given in Russell Hall in the very near future. At this time the "Mansfield Singers" will perform. They are a colored quartet and sing songs of their own and other lands. They have been on the road together for the last six years and have been greatly received wherever they have performed. The School is very fortunate in being able to present such talent to their student body.

The life of Eugene O'Neill was discussed at the last meeting of the Dramatic Club and sketches from several of his plays were read. Miss Jeanette S. Johnson of Appleton is faculty advisor of this organization. Mary Stockbridge of Rockland, was present.

Rev. Mr. Stewart, of the Methodist Church of Gorham is to be the speaker at the next meeting of the Poetry Club. His subject is to be "Poetry in the Bible". This meeting is to be in the form of a tea. Members of this very active club include Helen Stone, Katherine True, and Earle Achorn.

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AN OLD TIME PHRASE

Remember When They Used To Speak of "1800 and Froze To Death"?

Who among the older readers of The Courier-Gazette has not heard that good old fashioned expression "1800 and froze to death"? It caught the eye in a recent issue of the Lewiston Journal, where Editor Staples discusses very human things under the head of "Common Themes". So we reprint what he said.

Nobody can tell us whether 1816 was the coldest year or some other year along about that time.

We have heard Grandfather Blake tell that when he was a boy living at Harpswell, Maine, it snowed every month in a certain year and that they kept planting seed over and over, in spite of its failure to sprout. He was planting seed in July, bare-foot, and half frozen. Grandfather was born in 1800. He lived to be 86.

We have had some correspondence with that most charming writer of the Boston Daily Globe, Mary Gilbert Smith. Mrs. Smith must be a very young woman, because Grandpa White, tells her about HIS grandfather and speaks of old-fashioned cold YEARS—whole years; whereas I am speaking directly from my grandfather to you. But then—I don't remember so explicitly.

"We expect snow in the winter-time," said Grandpa White to Mrs. Smith as related in the Boston Daily Globe. "When it comes and the mercury curls down into the bulb, we just draw a little heavier on our supply of firewood and take out the old sleigh if we've still got a horse to put on to it. But in the year eighteen hundred and froze to death snow fell every month in the year. It was when my grandfather was a boy, and the almanac called it 1816. I used to like to hear him tell about it."

"He lived with his folks on Sugar Hill—quite a family of 'em, eight boys and four girls. Spring came early that year, but with so much rain that farmers had trouble gettin' their crops in. In May the rains stopped and never began again until September, when it was nearly time for the sun to cross the line, and harvest time was pretty well over.

"There was frost and snow every month—not a lot o' snow in July and August, but a big storm the eighth o' June. It was a foot deep on the level and drifted to two or three where the wind got in its work.

"The sheep had been sheared before the storm, and they were so cold without their wool that grandad and his brothers tied the fleeces back onto 'em. All the corn that had sprouted was killed to the ground. But theirs was in a sheltered place and it came up again. Even so, the dry weather would 'a' killed it if the boys hadn't watered it with water that they lugged from the spring in sap buckets.

"Frosty nights they'd all go out with their dad and build fires around their cornfield and potato patch. Wood meant nothin' to 'em, for they cut it from the land they wanted to clear for wheat and corn. It was hard work, but they saved their corn and potatoes, which was more than most of the settlers did.

"Winter wheat and rye made a small crop without much fussin'; but even great-granddad and all his sons couldn't make the grass grow. Their cattle and sheep would have starved to death that winter if they hadn't had a little hay left over from better years.

"Folks were pretty near as bad off as the stock. Lots of 'em went back to their old homes in Massachusetts or Connecticut, and whole settlements were deserted. Great-granddad saved his neighbors by sellin' his corn at a fair price, and trustin' folk that had nothin' to pay for it with.

"O' course, it took more'n one field o' corn to carry a neighborhood thru a year o' famine in a place where there wa'n't any stores yet. Fishin' was good 'most everywhere, and folks kept seines set day and night. With no corn to hoe, boys had plenty o' time for fishin' and berryin'. Folks boiled nettles, wild turnips and 'most anything that had a root, and found out how woodchuck and porcupine tasted, roasted on a spit in front o' the fireplace.

"Well, they got thru the winter somehow, and you'd better believe they didn't waste any time cuttin' their early wheat next year. They dried it by the kitchen fireplace, in the brick oven and in the smoke house, and divided with folks that didn't have any.

"Crops were fine that next year and gave folks a chance to make up for some o' their sufferin's. A lot o' 'em didn't wait for the good times comin' but followed the trail Ohio way. Some of 'em went clear to the new Louisiana country, that we'd got from France just a few years before, and started towns in what's Missouri now. Sometimes I wonder what kind of a country we'd 'a' had if Vermonters hadn't raised up so many boys to settle it."

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200 New Spring Dresses

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All sizes and colors

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One Rack of Dresses to close \$2.00, 3.00, 5.00

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Tweed Coats with throw, \$3.98

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1.45

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Collar attached—White, Fancy

\$1.15 each

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25 BOYS' SUITS, 2 pr. Knickers

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2-15

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White or Colored, 35c; 3 pairs for \$1.00

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50c and 75c quality, 35c; 3 pairs \$1.00

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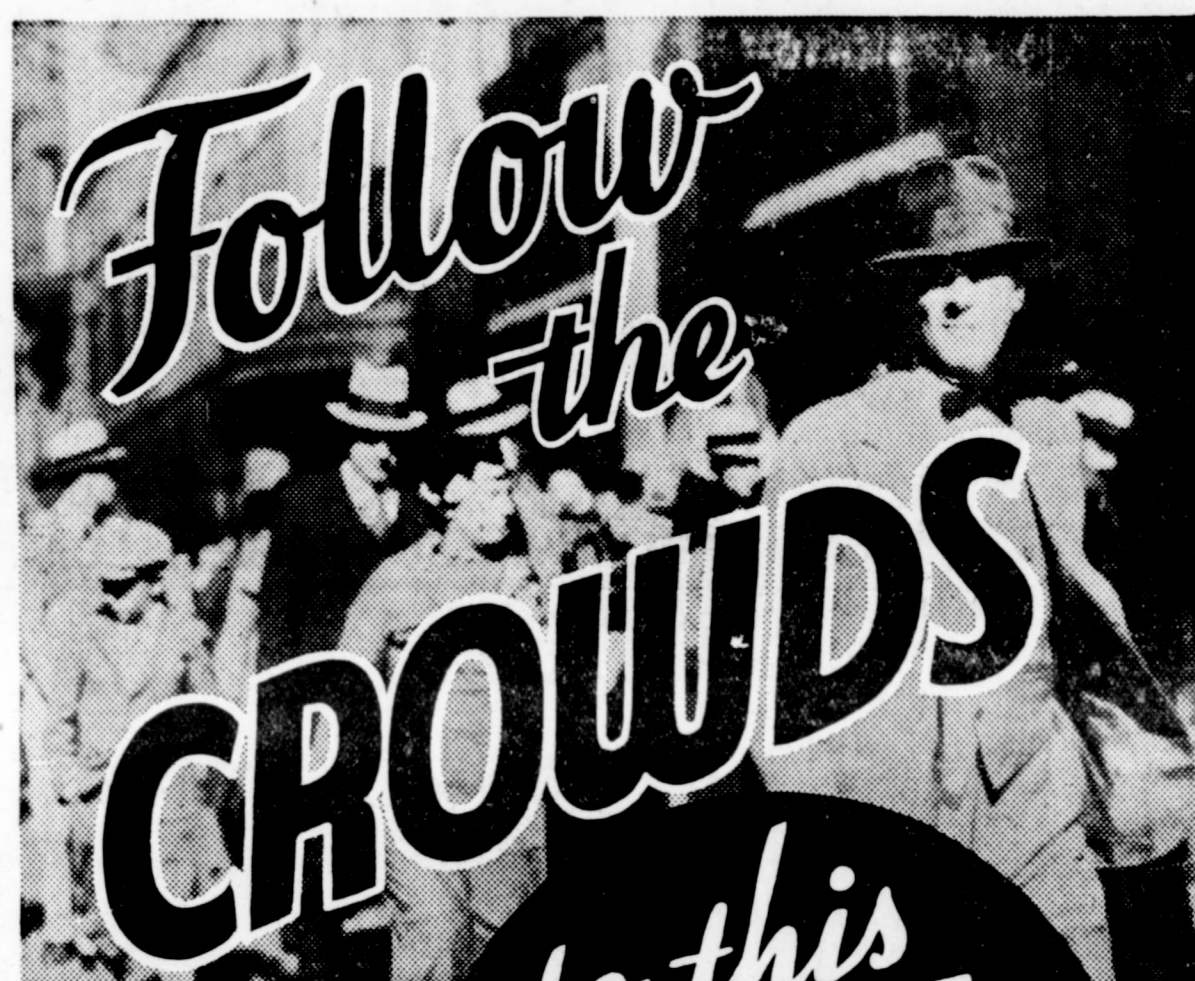
As announced a few days ago in the Courier-Gazette and other newspapers the portion of the Berry Block which has been occupied by F. J. Simonton Company since 1860, has been sold to Capt. John Bernet and will soon be occupied by E. B. Crockett's 5 and 10c to \$1.00 Store.

The premises must be vacated in the shortest possible time, the Simonton stock must be sold out to the very bare walls in a few short days, to the public, for what it will bring.

It is NOT a question of profit, it is a fight against time, a problem of disposing of the twenty five thousand dollar stock of the F. J. Simonton Company, to the last dollar's worth, regardless of the loss involved, in the few days before the contractors will enter the premises to remodel for the new tenant.

It's a buying opportunity without precedent, for the thousands of thrifty people throughout Knox, Lincoln and Waldo Counties, who have traded with confidence at Simonton's for several generations. Take advantage of it! Let nothing keep you away!

WILLIAM J. LEADER,
Selling Out F. J. Simonton Co.



**STORE
CLOSED
UNTIL
WEDN'SD'Y
MORNING
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**to this
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**Extra Sales-People Will Be On
Hand To Serve You!**

The regular staff of the F. J. Simonton Store has been greatly augmented with a corps of extra salespeople carefully trained in the location of merchandise and capable of serving the expected crowds with the greatest facility and dispatch.

Each day during the period of preparation for this great selling out sale the regular and extra salesforce have been schooled in rapid-fire volume selling to equip them to cope with the situation which faces them the moment the doors swing open on this final selling out of the Simonton stock.

Every effort will be made to render the customary Simonton good service from the time the opening gong sounds until the curtain rings down on the last day of Simonton's last sale.

LOOK what 75c will BUY
Pure Linen Table Damask, 32" to 36" wide . . . formerly priced up to \$1.98 yard.

LOOK what 6c will BUY
Daisy trim, Ricrac Braid, Bias Binding and countless other 10c notion items sacrificed.

Here is a Message of VITAL IMPORTANCE to Every Thrifty-Thinking Bargain-Loving Man, Woman and Child in this entire section of Maine! After 74 years this Grand Old Store closes its doors FOREVER!

F. J. SIMONTON CO. GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!! SALE STARTS WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7 at 9 A.M.

A Merchandising Spectacle of Stupendous Magnitude!

Behind the scenes of the F. J. Simonton Company store the regular and extra salesforce has been working feverishly day and night to prepare the vast stocks of merchandise for the final wind-up of the Simonton store for good and all.

It is a tremendous task, the preparing of a stock of merchandise as large as the Simonton stock for a complete sell-out to the very bare walls. Every article must be marked down and specially price-ticketed for quick and convenient selling. Merchandise must be re-arranged for volume selling. Extra salespeople must be trained to assist in handling the crowds of anxious shoppers who will flock to the store every day during the big event. Bins and racks must be built, signs must be painted, advertisements informing the public of the tremendous values to be had, must be written.

In short, everything must be in readiness for the opening day of the great selling-out sale and nothing, no matter how unimportant, may be left undone to insure a rapid-selling-out of the complete stock of this great store.

The F. J. Simonton Company store has carried none but the merchandise obtainable during the 74 years of its existence in Rockland. The Simonton store has built a reputation for merchandise unsurpassed in this entire section of the State. Simonton Store has never offered for sale a so-called "second inferior quality article, no matter how great the temptation to opportunity for profit.

When a store like Simonton's announces a going-out-of-business sale, therefore, every man, woman and child in the Rockland area knows that it will be a REAL sale, a sale worth waiting, a sale that is not likely to be duplicated within the decade.

It follows that the crowds will be unsurpassed in the history of Rockland merchandising. The opening day of the Simonton-Going-Out-Of-Business Sale will be a big day in Rockland's merchandising history, a red-letter day on the calendar of every son in this vicinity who values the buying power of a dollar who appreciates a genuine bona-fide saving opportunity. In this large announcement are only a few of the hundreds of spectacular values to be found at the Simonton Store starting Wednesday.

A Selling Event planned with the idea of meeting your greatest expectations!

Never in the history of Rockland retailing have such preparations been made for a selling out sale. There will be no extravagant promises, no promises of performance. Deeds, not words, will be the watchword and the F. J. Simonton store will retire from business with the same high regard for its reputation for integrity and square dealing that has characterized 74 years of its existence in Rockland. You can help things run smoothly by keeping to the right as much as possible; By taking the jostling of the crowds good-naturedly; By just a little bit patient if you do not get the customary Simonton good service. Remember, the Simonton store will be faced with a tremendous task, handling the crowds who are bound to attend this great sale. Our regular and extra salesforce will be taxed to capacity. We will make our best efforts to handle the throngs with customary efficiency. If we slip up, in an occasional instance, don't judge us too harshly.

All our fine quality Hose for Men, Women and Children, Women's and Children's Underwear, Leather Goods, Yard Goods, Domestic Trunks, Suitcases, Rugs, Floor Coverings, Oilcloths, Yarns, Sweaters, Bathing Suits, Novelties, Gifts, Toilet Articles.

A Complete Sell-Out to the Very Bare Walls—Entire Stock Involved!

When we say a complete sell-out to the very bare walls we mean just exactly that. Every piece, every pair, every article, every garment, every yard, EVERYTHING in this great stock must go and go quickly regardless of the sacrifice in price or profit.

The Simonton stock will be sold out completely at retail TO THE PUBLIC, to the people of Rockland and vicinity who have traded at the Simonton store and whose ancestors have traded at the Simonton store during the 74 years of its existence, to the public who have made it possible for this old reliable firm to grow and prosper throughout the years. There are only a few days in which to affect the complete disposal of this \$25,000 stock of fine quality merchandise. It must be machine-gun action selling and we urge you to come early starting Wednesday.

The entire stock of the F. J. Simonton store MUST be sold out without reservation. The deal consummated a few days ago selling the building now occupied by the F. J. Simonton Company included the entire Simonton stock of merchandise. There is no alternative, MUST is MASTER now. The stock must be disposed of in the shortest possible time.

There is only ONE WAY to successfully dispose of a stock of merchandise and that is to SELL IT TO THE PUBLIC AT BARGAIN PRICES! This stock is clean, first quality merchandise, of customary Simonton high quality standards. Nothing has been purchased especially for the sale. The problem is to sell out the present stock quickly and to do this we must give the public of Rockland and vicinity the bargain opportunities of a lifetime. Be in the sale crowds starting Wednesday. Come early! Delay is expensive and quantities are necessarily limited!

After 74 Years of Honest Retailing a Rockland Landmark Will Soon Be Gone!

Surprises are frequent in these days of stress and strain, but no greater bombshell has been thrown into the very midst of Rockland retailing in recent years! The announcement a few days ago that the F. J. Simonton Co. will retire from business after 74 years in Rockland comes as a distinct shock to the thousands whose confidence this old established store has long enjoyed. The Simonton store has always carried the finest merchandise and sold it at fair prices. The Simonton reputation for fair dealing has been a sacred legacy passed down from the original founders to the present owners—a responsibility not to be treated lightly. And now, after nearly three-quarters of a century in the same location the Simonton sign will come down forever—the Simonton name will no longer stand as a monument to honest retailing and one hundred cents value for the dollar.

But the Simonton light will go out NOT like a flickering candle, but will blaze away to the very end like a thousand watt incandescent . . . a beacon light, guiding our customers and friends to the merchandise values of a lifetime!

All our fine quality Curtains, Draperies, Window Shades, Blankets, Handkerchiefs, Silverware, Toys, Hair Goods, Cretonnes, Hardware, Table Linens, Bath Robes, House Dresses, Aprons, Umbrellas, Jewelry, Stationery, Laces, Notions, Art Goods!

STORE OPEN EVENINGS ALL THIS WEEK

F. J. SIMONTON CO.

ROCKLAND

LOOK what 25c will BUY
Up to 70c Linette and other piece goods sacrificed for quick disposal.

LOOK what 59c will BUY
Ruffled Voile and Marquisette Curtains, regularly priced up to \$1.19 pair.

LOOK what 25c will BUY
Odds and ends in House Dresses and Aprons, formerly priced up to \$1.95.

LOOK what 7c will BUY
Women's all pure Linen Handkerchiefs, sacrificed while limited quantity lasts.

LOOK what 65c will BUY
Women's new Corsets and girdles. Values up to \$1.25. Another sensational sale value!

LOOK what 69c will BUY
Winter weight "Merode" Vests and Pants, all sizes . . . all styles . . . values \$1.00 and \$1.25.

LOOK what 25c will BUY
Women's and Misses' Rayon Underwear, Bloomers, Panties and Socks . . . values up to \$1.00, all shades.

LOOK what 10c will BUY
Odds and ends in Women's Silk and Wool and Rayon Hose and children's Part Wool Hose, values up to \$1.00 pair.

LOOK what 50c will BUY
\$1.00 famous Humming Bird Silk Clifton and Service Weight Hose . . . all sizes . . . all shades . . . just one of the many Bargains.

THOMASTON

Mrs. Walter Johnson and Mrs. Chester Johnson who have been guests respectively of Mrs. Levi Seavey and Miss Letitia Creighton, left Monday upon their return to their homes in Evanston, Ill. They were called east by the illness of Mrs. Katherine Simmons. The Mesdames Johnson have been the recipients of social attention from their Thomaston friends for which they have reciprocated.

Miss Janet Leighton has returned to her school duties in West Springfield, Mass. After spending a week with her parents at the Knox Hotel, John DeWinter, who is in the CCG service, is spending a few days at home.

There will be a rehearsal of the regular officers of Grace Chapter, O.E.S., at the hall Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.

The union prayer meeting of the churches will be held at the Methodist Church Thursday evening at 7. Rev. H. S. Kilborn of the Baptist Church who has been confined to his home with a severe cold, was able to occupy his pulpit Sunday. He was assisted in the service by Leroy Whitten who read the responsive reading and the scripture.

The performance of the pageant "Ruth" at the Baptist vestry drew a capacity audience Sunday evening. The pageant had been prepared under the direction of Mrs. Grace M. Strout, director of music, and Mrs. Elise Allen Corner of the School of the Dance, in charge of the pageant. The Choral Association and Junior choir of the church, with Mrs. Amy Tripp and Miss Irene Young pianists did their accustomed good work. Mrs. Edith Kilborn gave an interesting prologue of the Book of Ruth. The characters were: Ruth, Carlene Davis, soprano; Naomi, Mrs. Hilda S. Keyes, mezzo; Orpha, Marian Felt, contralto; Boaz, William T. Smith, Jr., bass; an elder, Alfred M. Strout, tenor; chorus of reapers and the wedding train, Olive Rowell, Lavonne Sawyer, Hester Foster, Kathleen Anderson, Dorothy Wallace, Estelle Moore, Celia Stone, Marie Clark, Anna Severance, Alfred Chapman, Lewis Tabbutt, Earl Crocker, Norman Overlock, Basil Day, Howard Miller, Raymond Anderson and Richard Moore.

Stillman Osgood and daughter Mary returned to their home in Vinalhaven Saturday after spending a few days with relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. Edwin Burkhardt and son Morgan left Thursday for Allentown, Pa., called by the serious illness of her father George Mohr.

Principal John Creighton of the High School is attending a meeting of teachers in Belfast.

The Thomaston High School team returned from the basketball tournament at Lewiston gratified and much pleased with their manager and the treatment they received at the hands of Lewiston fans and reporters. In their games with Gould and Jay they had the support of Lewiston and Norway, the latter club being winners of the series. They were complimented upon their playing, and were classed as a bunch of fine fellows. Their games resulted in these scores: Thomaston 43, Jay 28; Gould Academy 33, Thomaston 32.

Chester Allen who has been operating a gas station at Walker's Corner moved his family to Bath Saturday.

Twenty-two members of the Beta Alpha Club attended the meeting Monday evening at the Baptist vestry. A comforter was knitted, and much sewing done towards another one. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Madelyn Spear, Mrs. Leila Smalley, Mrs. Vera Robinson and Mrs. Amy Tripp.

"The Tintypes of the Gay Nineties" will be presented by the Pythian Sisters in K. P. hall March 9, followed by dancing and cards. A small admission fee will be charged. If you wish to forget cares and troubles, have a good laugh with the Sisters on that date.

The third in a series of card parties to benefit the Nursing Association was held Saturday evening at the home of Miss Harriet Burgess, with five tables in play. Honors at contract were awarded Mrs. Arthur J. Elliot, Mrs. Russell Davis and Mrs. Charles E. Shorey, and in auction to Mrs. Karl Stetson and Miss Katherine Creighton. Coffee and sandwiches were served following play. Mrs. Frank D. Elliot, Mrs. Edward Newcombe, Miss Helen Studley and Miss Burgess made up the committee on arrangements.

An interesting item in the Portland Press Herald's news of 100 years ago: "James M. Ingraham of Commercial Wharf has received a consignment of 300 casks of Thomaston lime." Was it manufactured at the State Prison? "Tillie and Gus," the benefit movie to be presented Saturday evening at the State Prison chapel under auspices of the Nurse Association, features the lively comedy team of Skipworth and Fields as well as the delightful Baby Leroy, and is said to be without a dull moment from start to finish. An additional feature, "Married Humor," will be shown. The performance starts promptly at 7.

SIXTEEN PAST PRESIDENTS

Attended Last Relief Corps Meeting—Col. Philbrick Remembered

Edwin Libby Relief Corps had a banner meeting Thursday night, the occasion serving to celebrate past presidents night and Col. P. S. Philbrick's 90th birthday. The supper committee consisted of Mrs. Ella Flye, Mrs. Beulah Larrabee and Mrs. Lizzie Peaslee. A table was reserved for the past presidents and other guests, the attractive decorations featuring a Colonial bouquet at each plate fashioned of gum drops and lace paper, the clever handiwork of Mrs. Flye. Sixteen past presidents were present, and others at the table were Col. Philbrick, Capt. H. R. Huntley, Mrs. Ida Huntley, president, and Mrs. Margaret Graves who it was discovered was celebrating her 80th birthday on that date. Col. Philbrick received a birthday cake and gifts from the State and local Corps.

All the chairs were filled by past presidents: President, Mrs. Amanda Choate; vice president, Mrs. Maud Cables; secretary, Mrs. Bessie Haraden; treasurer, Mrs. Millie Thomas; conductor, Mrs. Winifred Butler; chaplain, Mrs. Irene Winslow; guard, Mrs. Elizabeth Libby; past president, Mrs. Rebecca Ingraham; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Eliza Plummer; Fraternity, Mrs. Mildred Condon; Charity, Mrs. Elizabeth Barton; Loyalty, Mrs. Bertha Higgins; Flag No. 1, Mrs. Adeline Mullen; No. 2, Mrs. Riah Knight; No. 3, Mrs. May Cross; No. 4, Mrs. Clara Curtis. There were 44 members present.

The program was a continuance of the George Washington program of the week previous. Features were "Washington's Love For His Mother," read by Mrs. Ida Huntley; "Betsy Ross," Mrs. May Cross; "The Flag of Betsy Ross," Mrs. Lulu McCrea; Washington: First in War, Mrs. Doris Ames; First in Peace, Mrs. Clara Curtis and Mrs. Lillian Judkins; First in the Hearts of His Countrymen, Mrs. Maud Cables, Mrs. Helen Perry, Miss Lucy Rhodes, Mrs. Marguerite Johnson, Mrs. Nellie Higgins and Mrs. Nellie McKay; Proof that George Washington Did Cut Down the Cherry Tree, Mrs. Millie Thomas. Remarks were offered by Comrades Philbrick and Huntley, also by Mrs. Thomas, State president. The singing of "America" by the assembly closed the program.

The apron auctioned off was won by Mrs. Thomas, and the mystery package, furnished by Mrs. Hattie Higgins, was won by Mrs. Nellie McKinney. Mrs. Barton and Mrs. Bertha Higgins were appointed the supper committee for Thursday's meeting. There will be work on quilts in the afternoon, and drill for floor work at 4. After supper the degree work will be exemplified.

CUSHING

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robishaw who have been spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Robinson, have returned to their home in Rockland.

B. B. Robinson has sold his cow to Almon Burns of East Friendship.

The mild weather of the past few days has brought hope and encouragement to the hearts of many who have despaired of the continued cold and storms.

Notices were posted for the annual town meeting, to be held March 12. Mrs. H. J. Marshall has been confined to her home the past week as the result of a fall sustained while walking across her kitchen floor.

Mrs. Eldred Orf is suffering from an attack of erysipelas.

Madeline Miller of Rockland, daughter of Lloyd Miller, is staying with her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Maloney.

The rains of the past few days have caused plenty of slush and water.

Oakley Ames of Pleasant Point visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ames, Saturday night.

Eli Maloney spent Friday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Geyer.

I. A. Pales has B. B. Robinson's horse for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stevens were Sunday callers at B. S. Geyer's.

The river is still closed with ice.

L. B. Ulmer is ill and attended by Dr. Heald of Thomaston. Mrs. Ulmer is better from her recent attack. Hiram Ulmer is helping Mrs. Ulmer during her husband's illness.

F. I. Geyer is suffering from a sore thumb, caused by a splinter while chopping wood.

Miss Blanche Prior of Friendship is the guest of Misses Edith and Evelyn Stevens.

Mrs. Everett Davis of Pleasant Point, Kenneth Marshall and Miss Blanche Tibbets of Thomaston were recent guests at H. J. Marshall's.

Friends here of Miss Cora Fogarty of Thomaston are glad to know that she is as comfortable as possible with her broken arm. Friends gave her a post card shower Saturday.

Fixed His Sprain In Record Time

There's hardly a town or farm hereabouts where everyone—especially the old-timers—don't swear by Johnson's Anodyne Liniment for quickly clearing up a sprain. These folks will tell you that the first thing to do is to give the injured limb plenty of rest. Keep it well bandaged, and see that the bandages are always saturated with Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. Occasionally bathe the injury with hot water between change of bandages. You'll soon be out and about—as good as new.

A generous bottle of Johnson's Anodyne Liniment costs only 25¢ and helps keep you well in a dozen ways. 60¢ buys three times as much as any drug or grocery store.

WARREN

Weston Stanhope who has been threatened with pneumonia, is better. Mr. and Mrs. Iral Smith and Mrs. Plummer, mother of Mrs. Smith, have returned to their home in Warren after spending the winter with their daughter Mrs. Charles McIntosh in Rockland.

Miss Charlotte Campbell of Boston is the guest for a time of her sister Mrs. C. A. French.

Loring Packard who has been ill for several weeks is again about.

The girls of the Wide World Guild meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ella Caley.

Mrs. Emily Hodgkins who lives at North Waldboro with her daughter Mrs. Ida Mallett is spending a few days at her home here.

A group of friends were entertained at cards Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Norwood, among those present being Mr. and Mrs. William Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Philbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starrett, Phillip Simmons, Mrs. Gertrude Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Simmons. Prizes for top score were awarded Mrs. Starrett and Alvah Simmons, consolation going to Mrs. Hahn and Mr. Starrett. Peanuts, candy, jello and cream and ice box cookies were served.

The birthday party postponed from the preceding week was held last Friday evening at White Oak Grange for those members whose birthdays occurred in February, two of whom were present out of the six, Mrs. Emma Kallioch, and Miss Athleen Robinson. A fine supper of potato salad and frankfurts, cake and pastry was served. Two birthday cakes being in evidence. The tables were prettily decorated with flags and place cards.

An hour before closing time Friday afternoon at Warren High School was devoted to a mock town meeting. Harvel Ring acting as moderator and Arnold Robinson as town clerk. Other officers elected included Miss Beatrice Haskell as tax collector, and Dana Smith, Jr., as fish warden. Several of the articles in the 1934 annual report for the preceding year were taken up and altogether a most instructive lesson in local "civics" was learned.

Curtis, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tolman, is confined to bed owing to a severe shock suffered Saturday forenoon when he fell about 14 feet to the barn floor at his home. Becoming entangled in a rope of tackle while falling, the block dangling struck him a heavy blow in the head, inflicting a deep gash near the left eye and rendering him unconscious for a time. Leland Boggs carried the child into the house and Dr. Fred G. Campbell rendered treatment after some difficulty in getting there owing to the soft condition of the snow in the roads. It is thought the boy escaped concussion of the brain.

Mrs. Sadie Cunningham of Union who has been employed at the home of Mrs. Betsey Eastman is now at the home of Lloyd Simmons, both he and his son Sherman being ill with severe gripple colds.

Mrs. Ina Harding has been ill.

Jean Campbell, young daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell, who has visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ames, is now able to be up and around.

Ansel M. Hill, first selectman, reports the receipt of another 100 pounds of salt pork, and in addition 50 pounds of creamery butter from the Federal Relief Administration.

Bernard Goldfine of Boston was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Connell, recently married, were agreeably surprised Friday evening by a party of friends at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Connell, Jr. Cards, music and a generally jolly time was enjoyed by the mixed crowd. Sandwiches, cake, cookies and cocoa were served, and the honor guests presented with a specially made cake bearing their names and decorated in green, pink and white, given by Mrs. Marjorie Kenniston.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. John Connell, Sr., Andrew Connell, John Connell, Jr., Joseph Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kenniston, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Gentner, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Halligan, Misses Nathalie Starrett, Marjorie Spear, Marguerite Haskell, Katherine Starrett, Helen Boyd, Pauline Starrett, Hilda Aspy and Evelyn Sawyer, Louis Perrault, Gerald Brown and Marshall White, all of Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Fuller of Union.

MEDOMAK

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter and Mrs. Roscoe Collamore spent last Sunday with Mrs. Collamore's sister Mrs. Emerson Simmons in Friendship.

Mrs. L. W. Osier and son John were in Portland last week visiting Mrs. Osier's sister Mrs. Hazel Timberlake.

Hoyt Shuman who has been spending his vacation with his parents, returned to Camden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson and Louise Shuman of Camden were the recent guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shuman.

Verge Prior and Irael Teale were in Waldboro last Wednesday.

Mrs. Hazel Benner, son Junior, Mrs. Jennie Teale, Mrs. Lester Teale and Verge Prior were in Rockland last Thursday.

Margaret Prior of Muscongus is visiting her grandmother Mrs. Sherman Prior.

Mr. and Mrs. Maudie Chadwick of Friendship were in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter were Rockland visitors last week.

Miss Alberta Prior spent a short time with friends in Round Pond last week.

Raiders threw a brick wrapped in a piece of felt through the window of a London jeweler's shop last week. The campaign to lessen street noises is evidently having its effect.—Punch.

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PLEASANT POINT

There are a number of people here suffering from bad coughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Knights spent the weekend with W. G. Maloney and family.

Mrs. Fannie Morse who is confined to her bed, continues about the same as usual in health. She is able to sit up occasionally.

Madeline Stimpson, president of the Friendly Sewing Circle, has relinquished the responsibilities of the office by turning over all material, finished and unfinished, and money to the vice president, Marion Coombs, who should henceforth be consulted by anyone desiring material or information.

The last game of boys' basketball was played Friday night at Town hall, between the East and West teams, resulting in favor of West with score of 50 to 27.

Monday, March 12, town meeting.

VINALHAVEN

A Democratic caucus is called for March 9 in Memorial hall at 7 p. m. Its purpose is to elect a chairman to preside at the meeting; to vote a recommendation for postmaster; choose a town committee and act on any other business that may come before the meeting. The notice is signed by O. V. D.ew, David Duncan, N. Cook Sholes, Biley Lyford, A. Begg, C. L. Boman.

A. A. Peterson has returned from a business trip in Portland.

Margaret and Jessie Lowe returned Thursday by plane from Rockland.

Mrs. Frank Mullen entertained the Washington Club Saturday evening at her home.

Wednesday evening at her home Mrs. Robert Arrey entertained friends in honor of her birthday and that of her sister Mrs. Lottie Brown. Supper was served, which included a large decorated birthday cake. Cards and a social evening were enjoyed. Other guests present were Mrs. George Newbert, Mrs. Lora Hardison, Mrs. E. G. Carver, Mrs. Albert Carver, Mrs. Scott Littlefield, Mrs. Frank Winslow, Mrs. Lafayette Smith, Mrs. Arzy and Mrs. Brown were pleasantly remembered with gifts.

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In Everybody's Column

Advertisements in this column not to exceed three lines inserted once for 25 cents, three times for 50 cents. Additional lines five cents each for one time, 10 cents for three times. Six words make a line.

LOST AND FOUND

LADY'S white gold wrist watch lost between Willow St. and South End. Reward. MAUDE STAPLES, 15 Ingraham's lane. Tel. 26-28.

WHITE shag cat lost. Last seen Monday on North Main St. Answers to name of Toddes. Finder please TEL. 112-R or 397. Reward.

will be held in Memorial hall. Dinner will be served at noon in the G.A.R. rooms below, by a committee of ladies from Union Church. Home-made candy will be on sale.

Comrade Sunday school class, Mrs. Ernest Arrey, teacher, met Thursday night with Cleo Drew.

Ocean Bound Rebekah Lodge will hold a "Booster Meeting," March 13. There will be an entertainment and dance, each member to invite one guest.

Atlantic Royal Arch Chapter will hold its annual installation of officers March 15. Past High Priest E. H. Bradstreet is installing officer assisted by High Priest George Strachan as Grand Captain of the Host.

The Depression Club met Thursday with Muriel Chilles. First honors at bridge went to Mrs. Charles Chilles, second to Mrs. Evelyn Patrick.

Mrs. E. L. Glidden entertained at contract at her home Friday evening. Lunch was served.

Cleo Drew and Cecile Columb visited friends in North Haven Friday.

Regular meeting of Ladies' of the G.A.R., was held Friday night, preceded by supper. Housekeepers were Ka'o Coombs, Mae Lawry, Beulah Drew and Oia Ames.

Union Church Circle will serve the usual supper at the vestry Thursday at 5.30.

All day session of Red Cross Wednesday.

During the most unusual winter of blizzards and thick ice, the sturdy steamer North Haven and its crew have made many dangerous trips across the bay to bring mail and freight to Vinalhaven. The fine service given has been appreciated by our townspeople.

WASHINGTON

The Ladies' Guild met with Miss Frances Crocker last Tuesday with these members present, Ruth Boynton, Nellie Stevens, Doris Davis, Hannah Staples, Helen Bowes, Doris Overlock, Maude Overlock, Eva Mooers, Nina Johnston, Leona Sherman, Evelyn Bartlett, Nellie Crocker; one visitor, Mrs. Hall, and several children. Candy, home made fudge, ice cream and cake were served by the hostess assisted by Doris Overlock.

Mrs. Lilla Pierpont is out after being confined to her home several weeks with the flu and sore throat.

Clyde and Almond Pierpont are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Almond Farwell at Unity.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boynton, Mrs. Pitt Calkin, Harold Kaler and Charles Ludvig attended the auto show at Portland Feb. 23.

Dr. Pierpont was called to Somerville Sunday night, Feb. 25, and was obliged to remain there until Thursday because of road conditions. Too little praise is given to country doctors. They have no easy road to travel either winter or summer.

A British flyer has enlisted Scotland Yard to help locate a missing wallet containing \$1100. Has he looked in all his air pockets?—Detroit News.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C. Dec. 19, 1933. NOTICE is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against "The Rockland National Bank," Rockland, Maine, that the same must be presented to Edward C. Payson, receiver, with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed.

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SOCIETY.

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

TELEPHONE 720 or 794

Misses Anna L. Gordon and Anna Green left yesterday for Boston where they will attend the Green-Rubenstein wedding on Thursday. Miss Ann Povich and Mrs. Anita Goldfarb plan to attend the wedding also, going to Boston tomorrow.

Phil McDermott of Aruba, Dutch West Indies, who is connected with the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey's branch there, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thresher, Willow street.

Mrs. Miles Haskell, Knott street, entered Knox Hospital Sunday for observation.

Clifford Wellman and Lucretia Pushaw of Hope were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wellman.

Rubenstein Club will hold an evening meeting Friday, when Mrs. Helen Wentworth will present a program entitled "Jinx and Kink." The meeting will begin promptly at 7.45. While it will not be a guest affair, non-members may attend by paying a small admission fee as is customary for regular after-noon meetings.

I. W. Stinson of Swan's Island was in the city Friday on business.

Byron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Keene, has returned from a visit of two weeks with his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Davis at Glenmeade.

Ruth Mayhew Tent, D.U.V., sponsor a card party this evening at Grand Army hall, with Mrs. May Cross and Mrs. Lizzie French in charge. Play will begin at 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dunton and daughter Margaret and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Gilley motored to Bangor Sunday to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins of Northeast Harbor. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins are at Cobb's Lodge, Union street, where Mr. Perkins is recovering from his recent serious auto accident.

Mrs. I. J. Shuman was hostess to the Corner Club for bridge Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Estes have returned from a trip of several weeks, during which they visited New York, Washington, Miami and other places. In Miami they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Berry.

The second in the series of card parties being given by the graduating class of nurses of Knox Hospital took place Friday evening at the Bok Nurses Home, with Miss Margaret Hannegan, in charge. Honors in auction were won by Richard Reed, Mrs. Arthur Doherty and Mrs. J. F. Burgess, and in contract by Earl McIntosh. The third party will be held Friday evening. These parties are open to the public, and in addition to card playing in attractive surroundings afford a delightful social gathering. Miss Hannegan will be glad to arrange reservations if called at the hospital.

Mrs. John Haines McLoon was hostess to the Monday Contract Club last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams of Sargentville were guests last week of Mrs. Adams' father, Frank Beverage, in Thomaston.

The annual "winter picnic" of Junior Harmony Club takes place tomorrow evening at 6.30 at Legion hall, with Mrs. Leola Noyes, counselor, and Mrs. Faith G. Berry, in charge. Each member may invite one guest. Take box lunch and a dime to cover expenses incurred that evening.

Several members of Fales Circle, Ladies of the G.A.R., tendered a surprise party (and it was a surprise!) to Col. F. S. Philbrick Saturday afternoon to celebrate his 90th birthday which fell on that date. Col. Philbrick was snatching "forty winks" when summoned by his niece, Mrs. Ralph Conant, to hear something especially nice on the radio. True, the radio did greet him when he entered the living room, but also these ladies—Mrs. Lillian Lincoln, department president, Mrs. Bernice Jackson, department patriotic instructor, Mrs. Mary Sistaire, president, Mrs. Susie Lamb, Mrs. Ella Flye and Mrs. Amelia Carter. Others present were Col. Philbrick's sister, Mrs. Ellen Conant, his niece, Mrs. Ralph Conant, and his grand-nephew, Roger Conant. Lunch featured three handsome birthday cakes, gifts of Mrs. Roxie Whitehouse of Camden, Mrs. Susie Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. Conant. Each member of the circle presented Col. Philbrick with a birthday card and a gift.

Mrs. Jerome C. Burrows entertained the Congo-Mates at cards yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Newton Strickland who is making an extended stay in Crie-haven is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Lena K. Sargent.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Pettingell of Portland were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stoddard.

Mrs. Fred Jordan, Mrs. Raymond Cross and Miss Marian Uplam won honors in bridge when the D&F Club was entertained Friday evening by Mrs. Herbert Kallach, Amesbury street.

A meeting of the board of the State Federation of Music Clubs has been called for Thursday at 11 a. m. at the home of Miss Julia Edwards Noyes, Danforth street, Portland, to discuss plans for the annual convention to be held in Augusta.

Methebesec Club meets Friday afternoon at 2.30 at the Bok Nurses Home, with Miss Ellen Daly as hostess. Current events will be presented by Mrs. Grace Rollins, and papers by Miss Annie Frye and Mrs. Mary Cooper. There will be special music.

The Junior League of B'nai B'rith met Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anita Goldfarb. Plans for another bridge party were discussed and refreshments were served. Readings were given by Mrs. Harry Berman and Miss Sylvia Shafter. The next meeting will be March 18, at 7.30.

Mrs. Ella S. Bird will be hostess to Chapin Class this evening at her home on Spring street.

Miss Eleanor Griffith who is at the Britt Home, Limerock street, is convalescing in a satisfactory manner from her recent illness, now being able to take short walks twice a day.

The Thimble Club sewed last evening at the home of Mrs. Grover C. Knight, Broadway.

Circle supper will be served at the Methodist Church tomorrow at 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Helen Gill Perry has been in Boston the past week.

THE Club met last evening with Mrs. Lena K. Sargent as hostess at The Thorndike.

Mrs. Arthur L. Orne was hostess to the Cardinal Club Saturday afternoon.

T. E. McNamara and Dr. Neil A. Fogg are leaving by motor today for Eagle Rock, Va., to be guests of James and Anthony McNamara.

Miss Margaret Nutt, Mrs. Earle MacWilliams and Miss Charlotte Dyer who have been making a visit in Bermuda arrived in New York yesterday on the S.S. Queen of Bermuda, twin ship of the Monarch of Bermuda on which they sailed ten days ago for the trip. Miss Nutt and Miss Dyer return home today, but Mrs. MacWilliams is to make a visit of several weeks with her mother in Reading, Pa. A visit of a week will also be made in Bethlehem, Pa., and possibly Mrs. MacWilliams may go to Washington, D. C., to be guest of Representative and Mrs. Moran before returning to Rockland.

Sidney Hull returned to Sharon, Mass., Friday after spending three months with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Hull.

Lida Swan has returned from a visit with her sister in Auburn, and a niece in Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Milton Weymouth of North Baldwin, who has been seriously ill with throat and ear infection, is much improved.

Veronia Murphy entertained several school friends Wednesday in honor of her 10th birthday. The peanut hunt was won by Pauline Spear and Madeline Munro. Other games were played. Barbara White's pursuit of the live bunny was a feature. The dining room was prettily decorated in yellow. Refreshments, including cocoa, cookies, two pretty birthday cakes were served. Veronia was presented with a wrist watch, fountain pen, and many other nice gifts. Those present were Dorothy Peterson, Pauline Spear, Barbara White, Madeline and Betty Munro, Helvie and Linnie Rivers, Charlotte, Clifford and Baby Clarence. Helvie Rivers assisted Mrs. Murphy in serving the little guests.

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CHAPTER XI. CONTINUED

So Ann told the story. From the day when her sister first met Tom McArdle to the morning when she shot at him and left the man for dead. The impression of that story upon the tense crowd packing the square was remarkable. She told the facts in the simplest possible way, but many of those listening were convicted of guilt. The tragedy that had filled the lives of these girls had been made possible because the men and women who lived near had ostracised them. She told how Stone had tried to be her friend and how in the bitterness of her despair she had pushed him from her with the others.

"Did you see Jasper Stark after Tom McArdle was shot?" Wilson asked.

"Yes. He came to the ranch. He had been there several times to see my sister Ethel, but I did not know it till one day I found him with her. He was bullying her to marry him with the threat that if she didn't he would send me to the penitentiary for killing Tom McArdle."

"What did you tell him?"

"Told him I wouldn't buy his silence at the price of my little sister's happiness, and if he wanted to tell what he knew he could."

"What did he say?"

"He started toward her in his bullying way. I drew a revolver and drove him off the place."

There was a murmur of approval that passed through the crowd like a breeze.

"Had he offered to keep still about you if your sister would marry him?"

"Yes."

From Jasper Stark, at the outskirt of the crowd, came a hoarse denial. "That's a lie."

Wilson whirled on him instantly. "Then why didn't you tell before? What made you wait two months before you went to the sheriff with what you knew?"

"I hated to get her into trouble," Jasper retorted. "An' this is the thanks I get for it."

"What thanks did you expect—that Miss Gifford would let you marry her sister for you keepin' quiet?"

Jasper growled, "None o' yore d—n business," and retired from the field.

"I don't reckon I've got any more questions to ask you, Miss Gifford," Wilson said after low-voiced consultation with his client. "We're sure much obliged for all the trouble you took to come to town."

There was a little movement of those near the edge of the crowd. Presently it was seen that a girl was being brought forward as quickly as a way could be made for her. The girl was Ethel Gifford.

"I had to come," she told her sister pitiously. "I couldn't stay at the ranch after I read your note. So I made Tony bring me."

"I'm going to use her as a witness, now she's here," Wilson said, his eyes shining with the certainty that his most effective argument would be this shy-eyed girl.

The girl was so young and sweet, her innocent manner so engaging and childlike, that before she had given two sentences of her testimony she had won her way into the hearts of the hard rugged men who crowded the courthouse yard. It was fortunate for Jasper Stark that he had vanished from the scene. Otherwise he might have been roughly handled.

When the three girls came down the steps to leave, a lane was made for them along which they passed among murmurs of approval.

The only remaining witness was Dave Stone himself. He looked round, quiet-eyed and fearless, waiting for the examination to begin.

The story he told was the same one he had narrated to the sheriff. Haskell questioned him briefly, then waved a hand to young McCann.

Wilson led him again through an account of the shooting.

"Did you fire in self-defense, to save your own life?" he asked at last.

The Texan hesitated. "I did an' I didn't," he said. "He was reachin' for his gun when I started for mine. It was him or me, one. Lookin' at it that way, I'd call it self-defense. But before that, if I hadn't told him what a low-down one job wolf he was, I reckon there wouldn't of been any gun play. I expect I called for a showdown when I served notice I'd kill him if he troubled the young women at the sheep ranch any more."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Joseph Soffayer, who has spent the past month at Miami, returned last week to Boston, undaunted by the reports of snow and ice in that metropolis.

Miles Haskell, Jr., of Portland, was in the city Monday to see his mother, who is ill at Knox Hospital.

No matter how low the dollar may fall, it will never fall lower than some people will stoop to get it.—Atlanta Journal.

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Slips, Night Robes and Pajamas (silk pongee), plain and lace trimmed, 1.15 and 1.29 quality. Anniversary price89
Slips (rayon) colors pink and tea rose, tailored and lace trimmed. Special Anniversary price59
Pajamas and Gowns, figured dimity, dainty patterns, puff sleeves and sleeveless, lace trimmed. Anniversary price79
Pajamas (rayon and rayon crepe) one and two-piece, plain and lace trimmed, 1.98 quality. Anniversary price	1.59
Dresses, new figured tops, short sleeves, plain skirt, spring styles, regular 2.98. Anniversary price	1.98
Dresses, new spring styles (silk) in plain colors and prints; regular 5.98. Anniversary price	4.65
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Blouse (cotton), sizes 38 to 44, figured prints, 1.00 quality. Anniversary price79
Corsets (pink brocade), back lace, 14 inch, 4 garters. Anniversary price89
Corset Combination, pink brocade (under belt) sizes 36 to 48; 1.79 and 1.98 quality. Anniversary price	1.59
Sweater Blouses, smart fancy stripes and plain colors; all new light spring colors; 1.98 quality. Anniversary price	1.69
Skirts (wool) spring styles, sizes 25 to 34; 1.98 quality. Anniversary price	1.79
Hats, new spring models, off the face and with brims; 1.59 value. Anniversary price	1.19
House Dresses, figured prints, some organdy trimmed; sizes 38 to 46; 1.15 value. Anniversary price82
Table Silver, Lafayette pattern, each piece heavily plated with pure silver. Anniversary price, 10 pieces for	1.00

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CAMDEN

Robert Gardner Jr., of Rockland who has been employed at the Main street First National store, is now clerking at the Elm street store and Arleigh McMinn of Lincolnville has taken his place at the Main street store.

The funeral of Mrs. William G. Williams was held Sunday afternoon from the residence on Union street. Rev. Leroy A. Campbell officiating. The Camden-Rockport Lions Club, American Legion and the Philathea Class, attended in a body. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, silent reminders of the esteem in which the deceased was held. The body will be taken to Rockland in the spring for burial.

Capt. John Wadsworth of Wadsworth Inn is a patient at Knox Hospital, under observation.

The Spanish War Veterans met at the Legion rooms last evening.

Mrs. Guy Cucinotta entertains the ladies of the Congregational society this week at her home on Belmont avenue.

Mrs. Roy Fuller, Elm street, will be hostess to the ladies' aid Wednesday afternoon.

A. S. Glidden who fell last week and broke his hip returned Monday from Knox Hospital and is now at his home, corner of Washington and Spring streets.

Mrs. Harry D. Wilson will entertain the Ladies of the G.A.R. Thursday evening at a card party at her home on Spring street.

Cloyd Packard is employed as clerk in Frank Tibbetts' hardware store on Washington street.

Mrs. Grace Anderson entertains the sewing circle of the American Legion this afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home on Harden avenue.

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Mrs. Mary A. Richardson

Mrs. Mary Angeline Richardson, 54, widow of John R. Richardson, died Saturday at her home on Knowlton street. She was born in Waldo, daughter of the late Myes and Mary (Crammer) Standish, but had resided in Camden for many years. She leaves two daughters, Miss Ethel Richardson of Camden, Miss Caroline Richardson of Wellesley, Mass.; one son, Harvey Richardson of this place; two sisters, Miss Caroline Standish of Waldo, Mrs. Harriet Lumbert of Chicago and two brothers, Myles Standish of New Haven, Conn., and Herbert Standish of Waldo. She was a member of the Monument Square Methodist Church, Maiden Cliff Rebekah Lodge and Auxiliary to the Sons of Union Veterans. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Albert E. Luce officiating. Burial will be in Mount-street cemetery in the spring.

OWL'S HEAD

Miss Edna Ross is at home from the Maine General Hospital School of Nursing to recuperate from a severe throat infection. She will return some time in April for a tonsil operation before re-entering the school.

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THE VOTER'S DAY IN COURT

(Continued from Page One)

OWL'S HEAD

This quiet little town was seething with excitement yesterday as 212 voters gathered in the town house to pass upon the 35 articles in the warrant.

Two of the selectmen found aspirants opposing their return to office, and the big contest of the day was over the choice of first selectman. H. S. Montgomery was re-elected having 149 votes and Ernest Quinn 63. J. Dana Knowlton was chosen second selectman without opposition, and George W. Haskell was re-elected third selectman, having 102 votes to 68 for Vinal Perry.

John Whalen handled the meeting in the capacity of moderator and



This feminine voter forgot she left that cake in the oven

Mrs. Florence McConchie was re-elected town clerk. Other town officers chosen were:

Treasurer and Tax Collector—Ralph J. Philbrook.

School Committee—Mrs. Inez Dyer, Constable—Richard Dyer.

It was voted not to elect a road commissioner. A lien is to be placed on all property on which taxes have not been paid for two consecutive years. Poll tax payers will be given a chance to work out their obligations, and those who fail to do so will be jailed, according to the vote passed yesterday.

The annual appropriations were:

Common schools, \$1400.

School repairs, \$500.

Text books, \$25.

School supplies, \$60.

High School tuition, \$1325.

Current expenses, \$1200.

Sidewalks, \$100.

Roads and bridges, \$800.

Work on Shell street, \$500.

Surfacing road from Hare's Corner to Alvin Hurd with tarvia, \$1500.

Town poor, \$2000.

Officers' salaries, \$750.

Mothers' Aid, \$390.

Lights, \$342.

School nursing, \$50.

It was voted to put the road to the Ash Point town landing and the Ballyhack road in condition so that snowplows can be used on them.

The scale of wages decided upon is 50 cents an hour for men (eight

hours a day) and \$9 a day for trucks. The man with the snowplow will receive the difference between the 28 cents an hour allowed by the State and the 50 cents paid to town laborers.

The article providing for the use of calcium chloride on the highway, was passed over.

It was voted to raise \$1066 for State aid road and \$133 for third class road.

The Isabel Lattie trust fund of \$300 for care of cemetery lot was accepted.

NORTH HAVEN

The desire for a change was the dominating factor in yesterday's town meeting, and the result is an entirely new board of selectmen, assessors and overseers of poor. J. B. Crockett defeated Leon B. Stone for first selectman, George Young defeated Herman W. Crockett for second place and H. Neil Burgess defeated Lamar K. Lewis for third position.

Joel Wooster had meantime been elected moderator, and Foy W. Brown, unopposed, was re-elected town clerk.

Frank Beverage had no opposition for the two offices he so ably fills—treasurer and tax collector. Joel Wooster was elected auditor, defeating V. L. Beverage by a small margin. Ray M. Beverage declined to run again for road commissioner, and Harland Gregory succeeded him with a goodly margin over Edward Pierce. C. E. Waterman also had a good lead in his contest for member of the school committee. L. A. Dick-ey was elected constable and Carl Bunker traffic officer.

These appropriations were made:

Town charges, \$1200.

State aid road, \$1066.

Roads and bridges, \$1500.

Common schools, \$2600.

Subsidy for town and school physician, \$2500.

High School, \$2400.

Free text books, \$300.

School supplies, \$200.

Repair of school buildings, \$500.

Maintenance of State aid road, \$1000.

Repairing railing of Pulpit Harbor bridge, \$250.

Third class road, \$170.

Memorial Day, \$25.

State aid patrol, \$450.

Free Public Library, \$150.

Street lights, \$1200.

School nursing, \$35.

Rental on doctor's home, \$1000.

On town notes, \$1200.

Interest on town debt, \$1200.

Workmen's compensation act, \$300.

Snow fence, \$110.

The voters said "yes" on the following articles:

To pay road laborers \$3.60 a day.

To work on State aid highway No. 1 ending at Beverage's Corner. To have all poll taxes paid on or before June 1.

To exempt the doctor's home and High School teachers home from taxation for the ensuing year.

To exempt the property of the North Haven Golf Club Association from taxation.

Row At Stonington

The town meeting broke up in a riot which started when George Howard Noyes, elected first selectman, was alleged to have been assaulted by an unsuccessful candidate for the office. Many voters participated in the wild confusion which followed and feeling was running high in the town last night. Other successful candidates for selectmen were Leroy C. Gro's and Milo D. Clark.

SOUTH THOMASTON

Mrs. Blanche Graves who has spent the winter in Rockland visiting friends and relatives while recuperating from a hospital experience is now at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sleeper here.

The numerous friends of Harvey Crowley regret to hear of the illness which necessitates his entering a Portland hospital for treatment this week, and sincere wishes for a speedy recovery are extended.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Merchant are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son.

Mrs. Lizzie Wiggin and daughter Miss Miriam have returned from a recent visit of a week with relatives in Camden.

Friends regret to learn of the death of Charles Hayden last week in Ann Arbor, Mich., where he made his home with his daughter Mrs. W. W. Woodhead, who accompanied his remains here for burial. Funeral services were held Friday morning from Burpee's funeral parlor in Rockland.

March 8 is the date of the next regular meeting of the Farm Bureau. It is to be an all-day meeting and of especial interest to all home makers, as the subject is "Raising and Preserving Food at Home." There will be a demonstration of canning meat. Everyone is urged to attend whether a member or not. Dinner will be served at noon with Mrs. Grace Godfrey and Mrs. Olive Crockett in charge. The cost will be divided equally among those present. Mrs. Annie Dennison is general chairman of the meeting.

Many are complimenting the remarkable ability of the two small sons of John Pierce. In the recent great snowstorm when the father and older brother Alton were unable to reach home until a very late hour these two youngsters, Kenneth aged 12 and Donald aged 8 milked the 18 cows and did all the other work connected with dairy and stable.

Miss Lawrence, State nurse, visited all the South Thomaston schools last week and examined all children present.

WALDOBORO

Mrs. Theresa Keene went Saturday to Portland where she will be guest of her nephew Fred Stewart and Mrs. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Pratt have returned from Boston and are at Stahl's Tavern while their apartment, damaged in the recent fire, is being renovated.

Mrs. L. T. Weston entertained the Bridge Club at the Thursday evening meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson are in Boston.

H. L. Newbegin passed the weekend in Haverhill, Mass.

Mrs. C. B. Stahl passed the weekend in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Mason were in Wisconsin last week.

Mrs. John Dvorak has returned from Thomaston.

Mrs. Francis Redlon is at her home in Waltham, Mass., this week.

Miss Edna Young entertained the Baptist Missionary Society at the March meeting. The afternoon was passed in sewing on White Cross work and in packing a barrel to be sent to missionaries.

There will be a public card party in the Grange hall Thursday evening, beginning at 7.30. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the High School Athletic Association.

The Sunny Side 4-H Club held the 19th meeting this year at the high school Thursday afternoon. Following the regular business meeting the members sewed on the quilt they are making for the Lincoln Home for the Aged. The leader, Mrs. Celia Oldis, is instructing them in the work and the girls are showing great interest in this worthy project.

CAPT. GEORGE C. BENNER

Capt. George Clark Benner, 69, veteran steamship master, died at Locust Valley, L. I., Sunday night. He spent a half-century on the seas and transported troops across the Atlantic in the World War. Capt. Benner was the son of the late George G. Benner and Anna E. Thompson of Waldoboro. His widow, the former Beatrice Marshall, and one sister survive.

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Dollar Revaluation Affords Emergency Fund For the Bonus

Immediate cash payment of the adjusted service certificates—commonly called the bonus—could result in a vast saving to the national treasury if paid out of the profits resulting from the revaluation of the dollar.

This statement, made recently in the Senate by Senator Arthur R. Robinson (Rep.) of Indiana, was quoted by Commander Albert T. Grant of Huntley-Hill Post, No. 2499, V.F.W., at the last regular meeting.

"Senator Robinson, a loyal friend of the V.F.W., recently offered an amendment to the World War Adjusted Compensation Act, calling for immediate cash payment of adjusted service certificates," Commander Grant said. "In the discussion which followed the proposal of this amendment, Senator Robinson explained that it provided for the immediate payment out of any profits that may accrue as a result of the revaluation of the dollar."

It is believed, according to Senator Robinson, that some four billions of dollars will result in profits to the United States Government through the revaluation process. The approximate amount due to the veterans on their adjusted compensation certificates is two billions or a little more.

"Mark you," Senator Robinson declared, "that two billions must be paid anyhow in 1945 at the latest. Within ten years, then, in some manner or other, it will be necessary to raise two billion additional. How are we going to raise it ten years from now? Our national indebtedness will be 32 billions within the next year; and very probably long before 1945, at the rate we are going now, it will be 40 or 45 billion dollars. Then, on top of that, it will be necessary to raise two billion additional to pay off these certificates. I should like to pay

"The sentiment of the general public is with us," Commander Grant said today. "Now we have to let Congress know that a majority of the citizens of this country do not want to penalize sick and disabled veterans in the name of 'Economy.' Neither Senator Hale, Congressman Moran, nor any other member of the national Congress wishes to defy the will of his constituents. Hundreds of thousands of letters and telegrams, from every part of the country, from every walk of life, are being directed to Washington demanding the repeal of the Economy Act."

Senator Hale may be addressed at the Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C., and Congressman Moran at the House Office Building, Washington, D. C. The individual letters of private citizens, joining their request for veteran justice, will be greatly appreciated by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Commander Grant said.

PORT CLYDE

Mrs. Addie Kolso entertained Friday evening with a spaghetti supper. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Davis and Fred Waldo.

Mrs. Ralph Simmons has returned from a visit in Attleboro, Mass.

Mrs. Ethel Coffin entertained the Baptist Circle Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson of Glenmere have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Simmons.

Mrs. Mary Barton is spending a few weeks on Montehan.

Wilson Carter of the U.S.C.G. has been transferred from the White Head station to the Burnt Island station.

Have you called at Gregory's Picture & Framing Shop, 406 Main St. over Erie Hardware Co. to see the exceptional values in framed pictures? Tel. 254.—adv.

STRAND THEATRE

One of the most elaborate fashion displays ever presented on the screen is shown in "Fashions of 1934," which comes Wednesday, with William Powell in the stellar role. The latest and most exclusive Parisian and Hollywood styles are presented at the show, including evening gowns and wraps, sport suits, negligees, dainty lingerie, hunting and riding costumes. They are displayed by more than a score of beautiful girls playing the part of mannikins. Lights are concentrated on one picture at a time within the circle. The portrait goes up like a curtain and behind is revealed the pretty mannikin in the latest style. The portraits are used to show the resemblance of the modern style to that of fifty or 100 years or more ago, it being claimed that styles

go in cycles and that the Parisian couturiers copy many of their fashions from the past ages. The platform revolves slowly so that each style may be presented.

The love experience of a lady beauty doctor who could change women's faces from old to new but could not change men's loves from new to old, provides the intriguing and novel theme of "The Right to Romance." Ann Harding's latest stellar vehicle showing Thursday. The lovely star is said to have the finest and most human role of her entire career in this appealing drama of the search for romance of a famous lady plastic surgeon who tires of her career and yearns for the love which is every woman's right. Her marriage to a gay and irresponsible young playboy brings her heartache and disillusionment when she observes his renewed interest in a former sweetheart.

A stirring emotional climax is reached when the surgeon is forced

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