

**The Courier-Gazette**  
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**TWO LINES BY EDNA**  
A columnist in the Los Angeles Times writes:  
Edna St. Vincent Millay. Most popular of the Greenwich Village School of versifiers. It was Edna who wrote:  
As God's my judge, I do cry Holy! Holy!  
Under the name of love, however brief.  
These two lines and Edna's poem about "burning the candle at both ends" are said to have been pasted on 90 percent of the dressing table mirrors in Greenwich Village about 20 years ago.

**It's the "Bug" for Christmas!**  
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Touch Tuning — Five Tubes  
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for **\$1** Down—  
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**WE WANTERKNOW!**  
Who Was Abigail Killsa  
Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—  
"Who was Abigail (Crockett) Killsa, who married William Heard? She died Dec. 22, 1841, at the age of 88 and was thus born in 1753. She seems to have married a Killsa first. She was born about the right time to have been a sister of Jonathan and Nathaniel Crockett, but Eaton's does not mention a sister coming with them. Jonathan's first child was born in 1765; Nathaniel's in 1772, so I can see no chance for Abigail except as a sister.  
Louis A. Crockett.  
51 Ocean St., Rockland.

Give magazines for Christmas—No orders too large, no orders too small. Any magazine published, I sell them all. Fred E. Harden, "The Magazine Man" Tel. 35-W-151-11

**Harms Disappoints**  
**But Not So Jorge Bolet the Substitute He Sent—Fine Concert**  
The belief that an all-piano recital does not appeal to nor hold an audience of general type was contradicted in the concert arranged by a committee from the Rubinstein Club at the Congregational Church Monday night.  
Too much praise cannot be given Miss Dorothy Lawry, who as general chairman, was largely responsible for the distinct success the concert enjoyed. Her assistants were Mrs. Grace Strout, president of the Rubinstein Club, and Mrs. Ruth Turner George of Thomaston.  
An almost capacity audience listened with attention to one of the most brilliant pianists it has been our privilege to hear. It was a concert with surprises, too—both disappointing and happy. The disappointing surprise was that William Harms, well known young American pianist, who was to have given the recital was obliged at almost the last moment to cancel the engagement, the fact not known to many until the announcement was made from the platform. The happy surprise was that in Jorge Bolet, whom Mr. Harms sent as substitute, was found an artist of the first water so that no let-down was experienced as often is the case in cancelled engagements.  
Mr. Bolet, in explanation, is a Cuban, 24 years of age, modest, serious boyish in appearance, rather handsome. He is a graduate of The Curtis Institute of Music of Philadelphia, under David Saperston, and is doing post graduate work at the Institute at the present time. He has also spent two years in Europe both in concert and study and has concentrated extensively in this country. He displays remarkable technical skill, but with the art of coloring his playing in a most expressive manner. His program was:  
I Organ Fantasia and Fugue in G minor, Bach-Liszt  
II Etudes: E flat major, Opus 10, No. 11 C sharp minor, Opus 10, No. 4 G sharp minor, Opus 25, No. 7 A minor, Opus 25, No. 11 Ballade in G minor, Opus 23 Chopin  
III Three Intermezzi, Opus 117, Brahms  
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**Red Stockings**  
**Fill Them and You Aid the Good Work of Clara Barton Camp**  
Have you ever used one of the little Christmas stockings? We generally think of stockings in pairs. Could you use a pair?  
Great things have been wrought from the contents of these little stockings. And greater things are yet in store for those in need. If more stockings can be filled. Equipped to look out for your dimes, they have been known to care for a five dollar bill.  
In order that there may be no confusion in minds as to how the camp operates we give the following information. The Clara Barton Camp for diabetic girls is the joint project of Dr. Elliot P. Joslin and the Woman's National Missionary Association of the Universalist Church. Dr. Joslin and his co-workers provide everything necessary for expert medical care of the children, including nurses, dietitian, technician laboratory equipment, insulin, etc. The W.N.M.A. furnishes the house equipment and is assisted financially in operating expenses by its young women groups and generous friends and groups outside the church. The expenses include food, cook, camp director, camp hostess and counselors.  
The Clara Barton camp is open 10 weeks every summer, since 1932 when it was dedicated "to the service of humanity." Last summer 128 different girls came from 12 States, Canada and the Philippines. How pleasing it would be to Clara Barton to know that here where she was born Dec. 25, 1821, we are trying to live the faith she so loved in our service to little girls. How fitting that this camp should become a living monument to Clara Barton, serving diabetic children.  
Many of the children are unable to pay for their own insulin, to say nothing of expenses, but all are received regardless of finances, creed or nationality. To have diabetes is the only requirement for entrance. To quote Dr. Joslin:—"The finest work, for the least expense for diabetic children in the United States, is that done for diabetic children at the Clara Barton Camp."  
Over 1000 persons visited the birthplace last year. Many came who did not find time to leave their names in the guest-book.  
As a child Clara Barton spent her summers at South Windsor, Maine. She served as a nurse in the Civil War, and in 1882 was instrumental in having president Chester A. Arthur sign the articles of the Geneva Treaty, by means of which the American Red Cross came into being.  
What more fitting than the stocking. Emblem of our Christmas giving: Emblem of the Christmas baby. Who gave hope to all the suffering. We shall find it overflowing. We shall find it with devotion. As a real and living symbol Of our love for Clara Barton."  
Maude Blodgett, Chairman.  
Rockland, Maine.  
[These little red pasteboard stockings each hold ten dimes, or a one dollar bill. The Methebesec club members have filled three, Itoecivil Club one, Chapin Class one, and the Universalist Mission Circle 15 or more.—Ed.]

**"INFAMOUS LIE," SAYS LERMOND**  
**Lack of Money Is Reason Why There's No Flag At Knox Arboretum**  
Thomaston, Dec. 12  
Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—  
Echoes from a whispering, slanderous campaign, calling in question my Americanism and respect for our nation's flag have recently reached my ears.  
While as a rule I pay little or no attention to slander and lies, yet in this case I feel it my duty to state in plain, unequivocal words, exactly where I stand on Americanism, Patriotism, war, Fascism and the flag.  
All my life I have been a strong upholder of the Declaration of Independence and an ardent admirer of our revolutionary patriots—Washington, Knox, Jefferson, and Patrick Henry. And of such liberty-loving American statesmen as Andrew Jackson, Abraham Lincoln, Horace Greeley and Wendell Phillips.  
For 50 years I have advocated, sacrificed and labored for fundamental changes in our political, economic, industrial and social systems to make this a better country to live in.  
We now have Hell on earth—greed, hate, poverty, war and Fascism With Marx, Bellamy, and Jesus Christ, I would bring Heaven to Earth. "Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven."  
In a country as rich as ours—"overflowing with milk and honey," with plenty for all, there is absolutely no excuse for a single person going hungry, or in rags, or with lack of shelter and warmth. No excuse for unemployment. President Roosevelt's Commission of 50 expert engineers and technicians, to make a survey of the potential capacity production after a year's intensive study, reported that with the present factories, mills and mines and equipment, running full capacity, sufficient wealth to give every family in the United States

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**ROGER BABSON SEES DECLINE**  
[Our editorial column today gives place to the following important statement by Roger W. Babson, delivered before the Knoxville (Tenn.) Rotary Club Tuesday.]  
My question today is not whether business will be good or bad in 1939. I believe that most business analysts are convinced that in 1939, on the average, will be a year of activity,—with higher prices for commodities, real estate and securities. At the year-end the press of this country will carry my definite forecast of wage, job, trade and living cost trends for 1939.  
At home, our industrial and financial communities are distinctly encouraged by the results of last month's elections. They represent an apparent turn to the right. The swing means no new radical legislation in the next two years. Remember, however, that President Roosevelt still holds the veto power to block any strong conservative program. "Third-term" possibilities may have been killed, although at present there is no assurance of a 1940 Republican victory. Abroad, the Munich Pact, if honestly developed, still holds hope of international good-will.  
There is, however, a question as to the Long-Term Trend. Is it Changing? There are no less than ten definite factors which raise the important question whether the U. S. Line of Normal Growth may not now have changed its slope. Over the months ahead, watch the long-term tendencies.  
1. LABOR: The nation's economic growth may be slowing down by action of labor unions, labor legislation, the restricting of hours, the inflating of wage rates, following the after-effects of sitdown strikes and other disorder.  
2. FARM PROBLEM: Agricultural wealth cannot permanently be maintained by restricted output, padded prices, unearned bounties, non-secured loans and other interference with natural laws.  
3. CONFIDENCE: Growth rate of the nation's business demands the faith of employers—which cannot flourish in the face of continual attacks by government and labor.  
4. MONEY RATES: Confidence of investors is being undermined by current money rates which actually are fictitious. Money rates are being manipulated by the government today as stock prices were rigged by traders in 1929.  
5. GOLD: Day by day we are imperiling our future by the foolish policy of exchanging our real assets for the world's gold—good only to gild picture frames and fill teeth!  
6. ARMAMENT: Although temporarily stimulating to activity, our present armament program cannot replace sound business enterprise. Are munitions an asset or a liability?  
7. RELIEF: The apparent intent of the administration to make the relief rolls as permanent as the army and navy surely can have only a depressive effect upon the nation's real progress.  
8. POPULATION: Leveling off of our population curves, due in part to a lower birth rate and restricted immigration, is now making itself felt. This new trend of population in the future may be intensified.  
9. TAXATION: Every one of the above menaces spells: Higher Taxes. Taxation is one of the surest ways to rob a nation of the incentive for individual growth and national expansion.  
10. RELIGION: The current disregard for the Ten Commandments must, in the long run, have a depressing effect upon employment and, if continued, affect the trend of the U. S. Line of Normal Growth.  
**WILL 1940 GIVE ANSWER?**  
Let me make my position clear beyond the shadow of a doubt. For 1939, I regard the outlook as optimistic, notwithstanding the ten above-mentioned factors. The thing I question is whether these and other factors are powerful enough to force a changed trend on the country's basic condition.  
Some may feel that the answer will not be made until the votes are counted in 1940 and the Munich Pact is really tested. Others believe that whatever the 1940 election may bring forth, the U. S. basic trend line is headed downward for ten years.  
Finally, it is well to remember that even if this Trend Line should develop a different slope, the Law of Action and Reaction will still give us black and red areas of "prosperity" and "depression" with corresponding opportunities in securities and business.  
I am today making no ten-year forecast, but I do say that 1939 and 1940 may be good business years while the nation as a whole may be making no headway. Furthermore, unless America is swept by a spiritual revival, I now believe the next ten years will see a decline in living standards as well as in public morals!

**"The Black Cat"**  
By The Roving Reporter  
I had a caller yesterday in the person of Rev. Dr. John Smith Lowe, pastor of the Universalist Church, who recently erected on his premises a large and brilliantly illuminated Christmas tree, a source of pleasure to his own family and everybody else in that community. The tree was soon discovered by vandals who smashed many of the bulbs and carried away many more. The premises are now in darkness, for the pastor sees the futility of replacing the lights. Dr. Lowe asks only that the lights be returned and that the Yuletide may continue to find expression in this outdoor cheer. There will be no arrests, and no scolding. "I will show those boys that I want to be their friend," said the pastor simply. And therein lies a Christmas sermon that all can understand—even the boys who may have been motivated by the spirit of mischief alone. If malice Dr. Lowe wonders what the future has in store for the boys who think in that strain.  
—O—  
Seven small fir trees stand in the lobby window of the New Thordike Hotel. Not an elaborate display, yet they add much to the Christmas spirit along the street, and bring to that establishment the clean atmosphere of the woodlands. We get too little of it save on such occasions.  
—O—  
J. T. Dean of Thomaston has been sending The Courier-Gazette to his wife who is a patient in a Portland hospital, and he was furnished with a demonstration as to the newspaper's popularity, especially among those away from home. The nurses who formerly lived in Knox County, almost fought for possession of the paper, and one of them became so much absorbed in it that she forgot to attend a nurses' party for which she had carefully dressed.  
—O—  
Over in Damariscotta the other day they extinguished a garage fire with a quart of milk, commandeered from a milkman's car. I hope there will be nobody mean enough to say that the milk had an undue water content. Anyhow the incident made a good story in the Lewiston Journal.  
—O—  
It is a very unusual record with which we are able to credit "Bob" Keene, Rockland's popular city clerk. In the 18 years of his service he has missed attending only three City Government meetings. Mr. Keene (and he doesn't like the "Mister" stuff too well) was elected city clerk in one of the late Mayor Reuben S. Thordike's administrations after having received the nomination on the 16th ballot. The following year he conceived the notion that he would like to be register of deeds, but Mayor Thordike, who was ultra conservative and ultra level-headed, advised him not to make the attempt. "Bob," said he, "you can have this job for life." The statement has held good for 18 years, and it will be an ungrateful mayor who ever appoints another city clerk while Bob is alive. Many good men have come out of Appleton and Bob Keene, the gentleman, philosopher and humorist, is one of them.  
—O—  
Dr. George B. Magrath, Boston's famous legal medical authority, who had investigated 20,000 deaths in 28 years, as medical examiner is dead. Dr. Magrath who was a close friend of the late Dr. Walter M. Spear, was retained in connection with the Brown murder in 1918.  
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A Thomaston girl figured in Rudy Vallee's program Thursday night, when a sketch called "The Rock," written by her, was presented. Good, of course.  
—O—  
One year ago: The threat of another world war is before us. Dr. John Smith Lowe told the Baptist Men's League—The deer kill in Warden Davis' district was the largest ever, 214 animals having been slain.—The Rockland Chamber of Commerce bought the equity of the Rockland Produce Co. in the properties it formerly utilized on Tillson Wharf.—Dana D. Wright died at his home on North Main street.

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**HOOT MON!**  
  
**Here's SANDY CLAW**  
INVITING  
ALL UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN AND CHILDREN OF VETERANS  
TO THE  
**LEGION'S CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18  
at 1.30 o'clock  
**PARK THEATRE**  
MOVING PICTURE SHOW  
CHRISTMAS TREE  
CANDY, ICE CREAM, NUTS  
ALL FREE  
Come To The Christmas Party!  
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**Kickapoo Is Coming**  
**Our Ice Breaker Has Been Towing Targets the Past Summer**  
When the Coast Guard icebreaker Kickapoo arrives at this port shortly she will be commanded by Lieut. Quentin R. Walsh, who has been transferred from the cutter Cayuga for that duty.  
Before being recommissioned at Baltimore the Kickapoo had been engaged in towing targets for marine gun fire. And previous to the target towing service which disturbed her usual summer's sleep at Baltimore, the Kickapoo's boilers were thoroughly overhauled and several thousand rivets in her hull—which had been worn down by constant grinding against ice—were replaced.  
The Kickapoo, a veteran of the Coast Guard fleet, is an 840-ton, coal-burning vessel, with a triple expansion reciprocating engine driving a single propeller.  
**Have No Prospects**  
**So Many Persons In Need Turn To the Salvation Army**  
Every day by mail, phone and personal contact, requests continue to come to the Salvation Army Headquarters from many people who have no other prospects of having the things we consider necessary for Christmas cheer.  
How many of these requests will be answered is still a matter of uncertainty. It all depends upon the extent to which the Army is supported in donations of money and material by the people of the country.  
There is no time during the year when the spirit of friendliness is so prevalent as at the present time. And it is now when friendliness counts more than ever. The success of the Army's Christmas effort will be secured only by your practical friendliness. The need is urgent, but if everyone will show an interest in this work, the need will be met.  
Any donations of money, food or clothing may be left at 477 Main street, or if you desire, phone 514 and someone will call to see you.

**CHANGE LOBSTER MEASURE**  
**Majority of Fishermen Interrogated Would Fix Length At 3 1/4 Inches**  
Maine lobster fishermen are having some long discussions over the present legal measure and it would appear that a majority of them desire to have it changed, according to several hundred letters received by Sea and Shore Fisheries Commissioner Arthur R. Greenleaf. C. the 500 fishermen who mentioned lobsters, in answer to a fisheries questionnaire sent out by Greenleaf, more than 325 said that they would like to see a gradual increase in the present short end measure of 3 and 1-10 inches until it had reached 3 and 1-4 inches.  
Many expressed the opinion that this change should be attempted only if other producing States did likewise while the remaining 175 fishermen said that they felt that the present law should not be tampered with. Legal lobsters are now based on a double gauge measure with the 3 and 1-16 minimum and a 5-inch maximum.  
Greenleaf declined to comment on the proposal but said that he felt a summary of the letters should be made public for the benefit of all those interested in the lobster industry. He added that he would be glad to hear from more fishermen on the matter so that a more general opinion might be obtained.  
It is understood that most dealers favor a change, claiming that it would result in better lobsters for market and higher prices for fishermen. They contend that under the present measure a large percentage of lobsters caught weigh less than one pound and that these are not especially popular in the market.  
It is also believed that such a move would eliminate several million pounds of Canadian lobsters from the market annually. Measurements are taken from the eye socket to the end of the body shell.  
Several dozen other suggestions were made. Greenleaf had asked the fishermen to express their views as to how the Department might function best for the good of the industry.  
Among the proposals were: To eliminate beam trawlers—pensions for fishermen, raise fee to buy more seed lobsters, offer cash reward for information on violators, take the department out of politics and increase the commissioner's term from two to five years, sale of licenses to bona fide fishermen only, more advertising and publicity, close time during the shedding season, no hauling of traps between sunset and sunrise, to be allowed to take male lobsters of any size, stop Sunday lobstering, prohibit impounding of Canadian lobsters in Maine waters, co-operative selling through an association—insurance against loss of gear and boats, more wardens, to sell licenses to no one with less than 50 traps and to make a survey of the markets.  
Practically every man agreed that Canadian lobsters were the chief source of trouble and that some effort should be made to reach an agreement with Canada on shipments.  
Greenleaf said that the large number of replies showed that there was a great interest in the work of his department, a definite need to correct many existing situations and a great opportunity for his organization to be of real service.  
**YOUR FAVORITE POEM**  
If I had my life to live again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once a week. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness.—Charles Darwin.  
**THE JOY OF GIVING**  
For somehow not only at Christmas but all the long year through, The joy that you give to others is the joy that comes back to you. And the more you spend in blessing the poor and lonely and sad, The more of your hearts possessing, returns to make you glad.  
—John Greenleaf Whittier

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Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled. Matt. 6: 6.



At The High School

(By The Pupils)

A spelling bee, using words which are used in connection with economic living was held in the three divisions of Junior Business Training this week, with Ernest Dondis, Vivian Falia, and William Mack giving the words and James Thomas Richard Sukerforth and Evelyn Gray keeping scores.

The Happy Go Eekers Club held its meeting in the Home Economics Department Monday morning. Final plans for the Christmas party to be held Dec. 22 were made. It was also decided that a gift of a book would be sent to the club advisor and Home Economics teacher who is ill. This committee was chosen to take charge: Barbara Murray, Louise Harden and Pauline Carroll. After the business meeting, this program was presented: reading, "Talk, Talk, Talk," Dorothy Peterson; a fast tap dance, Lucy Thompson; guitar solo, "Fox-trot in C minor," Shirley Firth; piano solo, "Noia," Ruth Seabury; a guest—Barbara Murray, Rep.

The coaches of the schools in the Busine League met Friday night and the following schedule was decided upon:

Jan. 5, Rockport at Thomaston.  
Jan. 13, Thomaston at Rockland.  
Jan. 19, Rockport at Rockland.  
Jan. 26, Rockport at Camden.  
Feb. 2, Rockland at Camden.  
Feb. 9, Thomaston at Camden.  
Feb. 16, Camden at Rockland.  
Thomaston at Rockport.

Four six minute periods will be played, the games beginning at 7.30. With the teams very evenly matched this year, all the games promise to be fast and full of excitement. Rockland will fight hard to win the cup for the second time, but to do it, the boys must play hard, fast basketball.

An interesting address was given in Tuesday's assembly on the subject "Making your Marks in Life" by Dr. John Smith Lowe of the Universalist church. Dr. Lowe said that the marks that are obtained during high school and college are an indication of the marks that a person will receive later in life. He gave an example of a young man who failed to be appointed to several jobs because he did not get good marks during his high school and college education. This shows that a person who starts out in life with bad marks usually gets them during his entire life. Dr. Lowe gave several other illustrations that were interesting to both the girls and the boys. Inez Bowley introduced the speaker and Jessie Olds had charge of the devotion—Vivian Strout.

Mr. Topping, science teacher, reported today that 18 students were eligible to compete for the award which will be presented in June to the student who has made the greatest progress in science during the greatest school career. Both boys and girls are eligible. Last year's winner in this school was Frederick Perry.

In a recent communication from the District Chairman Horace Ingraham, of Augusta, Principal Blaisdell learned that he has been appointed as a member of the Finance Committee and also the Committee on Organization and Extension of the Abnaki District of the Pine Tree Council of Boy Scouts.

Mrs. Ivy Hart substituted in Senior High English and Mathematics departments this week.

The usual Friday night social was omitted this week due to the game at Rockport.

Several Christmas parties are scheduled for next week, including a Faculty Party in the Tower Room of the Community Building on

Wednesday evening, and the Happy Go Eekers Party on Thursday.

Frank A. Winslow of The Courier-Gazette gave a most entertaining and interesting talk on "The Children of Callender" at Junior High assembly Wednesday morning. Barbara Newbert was in charge of devotions and Mary Perry introduced the speaker.

Presentation of an award was made by Mr. Smith to David Bicknell for winning in the Senior class play ticket selling contest, and Mary Wotton, Kenneth Mignault and Lincoln McRae received honorable mention.

Miss Thompson's English class has formed an English Club, called the T. M. Club. Its officers are president, James York; vice president, Leroy Benner; secretary, William Merrill; treasurer, Harry Lever; program committee, Dorothy Tibbets, John O'Sullivan, and Leroy Benner.

Miss Nottage is a patient at the Trayer Hospital in Waterville.

The Senior High assembly next week will be held on Friday afternoon instead of Tuesday morning. A Christmas program will be given by the music department in charge of Mrs. Rogers. Parents and friends are invited.

Mr. Smith was speaker at the Lion's Club meeting Wednesday, having for his subject "The Two-Gaited Man," and Coach Matheson spoke at the Rotary Club, on "Physical education," on Friday.

At a meeting of the hockey team Wednesday night with Mr. Topping a schedule of approximately eight games was discussed.

Everett Clancy entered the freshman class this week, and John Durrell, another freshman has moved to California.

In Mrs. Hopkins' freshman English class, interesting talks have been given on the manufacture of various articles.

Eleanor Payson has been secretary to Principal Blaisdell this week.

Office boys this week have been Raymond Young, Russell Smith, Malcolm Church, Albert Davis, Joseph Anastasia, Keith Allen, Joe Page, and Charles Huntley.

This year, owing to the larger number enrolled in Junior Red Cross, the membership is organized into three groups with Miss Brown, Miss Hughes, and Miss Thompson as supervisors. Chairmen for the groups are: Pauline Haver, Joan Ripley and Elizabeth Holmes. On alternate weeks, the combined groups meet as one to compare notes, etc. At present, all groups are working on posters and booklets for Christmas. Officers are: President, Mary Perry, vice president, Shelby Glendenning; secretary, Christy Demetri; treasurer, Byron Keene.

These students were admitted to the membership of the Explorer's Club this week: Lucille Connon, Grace Blithen, Robert Chisholm, John Crockett, Dorothy Maddocks, Stanley Murray, Barbara Robinson, Floyd Young, and Helmi Lehto. Advanced to 3rd degree membership are Maynard Green, Lucy Thompson, and Vivian Johnson—Edna Gamage.

Mr. Kinney of Roberts Supply Company, Portland, gave a demonstration in mimeographing in colors Thursday.

Chester Soucek, former World's Amateur Champion Typist, whose official record is 134 net five-stroke words a minute for one hour, gave a demonstration before the entire student body Wednesday morning, which was an eye-opener. Introduced by T. H. Kitchen of the Underwood typewriter, Mr. Soucek gave a short talk on the fundamentals of typing: Accuracy, concentration, rhythm, posture, and elimination of lost motion. He demonstrated, using an alphabetic sentence, a one-minute speed test writing at 134 words, he showed how some operate a typewriter in a ridiculous fashion, how simple it is to write at 40 words when having rhythm and how paper is changed in an international contest. He also copied unfamiliar material for one minute, at the same time spelling words dictated to him by Angela D'Agostino. His final demonstration was writing familiar material at over 219 words per minute which means striking 13 keys per second. The Ballard Business School pupils were guests.

Principal Blaisdell has been invited by Reuben T. Shaw, president

of National Education Association to serve as a representative from this State on the Advisory Committee on International Relations, of the N.E.A., and Mr. Blaisdell has accepted. President Shaw adds "There never has been a time when the question of international relations has been more urgent or important."

Attractive calendars have been received for each room from Bryant & Stratton Commercial School, Boston.

These Kippy Carnival Committees have been elected this week: General chairman, Maude Johnson, assistant, Patricia Allen; entertainment chairman, Perry Howard, assistant, Patricia Hall; decorating chairman, Inez Bowley, assistant, Evelyn Bartlett; ball chairman, Felice Perry, assistant, Gorgon Burgess; clean-up chairman, Kelsey Benner, assistant, Paul Foreysek; chief of police, William Bicknell, commissioner, Perry Howard.

Arico Still "Great"

Rockland, Dec. 12  
Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—Shiver my timbers, hold the fort, take in the slack, or just plain boloney, the Great, Great Arico has once more proven to the bowling fans of Knox County, that he is head man. With 15 pins to make up for last week and all his pals searching for his scalp, the Knox County Title holder defeated Frank Gardner, in no uncertain manner, 1044 to 976, winning by 68 pins.

The champ came out smiling as usual, while Gardner seemed a bit nervous, no doubt thinking and figuring that small lead would be hard to hold. Bang! Bang! Bang! Arico's famous double up ball in the very first string, to roll a beautiful total of 133. Gardner threw in one of 103 to give Mike a 30-pin lead for the game and put him in front by the same 15 for the match.

The majority of the fans seemed to think this large opener broke Frank's spirit and to complete the crash, Mr. Arico tossed in two more over 130, his third and fifth being 131 and 134.

Believe it or not, figures don't lie. Arico was 76 pins in front after the first five strings and anybody who can overtake Mike in five strings, with such a lead, should be State champion.

A rather unusual thing about Arico was that his only string over the hundred marks were 133, 131, 134. Gardner rolled four over the century mark, but they were small—103, 113, 113, 101. Maybe that number 13 had a lot to do with the downfall of Gardner? To Frank's credit goes the honor of having been beaten twice by Arico, in 20 strings and even in matches, although his final totals have never equaled the champ's.

Later in the season Gardner will probably have another chance to regain his lost title, but until the week after Christmas, the Knox County Champion will rest up. He wishes all his followers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and until the first Monday of 1939, Mike will say adieu.

This match brought out the fans and among those present were Fred Black, captain of last year's Champion Elks, Roy Mitchell of Perry's Market, Clarence Carr, Frank McKinney, John Beaton, a steady follower of Arico, Ken Roes of Thomaston, Lucien Green and last but not least, Gardner's manager, Gerald Black. See you all Jan. 2.

Arico—97, 92, 92, 96, 95, 133, 90, 131, 84, 134—1044.  
Gardner—103, 86, 89, 95, 113, 101, 94, 87, 85—976.

Star Alleys Reporter

APPLETON RIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Harrie C. Stanley of Hampden Highlands spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Newbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thorndike returned last Saturday to Camden. Miss Carolyn Long, Mrs. L. N. Moody, Lucy Moody and Warren Moody were visitors last Saturday in Rockland.

Doris Hustus has employment at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Sprowl.

Basketball Games

A. H. S. Boys (25)

	G.	F.	Pts.
Mink, rf	1	0	3
Moody, lf	1	0	2
F. Gushee, c	4	1	9
Keene, lg	1	0	2
Hall, rg	4	1	9
P. Gushee	0	0	0

South Bristol Boys (12)

	G.	F.	Pts.
Gamage, lf	2	1	5
McFarland	0	0	0
Plummer, rf	1	1	3
Thompson, c	0	0	0
Rice, lg	0	2	2
Page, rg	1	0	2

Time, four 8's.  
Referee, Graffam.

A. H. S. Girls (25)

	G.	F.	Pts.
Gushee, lf	2	1	5
Aldus	0	0	0
Hustus, rf	5	2	12
Wentworth	0	0	0
Ripley, c	4	0	8
Hill	0	0	0
Zachowski, c	0	0	0
B. Wentworth, rg	0	0	0
Fuller, lg	0	0	0
Esancy	0	0	0

South Bristol Girls (12)

	G.	F.	Pts.
P. Gamage, lf	3	3	9
R. Ferrin	0	0	0
A. Ferrin, rf	1	1	3
A. Gamage, c	0	0	0
McFarland, rg	0	0	0
E. Gamage, lg	0	0	0

Time, four 8's.  
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Andrew Rikila's  
New Shoe Repairing Shop  
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New Safety Message To Reach State's Motorists



A new move on the safety front, and one which is expected to have a pronounced effect in calling the attention of motorists to highway safety, has been promoted through the cooperation of the Highway Safety Division of this State, John Donnelly & Son outdoor advertising company, and the Esso Safety Foundation. As a result of the tie-up between these three agencies a striking and dramatic safety poster will be placed on outdoor advertising poster boards, where its message will be seen by thousands of motorists, according to an announcement made yesterday by Sgt. Francis J. McCabe, Director of the Highway Safety Division of the Maine State Police.

The poster, shown above, is the contribution of Hayden Hayden, nationally recognized poster artist, whose previous posters on highway safety have won him wide acclaim. One, picturing a motorist holding an injured child in his arms and bearing the caption: "What Have I Done?" was the subject of much favorable comment on the part of highway safety authorities. More

recently he designed a poster showing a patrolman on a motorcycle, with his hand outstretched and his finger pointing at an imaginary traffic law violator. This contained the striking caption: "Only Fools Drive Recklessly."

Copies of this latest poster have been contributed by the Esso Foundation. Owners of the John Donnelly & Son in this State will contribute space on their boards to promote the cause of highway safety, under an arrangement concluded by the Highway Safety Division, Sergeant McCabe said.

The Community Bowling League

Results of this week's matches have distributed points won and lost among the teams in a manner that no one is certain of top position. The scores:

	Post Office (5)
McPhee	95 84 95-274
Chatto	104 98 112-314
T. Perry	98 96 95-289
D. Perry	98 83 96-277
Rackliff	99 104 131-334

John Bird Co. (6)

Dummy	95 83 95-273
Pitts	90 89 87-266
Cummings	70 92 80-242
Snow	74 88 100-262
Mason	88 94 98-280

Armour's (4)

Flagg	73 80 84-237
Thomas	82 79 65-226
Brown	83 85 80-248
Ryder	97 121 91-309
Cole	83 100 92-275

Faculty (1)

Flanagan	90 92 77-259
Bowden	82 66 78-226
DeVeber	93 89 82-264
McCarthy	100 99 78-277
Topping	88 77 95-260

Elks (4)

Berliawsky	85 100 95-280
McIntosh	81 101 83-265
Black	88 92 89-269
Brewer	110 96 109-315
Roes	84 97 107-288

A. & P. (1)

Clarke	88 96 82-266
Mazzeo	83 72 87-262
Mosher	83 92 76-251
Harcus	87 83 103-276
Hobbs	101 105 115-321

Rice Co. (4)

Gardner	102 87 90-279
Miller	83 81 93-257
McLoon	81 93 90-264
Walker	99 84 83-266
Cargill	94 92 90-276

Faculty (1)

DeVeber	91 91 78-260
Bowden	77 74 79-230
Cole	80 85 92-257
McCarthy	102 87 92-281
Topping	94 102 83-279

Perry's (4)

Legase	80 85 113-278
Sukerforth	103 78 89-279
Pest	83 93 92-269
Marshall	86 88 98-272
Norton	82 91 85-256

Feyler's (1)

D. Feyler	76 87 94-259
Gregory	92 115 81-286
Gross	82 99 109-290
Moran	83 82 72-237
K. Feyler	89 97 87-273

Rice (4)

Gardner	81 96 88-265
Miller	74 81 73-228
McLoon	101 101 77-279
Walker	89 73 89-251
Cargill	97 98 90-285

Kiwanis (1)

Brackett	107 87 82-276
Lamb	75 77 79-231
Scarlett	73 84 75-232
Pomeroy	87 79 78-254
Miller	95 88 94-277

Lions (4)

Sieper	98 80 109-287
Hary	80 103 91-274
Newman	82 92 98-272
Beaulieu	110 113 84-307
Soule	69 123 90-282

Glendenning (1)

McLoon	99 80 103-282
Shepherd	91 121 101-313
Glendenning	92 98 85-275

Basketball Battles

Rockland High played their first Knox-Lincoln league games last night, and both teams were victorious over Rockport High teams in Rockport, 55 to 20 in the girls' game, and 33 to 15 in the boys' game.

In the first half of the boys' games, both teams made wild passes, the first quarter ending 9 to 5, and the half 12 to 8, in favor of the visitors. In the last quarter they settled down to real basketball, and showed promise of giving the league plenty of trouble this season. Rockport scored one field goal in the whole game, foul shots making up the rest of the 15 points. The lineup:

	G.	F.	Pts.
Chisholm, rf	5	0	10
Huntley, rf	0	1	1
Heal, lf	0	1	1
Cates, lf	0	1	1
Hanley, lf	0	0	0
Nicholas, c	2	0	4
Winchenbaugh, c	0	0	0
Billings, rg	7	2	16
Gus Huntley, lg	0	0	0
Chaples, lg	0	0	0

Rockport (15)

	G.	F.	Pts.
D. Hyssong, rf	0	1	1
Burns, c	2	5	9
J. Hyssong, lf	0	0	0
Cain, c	0	0	0
Hare, c	0	0	0
Hall	0	0	0
Cavanaugh, rg	0	2	2
Turner, lg	0	3	3

Before a crowd of 200, the Community Trojans captured their fifth win of the season Thursday night at Boothbay, taking the Boothbay Tigers 39 to 38. Many teams are called there to play, but few ever come away a winner. The Trojans played hard, fast basketball. Freddie LaCrosse and Flash McLeod high scorers. Leroy Bohn was the star of the game, his defense work said to be the best ever seen in Boothbay. Time and time again he knocked down shots that were surely baskets for the opponents. The Trojans were weakened considerably by departure from the game in the first quarter of Bill Karl and John Karl, due to injuries.

Monday night the Trojans travel to Bath to clash with the fast Iron Works team, the game for which 400 tickets have already been sold. Dec. 26 Bath will play at Community Building. The lineup:

	G.	F.	Pts.
McLeod, lf	5	1	11
Winchenbaugh, rf	3	0	6
J. Karl, c	1	0	2
Lord, c	2	1	5
F. LaCrosse, rg	7	1	15
W. Karl, lg	0	0	0
Bohn, rg	0	0	0

Boothbay Tigers

	G.	F.	Pts.
Rowe, rf	6	1	13
Andrews, lf	1	1	11
Combs, c	0	0	0
York, rg	3	4	10
Hume, rg	2	0	4
Paine, lg	0	0	0

Referee, Parks.

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ROCKVILLE

Mrs. John S. Rankett accompanied by Mrs. Lora Boynton and Mrs. Helen Johnson of Rockland were in Bangor Sunday attending the banquet given to past presidents of the V.F.W. Auxiliary.

The fall term of school closed yesterday with exercises by the school children followed by Christmas tree tastefully decorated and full of gifts and candy bags for all.

Mrs. Jesse Keller of Milton, Mass., has returned home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Nellie Perry, having been called here by the critical illness of another sister, Mrs. John Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Sherer accompanied by Mrs. H. M. Waldron of Glen Cove recently motored to Lisbon Falls to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Sherer and to see the child born Oct. 15. Mr. Sherer has just been transferred to Maine by the U. S. Gypsum Co. after more than a year and a half at their plant in Greenville, Miss.

Word has been received from George Hale that he is at West Palm Beach.

Mrs. Ida Barrows who has been ill and shut in the house since September is now able to get out of doors.

Earl Fettingill who has also been a shut-in for several weeks is gaining steadily and is able to walk about the house—and for short distances out of doors.

Mr. and Mrs. Vesper Grover are in Rockland for the winter.

Mrs. Sprague and daughter Miss Helen Sprague of Rockland have moved to the Elbert Oxtom house.

APPLETON MILLS

Appleton High School basketball team defeated South Bristol last Friday night. An odd coincidence was the fact that the final score of the boys' game as well as the girls' game was exactly the same: 25 to 12. A dance followed with music by Alva Maddocks and Helen Gushee. In the game with Rockport on Wednesday night, Appleton was beaten by a small margin.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sprowl resumed her teaching in the Grammar School last week. Although not entirely well, her arm is much improved.

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VICKS VAPORUB

Were Good Bouts

Boxing Show At Ocean View Ball Room Pleased the Fans

Bobby Campbell, 129, of Brewer, with 26 consecutive wins to his credit, won over Eddie Cooke, 134, of Rumford, in the eighth round, main bout at the Ocean View ballroom Wednesday night





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25	26	27	28	29	30	31

## TALK OF THE TOWN

## "COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE"

Dec. 22—Warren—Christmas entertainment and party by Congregational Church.

Dec. 25—Warren—Christmas cantata, "Prepare Him Room" by the Baptist Choir.

Dec. 26—Christmas ball at Camden Opera House.

Jan. 6—Waldoboro—Parent-Teacher Ass'n meets at High School auditorium.

Jan. 9—Northport—Play "Little Miss Hiccup" by the Dramatics Club.

Jan. 10 (2 p. m.)—Dramatic reading by Mrs. Maude Andrews Lincoln at Universalist vestry.

Dec. 26-27—Mid-winter meeting of Maine Federation of Women's Clubs in Augusta.

Walter J. Bean of Montville has been appointed probate officer for Waldo County.

Malcolm Daggett is employed at The Paramount while Harold Doak night chef is having his vacation.

A landmark in Winthrop, well known to many Knox County motorists as Rome Inn was destroyed by fire Thursday.

Arnold McConchie was overcome by carbon monoxide fumes off Green Island Thursday. He was rescued by Randall Dyer.

Samuel J. Savitt, manager of Cutler's Inc., is once more able to smile talk lucidly and eat with reasonable frequency and gusto. Yes, it's a girl, Anne Louise.

Pleasant Valley Juvenile League has its election of officers and Christmas tree this afternoon. Each child to take a gift. Lunch will be served and sandwiches and cake are solicited. The meeting is to begin promptly at 2. Honorary members are urged to attend. A Christmas tree will follow the program at the next meeting each member taking a gift.

The Steamboat Editor has a new neighbor. Commodore Gordon has his steamer Vinal Haven in winter quarters at the Lime Company wharf, foot of Granite street.

The largest turnout of Encampment members in years witnessed the Royal Purple degree at Old Fellows' hall Wednesday night. Entertainment committee served supper with scallop stew. Grand officers were present.

This is the season of chimney fires and many of them develop sufficiently to create considerable damage. Chief Russell asks that all householders inspect their chimneys for possible hazard. If for any reason a householder is unable to have his chimneys inspected the fire department will cheerfully make the check up free.

Strand Theatre welcomes holiday visitors the coming week with these feature attractions: Sunday, Monday and Tuesday "Citadel" with Robert Donat and Rosalind Russell; Wednesday and Thursday, Bob Hope and Shirley Ross in "Thanks for the Memory"; Friday and Saturday, Preston Foster, Phyllis Brooks and Tony Martin in "Up the River."

The sales and show rooms of the Central Maine Power Co., 447 Main street, will be open evenings until Christmas.—adv.

The huge gift stock of Edward O'Brien, totaling \$5000 is offered in a great Christmas sale at 1-3 to 1-2 reduction. Probably Rockland never saw such an opportunity to buy gifts of rare distinction at such sharply reduced prices. Visit the beautiful Gonia store 467 Main street and see for yourself.—adv.

For Holiday Happiness wear a new dress or give a dress for Christmas. Dresses greatly reduced for Christmas week, beginning Saturday, Dec. 17. All sales final. Alfreda Perry, 7 Linerock street.—adv. 151-152

Dr. Edward W. Peaslee will be in his Rockland office, 88 Summer street, the entire week of Dec. 19.—adv. 150-151

Derby's delicious, high quality native bronze turkeys available for Christmas. There are no better. Now taking orders. Tel. 717-M. Rockland.—adv. 149-152

Sarah Linnell Hat Shop, Copper Kettle Hand made slips, tailored and lace trimmed at \$2.00. Special for Christmas.—adv. 149-152

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## Covered Wide Range

## Pastor MacDonald Delights Men's League With Talk and Pictures

Rev. J. Charles MacDonald, pastor of the First Baptist Church was the center of attraction at the monthly meeting of the Baptist Men's League Thursday night—literally and figuratively.

Sitting in the center of the dining room he shot four or five films of motion pictures at a screen on the wall keeping pace vocally with the interesting subjects thus portrayed. Repeated showings of his Holy Land pictures did not lessen the pleasure they again gave Thursday night.

A considerable stop was made at Venice, and then onto England and the famous lake country in Scotland.

Mr. MacDonald has used his motion picture camera to decided advantage in the vicinity of Rockland as well as abroad, with the result that his audience witnessed splendid views taken around Chickawauke and Mirror lakes and other places of which Knox County citizens are all so proud.

Views taken at Niagara Falls were especially good, and of course everybody was interested in the pictures which he made at Callander, Ontario, last summer, even if he was not fortunate enough to see the famous Dionne quintuplets.

It was an evening of rare pleasure, made doubly so by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Heistad of Rockport who sang Norwegian and Finnish folk songs with delightful harmony and effect. Their selections were: "When Swallows Homeward Fly" (Abe); duet, "Pinkska Skog" (Finland Forest) folk song; "Blasen nu alla" (Trumpets Blowing) (Bellman); "Deilig er jorden" (Fairest Lord Jesus) Norwegian Christmas song.

The third degree was again visited upon Secretary Brunberg, but that genial official was not a bit fussed. And nobody would be after that nice roast beef supper.

**BORN**  
Babb—At Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. John Donald Babb, a son, John Donald Babb 2nd.

Headley—At Vinal Haven, Dec. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. George Headley, Jr., a son.

Flanders—At Rockland, Dec. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Flanders, a son, Savitt—At Rockland, Dec. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Savitt, a daughter, Anne Louise.

**MARRIED**  
Waterman-Ladd—Bradenton, Fla., Dec. 10, Frank W. Waterman, and Mrs. Aimee G. Ladd, both of North Haven.

**DIED**  
Berry—At Rockland, Dec. 16, Flora Augusta, wife of Levi W. Berry, aged 56 years, 8 months, 25 days. Funeral Sunday at 2 o'clock from Burpee Funeral home.

Low—At Boston, Dec. 13, Maria Belle, widow of William C. Low, formerly of Rockland, aged 81 years. Interment in Achor cemetery.

Nassar—At Rockland, Dec. 17, Joseph Nassar, aged 62 years, died at residence at 9 o'clock from St. Bernard's Church.

Flummer—At Appleton, Dec. 16, Benjamin F. Flummer, formerly of Medford and Charlestown, Mass., aged 56 years, 2 months, 17 days. Funeral Sunday at 2 o'clock from residence. Interment in Miller cemetery.

Caron—At Waldoboro, Dec. 15, Marie Elsie Frazier Caron, aged 75 years, 7 months, 12 days. Funeral at St. Patrick's Church, Damariscotta Sunday at 12.

**IN MEMORIAM**  
In memory of my beloved son, Jerold Smith, who suddenly went away Dec. 18, 1938.

Love and kind in all his ways. I might and just to the end of his days. Sincere and true in heart and mind. What a beautiful memory you left behind.

Your lonely mother

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Notes of appreciation have been received from Mrs. Daniel Woodman for flowers sent to her at the time of Dr. Woodman's funeral. Mrs. Barbara Joy in a letter also expresses her gratitude for flowers and remembrances during the time she was in the Camden hospital. The pastor on the last two Sundays has also joined these in gratitude for flowers and remembrances while away and also upon his home coming.

North Haven Rev. H. F. Huse

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank those who sent flowers for the funeral of Mrs. Arthur Peters, and all others who have so generously aided in lightening our burden.

Arthur Peters, Fred Corneau.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank all for their many kindnesses during my recent bereavement.

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Sunshine Society will meet Monday for work, in the Central Maine rooms.

Harry Edgecomb and H. M. Johnson of Appleton were in the city Thursday on business.

The Kiwanis Club will have a round table discussion Monday night in the absence of a guest speaker.

Mrs. Virginia Drinkwater who has been confined to her home by illness, has resumed her duties in the city treasurer's office.

The basketball team which is to represent Battery E.C.A.C. this winter, is rarin' to go. Write to Ted Sylvester, manager if you have a team which you think can lick it.

Huntley Hill Post and Auxiliary are making arrangements to furnish candy and gifts to the children of the Post and Auxiliary. Santa Claus will call next Saturday night at their homes.

The Lions Club will have a poverty dinner next Wednesday in the interest of its charity fund, and King Lion Senter would like to see a full attendance. Rev. Ernest O. Kenyon, a member of the club will be speaker.

While part of Rockland's fire apparatus was on its way to the South Thomaston fire Thursday afternoon an alarm from Box 37 called more gear to the corner of Main and Park streets to extinguish a fire in Maynard Linscott's car.

Among the automobile licenses permanently suspended at the Secretary of State's office yesterday were those of Perley Handy, Union; Emerson O. Perkins, Warren; and Frank O. Shute, Rockland. Frank O. Hallowell's license was suspended until insurance is provided.

Sheets from an account book kept in 1793 were shown at The Courier-Gazette office yesterday by Homer O. Connor of 77 North Main street. The sheets bore the insignia of the reigning King of England. One of the items was "drink of rum, 3 cents." A former owner of the account book had been offered \$1 a leaf.

Mrs. Olga Mank of New York who was indicted at the November term of Superior Court for the alleged burning of her cottage on the Georges River road in Cushing was brought to this city yesterday by Sheriff Ludwick, the necessary extradition privilege having been secured. Bail had not been secured last night.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met Thursday afternoon. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Edith Tweedie, the opening hymn being "O Little Town of Bethlehem." The devotions were led by the president who lighted the stewardship candles while Mrs. Thelma Stanley sang "The Kingdom Coming." "Joy to the World," after which the members joined in singing the Doxology. Miss Faith Lurvey accompanied Mrs. Stanley at the piano. The second chapter of the book "Moving Millions" was reviewed. Mrs. Minnie Rogers, the retiring president was adorned with an Indian Garland made by Faith Lurvey, and then presented with a very beautiful Indian plate by Mrs. Tweedie, in appreciation of her services in the society. The meeting was closed with the singing of "Silent Night" and the members repeating the Missionary benediction.

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At Park Theatre tomorrow at 1:30 Winslow-Holbrook Post, American Legion, will play Santa Claus to the underprivileged children of Rockland. All children under 12 years of age whose parents are on relief or in need in any way are invited to be guests of the Legion. Veterans children of any age, or Sons of Legion are especially invited. The Legion invites any other child who thinks he is entitled to attend this show. Small children not old enough to care for themselves may be accompanied by an older child or parent. Doors will open at 1 o'clock sharp and the show will start as near 1:30 as possible. Miss Florence Molloy will present six acts from her dancing school as a special attraction for the children. A fine program of pictures has been prepared by the management, who has kindly donated the theatre and pictures to the Legion for this party. Plenty of candy, nuts, fruit and ice cream will be on hand for all. The Coca-Cola Co. has donated a bottle of Coca-Cola for each child who attends this show. This is your party. Go and have a good time.

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## Boat Found, But No Trace of the Missing Lobster Fishermen

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Alton Beal, 25, of Manset and Arthur Wood, 24, Southwest Harbor are the missing men. Patrol Boat 211 from the Maine Inshore Patrol was sent out as soon as word was received that the men were missing, and has kept up an unabated search.

Those who love dignity and simple beauty in electrical decorations give unstinted praise to the Elks' Home lighting. The large granite house is outlined in dark blue as is the roof and the chimneys show in rich red. Worth a look.

Dr. R. Kendall Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond K. Greene of this city, has opened an optometry office in Presque Isle, continuing the practice of the late Dr. Harry E. Hooper. Dr. Greene received his education in Maine schools, the Massachusetts School of Optometry and the Clinical Staff of the Boston Dispensary. He is a member of the Optometry Club and honorary society, and the Phi Omecron Sigma fraternity.

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## CHURCHES

## SERMONETTE

## The Seething Deep

The terrible hurricane that swept New England this fall will never be forgotten by those in its path. The wind blew as I never heard it since that long ago night when the Portland was lost. Two elements then, cold and snow, were missing, but uncontrolled fury swept sea and land.

The thunder of the sea upon the rocks was drowned by the roar of the storm itself. Cottages and houses rocked like cradles but escaped, in Maine, the destruction which leveled whole settlements in Southern New England.

We, fortunately, had no loss of life as did neighboring States. Trees, boats, wharves were but wisted splinters when daylight came. There were no lights. All the wharves at Falmouth Fore-side were damaged severely; ours was swept entirely into the sea. At Town Landing a great wave lifted a power boat on to the porch of a small cottage.

In the midst of the gale, stars appeared for a brief space, and in the East, Jupiter watched wind and sea in their destructive work. Starlight, however, did not mean clearing for soon it blew harder than ever. September gales are memorable.

"O Lord my God thou art very great; who layeth the beams of thy chambers in the waters; who maketh the clouds thy chariot, and walketh upon the wings of the wind."—William A. Helman

Is the universe, including man, evolved by atomic force? will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Dec. 18. The Golden Text will be: "Harken unto me, O Jacob and Israel, my called: I am he; I am the first, I also am the last. Mine hand also hath laid the foundation of the earth, and my right hand hath spanned the heavens" (Isaiah 48: 12, 13). The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made" (John 1: 1, 3).

At the Congregational Church the unified service of public worship and Church School is at 10:30 a. m. with the children sharing in the worship service and attending classes during the sermon. The sermon by Rev. Corwin H. Olds will be on the subject, "Before the First Christmas." Comrades of the Way will meet in the church parlor at 6:30 p. m. and will entertain as guests all former Comrades who are available to attend, and also will have the Gomrades from Camden as guests. The program will include moving pictures of Camp Manitou, songs of the camp, an address by Rev. Winfield Witham of the Camden Congregational Church and refreshments.

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At St. Peter's Church (Episcopal) Rev. E. O. Kenyon, rector, the services for tomorrow will be appropriate for the fourth Sunday in Advent: Matins at 7:10; Holy Communion at 7:30; church school at 9:30; Holy Eucharist and sermon at 10:30; an address by Fr. Berger of St. Thomas Parish Camden on Diocesan Missions, Evensong at 7 p. m.

"Preparing For His Advent" will be the sermon topic by Rev. Charles A. Marshall at the Littlefield Memorial Church Sunday morning at 10:30. There will be special music. The church school meets at 11:45 and the Christian Endeavor at 6. Praise service and sermon at 7:15, the topic being "The Mission of the Babe of Bethlehem." There will be a piano solo by Howard Chase and a vocal solo by Walter Griffin. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30.

At the Universalist Church Sunday at 10:45 Dr. Lowe will give the second sermon in his series on "The Spirit of Jesus and the Challenge to the Profit System." The church school will meet in the vestry at noon. Mrs. Glover's class at her residence after the morning service. Dr. Lowe's class in the church auditorium at the same hour. Kindergarten department for



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Miss Edith Levensaler is visiting friends in Winthrop.

Philip Weston was a Portland visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Virgil Wallace and Mrs. Roland Creamer made a visit Wednesday in Rockland.

Twenty-six members and three guests of the Women's Club enjoyed luncheon Tuesday at the Community Garden Club house. Mrs. E. F. Glover, district director, was guest speaker. A shoulder bouquet was presented to her by Mrs. Ida Stahl in behalf of the club. Mrs. Maude Clark Gay president of the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs told the members of her recent attendance at the Maine Society of New York annual dinner in New York city. The next meeting will be the annual Christmas observance program.

Schools will close Dec. 23 for the Christmas vacation. They will reopen Jan. 2.

Supt. and Mrs. A. D. Gray, Mrs. Ethel Benner, Mrs. Charles Rowe and Miss Virginia Rowe have been recent Augusta visitors.

Ralph Stahl, district deputy grand master and Capt. Ralph Polard, Master of King Solomon's Lodge F.A.M., journeyed to Vinal Haven Tuesday to inspect and install the officers of Moses Webster Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ware have returned to East Orange, N. J.

James Steele is passing the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Royce Shuman in Needham, Mass.

Miss Nancy Hemmingsway of Syracuse, N. Y., arrived Monday to remain until after the holidays. Her parents Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Hemmingsway and family will join her Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stenger, Mrs. Stanley Lenfest and Mrs. Alfred Storer attended the concert in Rockland Monday night.

Mrs. Florence Orff visited Wednesday in Portland.

Mrs. Percy Moody entertained the Mending Club Friday night. Those present were Mrs. H. K. Crowell, Mrs. William Kennedy, Mrs. Clarence Benner, Mrs. Virgil Wallace, Mrs. Ralph Benner, Mrs. Harold Ralph, Mrs. A. D. Gray and Mrs. Bessie Benner.

Mrs. Madelyn Hilton was hostess to the Jitterbug Sewing Club Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stanley Polard.

Mrs. Frances Reed, Mrs. Lila Lovejoy and Mrs. Gerald Dalton visited Friday in Rockland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and sons, Lloyd and Floyd of Thomaston were callers Thursday at Mrs. Jennie Benner's.

George Boggs was a business visitor Wednesday in Boston.

The Parent-Teachers' Association met Thursday afternoon. These committees were appointed by the president, Mrs. Louise Miller: Program—Earle Spear, Mrs. Margaret Ford, Mrs. A. D. Gray and Mrs. Roland Creamer; health committee—Miss Agnes Creamer, Mrs. Gertrude Benner and Mrs. Lawrence Weston. The next meeting will be Jan. 6 in the High School auditorium when Dr. George Coombs, director of the Maine Bureau of Health will speak.

George Howard saw a robin Dec. 15.

Miss Frances Achorn left Wednesday for California where she will pass the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown of Rockland were guests Thursday of Mrs. Jennie Benner.

Mrs. Isabel Labe entertained the Bridge Club at an American chop suey supper Thursday. Those present were Mrs. Bessie Kuhn, Mrs. William Flint, Mrs. C. B. Stahl, Mrs. Lawrence Weston, Mrs. A. E. Boggs, Mrs. Maureen Blaney and Mrs. Willis Crowell. The evening was spent at bridge.

The Susannah Wesley Society will have a holiday recess. The next meeting will be Jan. 12 at the home of Mrs. Henry Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Witham of North Berwick visited Sunday with their son Byron Witham.

Mrs. Lawrence Nadeau and Miss Ellen Chapman were Rockland visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Victor, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gross of Gloucester, Mass., spent last weekend with Mrs. Melissa Davis.

**School News**

An assembly was held Tuesday. Mr. Ellis and a class of girls gave a demonstration of volleyball to show the students who do not go to gym classes what the game is about, and to arouse interest in the inter-class games.

The first basketball games of the season were held Tuesday in the gymnasium with Thomaston, the first and second boys' team playing. Thomaston took both games, 28 to 9, and 33 to 13. Both local teams played fine games however.

The inter-class games of volleyball started Wednesday with games between the seventh and eighth grade girls won 21 to 11; and the eighth grade boys 21 to 17.

Another game was held Thursday between the freshmen and sophomore girls, and the freshmen and sophomore boys. The sophomore girls won 21 to 19, and the sophomore boys 21 to 17. Senior teams defeated junior teams Friday.

The Stamp Club met Friday night. Eight students passed requirements for membership. Others traded stamps in order that eight could fulfill the requirements set up by the membership committee. The club met again Thursday, during activities period. Only members and officers were present. Officers were given last chance to fulfill requirements and a number of stamps were auctioned off by Stewart Polard.

Each class had play rehearsals Thursday instead of home room periods.

The student council met Thursday after school and voted that the proceeds of the one-act plays be used to install drinking fountains in the boys' and girls' dressing rooms on the first floor. They appointed a social committee to have charge of socials after the Friday night basketball games. The committee is Philip Hutchins, Barbara Scott, and Marjorie Orff.

At the end of the six weeks the Junior class were still in the lead in the Merit Shield Contest.

Honor roll for the second ranking period: Post graduates—Edith Perry, Ella Rider; seniors—William Fitzgerald, Jeanne Hill, Eleanor Miller, Gertrude Newbert, Eleanor Winchenbach; juniors—Milton Chapman, Theodore Hall, Louise McLain, Priscilla Storer; sophomores—Donald Hever, Vera Jameson, Richard Miller, Harold Orff, Leatrice Stewart; freshmen—Arthur Burgess, Robert Creamer, Peggy Jameson, Mary Miller, Ernest Kennedy, Joseph Stafford, Louise Teague.

**GEORGES RIVER ROAD**

The Sunday School will have a Christmas tree at the Finnish Church Dec. 24 at 7 o'clock. The Christmas service will be held in the church Dec. 25 at 7 o'clock. Everyone is welcome.

**READ ALL THE NEWS THEN READ ALL THE ADS**

**WEST ROCKPORT**

The chief out door sport in the vicinity the past week has been cutting Christmas trees.

Mrs. Alice Tolman attended the funeral Wednesday for Mrs. John Therre at Pleasantville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Lamson Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Orbeton, Mrs. Bert Andrews, Mrs. Joseph Andrews and Mrs. Robert Heald were in Bangor for a day recently.

Mrs. M. J. Oxtan was dinner guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lamson.

The Tuesday Club will hold its Christmas tree Tuesday at the home of Mrs. R. J. Heald.

The annual tri-community tree at the church here will be held Friday at 7:30 with program by the three rural schools, Rockville, Simonton and West Rockport. Special music will make up the attractions of the evening.

Mrs. M. A. Fogler attained her 92nd birthday, Dec. 14 at the home of her daughter Mrs. Martha Clark in Camden where she is spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Leman Oxtan spent last weekend in Waterville.

Mrs. Harvey Lundin entertained the Tuesday Club this week.

A tacking was held at the church Thursday afternoon.

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**"THE CITADEL"**

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**AT THE PARK MONDAY-TUESDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Overlock were business callers Monday on Alton Wellman.

Mrs. Ellis Dyer of Rockland and Miss Georgia Hibbert of Augusta visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hibbert last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Wellman and daughter Elsie and Mrs. Clara Turner, were business callers Tuesday in Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Callahan and children motored Wednesday to Bangor.

Miss Alberta, Sweet of Waterville visited her parents last weekend.

Miss Katie Kennedy visited Sunday with her niece, Mrs. Mae Hibbert and daughter Gloria.

Misses Phyllis Wellman and Celia Wellman were guests last Saturday of Misses June Cooley and Elizabeth Sweet.

John Babb and Orville Sweet recently went to Providence with a truckload of Christmas trees.

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**SOUTH CHINA**

Mr. and Mrs. Ardelle Bumps and daughter Joyce were visitors last weekend at Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Esancy's.

China Grange was well represented at the session of State Grange. Several took the sixth degree and three candidates from this Grange were inducted in the first and second degrees.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hollowell of Hollowell dined Sunday at Lloyd Fitzgerald's. The Fitzgeralds were callers, Thursday night at Herbert Esancy's, and Monday at Allen Clowes in Farmingdale.

Miss Ida Elwin and sister, Mrs. Lillian Shaw of Somerville, Mass., were guests Tuesday at Alice Esancy's.

Erskine Academy recently defeated Clinton High School in both boys' and girls' games.

Mrs. Alice Esancy was a recent caller at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Fitzgerald.

The Grange held its first day meeting last Saturday with a large attendance. The third and fourth degrees were conferred on the three candidates initiated at State Grange and Miss Mattie Morrell was admitted by card. Those taking the degrees were Katherine Choate, Hilda Gerry and Stanley Taber. Election of officers had as results: Master, Ralph Esancy; overseer, Bernard Small; lecturer, Tena McNaughton; chaplain, Hattie Stuart; treasurer, Cony Webber; secretary, Annabel Jones; assistant steward, William Morrell; lady assistant steward, Ina Morrill; Ceres, Mina Morrill; Pomona, Edith Small; Flora, Frances Clark; steward, Edgar Taber; and gatekeeper, Philip Taber.

**HOPE**

Hope Grange held its annual meeting last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer True, delegates to the Maine State Grange gave an interesting report of their trip. These officers were elected: Master, Elmer True; overseer, Roy Beverage; lecturer, Mrs. Evelyn Brown; steward, Alice Dunton; assistant steward, John Wilson; Jr., chaplain, Mrs. Mildred Dunton; treasurer, Frank F. Payson; secretary, Mrs. Emily Hobbs; gatekeeper, Ralph Brown; Ceres, Alice True; Pomona, Marjorie Beverage; Flora, Florence Brown; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Elsie Wilson; member of executive committee for three years, Alden Allen. The next meeting will be Dec. 24 at which time the Grange will have a Christmas tree and program.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown are in Massachusetts where they will remain until after the holidays.

Schools closed Friday for a week's vacation.

The Grange circle met recently and spent the afternoon tacking a quilt. A covered dish supper was served to members and husbands, after which cards were enjoyed.

The Farm Bureau met Tuesday for a helpful Christmas suggestion meeting. Dinner was served by Margaret Robbins and Georgia Brownell.

The Sunday School will present a Christmas pantomime Dec. 22 at the Grange hall.

**ORFF'S CORNER**

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ralph, Mrs. Marjorie Ralph, Miss Millicent Burnes and Miss Margaret Cuthbertson were Augusta visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jackson of North Waldo were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ludwig.

Harold Achorn and Albert Elwell were in China on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Walter and daughter Ruth, Mrs. Nora Ludwig and Sanford Walter of Gardiner were callers Sunday in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin L. Bragg were in Lewiston last week in attendance at State Grange. Mr. Bragg is worthy master of Progressive Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ludwig of Richmond spent Sunday at the homes of Percy Ludwig and Willis Ralph.

A delegation of parents from this place attended a meeting of the school board at the high school building Monday night in protest to the suggestion of closing school in this district.

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In Town Meeting

Waldoboro Voters Should Be Prepared To Act On Important Articles

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—In regard to questions to be voted upon at town meeting, it seems to me to be the fairer practice to explain these questions far enough in advance to give the voters an opportunity to think them over before they are called upon to decide them.

This holds particularly true in regard to school matters. Often citizens are called upon in town meeting to vote upon articles about which they have been given little or no previous information.

As superintendent of schools I shall try from time to time, with the approval of the School Boards of my union and the co-operation of this paper, to present information on such questions in as clear a manner as possible.

Unless the town does have some clear cut policy by which it can look ahead and plan its educational program there is bound to be needless expenditures, inefficiencies, and consequent dissatisfaction.

I am not, however, proposing to tell the town what to do. I am very desirous, nevertheless, of being reasonably certain that any recommendations which I may make to the Board will merit the approval of a majority of the citizens of the town. I am sure that this is also the sentiment of the Board.

It is not to be expected, of course, that unanimous agreement of voters will occur on any question. It is hoped however that sufficient information may be submitted so that the deliberated opinion of the actual majority of those present can be secured.

A. D. Gray, Superintendent of Schools  
Waldoboro, Dec. 16.

**To Patch The Roof**

How One Waldoboro School Building Will Be Fixed For Present

Because of The serious physical condition of the Orff's Corner schoolhouse the parents of the district met in conference with the superintendent school committee to see if some solution of the situation could be found.

It was eventually decided to patch the roof and try to get by with the rest of the building until townmeeting. An article will then be inserted in the warrant to see whether the town will prefer to raise sufficient money to put this building in satisfactory condition or to convey the pupils. There is a total enrollment of 16 children.

Articles will be inserted in the warrant at the next annual meeting asking the town to define its policy in regard to the direction in which it wishes to go both in regard to its schools and its conveyance. The fact that so much money has been laid out in the past on buildings that later closed for lack of pupils is evidence of the need of knowing what policy the town wishes to follow in the future.

As a matter of fact no recommendations were made in the budget last spring for continuing the Hahn, Gross Neck, or Dutch Neck schools. Because of local pressure these schools were continued another year, at considerable financial sacrifice to the rest of the system. A similar situation held true in regard to conveyance.

The superintendent and School Board will do their best to follow the wishes of the town, if they can be certain as to what its wishes are.

A. D. Gray, Superintendent

**WEST ROCKPORT**

The chief out door sport in the vicinity the past week has been cutting Christmas trees.

Mrs. Alice Tolman attended the funeral Wednesday for Mrs. John Therre at Pleasantville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Lamson Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Orbeton, Mrs. Bert Andrews, Mrs. Joseph Andrews and Mrs. Robert Heald were in Bangor for a day recently.

Mrs. M. J. Oxtan was dinner guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lamson.

The Tuesday Club will hold its Christmas tree Tuesday at the home of Mrs. R. J. Heald.

The annual tri-community tree at the church here will be held Friday at 7:30 with program by the three rural schools, Rockville, Simonton and West Rockport. Special music will make up the attractions of the evening.

Mrs. M. A. Fogler attained her 92nd birthday, Dec. 14 at the home of her daughter Mrs. Martha Clark in Camden where she is spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Leman Oxtan spent last weekend in Waterville.

Mrs. Harvey Lundin entertained the Tuesday Club this week.

A tacking was held at the church Thursday afternoon.

The tree at the square was lighted for the first time Thursday night.

The sales and show rooms of the Central Maine Power Co., 447 Main street, will be open evenings until Christmas—adv.

**AT STRAND SUN.-MON.-TUES.**

**"THE CITADEL"**

Robert Donat and Rosalind Russell in "The Citadel"

"The Citadel," based on the novel by A. J. Cronin, which has been acclaimed by millions of readers in every part of the world, with Robert Donat and Rosalind Russell playing the roles of the heroic young doctor and his schoolmistress wife. This is M-G-M's second British-made production following on the successful "Yank At Oxford." King Vidor directed and a spectacular supporting cast of 100 speaking roles is headed by Ralph Richardson, Rex Harrison, Emyln Williams and Penelope Dudley Ward. adv.

**AT THE PARK MONDAY-TUESDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Overlock were business callers Monday on Alton Wellman.

Mrs. Ellis Dyer of Rockland and Miss Georgia Hibbert of Augusta visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hibbert last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Wellman and daughter Elsie and Mrs. Clara Turner, were business callers Tuesday in Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Callahan and children motored Wednesday to Bangor.

Miss Alberta, Sweet of Waterville visited her parents last weekend.

Miss Katie Kennedy visited Sunday with her niece, Mrs. Mae Hibbert and daughter Gloria.

Misses Phyllis Wellman and Celia Wellman were guests last Saturday of Misses June Cooley and Elizabeth Sweet.

John Babb and Orville Sweet recently went to Providence with a truckload of Christmas trees.

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Reverse English  
Vinal Haven Ganders Reported To Be Going Ahead Astern

That the bunch of ball tossers known to Vinal Haven bowling fans as the "Ganders" got their necks stretched till they resembled a rubber band and that said Ganders are rapidly going into a reverse tail spin, was amply demonstrated at the Cascade Alleys (The Bowl Bowl) Monday night when the red shirted Skippers after eating them to a standstill at the table, bowled their shirts off on the alleys.

It all started at the home of Postmaster Drew, where the gang gathered round a steaming kettle of scallap stew, belts were unloosed, and cargo stowed commenced. Der Captain Grimes, anxious to get away to a lodge meeting, started the reverse idea by eating his pie first, and Der Captain couldn't seem to get started in the right direction for the entire evening, after that false start. To allow him to keep his engagement, Der Captain and Peterson had a private three-string match all by themselves, before the others, and when the cigar smoke had cleared away Der Captain was 56 pins down and the reversing process was well under way.

With this handicap the Ganders made a brave bid, and the remaining quartet even managed to gain back 12 pins but the empty void representing the Grimes effort was too big to fill. The old Goose pulled himself up by virtue of three bowls of stew, four pieces of pie and two big spares in his last two frames, to be head man, but again the Grimes reverse which led down the back stairs to the cellar, made him pay at the counter.

By winning this match the Skippers have tied up the series, which stands at five-all, and according to Gene Hall who hasn't guessed wrong since he backed Teddy Roosevelt for President, the Skippers will never be behind again.

Now that the Goose has lost faith in pie as a stimulant, no one knows what he will employ next to revive his lagging Ganders, but it is understood that he and Scotty Littlefield are getting their heads together on a feed of some kind guaranteed to put pep in a dead clam. If it doesn't work Gene Hall says the Goose's goose will be cooked for fair.

Ganders	
(In Reverse)	
"Essog" Yera	94 82 118-294
Dieffeltill	81 71 81-233
"Semirig"	77 73 70-230
Sleibhs	91 91 102-284
Nrobnas	100 90 96-286
443 407 467 1317	
Skippers	
"Skip" Arey	96 95 91-282
Hall	76 83 89-250
Peterson	90 91 95-276
Dyer	90 95 109-285
Drew	82 92 94-268
434 449 478 1381	

\* 7th son of a 70-man.  
Scorer, Tolman.

DEER ISLE

Ernest Pressey is guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Pressey.

Joshua Dow has built an extension to his cabin.

Mrs. Frederick Plum and son Edwin of Litchfield, Conn., are in town on business.

Mrs. Elizabeth Knights has bought the Sterling Stinson house at South Deer Isle.

Earl S. Brown of Eagle visited relatives here recently.

Thomas D. Haskell was one of the three appointed by Congressman Ralph O. Brewster to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

LONG COVE

Mrs. Carolyn Bergquist is ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. Austin Elwell in Waldoboro and attended by Dr. Lenfest.

At St. George's chapel Evensong will be at 3 p. m.

Vinal Haven & Rockland Steamboat Company

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY	
Read Down	Read Up
A. M.	P. M.
5.30 Lv. Swan's Island.	Ar. 6.00
6.30 Lv. Stonington.	Ar. 4.40
7.30 Lv. North Haven.	Ar. 3.30
8.15 Lv. Vinal Haven.	Ar. 2.45
9.30 Ar. Rockland.	Lv. 1.30
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VINAL HAVEN  
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Correspondent

Schools closed Friday with Christmas trees and programs in all schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Arey and son James of Texas arrived Tuesday for the holidays.

Capt. and Mrs. William Burns have returned from a visit with their sons, Prof. Arthur Burns of Dartmouth College in Hanover, N. H., Capt. Luther Burns in Atlantic, Ma's., and Carroll Burns in Boston.

The Farm Bureau Extension and two 4-H clubs met Monday night. Demonstrations were given. Miss Lucinda Rich County club agent and Miss Esther Durham home demonstration agent were present. A meeting of the club was held Tuesday at the Union Church vestry.

Mrs. Eleanor Gregory and Mrs. Florence C. Lawson, have returned from Rockland.

Mrs. Ambrose Peterson and son Herbert were Rockland visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. George Bragdon returned last Saturday from Thomaston. Ocean Bound Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday night, the ceremonies being followed by a Christmas tree and games. A box lunch was served.

The Rainbow Club met Tuesday night with Mrs. Clinton Teele featuring supper and Christmas tree.

Mrs. William Warner, returned Monday from Rockland.

The Four A's were entertained Friday by Mrs. Emma Winslow.

Miss Laura B. Sanborn came Tuesday from Augusta for a visit with relatives.

A large Christmas tree adorns Union Church lawn erected by young people of the church. It is lighted with over 100 vari-colored bulbs.

Atlantic Royal Arch Chapter met Thursday night with a large attendance.

Union Church choir will present a cantata entitled "Good Will Toward Men" at Union Church Dec. 25.

Mrs. Keith Carver returned Monday from Lewiston.

A gratifying sum was netted from the moving picture at the Gem Theatre Wednesday night sponsored by the Sesqui-Centennial committee.

Mrs. Hilbert Hanson, has returned to Woburn, Mass., after a visit with her daughter Mrs. Byron Thomas.

Miss Louise Philbrook has returned from Camden.

Mrs. Nora Nelson, was guest last weekend of her uncle David Young at East Boston road.

The Roundabout Club met Wednesday for an all day session at the home of Mrs. Hester Ames, featuring the annual Christmas tree. Douglas Gilchrist returned Sunday from Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. Mary Cassie and Mrs. Margaret Burnie are in Worcester, Mass., where they will pass the winter.

The Knit-Wits met Tuesday with Miss Mary Nelson.

Moses Webster Lodge, F.A.M. was inspected Tuesday night by R. W. Ralph H. Stahl, D.D.G.M. of Waldoboro. These ceremonies were followed by installation of officers with D.D.G.M. Stahl as installing officer assisted by W. M. Ralph Polard as grand marshal of Waldoboro and past master, O. C. Lane as grand chaplain. The officers: W. M. George A. Lawry; senior warden, Curtis Webster; secretary, C. L. Boman; treasurer, E. H. Bradstreet; chaplain, O. C. Lane; S. D. Frank White; J. D. David Duncan, S. S. Frank Rossiter; J. S. James Smith; Tyler, E. M. Hall. Lunch was served.

At Union church tomorrow, Sunday school will be at 10; worship at 11. Rev. Kenneth Cook, pastor, to preach on the subject, "A Good Conscience." The anthem "Guide Me dear Savior" will be sung by choir; duet by Beulah Gilchrist and Flora Brown; Men's Bible Class at 10.

Christmas Story as told in Scriptures and in Song" as the theme. The choir will sing Christmas carols. Hazel Roberts will be soloist. Junior Epworth League will meet at 3.30 p. m. for candlelight vesper service and birthday party for Jesus. Christian Endeavor will meet at 6 p. m. with Rebecca Duncan as leader. Monday at 2.30 there will be a rehearsal of all children who are to take part in the Sunday school concert and Christmas tree to be held at the church Tuesday at 6 p. m. Union Church circle will serve supper in the vestry Thursday at 5.30. The Christian Endeavor will hold its Christmas party Friday night in the vestry.

The firm that doesn't advertise is like a merry-go-round without music.

CRIEHAVEN

The new mail packet Mary A. has had hard weather so far this month and has proved her abilities.

Herbert McClure was in Portland recently on business.

Ralph Wilson is in Rockport for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Simpson and daughters are guests at Edward Blom's Ash Point for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson visited relatives in South Thomaston and Tenant's Harbor recently. Mrs. Hatton Wilson has recovered somewhat and is able to attend to her household duties.

Max Young called here Sunday. Rex Anderson recently went to Rockland to accompany home Mrs. Anderson and infant daughter Nancy.

Schools closed Thursday for three weeks' vacation. Mrs. Goodhue goes to Danbury, N. H. to visit her son after teaching a successful fall term.

Mr. Simpson has returned from Matineus Rock Light where he has been carpentering for past three weeks. Keeper and Mrs. Fletcher are spending a vacation with their daughters in Brownville.

Victor White, Ero Blom and Guy Simpson visited friends Sunday in Vinal Haven.

Elizabeth Anderson and niece Diana went to Port Clyde Friday accompanied by Harold Anderson.

Sam Tupper and family have moved to Vinal Haven for the winter.

Glady's McClure has returned to Rockland after keeping house for Mrs. McClure who has been in Rockland for a few days.

Residents here will miss Capt. Wincapaw's sky visit this Christmas.

NORTH HAVEN

Among the fine tributes paid to the late Dr. Daniel N. Woodman is that of Dr. Nathaniel K. Wood of Boston. "Most certainly he was the salt of the earth and North Haven was fortunate indeed to have had so good and capable a physician. He labored hard and long, was generous to a fault, ever ready to give to others, and asked little or nothing for himself. He leaves a blessed memory, and his influence in North Haven was always of the best, and will always be remembered with reverence and love."

The Unity Guild meets at the church rooms Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

Edna Waterman who accompanied her father to Saratoga, Fla., by motor left Wednesday to return via Jacksonville to her home in Sanford.

Mrs. Mary Grant and Orilla Samson were Rockland visitors Monday.

Frank Lipovsky, David Wooster and Joel Wooster are on a hunting trip.

The Grange is making plans for a card party and social to be held at the Grange hall Dec. 26. Refreshments will be served after the social.

The Community should feel proud as well as safe of its fine fire apparatus. Having experienced three chimney fires Thursday it is pleasing to know residents have fire protection.

Church Notes

For the second season the Friendly Bible Class, under the direction of the president of the class Herman W. Crockett have set up a large and beautiful community tree on the lawn in front of the doctor's residence. With its many colored lights it creates and spreads the Christmas cheer.

Worship Sunday at 11 a. m. with sermon by the pastor, Rev. Henry F. Huse. The subject will be "That is Of the Church." Singing by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Barbara Joy, leader. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. At night at 7 o'clock the subject will be "Christmas."

At a meeting Sunday of the teachers and Supt. Mrs. Julia Beverage committees were appointed for Christmas exercises. Rehearsals for the pageant have begun.

New Physician

Succeeding the late Dr. Daniel N. Woodman and his son Dr. Arthur Woodman as school and town physician in this town is Dr. Cyril E. Bousfield. Dr. Bousfield for 40 years was a medical missionary in China under the auspices of Northern Baptist Churches. He was at the head of a hospital of 120 beds in Chaoyang until it was destroyed by Communists in the earlier years of the Civil War. He himself barely escaped but for the fact he was a doctor. He also did valuable work for lepers. On return from China he became associated with the Sea Coast Mission of which his son Rev. Neil Bousfield is now superintendent. Dr. Bousfield received his training at Harvard Medical School and at the University of Pennsylvania. He holds membership in the Maine County Medical Society, Maine Medical Society, China Leprosy Society, International Leprosy Association, and the American Medical Association. He has a son Weston who is a professor in Tufts Medical School, Boston.

Acquainted with several languages well versed in the classics, he is a scholar, a preacher, a physician and surgeon. In one year patients at the hospital approximated 9000. This town is fortunate in securing this gifted man as its resident physician.

Thoroughfare Grammar School

Pupils not absent during the term were: William Hopkins, Dorothy Thayer, Erma Witherspoon and Lyman Hopkins.

Pupils absent only one day: Victor Beverage, John Brown, John Waterman, Jane Grant, Sherman Baird, John Beverage, Milton Dyer and Harriet Stone.

Honor students: Dorothy Thayer, 92.3; Jane Grant, 88; George Young, 87.2; Ellen Wooster, 87.2; Lillian Gregory, 87; William Hopkins, 86.2; Carolyn Greenlaw, 83.2; Kathryn McDonald, 80.6; Betty Haskell, 80.3; Sherman Baird, 80.2; Thelma Parsons, 80; Harriet Stone, 80; Phyllis Waterman, 80; Burtis Brown, 80.

A school league has been organized.

Sesqui-Centennial  
Generous Friends Come Forward To Aid Coming Celebration

In order that the citizens of Vinal Haven and others interested may know of the progress of the Vinal Haven Sesqui-Centennial fund the following list has been made up from the books of L. W. Sanborn, treasurer. The committee in charge acknowledges with thanks and desires to express its appreciation to the generous response to its appeals for the necessary funds.

They feel that pecuniary success is assured and with the co-operation of the whole town in the planning and execution of the program, the whole Celebration will redound to the credit of the Town of Vinal Haven.

Many other contributions are expected from the many contacts the committee has made and they will be printed from time to time. In addition to the cash items listed below the Weary Club has given a fine hand made quilt, which will be sold to help swell the receipts. An intensive local campaign will be held at a later date.

The donations thus far:	
Mother and Daughter's Club	3.00
Town of Vinal Haven	21.50
Lafayette Carver Relief Corps	10.00
Minnie M. Smith	10.00
Pleasant River Grange	5.00
Public Levee	226.85
Chapin Party	32.25
O. V. Drew, sale of envelopes	1.65
Thornton W. Hall	10.00
Stanton M. Strawson	2.00
Dr. and Mrs. Freeman F. Brown	5.00
Ralph H. Smith	5.00
William Emerson	5.00
Frances Emerson	5.00
J. Eben Norton	5.00
Gerald C. Roberts	2.00
Vinal Haven Lions Club	25.00
Mildred Burdick	1.00
Mrs. Francis B. Converse	5.00
Mrs. Charles Dutton	1.00
Mrs. Charles Griffith	1.00
C. A. Keene	5.00
Verla C. Wentworth	2.00
Vera Chaffin	2.00
O. V. Drew, sale of envelopes	1.75
Sale of Sesqui-Centennial Stamps	54.15
Laura B. Sanborn	5.00
Otis A. Thompson	3.00
The Washington Club	3.00
Jilly Juniors	1.00
Carrie E. Paige	3.00
Reba M. Graham	5.00
Jennie L. Briggs	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Schofield	2.00
Maude Bligh Russell	10.00
A. J. Strawson	1.00
John, Walter and Carrie Penland	50.00
Virgil C. Smith	1.00
Howard S. Snowman	5.00
Lafayette Carver Circle	10.00
Total	\$558.11

MARTINSVILLE

Service Sunday in the Church on the Ridge will be at 10.30; Pastor Stuart will give the message, and serve the Lord's Supper. The Bible School will open at 11.30. The pastor's subject for the evening service will be "God's Wireless Message." The evening is a time of song and praise. The mid-week prayer service will be Wednesday at 7 p. m. Bible School children will present Friday at 7 o'clock a carol service entitled, "Good Will Toward Men" with a Christmas tree at the close of the concert.

OWL'S HEAD

Mrs. E. H. St. Clair visited Sunday with relatives in Rockport.

Miss Elizabeth Scammon and friend of Crono spent last weekend with Miss Scammon's parents. Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Scammon were callers Friday on Mr. Scammon's sister in Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dyer and Mrs. Florence Dyer called Sunday on friends in Camden.

Carl Reed and Elliot Smith have returned from a few days' cruise in their boat.

Schools closed Friday for two weeks' vacation.

Winfield Maddocks has returned from a business trip to Boston.

Grange officers were elected Monday night thus: Master, Albert E. Phelan; President, Eino Anderson; lecturer, Ellena Predette; steward, Francis Dyer; assistant steward, Percy Margeson; chaplain, Myrtle Cassidy; secretary, Mary Foster; gatekeeper, William Merrill; Ceres, Constance MacPhail; Pomona, Sybil Anderson; Flora, Ellie Dyer; lady assistant steward, Helen Ross; member executive committee, Mrs. Myra Scammon. The first and second degrees were worked on three candidates. At the next meeting the third and fourth degrees will be worked on five candidates. Each member and visitor is asked to take a joke present for the Christmas tree which the Grange is having Monday night.

"A SURE SIGN"

Spruce Head, Dec. 13  
Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—  
Breaking of signs of winter being rough or mild. I have heard the late Alcen Shea say a sure sign of a mild winter was if the first snow rained off there would be no snow to amount to anything. But if the first snow melted off we would be in for lots of snow and a rough winter. "I have never known this sign to fail," he said.

How many noticed which way our first snow appeared this year.

Margaret Elwell

ized with these officers: President, Dorothy Thayer; secretary, Marion Carver; treasurer, William Hopkins. A Halloween party was held Oct. 31 and was voted a success by all present.

A one-act comedy drama "Fighting Through" was presented in the K. of P. hall Dec. 5 and was well attended. It was a financial success.

School closed Dec. 16, with primary, intermediate and grammar school combining for a Christmas tree and program.

Harms Disappoints  
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Three Preludes: Debussy  
1. "General Lavine"—Eccentric  
2. La Terrasse des audiences du clair de lune  
3. Minstrels

IV  
Scherzo for Mendelssohn-Bachmannoff  
"A Midsummer Night's Dream"  
Moment Musical, Schubert-Godowsky  
Triana, Albeniz-Godowsky

We are profoundly grateful, first of all, to Mr. Bolet for giving us such an unacknowledged program. It proffered food for thought for the music devotee and student, and contained sufficient dramatic appeal to the novice to hold his interest. The Bach-Liszt was magnificently done, the Fugue in delicate contrast to the thrilling power of the Fantasia. In the second offering Mr. Bolet gave us a different Chopin than we have come to know through other artists—a virile, dramatic, powerful figure rather than the aesthetic, dreamy type so often projected in the compositions through program use. Yet in the numbers with their virility and breath-taking brilliancy, there would sometimes creep a haunting quality, and always was present remarkable tone control to give color. I am inclined to believe that in the prolonged memories of this concert the Chopin group will remain in the most vivid manner. The Brahms "Intermezzo" were gems, exquisite in melody and rich harmony. In the Debussy "Interludes," "General Lavine" contained characteristic Debussy touches, while the second interlude was a tone picture, with moon shadows of gently waving branches, chiming, and a distant clock sounding softly at the close. The Scherzo and Moment Musical offered old friends with fascinating and exquisite embellishments to their familiar attire, and "Triana" brought a remarkable program to a brilliant close. Mr. Bolet, recalled many times, offered as encores a Chopin Valse in A flat, a Weber Rondeau ("Perpetual Motion") and by request Liszt's "Liebestraum."

The tribute of absorbed attention was paid Mr. Bolet throughout the program and the artist must go away with the feeling that he could play before a no more appreciative audience.

Dr. C. Harold Jameson prior to the program spoke a few words in behalf of Knox Hospital and the appreciation for all assistance. He also read a telegram from Mr. Harms in which he expressed his regret that he could not fulfill the engagement, stating that he was the first time he had been obliged to cancel a concert, and saying that he would give a concert without remuneration next summer with the entire proceeds going to Knox Hospital. This splendid and generous offer of Mr. Harms' called forth appreciative applause and already anticipation is in air for the treat in store.

An expression of appreciation is made for all help given, and particularly to Mrs. Mary Louise Curtis Bok who very kindly furnished the Steinway piano, which is, by the way, one of Josef Hofmann's instruments. Users were: Mrs. Muriel Crie, Mrs. Frances McLoon, Mrs. Clemmie Preston, Miss Bertha Luce, Mrs. Ruth E. Sanborn, Miss Dorothy Sherman, Miss Laura Melville, Miss Mary Lawry, Mrs. Blanche Morton, Mrs. Nathalie Snow, Mrs. Ruth Hoch.

Patrons and Patronesses were: Dr. and Mrs. Howard L. Apollonio, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Averill, Mrs. Charles Babb, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry, Mrs. Edward F. Berry, Mrs. Elmer Bird, Mrs. Dora Bird, Mr. and Mrs. John Bird, Joseph Blaisdell, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Blodgett, Dr. and Mrs. Freeman Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Brandford Burgess, Miss Charlotte Buffum, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Butler, Dr. James Burgess, Mrs. James Carswell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Collamore, Miss Lela Clark, Kennedy Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley B. Crie, Dr. and Mrs. Walter P. Conley, Elmer Crockett, Charles Cuthbertson, Miss Ellen Daly, Mrs. Clarence E. Daniels, Charles Duff, Dr. and Mrs. William Ellingwood, Mrs. Arthur J. Elliot, Mr. Frank Elliot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emery, Miss Rachel Emerson, Miss Alice Erskine, Louis Fickett, Mrs. William Flint, Dr. and Mrs. Neil Fogg, Dr. and Mrs. Alvin W. Foss, Mrs. George Foster, Dr. H. W. Frochok, Mrs. Richard Foxwell, Mrs. W. O. Fuller, Mrs. Harriet Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Donald George, Mrs. Lucien Greene, Mrs. Anita Goldfarb, A. W. Gregory, Isador Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Hall, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Haver, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Heistad, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hopkins, Arthur Huse, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Jameson, Mrs. Lillian Joyce, Miss Katherine Keating, Miss Mabel Lamb, Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Lawry, Miss Dorothy Lawry, Miss Mary Lawry, Mrs. Winnie Leighton, Miss Margaret Lynn Lewis, Mrs. Maurice Lovejoy, Miss Bertha Luce, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lermond, Mrs. Arthur E. MacDonald, Mr. John H. McEvoy, Mrs. Robert McKinley, Miss Kitty McLaughlin, John H. McLoon, Edward B. Newcombe.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles D. North, Mrs. Avis N. Norwood, Mrs. Leola Noyes, Mrs. Carlene B. Nutt, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Orbeton, Mrs. Gertrude Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Standish Perry, Mrs. Frances E. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pierce, Dr. Charles B. Popplestone, Dr. Saul R. Polinsner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Riker Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Rollins, Frank D. Rowe.

Mrs. Ruth Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Senter, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Sleener, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Smith, Mrs. Ruth Dondis Small, Mrs. Nathalie R. Snow, Mrs. Mabel Spring, Miss Margaret Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Stone, Carl Sonntag, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Soule, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Storer, Mrs. Grace Strout, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Strong, Miss Margaret Sim-

TENANT'S HARBOR DAYS

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—  
This poem, entitled "The Good Ship Passes" is from the volume "Knots of Straw" by Anna Emma Coughlin.

They heard the call of commerce  
Wherever the four winds blow:  
They could take a hand at fighting.  
The captain, the mate, and the crew;  
She passes, the good ship passes,  
The pride of an elder day;  
And the vision of her haunts not  
The young lads at their play.

I was surprised on reading the article in The Courier-Gazette "Triad Anthology" not to find the name of this poet mentioned. She knew her ships, ship captains, mates and A. B.'s.

I never had the good fortune to meet her, as I once met Edgar Guest, or even have a letter from her, as I have from some of the poets mentioned, Harold Vinal, Elizabeth O. Marsh and others, but her poem as above is one of my favorites and I keep it where I can always find it.

Yes, "The good ship passes, and will not come again." I keep in touch with two "salt water men"—"Pardner" down in Sunny Florida and Loring Fountain, superintendent of the Masonic Temple, Cambridge, Mass., a native of Round Pond. These A. B.'s both sailed in square riggers when only 17; today they would be in high school.

I have read a lot lately about the ships which sailed from Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore to San Francisco in 89, 100, and 102 days. The good ship Northern Light, once made the passage from San Francisco to Boston in 76 days. Donald McKay built the ship, Lightning, which once sailed 436 miles in 24 hours, a record never equalled by any other sailing ship. How some of the old-time Rockland and Thomaston ship builders and captains would enjoy this bit of news about the American Merchant Marine of today.

This is from a recent magazine article: "They are calling San Francisco 'The Forgotten Port.' In 1933 prior to the general strike, there were 16 American flag lines sailing out of here, handling 1,967,347 tons. In 1937 only six lines remained, and they carried 694,649 tons. In the first six months of 1938 foreign flag vessels carried eight times as much freight inbound, six times as much outbound as did American bottoms."

Had the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 been enacted for the specific purpose of sweeping the American flag from the seas, the results could not have been more successful, insofar as the trans-Pacific route is concerned, according to The Pacific Shipper.

The Secretary of Labor is in doubt about the standing of Harry Bridges as an "undesirable alien" and one of the members of the Maritime Commission (salary \$12,000 per annum) when sailing around looking over the situation, can always find the "glory hole" but never seems to find the ships hold, empty cargo. Of Harry Bridges he says, "Of course he should not be deported as an undesirable alien; he is a patriot and is really doing a great work among the seamen and stevedores" (The \$500,000 contribution of the C.I.O. to the Democratic Campaign Fund speaking that time).

Off the bridge not an A. B. in a thousand men are on board steamers. The glory that once was has passed.

Boze  
Somerville, Mass., Dec. 3.

CLARK ISLAND

Miss Alice Litchfield of Cohasset, Mass., is guest of Mrs. Maurice Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGee and Mr. and Mrs. Kerswell made a business trip to Augusta recently.

Charles Chaples has returned home from Knox Hospital.

Mrs. Maurice Jones has a Christmas cactus plant, 11 years old bearing 584 blossoms and buds. It is a beautiful sight.

Mrs. Margaret Simmons, teacher of the Grammar School, gave a successful program Friday night.

Verner Bergerson, Robert Peterson and John Olson have returned home from Bennington, N. H., where they have been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Baum are on a hunting trip on Nicasious Lake.

Ray Morse who has been ill much improved, and has returned to school.

Margaret Rogers has been spending a few days with her brother William Rogers of Warren.

Barge 707 is loading paving for New York at John Meehan Son's plant.

mons, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, Dr. Harry Tounge, Mrs. Edward Veazie, Mrs. Lee W. Walker, Mrs. Robert Walsh, Chester O. Wyllie, Mr. and Mrs. D. Preston Wyson, Rev. and Mrs. Winfield Witham, Charles C. Wood.

READ THIS: SAVES TROUBLE

The Bureau of Internal Revenue made public today information relating to changes and improvements that have been made in income tax forms for the taxable year 1938. The forms themselves will not be available until on or about Jan. 5, 1939, when they will be distributed to the public by collectors of internal revenue and not by the Bureau in Washington.

The individual income tax return, Form 1040, for net income of more than \$5,000 from salaries, wages, dividends, annuities, and incomes from other sources regardless of amounts, will be folded at the top instead of the side as in 1937.

Commissioner Helvering said: "This change was made as a service to the tax-paying public in response to many requests that the form be folded in this manner to facilitate the typing of figures and the preparation of copies." There is no change in the color or size of the form. The only major change in contents, necessitated by the Revenue Act of 1938, relates to the capital gains schedule.

There is no substantial change in Form 1040-A, designed for net incomes of not more than \$5,000, derived from salaries, wages, dividends, interest and annuities.

The fiduciary and partnership forms, 1041 and 1065, respectively, have undergone extensive revisions. These forms, while printed on paper of the same color as in 1937, have been changed from large, single sheets, to four-page forms, 8 1/2 by 11 inches, folded at the top and corresponding in size to the new individual income tax return Form 1040. The two major changes in contents involve the capital gains schedule, necessitated by the Revenue Act of 1938, and the schedule of distributive shares of the beneficiaries and partners. The schedule, on both forms, has been broadened to facilitate computation by the fiduciary or partnership of the various types of income flowing to the respective beneficiaries and partnership members.

Form 1120, for use by corporations with total receipts of \$250,000 or more and with net income of more than \$25,000, contains a change in the method of computing the tax to comply with the Revenue Act of 1938. Other changes, which relate mainly to the set-up of the form, provide for moving the sources of income and deductions from page 2 to page 1. The affidavit formerly on page 6 has also been moved to page 1. The detail of tax computation heretofore on page 1 is now on page 2. The schedule entitled "Analysis of paid in or capital surplus" has been omitted.

A new form, 1120A, for use with certain exceptions by corporations with total receipts of not more than \$250,000 and net incomes of not more than \$25,000, was described in a recent release of the Treasury Department.

"INFAMOUS LIE," SAYS LERMOND

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fused to have an American flag and pole erected in the Arboretum. I brand this as an outrageous lie. The fact is that we have never had money to spare for a flag. Right now we haven't money enough to pay in full our coal bill. And my \$18 per month old age pension, is not sufficient to provide enough food to keep my old body in good working condition. But I have kind friends.

When the State owned the property—three years ago—and expended \$15,400 on the building, it couldn't (or didn't) spare money for a flag. It couldn't spare money for a phone in the museum building, nor for a Babcock fire-extinguisher or two.

Now, the merchants and professional men and women of Rockland, and other Knox County towns, have been most generous in contributing to our coal fund. It has occurred to me that the American Legion might like to donate a flag and pole and come over, with appropriate exercises erect the same near our science and art building.

It is my firm opinion that the American people, with their 150 years of liberty, independence and freedom, and their Revolutionary traditions, will never allow Fascism to rear its ugly jungle-head in this country.

As for war—war settles nothing. After the untold sacrifice of millions of lives and billions of dollars worth of property and wealth the World War failed to make the world "safe for Democracy," and all the nations went right to arming again! With President Roosevelt I say—"let us quarantine against Fascism," let us outlaw Fascism and war. Let us trade only with nations that will join together for disarmament and a court of international arbitration.

Norman Wallace Lermond

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## THOMASTON

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Mrs. Evelyn Hahn went by bus to Boston Friday to pass the holiday vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Alma Hamilton.

Roy Burton, a guard at the State Prison, who makes his home at the Lucette, is spending two weeks' vacation with his family in Bangor.

Colby Wood and Kevin C. Ellis went Friday to their respective homes in Ellsworth and Augusta to spend the holiday recess.

"Cause We Like It" 4-H Club met at the home of the leader, Miss Margaret Hysom Wednesday night with 14 members present. After an interesting and instructive talk on "Poultry Management" by Chester Haskell of Gardiner, members played games, the committee for which consisted of Donald Reilly and Winifred Williams. Names were drawn in connection with the Christmas tree to be held Dec. 23, the next meeting, and refreshment were served by Hester Foster and Christine Hysom. Winnifred MacFarland was appointed color bearer to take the place of George Tillson. The next meeting will be held at the home of the leader, and Lillian O'Neill and Doris Vinal will serve on the same committee, with Gertrude Hanley and Betty Sheffield the refreshment committee.

Schools closed last night for the Christmas recess.

Rev. John P. Reed of Leeds, who occupied the pulpit at the Pentecostal Mission during the summer, has returned to this community for an indefinite stay, and will resume the services at the mission starting Sunday.

Mrs. C. Reed, and brother Stanley Reed, he is staying with Mr. and Mrs. William Shields of Rockport.

Miss Eleanor Seeger went today to Boston to spend a few days of her vacation, the remainder of which will be spent at her home.

The Auxiliary of St. John's Church is conducting a candy sale at Donaldson's store this afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Robinson, with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Buckfield, and her sister, Mrs. Clara Smith of Rockland, left Wednesday for Florida for the winter. Mrs. Smith joining the group in New York.

Mrs. Philip R. Greenleaf was hostess to her club Thursday night with Mrs. Edgar Libby, Mrs. Irving Condon, Mrs. Aaron Clark, Mrs. Frederick Jordan present.

Herbert Lewis suffered a broken wrist Tuesday night during basketball practice.

A one-act play "A Christmas Lesson" will be presented Wednesday night by the "Cause We Like It" 4-H Club at the Baptist vestry. The cast consists of Winifred Williams, Virginia Foster, Hester Foster, Winifred MacFarland, Christine Hysom, Donald Reilly, and George Little. In addition to the play there will be songs and recitations, and the program is under direction of the club leader, Miss Margaret Hysom, and assistant leader Mrs. Robert MacFarland. Proceeds go toward a fund for uniforms for the club members.

Mrs. Arthur J. Elliott has bought the Overlook house on Knox street and will remodel it.

Mrs. Blanchard T. Orne and Mrs. Herbert H. Newbert were guests of Mrs. Clara May of Rockland recently. Mrs. Clara May of Rockland being the other guest to make up a table of bridge. Mrs. Newbert was awarded first prize and Mrs. Payson second.

James P. O'Neill, son of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Neill, celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary Monday by entertaining a group of friends at his home. Table decorations were pink and white, with two beautifully-decorated birthday cakes as the centerpiece. The guests were James and John Dana, Audrey Young, Ila Gasper, Joanne and Edward Vinal, Donald Thorndike, and Mrs. Clark Staples and son Bernard, of Rockland.

Lois Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oret Robinson of Castine and Thomaston has received word from National Headquarters of the Girl Scouts that she is to receive the Golden Eagle award. Miss Robinson is to be congratulated on having merited this award, greatly to be desired by any Girl Scout.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacFarland and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Risteen passed last Saturday in Portland.

The Monday Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Herbert H. Newbert this week. Mrs. Marian Williams receiving the prize for high score, and Miss Eliza Whitney the consolation. Mrs. Blanchard Orne was the other guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Kinney and son Willis of Rockland were guests Sunday of Mrs. Kinney's parents Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newbert.

Mrs. E. B. Biggers was hostess Tuesday to nine members of the Federated Circle. These officers were elected: President, Mrs. Weston A. Young; vice president, Mrs. Stanley Macgowan; secretary, Mrs. Hubert P. Leach; treasurer, Mrs. Orvel F. Williams. Tea was served and Mrs. Young invited the Circle to meet at her home Jan. 10.

Ellis Copeland, who for the past few months has made his home with his sister, Mrs. E. K. Winchenbach, went Wednesday to Boston, enroute to Savannah, Ga., for the winter. He was accompanied as far as Boston by Mrs. Winchenbach and her daughter Mrs. Lella Smalley, who are to remain several days staying at the Parker House during their stay.

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## CAMDEN

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Mrs. Stella Lenfest and Mrs. Virginia Stetson.

A basketball game last night in Camden between Boothbay Harbor K. P. and Camden Y.M.C.A. resulted in the score: Camden 39, Boothbay Harbor 31. In a Junior Varsity game between the same teams Boothbay won 36 to 28.

## Snow Bowl Carnival

At a meeting of the Outing Club held Thursday night at the Y.M.C.A. the dates of the Winter Carnival were set for Feb. 19, 20, 21, and 22. Plans are in the making for a Carnival bigger and better than ever, the details of which will be released at a later date.

The Lodge House is now open daily and winter sports fans are anxiously awaiting winter weather. The finishing touches are being put on the Ski Tow which will be ready at the first snow storm. A crew of men worked all summer and fall on the ski slope and it is now without question the finest skiing area in Maine.

A new path has been made to the top of the 'obscure' slide making a much easier climb.

These committees have been elected: Executive, Harold Corthell.

M. Alton French, Helen Montgomery; Robert Dexter, Joseph Sylvester, Harry Wolcott, William F. Packard, Harold H. Nash, Ernest Crie, Albert McCarty, Clayton Smith, Walter Gay, William Thomas, Philip Annas, Shirley Young, James Chandler, Mildred Holmes, Dr. George E. Pullen, J. Hugh Montgomery, house, Milford Payson, Edick Anderson, Oliver Weaver, Dora Packard, Clara French, Gilbert Harmon, Mildred Rhodes, Beulah Turrell, Harold Nash, Louise Dunbar, Ruth Perry; housing, George H. Thomas, J. Hugh Montgomery, Percy Luce; publicity, E. Hamilton Hall, Frank Winslow, Standish Perry, Hope Gilmore, Elizabeth Foxwell; dance, Milford Payson, Charles C. Dalley, John Miller; sports, Albert McCarty, Frederick Richards, Lawrence Daley, Dwight Lord, Fred Mills, B. P. Matthews, Peter Nuccio, Walter Gay, Ray Rose; snowshoe trails, Martin Richards, Ralph Satterlee, A. V. Elmore; ski, Ernest Crie, Sanford Delano, Wallace Lovell, Sidney Harding, Wendall Blackman, Richard Karl, Robert Hills, J. Hugh Montgomery, Joseph Sylvester; entertainment, Dorothy Baker, Mrs. Eugene Rich, Fred Crockett, Robert R. Smith, Elmer Ture, Scott Roberts, Rose Boynton.

The Rebekah Lodge held a covered dish supper and meeting Wednesday night. District Deputy President, Miss Doris Hyer of Rockland was special guest.

The Women's Farm Bureau met Wednesday at Megunticook Grange hall for an all-day session. "Christmas Suggestions" was the topic of the meeting. Mrs. A. E. Greenleaf and Mrs. Charles E. Lord were on the dinner committee.

Charles Spruce is attending a meeting of the Maine Law Officers Identification Association in Auburn. The Auburn office will be host at the dinner and meeting at the DeWitt Hotel in Lewiston.

Ora Brown, Alton French and Harry Murray of Lincolnville are on a hunting trip at Molasses Pond.

Dr. Harry Tounge, Jr. who has been a patient at the Camden Community Hospital, went Wednesday to Boston where he will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. Dora Lindsey of Rockland spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Pitcher.

The Lions Club is holding its annual Charity Food Show Sunday at Congregational Church. All admissions will be by voluntary contributions of food or cash. The proceeds of the show are turned over to the Relief Association to be used in the Christmas welfare work. The theatre and films are donated to the Lions free of all cost, so all money and food taken in will be clear profit.

Mrs. Hugh Montgomery will entertain the Monday Club Dec. 19.

The Good Cheer Class will meet Tuesday night with Miss Helen Rich.

At the Methodist Church, Rev. Weston P. Holman, minister, worship Sunday will be at 10:30, subject of sermon, "He Shall Prosper," music under the direction of A. F. Sherman. Bible classes and Church School at 11:45, classes for all ages. Happy Hour service at 7 o'clock, praise service with talk by the pastor, subject "Begin with God." Mid-week devotional service in the vestry Thursday at 7 o'clock in charge of the pastor. Soloist, Miss Ruth Owen.

At the Baptist Church, W. F. Brown, minister, worship Sunday at 11; music by the double mixed quartet directed by Dr. Raymond Tibbets; sermon by Rev. Mr. Brown on "What on Earth Possesses You?" vespers at 7; large vested young people's choir; brief sermon, "Having Something to Fall Back On," Church School at 9:45; Young People's Forum at 6; mid-week devotional fellowship Thursday at 7:30.

Last Sunday 20 men had dinner together at the Baptist Church, and following dinner all enjoyed group singing and then a real live forum discussion led by Rev. W. F. Brown on "State Lottery." It was voted to have another meeting next month and a nominating committee will then report on the officers. Outside speakers will be engaged whenever possible.

The Friends-in-Council will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mildred Drown. A covered dish luncheon will be served with Mr. Drown and Mrs. Sallie Lord, hostesses.

The building on Atlantic Avenue formerly used by Daniel Proctor as a battery shop is being demolished.

Misses Joan Bird and Dorothy Lord of Westbrook Junior College arrived home today for the Christmas recess.

Schools closed Friday for the Christmas recess.

Election of officers was the important part of the meeting of the Outing Club Wednesday night. They are: Master, Harold H. Nash; overseer, Mrs. Mae Young; lecturer, Mrs. Lou LaDuette; steward, Harold Hartford; assistant steward, Harold Robinson; chaplain, Flora Wright; secretary, Mrs. Louise Walker; treasurer, J. Herbert Gould; Ceres, Mary Nash; Pomona, Mrs. Dorothy Knight, Flora, Mrs. Mildred Sheldon; L.A.S., Mrs. Bessie Robinson; member executive committee, Mrs. Hester Foster.

There will be a Christmas program at the meeting Wednesday with a tree and gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Carleton of Springfield are spending the Christmas recess with Mr. and Mrs. Finley Calder.

A Christmas operetta, "At Home With Santa Claus" will be presented at the Congregational Parish House Friday house Friday. The cast is Alfred Knowlton, Elizabeth Fitcher, Harriet Arnold, Katherine Glanzel, Paul Thorndike, Myrtle Marshall, Katherine Libby, Richard Clough, Harold Arnold. A large supporting cast of children take part as fairies, eskimos, explorers. The operetta is under the direction of

## FRIENDSHIP

These who attended the inspection and banquet at Crescent Temple, Pythian Sisters Friday in Warren were: Josephine Lawry and daughter Eda, Olivia Hoffes, Adelia Jameson, Edna Packard, Gertrude Oliver, Daisy Simmons, Sadie Brann, Gene Simmons and Millie Merton of Friendship Temple, Pythian Sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Winchenbach, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wardell MacFarland and Llewellyn Oliver attended the supper Friday in Nobleboro.

Rufus Condon is confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Massachusetts are occupying the Rev. Samuel Clark house for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Morse entertained at dinner recently Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lawry and daughter Eda and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sterling.

A shower was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur MacFarland recently by friends. They received a number of useful presents. Refreshments were served and a happy evening was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morse were Fort Clyde visitors recently.

Capt. and Mrs. Daniel Mullin and family of New Bedford called on Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur A. Morse and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lawry recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Whitney and Katherine Jameson have closed their home here for the winter and are in Thomaston where they will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starnett.

John Fales of Cushing who is in ill health is being cared for at the home of his daughter, Geneva Thompson.

A family surprise party was tendered recently to Mrs. Gene Brannhall in honor of her birthday. Refreshments were served and the guest of honor received many useful presents.

Mrs. Helen Cushman is visiting relatives in Fitchburg, Mass.

Mrs. Helen Wotton and Mrs. Olivia Hoffes recently went to Massachusetts. The former will visit her daughter Mrs. Nellie Brizer in Danvers and Mrs. Hoffes will go to Newton where she will have employment with the Peetman family.

For a Christmas gift, why not choose a box of our Stationery for men and women? With name and address on sheets and envelopes or monogram on sheets and address on envelopes, priced at \$1.00 to \$1.50 a box. We have some very attractive boxes to select from at The Courier-Gazette office. Three-day service guaranteed.—adv.

## THOMASTON BOWLERS

(Final Standing First Half)

	P. F.	W.	L.	P.C.
Cubs	21,100	93.78	34	20
Pirates	21,119	93.66	29	25
Giants	20,189	91.77	28	26
Reds	19,956	90.71	17	37

	High individual total	D.V.S.
High team total	Cubs, 2412	High
High individual single	Paquin, 128	High
High team single	Cubs, 530	High
High match total	Giants-Pirates, 4720	

	Individual Averages	Strings P.P. Ave.
Robbins	45	4491
Davis	45	4414
Smalley	45	4351
Young	45	4319
F. Black	35	3351
Hastings	40	3783
Paquin	45	4230
Grafton	45	4219
Grover	45	4215
Dummy	33	3089
Felt	45	4211
Dana	40	3733
Elliott	45	4152
Strout	27	2470
Lynch	45	4084
Stetson	45	4070
Stevens	45	3994
Pierpont	45	3992
Burnham	5	442
Williams	5	439
Chaples	40	3503
Newbert	40	3499
G. Black	5	435
Woodcock	35	2878

	Matches this week—Giants 4	Pirates 2	Cubs 5	Reds 1
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## ROCKPORT

LIDA G. CHAMPNEY  
Correspondent

Tel. 2279

Miss Lillian Bates of Rockland will be the leader at the 6 o'clock service of the Young People's Society Christian Endeavor Sunday night at the Baptist Church. All are welcome.

Mrs. Nellie R. Ballard left Friday for Portland to visit her son Delmont, who is a patient at the Maine General Hospital, where Monday he underwent a surgical operation. He is making satisfactory recovery.

Mrs. Ballard will also visit her daughter-in-law, who is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Leighton at Yarmouth, during Mr. Ballard's illness.

Miss Marion Weidman returned Friday from Quincy, Mass., where she has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnston the past month.

Miss Millicent Roberts is employed at the home of Prin. George Cunningham while Mrs. Cunningham is a patient at Community Hospital.

The Community Christmas tree has a new setting this year being placed in the center of the newly constructed island at the junction of Union and Limerock streets and Russell avenue, which is an ideal location, showing the beautifully decorated tree to the best advantage from all angles. It will be lighted for the first time tonight.

An all-day meeting of the Baptist Ladies' Circle was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. B. H. Paul. Dinner at noon was followed by the tacking of a quilt.

Miss Elizabeth Hunt of the High School faculty, is in Hebron to spend the school vacation with her parents.

At the Baptist Church Sunday, Rev. J. P. Hysong, pastor services will begin with morning worship at 11 o'clock, subject, "The Faith of the Children of Israel;" Sunday School at 12; Christian Endeavor at 6 p.m.; evening service at 7 p.m. sermon subject "A Christmas Challenge." The members of the church choir and Sunday School will present a Christmas pageant at the vestry Monday night followed by a tree.

At the Methodist Church: Church School will meet at 10; at 11 the pastor's theme will be "Emanuel." The hymns by the choir will be "Glory to God" by Lane. Epworth League at 6 and at 7 will be an "Evening with our Christmas Hymns." The Ladies Aid Society will not meet the coming week; but the Johnson Society will meet at the church Wednesday. There will be no mid-week service Thursday but the choir will use the evening for mission of singing carols, starting at 6 o'clock. The Christmas Tree and program of the Church School will be given Friday.

Financial Report of Carnival

At a meeting of the Carnival Regatta Association held Wednesday night at Town hall about 50 members and interested citizens gathered to hear the report on the carnival held last August and to take action on various matters regarding same.

Pres. E. Stewart Orbelton, president and Frederick Richards, treasurer, explained the financial report distributed among those present which showed total receipts from the carnival \$2829.91, total expense \$7898.62, leaving a profit of \$391.55.

The Board of Directors, which has the power of deciding how the profits shall be distributed, voted that the required 10% be added to the sinking fund as usual, \$100 be given to the R.H.S. educational fund and the remainder be applied toward the Senior Class Washington trip.

To make up the full amount required for the trip, which is approximately \$800, the Senior Class will contribute \$100 and the balance will be borrowed from the carnival sinking fund. The meeting was adjourned to the first week in January, the date set for the annual meeting.

## NO. BURKETTVILLE

Miss Marguerite Malay and friend of Rockland passed Sunday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Malay.

Mrs. Stella Simmons and daughter Mrs. Abbie Rowell were callers Tuesday afternoon at the Robert Esancy home.

Roy Turner of North Washington visited recently at Irving Turner's. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ireland were Union visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones and family of Razoville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Esancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubert Leisher and children were callers Sunday evening at Nelson Calderwood's in Union. Mr. Leisher and Arthur Leisher were recent business callers in North Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Linscott, son Richard, daughters Margaret and Thelma were visitors Sunday at the homes of Nelson Calderwood and Clarence Whitney in Union.

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## WASHINGTON

Among those from here who attended the annual session of Maine State Grange were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ludwig, Maude Overlock, Doris Miller, Ruth Boynton and Lurline Davis.

Miss Gloria Hibbert and friend from New York are spending a month's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hibbert.

Members of Fon-du-lac Chapter O.E.S. who were guest night visitors Friday of Golden Rod Chapter in Rockland were Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Turner, Mrs. Nellie Crocker, Frances Crocker, Mrs. Nellie Lincoln, Marguerite Lincoln, Mrs. Louise Ames, Rosetta Sidelinger, Josephine Finley, Dorothy Creamer, Elizabeth Weaver, Clara Overlock, Sanford Cargill, and W. M. Lilla Piermont who filled the office of Ada in the exemplification of the work. The visitors were royally welcomed and entertained by the host Chapter whose members are famous for their hospitality.

Maurice Witham of Pittston was guest Sunday of his cousin Mrs. Josephine Finley.

The supper and sale held recently at the Grange hall by the Ladies Guild was successful, the sum of \$39 being taken which will be used to pay for repairing the stained glass windows in the church and other repairs.

Mrs. Annie Overlock of Liberty was awarded a quilt.

Schools closed Friday for a two weeks' Christmas vacation.

Harold E. Fossett of Union was in town on business recently.

Lawrence I. Norton, former resident of the town, was here recently looking up old time neighbors and friends.

GROSS NECK

Mrs. Alfred Waltz was a recent Rockland visitor.

Mrs. William Thorne has returned from Sidney, N. Y.

Mrs. Eldora Gross, Mrs. Alice Genthner and son Melvin spent an evening recently with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Nash of West Waldoboro.

Clarence Richards was a recent Portland visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Engley and daughter Christine have been visiting Mrs. Engley's parents Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Storer of Boothbay.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Burns and son of Round Pond were callers Sunday at Melvin Genthner's.

Miss Villa Stahl of Broad Cove spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Eldora Gross.

Miss Pauline Eugley who is employed at Waldoboro passed Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eugley.

James Winchenbach of West Waldoboro was guest last Saturday at Melvin Genthner's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stahl of Broad Cove visited Sunday with Mrs. Stahl's parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Geele.

Fred Libby of Thomaston was a caller Monday at Melvin Genthner's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eugley and Mr. Charles L. Eugley were Rockland visitors recently.

## In Everybody's Column

## LOST AND FOUND

LADY'S Black leather pocketbook lost Wednesday on Main St., Rockland. Reward. JOHN D. MITCHELL and Friendship. 150-152

WHITE split dog lost, answers to name of "Chippy." Reward. F. M. HOLLOWELL, 40



# SOCIETY

Gordon Crowley is home from Kents Hill to spend a fortnight's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crowley.

Frank Stone of the Rockland Nash Company is home from the Deaconess Hospital, much improved.

A. W. Richards of 14 Bay View square was out Tuesday for the first time in nearly two months, having been ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Swanson of Clark Island and Mr. and Mrs. Snow Hall, have recently returned from a hunting trip near Beddington, where they enjoyed the novelty of a log cabin.

Sam Levy was in the city Wednesday to attend the opening of the Rainbow Room at the new Thorn-dike. He will make his home in Bath this winter.

Mrs. Raymond Bird has returned to Boston for the winter after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Babb in Camden.

Miss Gladys Elthorn was hostess to 14 members of Chapin Class, this week, a busy evening of Christmas serving, being followed by a delightful social time. The meeting of next week will be omitted, Mrs. Leola Wiggins will be hostess Dec. 27.

Sleeper Bible Class meets Monday with Mrs. A. L. Hall, Masonic street.

Mrs. Snow Hall and sister Mrs. Helen Ahl, are spending a week in Boston.

Rockland Chapter of Hadassah gave a card party Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alan Grossman. Willow street. Honors were won by Miss Evelyn Segal, Mrs. Rose Poust, Miss Sarah Block and Mrs. Ethel Gordon. Another party will be given next week, the hostess to be announced.

"Topsy" Bird came Friday from Noble-Greenough School, to spend the Christmas recess with his mother Mrs. Ella Bird.

Junior Harmony Club members made merry at a Christmas party Thursday night at Community Building. A tree, decorated with tinsel and colored ornaments, which was placed in the center of the stage was laden with attractively wrapped gifts. Christmas carols were sung and a variety of refreshments served. The 24 members present included Barbara Lassell, Harriet and Edith Clark, Ruth Emery, Betty Holmes, Louise Veazie, Ruth McMahon, Margaret and Beverly Havener, Pauline Spear, Martha Leeman, Ruth Spear, Bertha Coombs, Elaine Poust, Eloise Law, Leona Wellman, Melzine McCaslin, Mary Farrand, Charlotte Murphy, Arlene Fickett, Veronica Murphy, Eleanor Shute and Esther Munro. Because of illness Eileen Beach and Dorothy Havener were unable to attend, their gifts being taken to them by friends.

Sarah Linnell Hat Shop, Copper Kettle, Hand Bags, for Christmas gifts, \$3.00 and \$5.00. Scarfs, \$1.00 and \$1.95—adv. 149-152

"Dishes for the Christmas Table," a timely article for the housewife by Mary Lee Swann is featured in the American Weekly Magazine with the Dec. 18th issue of the Boston Sunday Advertiser.

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## PORT CLYDE

The Pastor will deliver a message at the Baptist chapel at 2 o'clock Sunday. The Bible School will convene at 3 p. m.; Christian Endeavor service at 6 p. m.; Miss Edith Holmberg leader. The evening service will be in the church on the Ridge. The Sunday School children give a Christmas entertainment and tree Thursday night at the church. There will be recitations by the children, singing by a young people's choir, and a Christmas tree.

## TENANT'S HARBOR

Mrs. Fern Rice and Miss Ruth Peterson were called here recently by the sudden death of their father, Capt. Reid R. Peterson.

Mrs. Jane Wall who is ill, is being cared for by Margaret Thompson.

Fred Watts made a business trip recently to Lewiston.

Joseph Hooper Jr. passing a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Emma Lane who is ill.

Miss Eva Torrey and Mrs. Ella Davis motored Wednesday to Rockland.

Lawrence Rawley has employment in Rockland for a few days.

Lobstermen have their traps on the bank until spring.

Mrs. Mildred Moss is caring for her father, Weston Wiley, who is ill.

Charles Henderson has returned home from New Hampshire where he has had employment.

The Rebekah Lodge served supper to the Odd Fellows on the evening of the installation.

John Reid has returned from Boston, where she said goodbye to her sister-in-law Mrs. Annie Tocher and family, when they sailed Dec. 10 for Scotland on the S. S. Caledonia.

Frank Long is convalescing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allison Morris after return from Knox Hospital.

Mrs. Ella Pease who underwent an operation at Knox Hospital has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barter and Mrs. Elizabeth Barter were pleasantly surprised at their home Monday night by "Oor Ain Club," the occasion being a housewarming and celebration of "Aunt Libby's" 89th birthday. The evening was spent in singing the old time hymns so dear to her heart and her alto voice could be plainly heard among the singers.

The Barter's received many useful gifts, after which a buffet lunch was served by Mrs. William Imbach and Mrs. Alfred Rocking.

## Church Notes

"Behold the Man Christ Jesus" will be the pastor's sermon subject in the third service of the series "Beholding Christ." The choir of Mrs. Elizabeth Barter will sing the anthem "Crown Him Lord of All" by J. J. Brown. The Bible School meets immediately following the worship service.

The Happy Hour of Music and Message service will present a program devoted to the singing and stories of Christmas carols. The readings will be given by Agnes Sive-wright, Adelle Hawkins, Jennie Wiley and Virginia White. Musical selections and accompaniments will be interpreted by the instruments and congregational singing.

The men's class through the kindness of Rev. J. Charles MacDonald of Rockland spent an enjoyable evening Monday. After a covered-dish supper Rev. Mr. MacDonald showed the pictures of his travels the past summer.

## MEDOMAK

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore McLain and daughter Pauline spent Friday in Rockland.

Mrs. Astor Willey passed several days recently with her sister Mrs. Clarence Eugley in Waldoboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shuman visited Sunday with Mrs. Burgess Simmons in Friendship.

Thomas Carter spent last weekend with Mrs. Carter in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shuman and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shuman were supper guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Walter in Waldoboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Genthner and children were visitors last Saturday in Rockland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Osier and children were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Keene at Glendon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shuman are visiting their children in Camden.

Mrs. Martha Simmons was recent guest of her mother in Lewiston.

Harold Collamore visited his aunt, Mrs. Astor Miller in Dutch Neck recently.

The huge gift stock of Edward O'Brien, totalling \$5000 is offered in a great Christmas sale at 1-3 to 1-2 reduction. Probably Rockland never saw such an opportunity to buy gifts of rare distinction at such sharply reduced prices. Visit the beautiful Gonia store 467 Main street and see for yourself.—adv.

## Have Gone To Paris

**Hooray, the Lindberghs Are Not Going To Live In Germany**

Friends of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh said that he had taken an apartment in Paris and settled down with his family for the winter.

The American flyer had found his house on the Breton island of Illece off the northern French coast, impracticable as a winter home. In Paris he hoped to find the peace and seclusion he had sought since leaving the United States two years ago to live first in England then in France.

Mrs. Lindbergh has engaged a nurse to care for their two small sons. The Lindberghs' establishment of a home in Paris appeared to put an end to reports that they intended to move to Berlin.

## Gets College Honor

Election of Anne Morrow Lindbergh, now residing in Cotes-Du-Nord, France, of the Smith College class of 1923, as alumnae member in the Zeta of Massachusetts Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic society, was announced Thursday.

Mrs. Lindbergh, wife of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, received an honorary M. A. degree from Smith in 1935. She is the author of "Listen, The Wind," and "North To The Orient."

## MRS. WILLIAM C. LUFKIN

Mrs. Maude Agnes, wife of William C. Lufkin, of Glen Cove, died suddenly Dec. 7. She attended the First Baptist Church service the previous Sunday forenoon, and taught her class of boys in the primary department of the church school as usual, but was taken sick that afternoon and went to the hospital. While her health had not been good, it was not supposed that her condition was at all serious.

The deceased was born April 16, 1873, in Rockland, one of a family of 11 children born to "Elder" Ansel D. and Henrietta (Varney) Farnham, and spent her life in Rockland until 29 years ago when she moved to Glen Cove.

She was married to Herbert W. Sherer Jan. 1, 1895, their daughter, Eva Louise, was born on Jan. 13, 1896, and Mr. Sherer died about a year later. She became the wife of William C. Lufkin April 2, 1901, and about 19 years of their married life was spent at "Roxmont" where Mr. Lufkin was superintendent of the estate of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Law of New York. Her daughter died Jan. 13, 1929. Mrs. Lufkin's hopes and interests were so largely centered in her daughter that she never fully recovered from the blow. Eva had been happily married to Lewis C. Tatham (now principal of Erskine Academy in South China, Maine) and their two children, Pauline Maude and Lewis Charles Tatham Jr., now respectively Senior and Freshman in Rockport High School, came to make their home with their grandmother, Mrs. Lufkin. She became a mother to them in every sense of the word.

Mrs. Lufkin attended Rockland Commercial College and for several years was head bookkeeper for the Ordway Plaster Company in Camden. She was at one time accompanist for a male quartet made up of four of her brothers who used to sing in the Rockville church. She had been an officer of the Loyal Temperance League at Glen Cove and an officer of Nelson Dingley Lodge, I.O.G.T., at Rockland.

She joined the Rockland Christian Advent Church when 12 and thereafter became a member of the First Baptist Church in 1915. She had been treasurer of the church school, had taught the class mentioned for several years and had previously been a teacher in the Junior department of the school.

Mrs. Lufkin was especially devoted to her home and immediate family and was much depended upon by her husband's mother, Mrs. Sarah F. Lufkin, who lives nearby and is now alone in years and in poor health. Her life has been spent for those that she loved, and in the work of her church.

Others who survived Mrs. Lufkin besides those mentioned are three brothers, Ansel A. Farnham, Rochester, N. H.; Herbert D. Farnham, Belfast, Rev. Charles O. Farnham, D. D., Worcester, and two sisters, Mrs. Ernest W. Dunklee, South Vernon, Vt., and Mrs. Maurice R. Snow, Rockland.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church Sunday Rev. J. Charles MacDonald officiating. The large attendance and a profusion of beautiful flowers testified to the love and regard in which the deceased was held. Four of the bearers were the same who served at the funeral of Mrs. Lufkin's daughter—Charles E. Gregory, Stanley D. Gregory, Maurice R. Snow and Everett W. Humphrey; the two others being Millard W. Hart and Kenneth A. Hooper. Interment was in Achorn cemetery.

Those from out of town attending the funeral included Herbert D. Farnham, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Dunklee and son Courtland, and Lewis C. Tatham, Sr.

Frank H. Ingraham

Once in a while comes a gift suggestion that is a "natural." We submit: A three-pound box of those delicious Fuller-Cobb-Davis candies at \$2 in the famous black and white box. Mail orders filled. Tel. 564. The Candy Corner, 373 Main St., Rockland. This special reduction in price is on the three-pound boxes only, and lasts until Christmas—ad.

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## This And That



By K. S. F.

Dyeing of rabbit skins to look like opossum, raccoon, skunk, muskrat and fox, is called a threat to Indiana's \$500,000 fur business.

What a perfect move the Methodist unification plans are, Christian unity is what must be at the end of all things, or else—The last word is that the three forms of Methodism are to meet in Kansas City in the spring and leaders are of the opinion that one church will be the cutgrowth.

There is a delightful country club at Wellesley, Mass., and at one time the Needham Poorhouse was located on those beautiful grounds. Probably they need no poorhouse nowadays.

Scotchman, at stable: "I wish to rent a horse."

Groom: "How long?"

Scotchman: "The longest you've got; there be five of us going."

Believe it or not, a tribe of Bedouins of Southern Arabia do not eat salt.

And here comes the Coast and Geologic Survey Compiler who says that the United States is having earthquakes on an average of about once a month. Most of the quakes cause little damage, he says, and receive little notice, but no section of the nation is altogether free of them. This history states that a tremor terrified the Pilgrim Fathers at Plymouth in 1638.

"It's a racket, but pleasant," says Miss Eleanor Roosevelt, at her debut party in Washington.

A very warm and a very wet year is the record that 1938 pins to the wall for remembrance.

Teacher: "William, construct a sentence using the word, 'archaic.'"

William: "We can't have archaic and eat it, too."

Who said, "It's well to have an aim in life but we must expect to use up some ammunition before we hit the mark of the high calling?"

Someone wonders if the former Kaiser at Doorn isn't pretty sorry his empire was lost to him by overzealousness and if this Hitler man isn't soon to overstep.

Farmer: "You must be brave to come down with a parachute in a gale like this."

Stranger: "I didn't come down with the parachute. I went up with the tent."

Washington's foreign consular and diplomatic service lists of women are very few. They have not responded to the allure of entering this line of service. Only seven women have entered since the first one qualified in 1922 and only two women will remain in the service after this year.

In the old days on the Cape in Massachusetts, the worst foes were not Indians but crows and blackbirds, which caused so much damage to crops that in 1669 the law demanded that each household kill 12 blackbirds and three crows each year.

Vicar: "And what is your name, my little man?"

Small boy: "Well, if that ain't the limit. Why, it was you who Christened me!"

"Our lives are albums written through

With good or ill, false or true,

And as the blessed angels turn

The pages of our years,

God grant they read the good with smiles

And blot the ill with tears."

"Such delicious cakes" gushed the man at the table of a friend, "I really do not know how many I have had."

"Six," piped up the young son who was allowed only one.

What a beautiful spirit the Rubinstein Club has shown in its concert and benefit for the Hospital.

Merry Christmas is what Main street cheerfully calls to all who pass up this brilliantly and beautiful display of genuine Christmas spirit. One should give three rousing cheers to the City Fathers and the Central Maine Power Co.

"Would you be afraid to hunt lions with a club, Bill?"

"Not if there were enough members in the club," said Bill.

Who knows? Common sense may eventually save the world, as a great industrialist says, but isn't it going to be kind of hard to get any two persons to agree as to who's got any?

Being asked the name of the world's greatest composer, a smart young man answered "Chloroform."

Such a splendid response has come from interested people who realize the needs of Knox Hospital. The general donations are greatly appreciated.

He: "Last Christmas the Lodgerzes gave us something and we didn't them, but that was because we gave them the year before and they didn't give us. What do you think they will do this year?"

## A Preview Of Maine

**Work Has Begun On State's Exhibit At The New York World's Fair**

Construction on Maine's exhibit for the New York World's Fair was started in Augusta Thursday following the adoption of plans by the Maine Development Commission.

The exhibit, the first to represent Maine at any world's fair, will portray the recreational, agricultural and industrial advantages of the State, officials said. It is being built under the direction of Klir Beck, of Mount Vernon, who, last year, constructed the Maine exhibit at the New York and Boston sportsman's shows that drew national attention.

Commission officials said they were confident that the Maine exhibit will be one of the most popular at the Fair. It will occupy a space of 4,500 feet in the Court of States, a beautiful set of buildings in an excellent location in the fair grounds.

Instead of being a drab lifeless affair, the Maine exhibit, officials said, will be "a little piece of Maine picked up bodily and transported to New York."

"Life will go on in this exhibit just the same as it does in the State itself," one official explained.

"Visitors will see and hear, the pounding of surf on our beautiful coastline. They will see, and hear, the bustle of activity of our industrial life. They will see miniature lakes, streams, and forests as well as a portrayal of our agricultural life. The scent of pine and balsam will pervade the atmosphere much as it does in Maine."

So that show visitors may see the new Maine from the perspective of the old, they will view the exhibit from a rustic open-sided covered bridge. This perspective will also lend reality as by looking slightly down and into the distance the spreading panorama will assume lifelike proportions.

As the visitor enters the building he will find, on his right, a modernistic information booth at which thoroughly trained attendants will be able to answer any question regarding any and all of Maine's attractions. They will also dispense copies of a special booklet prepared by the Maine Development Commission for the fair entitled, "Maine, The Place to Work, Live and Play."

Going from the booth onto the bridge and looking out over the exhibit to his right, the visitor will, without a doubt, pinch himself to be sure that he has not been transported back to Maine on a magic carpet.

At the right of the exhibit, and off in the distance, he will see rollers coming in from the open ocean and breaking in a burst of spray on the shore. He will not also see the surf but he will actually hear it as "sound effects" will be used to create the characteristic "boom" of the sea, officials said.

In the same general locality will be a typical Maine beach decorated by gay sun umbrellas and other adjuncts of beach life. Hotels and summer homes such as are found in Maine will complete the scene.

In the center of the exhibit, a miniature Maine lake containing fish and beaver will be in the foreground. In the background will be a miniature forest-covered mountain animated birds and animals made to scale will focus attention to the State's wildlife.

At the left, the visitor will see factories and mills typical of Maine industry. Smoke will pour from the chimneys of these establishments and they will, to all intents and purposes, be busily engaged in turning out the many and varied products that are made in the State.

In front of these industrial buildings will be a bridge over which a locomotive will puff along hauling a long line of cars. On the sides of these cars will be written the name of a different Maine product. After pausing at the factories, the train will disappear into a tunnel bound for the world's markets.

Tumbling down from the industrial buildings and emptying into the lake will be a waterfall typifying the marvelous waterpower resources that Maine possesses.

While a description of this panoramic view may sound as though the exhibit was made of many disjointed scenes, this is not the case. It is a smoothly flowing panorama without any perceptible breaks to mar the effect.

After he has looked this scene over the visitor will find an about face to peer over the other side of the bridge. Here he will find a scent designed to call attention to Maine's agricultural and seafood products.

The scene is a dock where a miniature steamship rocks gently to the swell of the sea. On the dock, ready to be shipped will be every farm product raised in the State. Lobster traps, nets hung out to dry and two fishing smacks in the middle distance will call attention to Maine seafoods. The slap of the sea against the pilings and the creaking of the rigging and mooring lines will be sound effects that will add realism to this scene.

Before leaving the Maine building, the visitors will have an authentic "preview" of what Maine is really like.

He will have found out its many and varied attractions as a place in which to live, work and play.

**MONDAY-TUESDAY**

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## Castine Normal

Sunday afternoon, Dec. 11 a very effective Christmas pageant was given at the Federated Church by the Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs of E.S.N.S. There were ten students from Rockland and vicinity taking part. Margaret Rogers of Rockland played a leading part and Roger Dow of Wiscasset was organist throughout the pageant. The girls took the parts of villagers, angels and organ choir, and the boys, shepherds and innkeepers. The Federated Church was packed with a large and appreciative audience. The pageant, a musical dramatization of the Birth of Christ, very successfully portrayed the true Christmas spirit.

Archie Nickerson, ex'37, of Belfast is teaching in Union as a substitute teacher under Supt. Frank D. Rowe.

Freshman Harry McGinley is wearing a satisfied smile these days. Brother Frank L. McGinley has recently been elected president of the Maine Federated Sportsman's Clubs.

Principal Hall has recently received a letter from his sister, Martha, formerly employed by The Security Trust Company of Rockland and now with the Hawaiian Trust Company of Honolulu, stating that she has recently had the pleasure of meeting Esther Bird of Rockland and incidentally expressing her appreciation of the home news received regularly through The Courier-Gazette.

The marked success of "The County Fair," a hilariously good time social event, held in the E.S. N.S. gymnasium last Saturday evening, was due to the industry and executive ability of Lois Robinson of Thomaston, general chairman, "pinch hitting" no short notice for Betty King of Ellsworth.

Ermo H. Scott an E.S.N.S. faculty member now on leave at New York University and a former school correspondent to The Courier-Gazette, writes that he has successfully passed the preliminary examinations admitting him as a candidate for the Degree of Doctor in Education from N.Y.U.

Rockland Lions will be interested to know that the Anniversary Charter Night of the Castine Lions Club will be held today.

What better Christmas present than The Courier-Gazette? Three times a week, every week in the year it will bring all the home news to the recipient and to a kindly thought of you, the donor. Simply send \$3 to The Courier-Gazette, Rockland, and we will do the rest including the mailing at Christmas time of an attractive Yuletide gift card bearing your name as the giver. 146-159

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## MRS. ARTHUR PETERS

Frances M. wife of Arthur E. Peters, died at her home on Florence street Sunday, after an illness of three months. The deceased was born in Warren, March 16 1858 and had spent most of her long life in Rockland where she was twice married. Her first husband was Frederick Corneau, who died six years after their marriage. She had lived 39 years with her second husband, Mr. Peters.

Her life was filled with kind deeds, as the entire neighborhood can testify. And when her own day of sickness came—the emergency which demands friends—they responded without call, and her last days were cheered by their presence and ministrations.

Mrs. Peters is survived by her husband, one son, Frederick W. Corneau of Boston; and two half brothers, Ezekiel Nelson of Rockland and William Nelson of Bangor. Services were held at the Burpee Funeral Home yesterday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Guy Wilson officiating. The interment was in Sea View cemetery.

For Holiday Happiness wear a new dress, or give a dress for Christmas. Dresses greatly reduced for Christmas week, beginning Saturday, Dec. 17. All sales final. Alfreda Perry, 17 Limerock street.—adv. 151-152

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## GUARDIANS OF OUR COAST

What our lightkeepers and coast guardsmen are doing to protect coastwise shipping by day and by night. The day's news from many lonely outposts along Maine's waterfront.

**THE SPAR GROWTH**  
(For The Courier-Gazette)  
Come and walk with me today  
To those times of carefree joys  
When we again were boys  
In that seaside village life  
With its bustling shipping life.  
Allison M. Watts  
Jamaica, Vt.

**Ocean Chasms**  
Chasms deeper than the Grand Canyon of the Colorado have been discovered in the bed of the ocean by the sonic depth finder.  
One of these submarine canyons, perhaps cut by a prehistoric river that flowed down the ancient continental slope, lies off the coast of California and is 70 miles long and from 6,000 to 8,000 feet beneath the "plateau" of the sea floor.  
Another, the Chotsui Pit canyon near the Philippines, is 9,600 feet deep.  
These abysses can be accurately measured by the sonic depth finder, which listens to the "echo" of sound reflected from the ocean bed and translates time into distance.

**Portland Head**  
F. O. Hill called Sunday on Keeper C. G. Dyer in Portland.  
Robert Sterling Jr. is busy filling orders for Christmas cards and pictures.

Jack Robinson was overnight guest Wednesday of "Bill" Morrison Capt. Cottage.

Mrs. Robert Fickett and daughter were callers Sunday evening at the home of R. T. Sterling.

Misses Patricia and Earlene Grant of Cape Elizabeth were guests of Mr. F. O. Hill Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dow were recent callers at the station.

Mrs. Charles Sterling of Peaks Island visited Wednesday with Mrs. R. T. Sterling.

Rev. H. G. Clark and Mrs. Clark of South Portland called Tuesday on Mrs. S. G. Robinson.

The Sea Coast Mission boat Sunbeam and the new superintendent Rev. Neal D. Boudle came to Portland Monday on its annual Santa Claus mission and sailed east Tuesday.

R. T. Sterling attended funeral services in Portland last Saturday for Hon. William White one of the firm of White Bros., South Port-

land. Mr. White will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends.  
Robert Sterling Jr., Jack Robinson, "Bill" Morrison and Willard Hill attended the Fort Theatre Sunday evening. After the show they were joined by Arthur Harlow and Westley Wentworth at the home of W. R. Hill where a birthday anniversary luncheon was served.  
"A Guardian's Memories" was read with pleasure in last week's news column. Come again, Retired Keeper Mann.

### Good Hevings!

#### We Are Engaged In An Argument As To What Constitutes Cape Cod


Editor of The Black Cat:—  
Dec. 3 in The Courier-Gazette there appeared a story about Donald Bangs of the Coast Guard being transferred from Scituate, Mass., to White Head and the article set forth that he was one of the best-known Coast Guardsmen on Cape Cod.

That statement re-opened an ancient debate as to just what are the bounds of "the right arm of Massachusetts." Ever since the automobile made Cape Cod a popular vacation resort, and the interesting history of that venerable and extensive sandspit became widely known, more and more persons in communities that are really on the mainland are wont to refer to themselves as Cape Codders.

I didn't think, however, that any Scituate denizen would make such a claim, for that ancient town is no nearer Cape Cod than Scituate is to Rockland; in fact it is about 30 miles from the Cape Cod canal which may be said to bisect the cape from the main. Many persons regard Sandwich, a short distance below the canal, as the first town on the Cape proper. Wareham, Middleboro and perhaps Plymouth, are regarded by many as a part of Cape Cod but are not, though all are miles nearer it than Scituate.

Fred C. Green

## THE LYRIC MUSE



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**SOOTHING SOUNDS**  
(For The Courier-Gazette)  
The simple sounds that soothe the  
That quiet, and appraise,  
Are rainedrops on the roof  
In undisturbed keys,  
The crackling of a burning log  
A light with cozy glow;  
Contented purring of a cat  
Upon the hearth below;  
A steaming kettle's muffled song  
That lends a sleepy spell,  
The winter wind that wails without,  
When all within is well,  
All these we hear, are soothing strains  
Of drowsy melodies,  
And oh, the cozy warmth  
That comes from sounds like these!  
Jean Langille Rutherford  
Lubec

**HOLLY BERRIES**  
(For The Courier-Gazette)  
How red the holly berries gleam  
At window, door and mantle  
Without a wrap of ermine  
Spreads o'er fields and cottage gentle.  
The hedge rows like two stonage gentle  
Embellishments of marble.  
And every house has fringe of ice  
With icicles that sparkle,  
And every heart atone with song  
A carol for life's beauty.  
Every home the feast prolong  
With Christmas cheer and duty,  
While bells ring out the sacred chant:  
Christmas is the Christ Child's grant  
For peace on earth, good will to men.  
K. S. F.  
Rockland

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
(For The Courier-Gazette)  
"Merry Christmas!" angels sang,  
From the sky of midnight glory;  
"Merry Christmas!" gentle shepherds,  
Hear our joyous heavenly story.  
"Merry Christmas!" sang the star  
To the travelers tired, weary,  
"Merry Christmas, reverent Wise Men,  
Let your hearts be bright and cheery."  
"Merry Christmas!" cattle sang  
Standing round the stable manger,  
"Merry Christmas!" shepherds,  
Welcome, lovely little stranger.  
"Merry Christmas!" let us say  
By our words and our behavior,  
Shepherds, Wise Men, Joseph, Mary,  
All who know the Bethlehem Savior.  
Allison M. Watts  
Jamaica, Vt.

**BEST PART OF DAY**  
(For The Courier-Gazette)  
When the evening sun has settled  
Behind the ocean far away,  
And the purple shadows deepen  
Upon the stars come to play,  
When supper time is over  
And the tea things cleared away,  
That's the best part of the day,  
The best time of the day.  
When the children all are gathered  
Ed one with his book content  
Just to follow up the hero  
To see which way he went,  
Fascinated in his dreaming  
Thoughts of work are far away,  
That to me makes up the evening—  
The best part of the day.  
Mother gets her sewing  
And busily stitches away,  
That's what makes the evening  
The best part of the day.  
'Tis then I count my blessings  
For which millions cannot pay;  
For you see, they make my evenings  
The best part of the day.  
Margaret Elwell  
Spruce Head

**STARLIGHT**  
(For The Courier-Gazette)  
Last night I tried to count the stars  
So high above my head,  
As each gave forth its tiny light  
A radiance it spread  
Upon the night, and yet I know  
The brightest of them all  
Alone, could scarcely cast a beam  
Of light, it is so small.  
How like the stars we humans are,  
We need the kindly light  
That shines forth from each friendly  
face.  
To make our own more bright,  
And from an understanding heart  
Unselfish friendship give,  
Together we can make this world  
A better place to live.  
Rose B. Hupper  
Tenants Harbor

**MY FRIEND ROSE**  
(For The Courier-Gazette)  
I have a friend who is very dear,  
So sweet and kind and good,  
Whenever I've been troubled  
She has always understood,  
And given me a comforting word  
While her kind hand held mine close  
It seems as though I've never had  
A friend more dear than Rose.  
She has a million tasks to do,  
She's busy as a bee,  
From early morn till late at eve,  
Yet has always time to see,  
When friend is troubled or distressed,  
And to give a word of cheer,  
Or send a dainty gift of food  
When illness hovers near.  
Its friendship such as hers that gives  
To life its savor and its zest,  
For true friendship, come what may,  
Endures.  
And so I think I'm truly blest  
To have Rose as a friend,  
And pray that friendship will endure  
Right on unto the end.  
Nellie M. Ervine  
Tenants Harbor

**ANOTHER BEECHER STORY**  
North Waldoboro, Dec. 12  
Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—  
Am giving you the story that follows for your personal perusal or to use otherwise, as you deem best:  
There appeared in the "This and That" column an interesting story about one of Henry Ward Beecher's experiences when on a lecture tour, which reminds us of another read a long while ago. It was soon after the close of the Civil War when the relations between England and the United States were still much strained. Mr. Beecher was on a lecture tour through England, and one night speaking in London the audience began to heckle him. One man shouted:  
"You said you could subdue the South in three months, why didn't you do it?"  
With his characteristic quick repartee Mr. Beecher replied: "We could have had them Englishmen."  
W. R. Walter

The sales and show rooms of the Central Maine Power Co., 447 Main street, will be open evenings until Christmas.—adv.

## REALM OF MUSIC



by Gladys St. Clair Heistad

Before me is a program of the recital at the Peabody Institute of Music, Baltimore, by Felix Salmond, cellist, so well known to music lovers in this section, the program sent home by Francis Haven Jr. who is a voice student there with Frank Bibb. Mr. Salmond, who scored a tremendous hit, offered "Seven Variations on a Theme of Mozart" from "The Magic Flute" by Beethoven, Brahms' Sonata in F Major, op. 99; Debussy's Sonata in D minor; and in the group of four closing the program are noted "Pee en forme de Habanera" by Ravel, and "Berceuse" by Daniel Karpiowski, numbers which found such high favor in the Rockport Town Hall concert this past summer.

It is gratifying to know that Francis is doing very well at Peabody, with his teacher holding high hopes for him. He is fortunate in having a soloist position in a church choir at a salary, and also takes tickets at the door for all concerts, thus enabling him to hear the splendid artists the annual series embrace. We have high hopes for Francis, too. The combination of fine character, beautiful voice, musically feeling and ambition should take him far, and we feel he will not disappoint us. Mr. Bibb and his parents take the Rockland boy under their wing for "Thanksgiving and Christmas, not merely to provide a home for the holidays which otherwise would be lonely, but because they genuinely like and admire him.

A Worcester friend has had the good fortune to hear Myra Hess, famous pianist, and has written me of the event:

"Myra Hess—far better than I had anticipated is the highest praise I can offer, for I had anticipated much. Gracious and unassuming, wearing an evening gown of black with 'angel sleeves'—long loose lengths of cloth fastened at the shoulder and flowing along with her short train. Her hair was combed simply over her ears, and a small 'bun' at her neck. Wish you could have seen her arms and hands. The former well-shaped, muscular, the latter with long slender fingers that held great strength at times, and at other times fluttering over the keys like a butterfly's wing. Particularly true in the Beethoven Sonata (Opus 13) where she crossed her hands often. Sometimes the right played so strong and sure, with the left dancing lightly across to just dust the keys. Again the hands were reversed. Nothing spectacular, nothing of show-off. Just the grandest piano music by the most unassuming person I can imagine."

The Worcester Telegram had an intriguing editorial following the concert—I like it a lot:

"There is a certain pleasure in not knowing music. Although a thorough knowledge of it probably heightens enjoyment in some ways, it also must detract from the innocence of listening to a great pianist without worrying about his fingering and treatment of the numbers on his program. Music critics, who explode with praise for Miss Myra Hess, who played Monday night at Clark University, cannot know what fun it is to listen to Miss Hess without thinking about it. It is enough to know that her music sounds great, without having to figure out why it is great. Possibly with the unlearned persons of the audience in mind, Miss Hess chose familiar Chopin pieces for the latter part of her program. She played Valse Opus 18 which little girls who take music lessons have been insulting for years. When Miss Hess played it the piece became fresh. It made one feel that little girls should not be allowed to play Chopin. For if it were not for Miss Hess and a few others he would have been killed long ago by mediocre playing. To the younger people in the audience who have spent most of their lives listening to hot rhythm, Miss Hess hinted with her playing that Pats Waller, as good as he is, lacks something."

Philip Hale, noted critic, writing of a new book of poems by Agnes Sheffield Welch, herself at one time a student of singing, quotes a few lines which are most suggestive as to the voice quality for which students should strive. The poem is entitled "When Kathleen Sings," and the lines follow:  
"Warm, rich, melodious, her voice envelopes me.  
Like velvet cloak on shoulders that are still."  
—from "The Etude"

We still speak with admiration of Alton Hall Blackington's recent lecture on the hurricane, and in this connection it is of interest to quote from a letter a former Rockland teacher wrote to a friend in another state:

"I want to tell you about Alton Blackington. I was so glad when I knew at last that I was to have the opportunity to hear him, because there was absolutely no doubt in my mind as to what the outcome would be. You know the old are always remembering! Years ago in Room 3, I asked Carrie Gregory, the week before Thanksgiving, to draw a good-sized turkey on the board and to print under it: 'When is Thanksgiving?' Don't axe me! She outlined it in first-class shape. At recess in came Alton. Stopped short. Burst out: 'Can I color that?' Yes, if you want to; here's the box of colored crayon.' Now a turkey gob-

## Is Radio Taxable?

### Maine Law Court Is Now Wrestling With That Question

The Maine Law Court concluded its term hearings and went into consultation Friday afternoon to decide, among more weighty matters, the question of whether or not a radio is tax-exempt as a piece of household furniture.

The radio question came to the court in the Penobscot case of the Inhabitants of the Town of Holden vs. Ross James in which the town brought action to recover a tax of \$1.30 with costs upon a radio.

Arguing for the plaintiff, Attorney B. W. Blanchard contended that a radio "cannot be classed as an article of household furniture and especially cannot be classed as an article of household furniture in this particular case because defendant had no household within meaning of the term as defined and shown in plaintiffs brief for according to agreed statement of facts defendant has no other property of any kind, he has no family, therefore it is the contention of the plaintiff that defendant has no household and having no household could have no furniture therein.

"The situation seems to be about the same as a bachelor living in a furnished hotel room as guest of the management and in his room was placed a radio for his convenience and comfort."

The question of whether or not the radio was exempted as a musical instrument was raised, although the defendant's attorney, Michael Pilot waived "any contention that a radio is a musical instrument." Mr. Pilot continued that the fact a man possessed only one or two items did not exclude them from being in the class of furniture, and urged upon the court "that if a radio is not a musical instrument, that it necessarily must be household furniture, because our statute permits of both exemptions." He cited cases where phonographs, pianos, clocks, etc., had been adjudged household furnishings.

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## With the Extension Agents

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## Knox Lincoln Farm Bureau

A meeting of the conservation committee was held in the court house, Rockland, Dec. 12. Lyle Davis of the Orono office was present and discussed the 1939 program and the making out of applications for super-phosphate. The following men were present: A. E. Burns, and Roland Gushee, Union; Herbert Cunningham, Washington; Lester Shibles, Rockport; Harold Allen, Hope; E. C. Teague, Warren; Philip Seekins and Axel Nelson, Thomaston; H. A. Clark, Whitefield; Stanley Kastanowski, North Newcastles; William Bryant, Damariscotta; Mills; Joe Chapman, Damariscotta; Vernard Carter, Round Pond; and Wallace Spear, North Nobleboro.

These men will have available work sheets for farmers who have not come in the program before. They will also have available applications for the 47% super-phosphate that can be obtained from the Searsport plant. These men will also assist in explaining the program to the farmers in their communities.

**With The Homes**  
The following officers and project leaders were elected as a result of planning meetings last week: Burketville: chairman, Mrs. Carolyn Leigh; secretary, Mrs. Gladys Linscott; foods leader, Mrs. Nettie Grinnell; clothing leader, Mrs. Kenneth Hutchins; and home management leader, Mrs. Arthur Johnston.

Bristol: chairman, Mrs. Harriet Redonnet; secretary, Mrs. Mary Crooker; foods leader, Mrs. Esther Prentice; clothing leader, Mrs. Florence Prentice; home management leader, Mrs. Mary Weeks; and librarian, Miss Emma Weeks. Nobleboro: chairman, Mrs. Fola Hatch; secretary, Mrs. Wesley Nichols; foods leader, Mrs. Mildred Ricker; clothing leader, Mrs. Adney Peck; home management leader, Mrs. Doris Buchanan; librarian, Mrs. Jennie Hall; and 4-H club project leader, Mrs. Leola Hancock. This meeting started a half hour early in the afternoon.

Whitefield: chairman, Mrs. Elizabeth Dutton; secretary, Mrs. Minnie Fowles; foods leader, Mrs. George Hausen; clothing leader, Mrs. Georgia Russell; home management leader, Mrs. Mida Chaney; and librarian, Mrs. Minnie Fowles.

Rockland: chairman, Mrs. John Gardner; secretary, Mrs. Irene Levensler; foods leader, Mrs. Eunice Morse; clothing leader, Mrs. Ruth Levensler; and home management leader, Mrs. Alice Wylie. Planning meetings to be held with the home demonstration agent this week and next are:

Boothbay, Dec. 16, at the Grange hall, Simonton, Dec. 19, at the community hall with Mrs. Cecil Annis and Mrs. Guy Annis serving the square meal for health. Damariscotta, Dec. 20, at the Biscay community house with Mrs. Lily following men were present: A. E. Burns, and Roland Gushee, Union; Herbert Cunningham, Washington; Lester Shibles, Rockport; Harold Allen, Hope; E. C. Teague, Warren; Philip Seekins and Axel Nelson, Thomaston; H. A. Clark, Whitefield; Stanley Kastanowski, North Newcastles; William Bryant, Damariscotta; Mills; Joe Chapman, Damariscotta; Vernard Carter, Round Pond; and Wallace Spear, North Nobleboro.

**Christmas Apples**  
One-half pound pitted dates; 1 cup nut meats; 1 cup raisins. 1 cup dried prunes or apricots. Steam prunes or apricots without soaking in the upper part of double boiler until the pits can be removed from the prunes or apricots are soft enough to chop easily. Mix ingredients and put through food chopper. Knead paste until it forms a smooth ball. If the fruits are dry, add a little orange or lemon juice, honey, or peanut butter. Shape the above mixture into tiny apples about 1 1/4 inches in diameter. Roll the apples in shredded cocoanut tinted green. Insert whole clothes at the top and bottom to simulate the stem and blossom ends. To tint the cocoanut, sprinkle a little cold water on a sheet of waxed paper, spread the cocoanut on the paper and sprinkle over it a little green vegetable coloring. Rub the cocoanut with the palms of the hands so that it will take evenly.

**4-H Club Notes**  
The Hatchet Mountain 4-H club of Hope under the leadership of Mrs. Bessie Hardy has re-organized for 1939 and is working for its seventh seal of achievement. Officers elect are: President, James Wentworth; vice president, Jenness Engley; secretary, Wilfred Hobbs; treasurer, Dana Herrick; color bearer, William True; cheer leader, Philip Wentworth; and club reporter, Elroy Beverage.

The Medomak Maine-ix of North Waldoboro organized again with Philip Lee, leader. Officers elected were: President, George Teague; vice president, Conrad Miller; secretary, Donald Hoyer; treasurer, Raymond Hills; color bearer, Robert Hoyer; cheer leader, Elmer Achorn; club reporter, David Achorn. They are working for their second seal of achievement.

Bernal Jewett of Head Tide has re-organized the Happy Homemakers of Alna who are working this year for their fourteenth seal of achievement. Their officers are: President, Ralph Damon; vice president, Calvin Cheney; secretary, Harry Kierstead; treasurer, John Damon; color bearer, Rundlett Palmer; cheer leader, Louis Gray; and club reporter, Harry Kierstead.

## PERSONALITIES IN MUSIC

### DOLLY MORSE, A.S.C.A.P.

#### A Woman Pioneer In Popular Song



By Daniel I. McNamara

DOLLY MORSE, who in 1921 created "Three O'Clock in the Morning," as one of the popular song hits of a generation, enjoys the distinction of being the first woman songwriter to have been elected to membership in the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers. In her home in the Westchester hills near New York City, she treasures as a memento of her professional career an ASCAP membership certificate, dated March 12, 1934, and bearing the serial number 140.

She was Dorothy Terriss, a fourteen-year-old Brooklyn school girl when she first visited New York's Tin Pan Alley with her song lyrics, there to enlist the interest of the popular song composer Theodore Morse ("Good Bye, My Blue Bell," "Dear Old Girl," "Down in Jungle Town"). Two years later in 1906 they were married, with a resultant partnership in the creation of song that rivaled the romance of their successful ballads.

Dolly Morse's first works appeared under the male pseudonyms of Alfred Scott and D. A. Esrom, for women had not yet become factors in songwriting. As woman's horizon broadened she ventured to use her maiden name professionally. Under this she wrote her greatest hit, "Three O'Clock in the Morning."

Some of the songs she wrote with her husband were: "Another Rag," "When Uncle Joe Plays a Rag on His Old Banjo," "Bobbin' Up and Down," and "Hail, Hail the Gang's All Here." Other songs written under the various names of the versatile woman writer are: "I Always Knew I'd Find You," "My Wonderful One," "Baby Your Mother," "There Must Be a Silver Lining," "In the Twilight," "Silboeey" and hundreds of others.



After her husband's death, she gave up the pen name of Dorothy Terriss and used the name of Dolly Morse exclusively. In 1936 she left an important executive post in music publishing for full time enjoyment of her home and daughter—impossible during her busy professional career.  
Mrs. Morse is now enjoying travel and social diversion, but she is not at all sure that she has retired from songwriting. "A songwriter just can't retire," she explains. "When the urge to write comes, you just have to write."

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