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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Mr. Carlisle Says He Will Not Interfere in His Case.

The Massachusetts Committee of Fifty Memorialize the President.

The State Department Informed of a Terrific Explosion in China.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Secretary of State has received a report from Consul Crowell, at Amoy, China, in regard to the explosion Nov. 19th, of a magazine, containing about 400 tons of powder and other explosives, by which over 200 lives were lost and several hundred dwellings destroyed. The magazine was located in the midst of a very populous suburb, and the foreign settlement on the island of Kulangsoo, in Amoy harbor, was badly shaken up. Over a hundred panes of glass and several doors in the United States Consulate building were broken, otherwise no damage was done. No lives were lost, nor any personal injuries sustained by American residents at Amoy.

Will Not Interfere.

Speaker Carlisle was asked tonight what truth there was in the report that he would on Monday send a letter to the House requesting that the Carlisle case be reopened and a committee sent into the sixth Kentucky district. The Speaker authorized the following denial: "I have not contemplated such a step. The House must take its own course in the case, without dictation, or attempted dictation, from me."

Petitions for Peace.

A memorial from the Massachusetts committee of fifty, recently formed to cooperate with the British deputation of peace and arbitration, representing 233 members of the House of Commons, which visited Washington in November, was presented to the President today by Edwin D. Mead of Boston, representing the committee. The memorial is signed by the governor of Massachusetts, the mayor of Boston, President Elliott of Harvard University, President Seelye of Amherst College, Edward Everett Hale, Phillips Brooks, Joseph Cook, Andrew P. Peabody, Leverett Saltonstall, Alexander H. Rice, Charles Theodore Russell, and many leading scholars and business men of Massachusetts. The President, while conscious of certain practical difficulties, expressed warm sympathy with the general cause and his belief that the time could not be distant when nations would look back with amazement upon their present system of wars.

A Speech by Senator Frye.

Senator Frye is preparing to make a tariff speech in the Senate on Monday, which will be an elaboration of the speech he made at the Home Market Club in Boston last fall. The Democrats are sending out the President's message by the ten thousand all over the country, and the Republicans feel that they need some speech more popular in character than Sherman's to go with the latter to meet the President before the people. Mr. Frye is expected to furnish a speech which can be distributed to advantage east and west.

Bullion Certificates.

Representative Dunn of Arkansas today obtained leave to have printed in the Record the following amendment, which he proposes to offer to the Wilkins banking bill. That hereafter any national bank may deposit gold and silver bullion with the treasurer or assistant treasurers in amounts not less in value than $10,000, and receive therefor certificates in denominations of $5, $10, $20, $50, $100 or $500, as the depositor may elect, fractional parts of $10 or any deposit of bullion to be paid for in coin. Such certificates shall be reclevable for all public due, and shall be legal tender, except where payment in coin is expressly stipulated, They shall be redeemable in coin, on presentation at the treasury or at the sub-treasury in New York.

That the value or ratio to gold at which certificates shall be issued on silver bullion shall be its actual ratio or market value at the time of deposit, to be determined by the Secretary of the Treasury for each calendar month by taking the average selling price of silver bullion as expressed in gold dollars in the open market at New York during the preceding month, which price shall be the value or ratio to gold at which certificates shall be issued during the succeeding months provided, that certificates shall not be issued in silver bullion at a valide above the ratio of silver to gold as now fixed by law for standard gold and silver coins. That when any of the certificates are redeemed in coin, they shall be cancelled and destroyed, but certificates received for public dues, or in exchange for lawful money, shall be held as cash, and may be reissued.

That on the taking effect of this act the monthly coinage of silver shall be stopped, and in lieu thereof the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to coin standard silver dollars and gold coins from the bullion deposited in amount sufficient to supply any demand that may arise for coin for circulation or that may be required to pay the coin obligations of the government; provided, that concurrently with the coinage of any bullion for which certificates have been issued, certificates shall be destroyed equal in value to the bullion so coined.

Mr. Mason's Bill.

Mr. Mason's bill, providing for an investigation of trusts and combinations, was taken up by the House committee on manufactures today, and after a short discussion, which disclosed the fact that the committee is unanimous in its support, a favorable report was ordered.

Maine Pensioners.

The following pensions were granted to Maine residents today:

NAVY.

Henrietta H., widow of John Reed, Stockton.

ORIGINAL.

Henry B. Rogers, Ellsworth.
Cyrus Hall, Avon.

INCREASE.

James Cahill, National Military Home.
Michael H. Smith, East Winn.
Joseph Fernald, Troy.
Charles H. Cobb, Brewer.
Lorenzo D. Cilly, Brooks.
Frederick Willis, Togus.
William M. Wingate, Dixmont.

Notes.

Post offices have been established at East Mercer, Somerset county, with Edwin A. Lowe as postmaster, and at North Cushing, Knox county, with Neven R. Hyler as postmaster.

Hon. J. Manchester Haynes of Augusta and J. W. Wakefield and W. E. Hogan of Bath are in Washington for a few days.

11th CONGRESS--FIRST SESSION.

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.

Mr. Bacon of New York, chairman of the committee on manufactures, reported today a preamble and resolution reciting the allegation that certain individuals and corporations engaged in manufacturing or mining, or dealing in some of the necessities of life, have combined for the purpose of controlling or curtailing the production or supply of the same, thereby increasing their price to the people, affecting injuriously commerce between the States and impairing the revenues of the government; and directing the committee on manufactures to inquire into the names, number and extent of such alleged combinations, and all other matters relating to the same which may call for legislation by Congress.

Mr. Randall of Pennsylvania objected to the present consideration of the resolution, and it was placed upon the calendar.

Mr. Crisp of Georgia called up the contested election case of Thœbe against Carlisle, the pending question being on the resolution of the majority of the committee of elections confirming Mr. Carlisle's title to his seat.

Mr. Hogg of West Virginia entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which the House yesterday defeated the resolution providing for a reopening of the case.

Mr. Chipman of Michigan asked unanimous consent to offer a resolution bearing on the subject, but objection came in the shape of demands for the regular order. The vote on the majority resolution resulted: yeas, 140; nays, 6. No quorum.

Mr. Crisp, stating that the vote had disclosed the fact that there was no quorum present, moved that the House adjourn.

The motion to adjourn was agreed to—yeas, 139; nays, 123; a strict party vote, and the House accordingly adjourned.

President Cleveland's Gift.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 22.—A cablegram to the Sun from Rome, says that President Cleveland's gift to the Pope was presented to the latter in the throne room of the Vatican yesterday. The American delegation was present, besides members of the Noble Guard and attaches of the papal court. Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia made the presentation speech. The members of the delegation then kneeling before the Pope, received the apostolic benediction for themselves and for the people. Dr. O'Connell, rector of the American College presented the album to the Pope and translated the President's dedication. The Pope listened with the utmost satisfaction and examined the gift carefully. He expressed a admiration for the exquisite taste and neatness of execution, and was especially pleased to receive a copy of the Constitution of the United States.

ON TWO TRACKS.

The Peculiar Accident Which Befell a Maine Central Train.

[Special to the Press.]

AUGUSTA, Jan. 21. An accident of a very singular character and which might have resulted seriously, happened to the Maine Central mail train for the east which arrives here at 3.30 p. m.. The train was bowling into the station at about ten miles an hour, when, as the locomotive was passing the switch, at the foot of Rine's Hill, near Water street and opposite the round house, the upwright iron rod which operates the switch broke short off at the base. This allowed the switch rails to slip over and the locomotive and the forward trucks of the tender kept on the main track while the rear tender trucks took the siding followed by the cars. The tender could not very well run on the two tracks at one time and when the frog was reached, two rods beyond, it was unceremoniously twitched from the rails, turned end for end, and breaking away from its connections with the cars and engine, was left upon its side near the banks at the west of the track. The engine was halted at the Winthrop street crossing, keeping the irons. The tender as it left the frog broke three feet bodily out of one of the siding rails and all the car wheels passed into this gap and out again giving the passengers a lively shaking up. But the cars kept the rails beyond and ran by the station, the brakes being put down in answer to a signal whistle, but not in season to stop the train until the mail car and forward truck of the baggage car had run off the track at the switch which was open where the siding joins the main tracks. It required about two hours to pull the cars back again upon the rails and obtain a locomotive from Waterville so that the train could proceed on its way. No one was injured but the forward part of the mail car was wrecked and the running gear of tender disarranged. The rails for several rods were also twisted. Train men say such an accident could not occur once in five hundred times without the cars leaving the track and had they jumped at that point they most likely would have collided with buildings near at hand and a bad accident would have resulted.

CARFIELD'S MOTHER.

Her Peaceful Death in the Family Home at Mentor.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 21.—Mrs. Eliza Ballou Garfield, or "Grandma" as every one called her, died at 5 o'clock this morning at the Garfield family home in Mentor, 30 miles west of this city. For several days her eventful life has been slowly but surely drawing to a close. She slept a great deal, but when waking seemed cognizant of all that was passing about her. Friday she seemed stronger and better than she had been for some days, but toward night she began to fail. She dropped into a deep sleep and passed the night quietly. As morning dawned she grew weaker, and at length life gently flickered away.

Mrs. Eliza Ballou Garfield was born in Cheshire county, New Hampsaire, Sept. 21, 1801. She came of the family of Ballous, well known in Vermont, New Hampshire and Massachusetts, and was a sister of Rev. Hosea Ballou, the Universalist clergyman and writer of Boston. In 1819 she was married to Abram Garfield, father of the late President, and who was descended from an Edward Garfield, who in 1635 was one of the proprietors of Watertown, having accompanied Gov. Winthrop to New England.

Mrs. James A. Garfield and daughter Mollie are in Europe, where they went at the time Mollie's engagement to young Stanley Brown was broken. Mrs. Rockford, a married daughter of Mrs. Garfield, and other inmates of the house were at her bedside when she died. She had been a widow 55 years.

CHURCH AND STATE.

Mr. McGlynn Says the Ecclesiastical Machine Traded with Tammany.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22. In an address before the Anti-Poverty association this evening Dr. McGlynn said his quarrel was not with the Church but with the ecclesiastical machine of American politics. For the support of Catholic charitable institutions, corrupt political bargains had been made, especially with the Democratic party, and more particulary with that ill-smelling portion of that party "Tammany Hall A bargain was made with Peter B. Sweeney, at the Archbishop's palace, and the Tammany machine holds its power through the aid of the ecclesiastical machine. The Sunday before the last election, many pastors exhorted their flocks to vote for those who would help the church to get money for their schools. They were willing to enter into an alliance with infamously corrupt rings. Those who take the vow of poverty never suffer real poverty.

It is very pleasant for the monks and nuns to have the treasury of New York to rely on. Because Gov. Cleveland vetoed further appropriation to Catholic institutions, he was fought by the ecclesiastical machine in 1884. Cleveland is a wise man and a statesman, but is also learning to become a practical politician. I present to the Pope. The ecclesiastical machine favors authority, aristocracy and even monarchy, against liberty, democracy and republicanism. Public maintenance of Catholic charity must be begun. I permitted to go on it will be a union of Church and State that will result in the destruction of both.

ADRIFT IN A DORY.

Henry Battan's Night and Day of Suffering.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 22. Henry Battan, of the crew of the schooner Alice S. Hawkes, of Swampscott, got astray Friday in Ipswitch bay while in a dory, attending trawls. He was picked up by the schooner Percy late Saturday evening, 30 miles southeast of Thatcher's Island and landed here today. Capt. Matterson said that when he discovered the dory it was blowing a gale and he could not launch a boat. He ran along side, and found the man sitting holding his oars, but unable to help himself. The only way they could rescue him was by throwing the bight of a rope over him and hauling him on board, which they succeeded in doing after several attempts. Battan's hands were badly frozen, and he was in great agony. Everything was done to alleviate his sufferings. His right hand will proobly have to be amputated, but his left hand may be saved.

CENERAL NEWS.

W. P. Fay, of Whethersfield, Conn., died suddenly in church last night, of heart disease. He was a livery stable keeper, aged 79 years.

William J. Quigley, in charge of a load of horses, went mad and jumped from a train near Westfield, Mass., yesterday. He was caught after a lively chase.

The water supply of the city of Ottawa is found to be very impure. Great alarm exists, and there may be a postponement of the approaching session of Parliament.

The pugnacious Terry family and supporters, to the number of 35, all armed with rifles, are fortified near Boone, Mo. A large force of vigilantes is preparing to attack them, and a bloody battle is feared.

In a hard glove fight at Fort Hamilton, L. I., early yesterday morning, Tom White hit Billy Dempsey, the feather-weight champion, in the stomach with such force as to cause his death. A coroner was notified.

In a letter to a Brooklyn, N. Y., friend Miss Belva Lockwood says she is willing to again act as candidate for President for the National Woman's Suffrage party in order to keep the question before the people.

The boiler of the tug Zouave blew up at the quarantine station yesterday afternoon, probably fatally scalding Patrick Healy, the fireman, and badly scalding the engineer, another fireman and the steward.

Post Commander Whalen and Quartermaster Dowling, of G. A. R. Post No. 582, were arrested yesterday while conducting a funeral, on a charge of parading with music without a permit. Grand Army men are indignant.

BUSINESS MEN AROUSED.

Indignation Meetings Protesting Against the Strike in Pennsylvania.

President Corbin Answers the Demonstration with a Statement,

Justifying the Course of the Reading Company to Their Employes.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22.—President Corbin, of the Reading companies, has issued a long statement in regard to the strike of the railroad hands and miners. He speaks of the refusal of certain employes at Port Richmond, in December, to handle freight which arrived for the Philadelphia Grain Elevator Company, the only reason given being that the elevator company did not employ Knights. The railroad hands were discharged, and five other crews, who declined to touch the obnoxious freight, also lost their places. Then the leaders of the Knights ordered all the railroad employes to strike, and remain out till the discharged men were reinstated. The company refused to take back the original delinquents, and proceeded to fill up all the places of the stikers. The statement recites that the men who struck never complained of overwork, unfair wages or unkind treatment, and the company never inquired whether their employes were union or non-union men, faithful service alone being the condition of employment. In the place of the 2500 or more men who voluntarily quit work, other competent men had been employed, and they will be retained as long as they perform their duties faithfully. "The trouble on the railroad is ended," says the statement, "and will never be opened up again."

Of the miners' difficulty President Corbin says the coal and iron company has lived up to its agreement to advance the wages of the miners eight per cent for four months, begining September 1, 1887, the advance paid amounting to $241,806. The agreement provided that after January 1, 1888, the company should return to a $2.50 basis, or, if all the coal mining companies had meanwhile settled upon some advance, the Reading Company should adopt that basis. The miners broke their part of the agreement by stopping work January 1. "I am informed," says Mr. Corbin, "that they did this first because we would not reinstate the men discharged on the railroad and second, because we would not continue the eight per cent advance. On no basis of wages would they have been willing to return to work unless we first reinstated the railroad men or arbitrated that question. As I have stated, that question is ended. No matter in connection with that strike will ever be submitted to arbitration. As to the question of wages to miners, we have always paid and are always willing to pay, as high wages as any large comyany in competition with this one. The Reading company cannot afford to pay more for the mining of coal than its competitors. We regret exceedingly that this action on the part of the employes of our road, as well as the action of the miners, promises to bring such disastrous results to those portions of the State dependent upon the output of the Reading collieries, but there is no alternative for the company that I can see except to insist upon its first right to manage its own property, and the second right to employ labor in mining coal so it will have at least an equal chance with its neighbor in every competitive market. The $2.50 basis established by this company in 1875 is liberal for the miners. They receive as much as the miners in other localities. In the Wyoming district the miners are paid a certain agreed sum without regard to the price of coal, while our miners share in the increased price beyond the $2.50 basis. Every miner of our coal knows, under that basis, with the prices that prevailed during January, that those in the Schuylkill Valley would have received wages very considerably in excess of the wages paid elsewhere. Even at a lower price for coal than obtained during this month, wages would still have been in excess of those paid in other localities. For twelve years, commencing January 1, 1876, and ending January 1, 1886, the company has mined 51,000,000 tons of coal and paid for it to the miners $51,110,000, while the company received as the net proceeds only $44,840,000, making the actual loss in mining $12,270,000. During all these years, the stockholders of the railroad which transported the coal, who have upwards of $40,000,000 in stock, have not received a cent in dividends, and have just been called upon, with a portion of the junior securities, to pay an assessment of $12,000,000 fresh money to make good the losses of the companies. In view of these results, it is not time now, according to my judgment, to undertake the payment of more money for this class of labor than is paid by other competitive companies."

Indignant Citizens.

PHILADEPHIA, Jan. 21.—That the business as well as the labor people of Philadelphia are aroused to a high point of indignation over the Reading strike is stating the matter very mildly. In many quarters it is openly asserted that President Corbin and such officials of the Reading road as are responsible for the continuation of the strike, and its consequent paralysis of the manufacturing interests of this country, cannot be too severely condemned. The miners and railroad men in this city are closely affiliated. They are working together with the utmost confidence in each other's firmness.

But a small number of the great army of 60,000 or more men involved in the strike are located in this city. The 2700 strikers here, principally railroad men, are firm, in spite of reported defections. But while the miners are bestirring themselves to prolong the strike until such time as they shall be successful, and the Reading officials are determined not to surrender, the citizens of Philadelphia are making every effort to bring about a settlement of the trouble. Very few people, except those directly interested in some of the large corporations, can be found to condemn the position of the miners and railroaders, who, they assert, have never been paid adequate wages for their arduous labor. Indignation meetings of citizens are to be called throughout the section of the State directly affected by the strike.

Tonight the second in a series of public indignation meetings was held in Industrial Art Hall, where 3500 met to extend encouragement to the strikers. Mr. Joseph Cahill presided. In a brief speech he introduced Frederick Herwig. In opening his speech, Mr. Herwig made reference to the financial and legislative transactions of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad under President Gowen's management. A lucid statement was made of the law bearing upon the legal existence of this company. Fraud and double dealing of the basest kind were attributed to the company to gain its present vast legal powers. The speaker then alluded to the constant increase which had taken place in the cost of coal to the consumer since the company had gained power in the anthracite coal regions. The reason why the cost of coal had been raised and the company had failed was not of an increase in the cost of mining and transportation, but of the fraudulent business methods used by President Gowan, which swelled beyond all warrant the interest bearing debt of the corporation. "So unsavory were many of these transactions," said the speaker, "that I can prove that perjury was committed by Reading officials."

The speaker stated that while the property of this corporation was worth $78,000,000, it had fleeced the people of this country in the past 15 years to the extent of $230,000,000. The attempt of the people to bring this company into the court to answer for its trickery and open-handed fleecing of the public, was highly commended by the speaker, who claimed that this should have been done years ago. The fact of the transactions of the company being brought up in Congress was, in itself, a good omen, but when an attorney of the corporation was put by the speaker of the House upon the committee, it was time to protest against the men sent by the people to represent them in Congress. The company was accused of being in a conspiracy not only to defraud the public in general, but jespecially to reduce the wages of the thousands of men in its employ.

Negotiations Denied.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Jan. 21.—The joint committee of the Miners' Amalgamated Association and Knights of Labor met in this city today, the session continuing throughout the entire day. Of course, the meeting was secret, but it was understood that its deliberations were in relation to the vexed question as to whether the miners, in the event of a satisfactory scale of wages being offered them, shall resume work regardless of the settlement of the railroaders' alleged grievances. When the meeting finally adjourned this evening the participants were very reticent, but it is intimated that a definite conclusion had been reached. A general meeting of the Miners' Amalgamated Association will be held at Tamaqua Monday, when it is expected that this question will be subject of deliberation.

Chairman Lee's attention being today called to a statement appearing in dispatches from Pottsville, to the effect that negotiations are proceeding looking to a resumption of work by the miners upon the $2.50 basis, pending arbitration, denied that any such negotions are pending, and declared that such terms would not be accepted. The Reading Coal and Iron Company officials also deny the statement.

UNDER PRISON WALLS.

A Torch Light Procession in Honor of Wilfred Blunt.

DUBLIN, Jan. 22.—An attempt was made last night to serenade Sir Wilfred Blunt, confined in prison at Galway. The police interfered and ordered the musicians away, but the latter embarked in boats and held a torchlight procession on the river beneath the walls of the prison. Seamen from the warship Banterer gave chase, but failed to capture the serenaders.

O'Brien's Release.

General excitement was caused by O'Brien's release. Last night bon fires and beacon lights illuminated a large district in the South of Ireland.

Kilbush was illuminated this evening and the streets crowded with people. The government proclamation, prohibiting the meeting announced there for today, was publicly burned. All bon fires and blazing tar barrels were then extinguished by the police. A conflict occurred at Kilkee between the police and people. One policeman was severely injured.

Mr. O'Brien is almost prostrated with emotion. He intends to attend the banquet given in his honor by the electors, and then rest a few weeks in accordance with his doctor's advice. In spite of his endeavor to prevent his whereabouts being generally known, every mail brings many congratulatory letters. He is residing with a friend in Dublin. Today Mr. O'Brien said that he felt so well in leaving the prison that he overtaxed his strength and is sleepless and worn out. There was a portmanteau full of letters awaiting at the prison on his leaving, and the number received since is so great that he is quite unable to deal with them. He has not received one threatening letter and has formed no plans for future action.

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The speaker stated that while the property of this corporation was worth $78,000,000, it had fleeced the people of this country in the past 15 years to the extent of $230,000,000. The attempt of the people to bring this company into the court to answer for its trickery and open-handed fleecing of the public, was highly commended by the speaker, who claimed that this should have been done years ago. The fact of the transactions of the company being brought up in Congress was, in itself, a good omen, but when an attorney of the corporation was put by the speaker of the House upon the committee, it was time to protest against the men sent by the people to represent them in Congress. The company was accused of being in a conspiracy not only to defraud the public in general, but jespecially to reduce the wages of the thousands of men in its employ.

Negotiations Denied.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Jan. 21.—The joint committee of the Miners' Amalgamated Association and Knights of Labor met in this city today, the session continuing throughout the entire day. Of course, the meeting was secret, but it was understood that its deliberations were in relation to the vexed question as to whether the miners, in the event of a satisfactory scale of wages being offered them, shall resume work regardless of the settlement of the railroaders' alleged grievances. When the meeting finally adjourned this evening the participants were very reticent, but it is intimated that a definite conclusion had been reached. A general meeting of the Miners' Amalgamated Association will be held at Tamaqua Monday, when it is expected that this question will be subject of deliberation.

Chairman Lee's attention being today called to a statement appearing in dispatches from Pottsville, to the effect that negotiations are proceeding looking to a resumption of work by the miners upon the $2.50 basis, pending arbitration, denied that any such negotions are pending, and declared that such terms would not be accepted. The Reading Coal and Iron Company officials also deny the statement.

UNDER PRISON WALLS.

A Torch Light Procession in Honor of Wilfred Blunt.

DUBLIN, Jan. 22.—An attempt was made last night to serenade Sir Wilfred Blunt, confined in prison at Galway. The police interfered and ordered the musicians away, but the latter embarked in boats and held a torchlight procession on the river beneath the walls of the prison. Seamen from the warship Banterer gave chase, but failed to capture the serenaders.

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The Boston Advertiser says in all probability Massachusetts will send a solid Blaine delegation to the Republican National convention. Four years ago the strongest opposition to Mr. Blaine's nomination came from the Bay State. The change is very significant.

It is not quite apparent how an investigation of the Reading trouble by Congress could do any good. The facts of the dispute are well known, and there is nothing for a committee to discover. But if an investigation is desirable, then the Inter-State Commerce Commission is a fitter body to make it than a committee of Congress.

A great many Democrats think their National Convention should be held in New York city, because the two prominent candidates for the nomination are citizens of New York State. Atlanta or Charleston might claim it with equal reason, because most of the Democratic majorities are in those regions. As the memories of Charleston are not in this respect, sweet, Atlanta is probably more available.

A Mr. J. W. Deering tells the Sunday Telegram that he "cannot conceive of any such an event occurring as his nomination for office." Regarding the policy of the executive of the State or of the municipality, he says it should consult only the will of the people. It is quite obvious from the tenor of this conversation that the gentleman the Telegram has been interviewing is Mr. J. W. Deering, the grocer.

The rumor that Speaker Carlisle would demand a reopening of the Thoebe contest is denied by the Speaker himself. Considering the nature of the charges it would have been much more to the credit of Mr. Carlisle had the rumor proved true. No man ought to be willing to hold so conspicuous an office in the highest legislative body of the land as he holds with a title tainted by suspicion of fraud. The House is prejudiced in his favor and it could not be that he feared injustice would be done him.

We learn from the editorial page of Saturday's New York Sun, that at the recent meeting of the Democratic State Committee in Pennsylvania, "the federal office-holders were there in great force, working the administration machine for all it was worth to beat the chairman of the committee with another who would be of more use to them." Two years ago, an announcement of this sort would have been interesting reading; now the incident recorded is so little of a novelty that the Sun would not have mentioned it except that by so doing it got a chance to emphasize the fact that Cleveland is in the camp of the spoils Democrats for good.

For many years now Canada and the United States have furnished asylums for one another's thieves, and a great many of the breaches of trust that have taken place on both sides of the boundary line would never have occurred had it not been for this state of affairs. McNeally says he looked with covetous eyes on the big packages of money and securities before him and then thought how easy it would be to escape to Canada with them. Doubtless he would have been able to resist the temptation if Canada had been thousands of miles away or if it had not furnished a safe retreat for thieves. The iniquity of the present state of things has been recognized by both nations and it is gratifying to know that there is a fair prospect that it is soon to be remedied. An extradition treaty covering embezzlement and larceny has been negotiated by the governments of the United States and Great Britain, and ratification by the United States Senate is all that is needed to make it effective. That should not long be withheld. The present state of things disgraces the two most enlightened nations of the earth.

The [prima facie] law, as interpreted by the court, throws the burden of proof from the State to the respondent, who has paid the U. S. special liquor tax—Lewiston Journal.

The Journal is in error. As construed by the court the law does not have a particle of effect in enhancing the value of the liquor tax as a piece of evidence so far as the jury are concerned. The burden of proof is not changed by it. If the court had said, as the Journal alleges, that a liquor tax changed the burden of proof, then it would have said in effect that that piece of evidence, unless explained, compelled the jury to find a verdict of guilty, whether as matter of fact it convinced them beyond a reasonable doubt of the defendant's guilt or not. This would have been tantamount to a declaration that the legislature had a right to fix the weight of evidence. But the court distinctly declares that the legislature cannot do that. So the Journal's assertion is clearly an error. The truth about the liquor tax as evidence is that intrinsically it is so strong that it needs no factitious support. Had the court construed the law as a good many of its friends intended, namely, as compelling a jury to return a verdict of guilty upon a liquor tax when unexplained, we do not believe it would have added to the strength of this evidence. No jury of common sense and common honesty will fail to render a verdict upon the evidence of an unexplained liquor tax weighed intrinsically, and if the jury were so dishonest as to refuse to give it its intrinsic value they would not pay any attention to any fictitious value given it by the legislature. We believe that Gen. Neal Dow in his conversation with Mr. Looney, in which he said that the law would call the attention of the county attorneys to this kind of evidence and compel them to use it, got at its real value better than anybody else has done. It has had the effect Gen. Dow predicted. It has brought into use one of the strongest pieces of evidence and the one most easily obtained, and in this way has proved a very effective piece of legislation against the rumseller. Juries have almost invariably convicted when this evidence has been introduced, and if they are honest they always must, for, unexplained, it is practically a confession—the strongest piece of evidence imaginable.

England and Protection.

The eagerness with which the English note any sign that the protective system of America may be broken down, is very readily explained when the peculiar dependence of the English on foreign markets is understood. England is great because she is the great trading and manufacturing nation of the earth; but her position is to a great extent that of a middleman. Of raw materials coal and iron are her great stays. Cotton, corn, wheat, wool, the great staples which clothe and feed, must be obtained principally or entirely from other peoples. A journalist of India, speaking of the relations of his own country to England, gives a good idea of the real dependence of the most independent acting nation on the face of the earth. "If England were to lose India," says the Allahbad Pioneer, "few of us doubt that it would be a terrific blow, not so much on account of the few Englishmen who are living in India itself, as on account of the widespread ruin it would entail among hundreds and thousands of working men and traders at home, whose livelihood depends upon the existence of the Indian market, and who outnumber many fold the paltry English population in this country. The loss of India would mean the collapse of trade for many years, the breaking of banks, the loss of income in all directions; and the result must inevitably be wholesale emigration, very probably extended to some millions of the home population; but such a movement would be necessitated by poverty and famine. And poverty and famine on such a wholesale scale mean wholesale riot and disorder, and permanent loss of population is permanent loss of wealth and strength." This is not too strong a statement of the position of England. It is no wonder that the march of Russia towards the Himalayas is watched with feverish interest in London, nor that the hope of the overthrow of the American tariff is never allowed to slumber in the English breast. England must produce clothing, cutlery and other manufactured articles for foreign peoples or her glory is gone. Her "Anglo Saxon colonies, like Canada and some of the governments of Australia have already enacted tariff laws, much to the damage of the mother country India, not yet capable of self government, remains a great market; and English merchants, backed by the influence of government, are tireless in their efforts to open up new regions for trade in similar countries where there in no danger of meeting hostile tariffs because there is no enterprise to attempt domestic manufactures. It is worth while to consider whether these English merchants and mechanics, who are by the loss of one colonial market after another forced to seek the remotest marts of the earth with their wares in order to keep up in the hard race for a living, would be the right sort of rivals to admit to the home markets which American workmen now supply. The loss of India or Burmah, or the adoption of protective tariffs by English colonies that now have no checks on the importation of British articles, might so sweep away the markets for the porducts of the English laborer that he would, from sheer compulsion, work for even less wages than he gets now. Unlike his American brother, he cannot retire to the country and to the life of a tiller of the soil, for the land of England is far too little to support its millions. In the mills and the mines they must work, producing those things for which they must find markets abroad. In Burmah the sword has been used to obtain them; in America free trade literature is disseminated and President Cleveland is encouraged in his assults on the tariff.

CURRENT COMMENT.

THE YOUNG MAN'S CHANCE.
[Philadelphia North American.]

Go West young man and freeze up with the country.

NOT GRAPE JUICE.
[Bridgton News.]

"A little more grape," Brother Bayley and others.

Carl Dunder Relates His Experiences to the Police Sergeant.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"Sergeant," said Carl Dunder as he softly slid into the Woodbridge street station, yesterday, "mebbe I like you to explain something to me."

"I suppose you have been swindled again."

"Vell, how can I help him? Nottings vhas two times alike in dis country. Yesterday a man comes in my place und says vhas I Carl Dunder? I vhas. All right. Say, Mr. Dunder, I like you to keep fife dollar for me a leedle while. If I play pool mit der poys I got broke. If I leaf him mit you I vhas all right."

"And you took it?"

"Of course. If I can oblige somepody, I like to do him. I put dot bill in my wallet, und in about two hours der mans come aroundt some more. Mr. Dunder, I vhas eafer so mooch obliged to you for your kindness, und I take my money back. If you could be so extremely kind as to gif me fife dollar in silver I always remember you."

"And you did?"

"Vhell, I like to oblige somepody, und I gif blue silver."

"And the bill was a bad one, of course. That game is twenty years old."

"He vhas some games, eh?"

"Of course. It's a wonder the boys haven't played it on you before. Anything else?"

"Vheil, a shentlemans come along two or three days ago mit fur on his oafercoat. Vhas I Carl Dunder? I was. All right. Mr. Dunder, you vhas known all oafer Cleveland, und der shildrens cry for you. I gif ten tousand dollar if I vhas like you, but dere vhas only one Carl Dunder. Shake, oldt fellow."

"And you shook?"

"Vhell, doan' I feel tickled dot somepody in Cleveland hears of me? We haf some peer, und he tells me dot he lose all his money mit der depot by a tief. He doan' like to see his name in der newspapers, und so he keeps shtill."

"And he wanted to borrow of you, of course?"

"Oh, no. If I let him haf ten dollar on his diamond pin he takes him back in two days. Here vhas dot pin."

"Worth twenty-five cents," said the sergeant after an inspection. "That diamond is only glass."

"Und vhas dere some deeference between diamond und glass?"

"I should remark! That was a rank swindle. Anything else?"

"Vheil, dot vhas curious if I vhas swindled, pecause dot mans almost cry vhen he talks to me. Dis morning some more stranger comes in. He haf a book und a pencil, und he says if I leaf dot package in der express office one day longer he vhas soldt for oldhorse. I doan' got some notice of dot package, but he says it vhas a look oafer. It vhas a dollar to pay und I should go oop pooty queek."

"And you paid?"

"Vheil, if some expressman says it vhas a dollar how shall I help it. Can I tell dot express company to go mit Texas und keep dot package?"

"And so you paid and went to the office."

"Of course, und dere vhas no package for me."

"Certainly not. He was a fraud. Any thing else?"

"Yes! Sergeant, look on me!"

"I'm looking."

"I vhas going home! I go pehind my bar und take off my coat und shinile. In a few minutes a shentleman come in. Vhas dis Carl Dunder? He vhas. Mr. Dunder, we have a leedle poll tax on your head, und you doan' come oop mit der City Hall. Der tax vhas $1, und you——!"

"And what?"

"He vhas a corpse mit his neck broke, und I goes oafer mit der patrol box and sends for der wagon! I like you to come oop mit der poys. If der vhas some ingnest you can spheak for me dot I vhas oudt of my head mit my troubles. Good-pye, Sergeant! Look oud vhen dot bell rings!"

Superintendent Ackerman and Treasurer Zeley of the Worcester Horse Railroad were in Biddeford Saturday, representing Massachusetts capitalists, to negotiate for building a horse railroad from Biddeford and Saco to Old Orchard the coming spring. They met the corporators of the Biddeford and Saco Horse Railroad Company at noon and made an offer to build and equip a road, giving local capitalists a chance to subscribe for a part of the stock. The matter was not definitely settled, but will be at a meeting next Thursday.

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"	7—40 "	1.00 " " "	.55
"	8—40 "	1.25 Cashmere Barritz for	.55
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"	10—40 "	.75 " Diagonals for	.35
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International Steamship Co.

THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of the International Steamship Co., will be held at their office on Railroad Wharf, Jan. 25, 1888, at 3 o'clock p. m. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

H. J. LIBBY, Secretary.

Portland, Jan. 9, 1888. jan10did

Society of Art.

THE Annual Meeting of the Portland Society of Art for the election of officers and such other business as may come before the meeting, will take place in the Society Building, Deering Place, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan. 25, 1888, at 8 o'clock. WILLIAM S. LOWELL, Sec.

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PROPOSALS

— FOR A —

High School Building

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED Proposals for furnishing materials and performing the labor required for the Mason's and Carpenter's Departments of a brick High School Building for School District No. 4, Biddeford, Maine, according to plans and specifications prepared therefor by H. G. Wadlin, will be received by the building committee until February 11, 1888.

Proposals to be properly endorsed on the outside and sent to the committee on or before said date. Separate bids will be received for each department, or for both included under one bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Plans may be seen at the office of Superintendent of School, City Building, Biddeford, on and after Tuesday, Jan. 17.

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— BY —

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Feb. 3,	Rossetti.	" 9,	Jean Ingelow.
" 10,	Matthew Arnold.	" 16,	Swinburne.
" 17,	Keats.	" 23,	Browning.

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WIT AND WISDOM.

Johnnie, a bright boy of six years, while being fixed up for school, observing his little overcoat much the worse for wear, and having more mended places than he admired, turned quickly to his mother and asked:

"Ma, is pa rich?"

"Yes, very rich, Johnnie; he is worth two million and a half."

"What m. ma?"

"Oh, he values you at one million, me at one million, and baby at half a million."

Johnnie, after thinking a moment, said: "Ma, tell papa to sell the baby, and buy me some clothes."

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"With stumps, eh?"

"Yes, the most of them are hollow and full of water, showing that the land is damp."

"Stumps full of water?"

"Yes."

"Then your fortune is made."

"How so?"

"Why, bottle the water and sell it for bitters. Let's see, your name is Johnson."

"Yes."

"Carpenter by trade?"

"Yes."

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And that men again appear to seek the solace of the cup;
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"Why, yes," replied grandpa.

"And you like to do all you can to help 'em have a good time, don't you?"

"Why, certainly."

"I thought so. Well, me and the Tomkins boys and the Dricks are going to play 'Life on the Plains' in the Clarks' barn for the next two afternoons, and I thought I'd ask you to let us take your wig to use for a scalp."

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De C. (interrupting and getting in deeper—It was '66, wasn't it? How the time does fly!

Miss B. (frigidly)—It was 1880, Mr. De Cammack!

De C. (desperately)—Well, I knew it ended in a 0 anyway. May I see your card?

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

PORTLAND WHOLESALE MARKET.

PORTLAND, Jan. 21, 1888

The following are to-day's closing quotations of Grain, Provisions, &c.:

Flour.		Grain.	
Superfine and low grades	2 75@3 75	Corn, bag lots	70@71
X Spring and XX Spring	4 15@4 35	Meal, bag lots	67@68
Patent Spring Wheats	⅛@5 50	Oats, car lots	48@46
Mich. straight roller	4 50@4 75	Oats, bag lots	47@48
clear do	4 25@4 50	Cotton Seed, car lots	24 75@25 50
stone ground	4 25@4 50	Sack'd Bran, car lots	23 00@24 00
Winter Wheat roller	4 75@5 00	Middlings,	24 00@25 00
clear do	4 75@4⅞	do bag lots	25 00@27 00
Winter Wheat Patents	5 00@5 25	**Provisions.**	
Fish.		Pork—Backs	18 50@19 00
Cod, ⅞ qtl—Large Shore	4⅛@4 25	Clear	18 00@18 25
Large Bank	3 75@4 00	Mess	16 00@16 50
Small	3 00@3 50	Ex Mess	8 00@8 50
Pollock	2 25@2 50	Plate	9 00@9 25
Haddock	1 50@2 00	Beef—Extra	9 50@10 00
Hake	1 75@2 00	Tierces	8 @8½
Herring, Scaled ⅞ bx	14@16c	Hams	8 @8½c
No 1	9@13	Tallow	3 @4 c
Mackerel ⅞ bbl—Shore 1s	16 00@18 00	Kerosene	11¼@11¾
Shore 2s	14 00@16 00	Produce	11¾@12½
Mess	14 11 00@15 00	**Oil.**	
Large	12 00@14 00	Linseed	75
Produce.		Po Red, Pet	7½
Cranberries—Maine	7 00@8 00	Pratt'Astl, bbl	11
Cape Cod	11 00@12 00	Lisbon's Brilliant	10¾
Pea Beans	2 65@2 75	Lignola	8¾
Medium	2 45@2 60	Centennial	8¾
German mo	2 50@2 40	**Raisins.**	
Yellow Eyes	2 00@2 40	Muscatel	2 25@3 35
Potatoes bush	75@85c	London layer	2 50@3 00
St Potatoes	4 00@5 00	Onions	1 25@1½c
Onions ⅞ bbl	3 75@4 00	**Sugar.**	
Turkeys	15@16	Granulated	7½
Chickens	12@15	Extra C	7
Fowls	11@12	**Seeds.**	
Geese	11@12½	Red Top	$2½@$2¼
Ducks	15@16	Timothy Seed	2 75@2⅞
Apples.		Clover	8½@12½c
Choice eating	3 00@3 50	**Cheese.**	
Common	1 75@2 00	Vermont	10 @13½
Fancy Baldwins	@3 00	N.Y. Factory	10½@13½
Evaporated ⅞ lb	12@13c	**Butter.**	
Lemons.		Creamery ⅞ lb	26@27
Palermo	4 00@4 50	Gilt Edge Ver	25@26
Messina	4 00@4 50	Choice	19@20
Malagas		Good	17@18
Oranges.		Store	15@16
Florida	4 25@4 75	**Eggs.**	
Valencia	4 25@4 50	Eastern extras	24@25
Messina and Palermo ⅞ box	2 75@3 00	Eastern Can & Western	23@24
		Limed	19@20

Portland Daily Press Stock List.

Corrected by SWAN & BARRETT, Bankers and Brokers, 186 Middle street.

STOCKS.

Descriptions.	Par Value.	Bid.	Asked
National Bank	100	158	160
Casco Nat. Bank	100	145	148
First National Bank	100	116	118
Cumberland National Bank	100	58	61
Merchants' National Bank	75	121	123
National Traders' Bank	100	138	140
Portland Company		95	100
Portland Gas Company	50	65	70

BONDS.

State of Maine 6s, due 1889	102	104
Portland City 6s, Municipal purposes	115	115
Portland City 6s, R. R. aid 1907	123	125
Bath City 6s, Mun. various	102	105
Bath City 6s R. R. aid various	100	103
Bangor City 6s, long R. R. aid	113	116
Bangor City 6s, reg Mun	123	125
Belfast City 6s, R. R. aid	104	106
And. & Ken. R. R. 6s, various	103	104
Portland & Ken. R. R. 1895	109	111
Leeds & Farmington R. R. 6s	109	111
Maine Central R. R. 1st mtg 7s	118	120
Maine Central R. R. Consol 7s	132	134
Maine Central R. R. 5s, Portland 6s	105	106
Portland Water Co. 1st mtg 6s	100½	
" " 2d mtg 6s	106	
" " 3d mtg 6s	110	112

Foreign Exports.

CARDENAS. Schr Benj C Cromwell—1373 empties 160 pkgs fish.

Railroad Receipts.

PORTLAND, Jan. 21, 1887.

Received by Maine Central Railroad—For Portland 30 cars miscellaneous merchandise; for connecting roads 64 cars miscellaneous merchandise.

Grain Quotations.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

Friday's quotations.

WHEAT.	Jan.	Feb.	May
Opening	76⅞	76⅝	83
Highest	76⅞	77	83¼
Lowest	76⅞	76⅝	82⅝
Closing	76⅞	77	83¼
CORN.	Jan.	Feb.	May.
Opening	43½	47⅞	53⅛
Highest	43⅝	48⅜	53½
Lowest	47⅞	47⅞	52⅝
Closing	48⅜	48⅜	53⅜

Saturday's quotations.

WHEAT.	Jan.	Feb.	May
Opening	76⅝	76⅞	83¼
Highest	76⅞	77	83¼
Lowest	76⅝	76¾	83
Closing	76¾	76⅞	83⅛
CORN.	Mch.	Jan.	Feb.
Opening	48¼	48¼	53⅝
Highest	48⅞	48⅝	53⅞
Lowest	47¾	48¼	53⅝
Closing	48⅞	48¾	53¾

Boston Stock Market.

[By Telegraph.]

The following quotations of stocks are received daily:

Androscoggin Mills	102½
C. B. & Q.	*125⅝
Atch., Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad	*94⅞
Mexican Central 7s	
Mexican Central	14
Wisconsin Central	17¼
Mexican Central 4s	66⅝
New York and New England Railroad.	36⅞
do pref	114
Boston & Albany	*197¾
California Southern Railroad	42¾
Fitchburg Railroad common	*141
do pref	*96
Bell Telephone	219
Boston & Maine R.	210

*Ex-dividend.

New York Stock and Money Market

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 1888.—Money on call has been easy, ranging from 2½ to 3 per cent; last loan 2½, closing offered at 3 per cent. Prime paper at 5½@7½. Sterling Exchange dull and to firm; actual business done at 4 84½@4 84¾ for 60 day bills and 4 86½@4 86½ for demand. Government bonds dull but steady. Railroad bonds are quiet and firm. The stock market closed firm and prices well supported.

The transactions at the Stock Exchange aggregated 62,541 shares.

The following are to-day's quotations of Government securities:

United States bonds, 3s		
New 4s, reg		126¼
New 4s, coup		126¼
New 4½s, reg		108
New 4½s, coup		108
Central Pacific 1sts		113½
Denver & R. Gr. 1sts		120
Erie 2ds		98⅝
Kansas Pacific Consols		104
Oregon Nav. 1sts		110½
Union Pacific 1st		113⅝
do Land Grants		
do Sinking Funds		

The following are to-day's closing quotations of stocks:

	Jan. 20. Opening	Jan. 20. Closing	Jan. 21 Opening	Jan. 21 Closing
Lake Shore	92¾	92¾	92¾	92⅞
Erie common	27¾	27½	27¾	27⅞
Northwestern	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝
St. Paul	75¼	75¼	75¼	75¾
Omaha common	39¼	39	39½	39
Union Pacific	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝
Western Union	77½	77⅝	77½	77¾
Oregon Transcon	22	22	22⅛	22¼
Oregon Navigation	93	93¾	94⅛	94¼
Delaware, L. & W.	129	129	129⅝	129¾
Delaware & H.	106½	106¾	107	107⅛
Jersey Central	77¼	77¾	77⅝	78⅛
Phila & Reading	63⅝	64¼	64¼	64⅞
Northern Pacific	22	21⅞	24¾	24¾
Missouri Pacific	82¾	83	83¼	83⅜
Louisville & Nash	60⅝	60⅝	61	61¼
N. Y. & N. E.	36¼	36¼	36⅞	37¼
Richmond Terminal	22½	22¼	22½	22⅝
Norfolk & West pfd	44	43½	43¾	44

Stocks by Associated Press:

Central Pacific		31
St. Paul preferred		114¾
S. Tenn. new		10⅛
East Tenn. 1st pref		58
Tallow		
Wells, Fargo Express ex-d		128
Lake Erie & West		14¾
Oregon Nav		94
Denver & Rio Grande, new		21¼
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific		9⅞
do pref		27¼
Houston & Texas		20
Mobile & Ohio		11
Chicago & Alton		137
Alton & Terre Haute		36
do pref		70
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy		128¼
Northwestern pref		144
Boston Air Line, pref		95
Fulton Gas Coal (Order Bands)		30
Metropolitan El		134½
Minn & St. Louis		2
Pullman Palace		141¼
Ohio & Miss		23½

New York Mining Stocks.

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21, 1888. The following are closing quotations for mining stocks to-day:

Colorado Coal	35
Homestake	27 75
Ontario	10½
Quicksilver	11¾
do preferred	37
Sierra Nevada	5 00
Standard	3½
Bodie	2 65
Brunswick	1 65
Con. Cal. & Virginia	1 10
Hale & Norcross	9½

Print Cloth Market.

FALL RIVER, Jan. 21, 1888.—The Fall River print cloth statement for the week is as follows:

Production	175,000 pieces
Deliveries	174,000 pieces
Stock	1 8,000 pieces
Sales	114,000 pieces
Spot	42,000 pieces
Future	72,000 pieces

Prices have ruled firmer on a basis of 3¾c.

Boston Produce Market.

BOSTON, Jan. 21, 1887.—The following are to-day's quotations of Provisions, &c.:

Pork—Long cut 17 50@18 00; short cuts 17 75@18 25; backs 18 25@18 50; light backs 17 25; pork tongues 16 00.

Lard—Choice at 8¼@8½c ⅞ lb in tcs; 8¾@8c in 1-lb pails; 9@9½c in 5-lb pails.

Hams at 12½@12c, according to size and cure; pressed hams 11½@12c.

Hogs—Choice city dressed hogs 7¾c ⅞ lb; country do at 7c.

Butter—Western extra fresh made creamery at 30@31c; some fancy Elgin 32@33c; extra first Western creamery at 26@28c; do firsts at 22@25c; do June 20@23c; New York fall made creamery, extra at 30c; do Vermont fresh made extra creamery 30@31c; do extra firsts 27@29c. The above quotations are receivers' prices for strictly wholesale lots; jobbing prices 1@2c higher.

Cheese—Northern choice at 12¾@13c; Ohio choice at 11½@12c; Northern sage at 14c. Jobbing prices 1@2c higher.

Eggs—Eastern fresh nominal 23@25c; do firsts 21@22c; extra Vermont N H 23@24c; choice Canada 21@23c; good to fresh Western 20@22c; Michigan fresh 21@22c; Nova Scotia at 20@22c, Jobbing price ½@1c higher.

Beans—Choice small N Y hand picked pea at 2 55@2 60 ⅞ bush; choice New York large hand ed do 2 40@2 50; small Vermont hand picked do at 2 80@2 85.

Hay—Choice prime hay at 17 00@18 00; fair to good at $15 00@16 00; Eastern fine $12@$15; floor to ordinary $12@$14; East coast hay 10@11. Rye straw, choice, 17 00@$18 00; oat straw 9 50@10 00.*

Potatoes—Houlton Rose 85@90c ⅞ bush; do Hebrons 83@85c; Aroostook Rose at 85@90c; do hebrons at 83@85c.

Poultry—Northern young fresh killed turkeys, choice nominal 15c; do fair to good 12@14c; Western young fresh killed turkeys, choice, at 13@13½c; Northern fresh killed chickens, choice at 15c; fair to good 12@14c.

Domestic Markets.

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21, 1888. Flour market—receipts 25,177 packages; exports 3566 bbls and 11,580 sacks; active and rather more so, as a rule; some grades showed a slight decline, sales 17,800 bbls.

Flour quotations—Fine at 2 05@2 65; superfine Western and State 2 45@3 00; common to good extra Western and State at 2 95@3 45; good to choice do at 3 50@5 10; common to choice White Water Western extra at 4 40@4 60; fancy do at 4 65@5 00; common to good extra Ohio at 2 90@5 00; common to choice extra St Louis at 2 90@5 00; patent Minnesota extra good to prime at 4 40@4 70; choice to fancy do at 4 70@5 00. Include 2,700 bbls city mill extra.

Corn meal steady; fine and medium 1500 bbls fine do 2 05@2 65; 2100 bbls superfine 2 45@3 00; 800 bbls extra No 2 at 2 90@3 45; 4300 bbls winter, wheat extra at 2 90@5 00. Southern flour dull; common to fair extra $2 25@4 00; good to choice 4 00@5 00. Barley steady. Wheat—receipts 6000 bush; exports 7700 bush; sales 34,000 bush; quiet and firmly held; No 2 Spring is nominal 101¼c; No 2 Red at 91¼c in elev, 92@92½c afloat; No 1 Red nominal 94c; No 1 White nominal. Rye slow and nominal. Barley is quiet. Corn—receipts 59,400 bush; exports 750 bush; sales—bush; trade steady; tone very slow; No 2 at 59c; steamer 69½c; No 2 at 60c elev, 62½@62¾ afloat. Oats—receipts 39,000 bush, exports 100 bu; sales 36,000 bush; a shade better with the usual Saturday trading; No 3 at 38c; White do at 39c; No 2 at 38¼@38½c; White do—c. Coffee—fair Rio nominal 17¾c. Sugar—market easier; refined firm and in good demand; C at 5⅝@5¾c; Extra C at 5⅝@6c; White Extra C at 6@6 1-16c; yellow 5⅝c; off A 6¼@6 3-16c; standard A 6⅝c; Mould A 7¼c; Confectioners A at 7c; cut loaf and crushed 8c; powdered at 7⅞c; granulated at 7⅞; Cubes at 7⅞c. Petroleum firm—united at 92¼c. Pork is moderately active and steady. Beef steady. Lard is shade higher and very quiet; Western steam 7 50@7 80; city steam 7 65; refined quoted at 7 80 for Continent; S A at 8 40. Butter quiet and rather weak. Cheese firm and quiet.

Freights to Liverpool steady.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21, 1888.—Flour is quiet and unchanged; choice to fancy winter patents 4 40@4 25 ⅞ bbl; Southern winter at 2 60@3 85; Michigan and Wisconsin winters 3 60@4 05; fair to choice seconds 2 60@3 80c; holes to fancy Minnesota patents at 4 35@4 50. Wheat dull; No 2 Spring at 76¾@77¾c; No 2 Red at 83@83½c. Corn is active; No 2 at 48¾c. Oats—No 2 at 30 @30¼c. No 2 Rye 65c. Barley—No 2 at 84@85c. Provisions firm—Mess Pork at 14 20@14 25 Lard 7 4°. Dry salted shoulders at 5 90@6 00; short clear sides 7 90@7 95. Whiskey 1 10.

Receipts—Flour, 15,000 bbls; wheat, 18,000 bush; corn 78,000 bush; oats 70,000 bush; rye 4000 bush; barley 36,000 bush.

Shipments—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 18,000 bush; corn, 51,000 bush; oats, 74,000 bush; rye 3000 bush, barley 22,000 bush.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21, 1888.—The Flour market is quiet. Wheat is steady; No 2 Red at 81½c. Corn was very strong, closing ¼@¾c higher at 47¾@48c. Oats dull at 31¼@32c. Rye—dull at 56c. Barley dull at 70@87½. Provisions are steady—Pork new at 14 75@15 00. Lard at 7 15. Dry salted meats—shoulders at 5 87½; long clear at 7 50@7 55; clear ribs at 7 60@7 65; short clear 7 75@7 87½. Bacon—shoulders at 6½; long clear at 8 40; clear ribs 8 50; short clear at 8 50. Hams steady 10 25@12 00.

Receipts—Flour, 11,000 bbls, wheat 13,000 bush, corn 105,000 bush, oats 27,000 bush, barley 4,000 bush, rye 1,000 bush.

Shipments—Flour 6,000 bbls, wheat 13,000 bush, corn 23,000 bush, oats 4,000 bush, barley 1,000 bush, rye 0,000 bush.

DETROIT, Jan. 21, 1888.—Wheat—No 1 White at 87½c; No 2 Red 86½c. Corn—No 2 at 50¼c. Oats—No 2 at 34½c.

Receipts—Wheat 6,000 bush

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21 1888.—Cotton is firm; middling 9 13-16c.

SAVANNAH, Jan. 21, 1888.—Cotton is steady; middling 9¾c.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 21, 1888.—Cotton quiet; middling 10c.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 21, 1888.—Cotton is firm; middling at 9 13-16c.

MOBILE, Jan. 21, 1888.—Cotton is firm; middling 9 13-16c.

European Markets.

[By Telegraph.]

LONDON, Jan. 21, 1888.—U. S. 4s, 128⅝; do 4½s, 110⅞.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 21, 1888.—Cotton market—quiet; uplands 5⅝d. Orleans adj 5 11-16d; sales 6,000 bales; speculation and export 1000 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 21, 1887—Quotations—Winter Wheat 6s 7d@6s 8d; Spring wheat 6s 7d@6s 8d; Club wheat at 6s 10d@6s 11d. Corn—mixed Western 4s 11d; peas at 5s 5½d. Provisions, &c.—Pork 67s 6d; bacon 41s for short clear and 39s 3d for long clear. Cheese 60s 6d. Tallow 24s 9d. Lard at 38s 6d.

Havana Market.

[By Telegraph.]

HAVANA, Jan. 22, 1888.—Sugar—Owing to worse news received from abroad of a new decline in prices, only a small business was done. Sellers were unwilling to trade and buyers were afraid of a sudden change in prices. The market closed quiet to nominal. Almost all sugars now coming in are pre-engaged and purchases can be effected only for produce to be delivered later.

Molasses sugar, regular to good polarization, $2 12½@2 50 gold per quintal.

Muscovado, fair to good refining, 85 to 90 degrees, $2 25@2 50.

Centrifugal, 92 to 96 degrees polarization, in hhds, bags and boxes, $3 06@3 31½.

Stocks in the warehouses at Havana and Matanzas 7,700 boxes, 88,000 bags, and 19 hhds; receipts for the week, 915 hhds 68,000 bags; exports during the week, 24,500 bags, 315 boxes and 3 hhds, of which 16,000 bags were to the United States.

Freights steady; 9 hhd of sugar loading at Havana for United States at 2 75c; 9 hhd of sugar per hhd of sugar from ports on the north coast (outside ports) for the United States at $3 00@3 12½ gold.

SAILING DAYS OF STEAMSHIPS.

	FROM	FOR
La Gascogne	New York	Havre	Jan 21
Saratoga	New York	Havana	Jan 21
Caracas	New York	Laguayra	Jan 21
Alsatian	New York	Liverpool	Jan 21
Devonia	New York	Glasgow	Jan 21
Umbria	New York	Liverpool	Jan 21
Ohio	New York	Liverpool	Jan 21
Alliance	New York	Rio Janeiro	Jan 25
Celtic	New York	Liverpool	Jan 25
Ems	New York	Bremen	Jan 26
Pavonia	Boston	Liverpool	Jan 26
Rugia	New York	Hamburg	Jan 26
Marsala	New York	Hamburg	Jan 26
City Washington	New York	Havana	Jan 26
San Marcos	New York	Havana	Jan 28
City of Berlin	New York	Liverpool	Jan 28
Slavonia	New York	Stettin	Jan 28
Eider	New Yyrk	Bremen	Jan 28
Edam	New York	Amsterdam	Jan 28
La Bourdogne	New York	Havre	Jan 28
Colon	New York	Panama	Jan 28
Australia	New York	Hamburg	Jan 28
City of Para	New York	Panama	Jan 31
Samaria	Boston	Liverpool	Feb 2
Cephalonia	Boston	Liverpool	Feb 9

MINIATURE ALMANAC.....JANUARY 23.

Sun rises	7 09	High water	6 36
Sun sets	4 38		7 16
Length of day	9 29	Height	8 ft 0 in
Moon sets	2 07		7 ft 6 in

MARINE NEWS.

OF PORTLAND

SATURDAY, Jan. 21.

Arrived.

Steamship Winthrop, Bragg, New York—passengers and mdse to J B Coyle.

Sch C J Willard, Wallace, Newburyport.

Cleared.

Sch Benj C Cromwell, York, Cardenas—Geo S Hunt & Co.

Sch John Proctor, Whitmore, Glen Cove—E S Hamlen & Co.

SUNDAY, Jan. 22.

Arrived.

Steamer Forest City, Snowman, Boston.

SAILED—Steamship Winthrop, fo New York.

SHIPBUILDING—Capt T M Nicholson, of Bucksport, is having a three-masted fishing schr of 250 tons, built at Essex, Mass, to be ready for use on the Banks the coming season.

The New England Shipbuilding Co have contracted to build two three-masted schrs of 500 tons each.—one for Capt Rogers and others of New York, and one for Dover parties, to be commanded by Capt McKey of Harwich.

Wm Adams & Son, of Boothbay, have just put down the keel for a schr of 200 tons for Capt Geo Oliver of Damariscotta.

FROM MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

Ar at Valparaiso about 20th inst, barque Itonuri Buckman, New York.

Ar at Hong Kong Dec 16, barque Escort, Waterhouse, Newchwang.

Ar at Nagasaki prev to 20th inst, barque Xenia, Reynolds, Philadelphia.

Ar at Havre 19th inst, ship Louis Walsh, Pendleton, New York.

Ar at Aguadilla 1st inst, sch Aldine, Dennison, Wilmington.

Memoranda.

Sch J B Knowles, Nickerson, from New York for Portland, with molasses, put into Gloucester 20th badly beat up and unable to proceed under sail. The tug Reliance arrived at Gloucester 22d and took her in tow.

Sch C W Locke, Lamson, from New York for Portsmouth, before reported run down off Isle of Shoals, was struck amidships and went down in five minutes after. The captain and crew had only time to save themselves and lost all their personal effects. Through the kindness of Payson Tucker, they were given free transportation over Maine Central railroad to their homes in the eastern part of the State. The vessel was newly fitted last spring and was valued at $4500; one-quarter was insured for $500. The cargo was fully insured.

At telegram to the owner of ship John T Berry, of Thomaston, states that the captain, mate, passengers, and eleven of the crew, arrived at Sydney, NSW, all well. The second mate and ten men are missing.

Sch Grace Gower, Wilson, from Tonala for New York, put into Mobile 20th leaky.

Sch Morancy, Wass, at Ponce from Portland, reports, Dec 28, lat 33 50, lon 68, fell in with schr M V Cook, of Tuckerton, NJ, in a crippled condition, and took off the captain and crew.

Jonesport, Jan 21—Sch Lucy Wentworth, Rice, from Calais for Hyannis, with lumber, is ashore near this place, in a bad position, and both anchors gone. Probably a total wreck.

London, Jan 20—Ship Alfred P Snow, ashore near Waterford, is breaking up. Half of the cargo has been swept away. Salvage is hopeless.

Nassau, NP, Jan 13—Barque Geo Treat, from New Orleans for Almeria, has been discharged and the surveyors recommend that the voyage be abandoned. The master is awaiting instructions.

Chatham, Jan 21—The three-masted schr P Merwin, Clark, from Clark's Harbor for New York, with granite, anchored too near the beach yesterday and was assisted out of danger this morning by the Chatham Life crew.

Domestic Ports.

PORT TOWNSEND—Ar 9th, ship W F Babcock, Murphy, Tacoma for Hull, to load; ship Ivanhoe, Cld 17th, barque C O Whitmore, Ward, Port Blakeley for Honolulu, in want of crew.

SEATTLE—Sld 9th, ship Gen Knox, Libby, for San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO—Ar 12th, ships Geo F Manson, Morse, Seattle; Gen Knox, Libby, Tacoma.

Ar 20th, ship John R Kelley, Gibbons, New York. 122 days.

MOBILE—Ar 20th, sch Grace Gower, Wilson, from Tonala for New York.

NEW ORLEANS—Ar 20th, sch T W Dun, McFarland, Providence.

MOBILE—Ar 19th, sch Isaiah K Stetson, Trask, Pensacola.

PENSACOLA—Cld 20th, sch Anna W Barker, Sargent, Matanzas.

JACKSONVILLE—Ar 20th, sch Standard, Oram, Orient, LI; C P Wilson, Hall, Boston.

Cld 20th, sch Hattie H Barbour, Gilkey, Barbadoes.

BRUNSWICK—Cld 18th, sch William R Drury, Sweetland, New York; Eugene, Field, Cherryfield

DARIEN—Cld 16th, sch W E Newton, Coombs, New York.

GEORGETOWN, SC—Sld 18th, sch Alfaretta S Snare, Snare, Demarara.

NORFOLK—Sld 20th, brig Mary C Haskell, Oliver, Charleston.

NEWPORT NEWS—Sld 19th, schs John F Merrow, for Boston; J Manchester Haynes, do; Mabel Hooper, for New York.

BALTIMORE—Cld 17th, sch Harry Messer, Smith, Boston.

BALTIMORE—Cld 20th, sch Wm P Hood, Rose, Providence.

Sld 19th, sch M V B Chase, for Portland.

Sld 20th, schs San Domingo, L A Burnham.

PHILADELPHIA—Cld 20th, sch Nelson E Newbury, Adams, Portland.

C d 20th, barque Don Justo, Orcutt, Majorca.

At Newcastle 19th, sch Thos R Pillsbury, from Philadelphia for Matanzas.

At Thurlow 19th, sch Ella M Storer.

Ar at Delaware Breakwater 21st, sch Fred A Small, Dinsmore, Demarara, (and sld for Philadelphia.

PERTH AMBOY—Sld 19th, sch Pulaski, Adams, Port Chester.

NEW YORK—Ar 20th, sch A R Weeks, Henley, Portland.

Cld 20th, sch Grace Bradley, McIntire, Matanzas.

NEWPORT—Ar 19th, sch J W Woodruff, Richardson, Fall River for New York; Jennie Carter, Eaton, New York for Salem.

VINEYARD HAVEN—Ar 19th, brig Harry Stewart, Blake, Amboy for Portland; Etna, Foss, Weehawken for Portland.

Ar 20th, sch Henry Sutton, from Baltimore for Portland

In port, schs Laura, Penobscot, June Bright, Annie I Bailey, Mary J Lee, G M Brainard, and Race Horse.

EDGARTOWN—In port 20th, schs T H Dixon, Torrey, New York for Bucksport; Charlie & Willie, Philbrook, New York for Rockland.

HYANNIS—In port 20th, sch Edw H Purbet, Wentworth, New York for Portland; Carrie Bell, Seavey, do for Boston; Louise Hastings, Hoboken for Beverly; A Hayford, do for Boston; Ida L Ray, Marshall, New York for ——.

Outside 20th, schs Isaiah Hart, Sproul, Baltimore for Boston; Everett Webster, from Philadelphia for do.

Sld 20th, sch Lucy H Eussell, Wilson, fm Baltimore for Portland.

PLYMOUTH—Outside 21st, sch Hunter, from Rockland for New York.

BOSTON—Ar 22d, sch Winslow Morse, McDonough, Winterport.

Cld 22d, brig H C Sibley, Hichborn, Aspinwall, (and sailed); sch Wild Pigeon, Paine, Rockport.

Sld 22d, sch May Williams, for Kennebunk.

GLOUCESTER—In port 20th, schs Forest City, New York for Salem; L T Whitmore, do for Portsmouth; Sarah A Blackwell, Ellsworth for New York; Nellie E Gray, New York for Rockland; Idaho, do for Portland; King Dove, Rockland for St Augustine, Fla; Venetia, do for New York.

PORTSMOUTH—Ar 20th, sch L T Whitmore, Cook, New York.

Sld 20th, schs Nat Meader, Brown, Wiscasset; Hope Haynes, Sawyer, Portland.

Below, schs Vulcan, Lewis, Rockport for New York; Laura T Chester, and Antelope, Banks, do for Boston; E P Newcomb, Allen, Deer Isle for Boston.

ROCKPORT—Cld, sch Mattie B Russell, Larrabee, Point-a-Pitre.

BOOTHBAY—Ar 19th, schs Cora C Meader, Meader, and Mary Elizabeth, Dunton, Portland.

In port, schs Thomas Borden, Conary, Rockland for New York; E L Warren, Colson, Belfast for Boston; Jennie A Cheney, Cushman, Rockland for New York; Lady Ellen, Clark, St John, NB, for New York; E & G W Hinds, Coleman, Calais for Dartmouth.

Also in port, barque Chas Forbes, for Cuba.

Foreign Ports.

Sld fm Rio Janeiro Dec 29, barque Jessie Macgregor, McFadden, Maceio.

Ar at St John, PR, 3d inst, sch Henry S Woodruff, Hodgkins, New York.

Sld 27th inst, brig Stockton, Allen, Arecibo

Ar at Point-a-Pitre Dec 27, sch J S Davis, Green Jacksonville.

Ar at Cienfuegos 11th, sch Robt Ruff, Stilphen, Pascagoula.

Spoken.

Jan 19, lat 42 27, lon 66 57, barque Hypatia, Bradley, from Calais for Buenos Ayres.

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THE PRESS.

MONDAY MORNING, JAN. 23.

PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TO-DAY.

AMUSEMENTS.

Rev. A. J. Swartz—Christian Science.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Metal Skylights—E. Van Noorden & Co.
Annual Meeting—Maine Steamship Co.
Rumford Falls and Buckfield Railroad.
Old and Valuable Frames Repaired.
Wanted—Cook and Laundress.
Pozzoni's Complexion Powder.
Savings Bank Book Lost.
Baker's Breakfast Cocoa.
Lost—Lady's Watch.
Owen, Moore & Co.
Found—Lap Robe.
Situation Wanted.
Rooms to Let.

Every one knows that cocoa is an excellent tonic. Taken in the morning, at breakfast, it has no equal for nutrition, and strengthening qualities, but it can be taken with advantage at any time. It is especially recommended for nursing mothers, to whom its benefits are invaluable. Unfortunately, cocoa is sometimes mixed with starch, arrowroot, or sugar, and thus loses a great part of its special properties; hence, great care should be taken to procure the best in the market. Baker's Breakfast Cocoa and Chocolate preparations have long been the standard of excellence, and are guaranteed absolutely pure.

Advice to Mothers.—MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it prodnces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub, awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes Twenty-five cents a bottle.
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The architectural sheet metal work manufactured by E. Van Noorden & Co., 383 to 387 Harrison Avenue, is well set forth in the metallic skylights, which are unexcelled by any other style. There is no expansion or contraction of parts to break the glass or make leaks, and no dripping of condensed water. They are made of galvanized sheet iron, sheet copper, or brass; combine great strength with lightness, and are superior to wrought iron and wooden lights.

"I have experienced great relief by taking Adamson's Botanic Balsam for asthma. I would also state I can go up stairs and walk farther than I have in some time without feeling weary as I have for the past. Mrs. L. F. Bells, 365 East Broadway, N. Y." Trial size 10 cents.
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A woman who is weak, nervous and sleepless, and who has cold hands and feet, can not act like a well person. Carter's Iron Pills equalize the circulation, remove nervousness, and give strength and rest.
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If you suffer from looseness of the bowels **Angostura Bitters** will surely cure you. Beware of counterfeits, and ask your grocer or druggist for the genuine article, prepared by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. jan23eod&w1w

HARPER'S BAZAR—This beautiful weekly publication is a welcome visitor to the parlor circle. The number for the ensuing week has been received by N. G. Fessenden, 484 Congress street.

"Best cure for Cough and Colds is the old Boston Vegetable Pulmonary Balsam."
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DON'T

let that cold of yours run on. You think it is a light thing. But it may run into catarrh. Or into pneumonia. Or consumption.

Catarrh is disgusting. Pneumonia is dangerous. Consumption is death itself.

The breathing apparatus must be be kept healthy and clear of all obstructions and offensive matter. Otherwise there's trouble ahead.

All the diseases of the air parts, head, nose, throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, can be delightfully and entirely cured by the use of Boschee's German Syrup. If you don't know this already thousands and thousands of people can tell you. They have been cured by it, and "know how it is themselves." Bottle only 75 cents. Ask any druggist.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

BEFORE JUDGE HASKELL.

SATURDAY—Joshua Chapman, libellant, vs. Clara E. Chapman, and Clara E. Chapman, libellant, vs. Joshua Chapman; cross libels for divorce. Heard together. Grant and abusive treatment alleged in each case. The hearing occupied nearly the entire day, and will be resumed Monday morning.

W. H. Vinton for Joshua Chapman.

J. J. Perry for Clara E. Chapman.

Emily J. Ford, libellant, vs. Charles E. Ford, divorce decreed nisi for utter desertion for the statute period.

W. E. Ulmer for libellant.

Ida M Griffin, libellant, vs. Frank T. Griffin, divorce decreed nisi for gross and confirmed habits of intoxication.

Frank & Larrabee for libellant.

PERSONAL.

Attorney General Baker was at the Falmouth Hotel Saturday.

Capt. B. F. Beals, A. Q. M. G. Department of Maine, G. A. R., was in town Saturday.

Mr. Joseph Tyler, the cornet player, has received a fine offer to take charge of a large carriage factory at Merrimac, Mass.

Adjutant Philbrook, 1st Regiment, M. V. M., is quite ill at his home at Woodfords.

Mr. W. C. Allen was presented on his birthday, and elegant bronze ewer by his friends.

Hon. J. H. Drummond and Judge Bonney will probably attend Dr. Bosworth's funeral, as they are trustees of Colby University.

Mr. John Keating will resume his old position as head waiter at the Falmouth Hotel, Feb. 1st.

Mr. James Blair has passed a successful examination before the Commissioners of Pharmacy.

Miss Grace L. Pearson, the promising young vocalist, died of brain fever at the age of 20 years yesterday. She leaves a large circle of friends to lament her loss.

Bernard Usher of Bridgton, aged 83, stopping with Mr. F. A. Usher at Dermott's Court, entered his chamber to retire for the night and fell dead from heart disease.

The statements going the rounds of the press that Mr. Benjamin Bunker has given up the Kennebec Democrat, and is an applicant for the office made vacant by the death of Mr. Cromwell, is pronounced unqualifiedly false by Mr. Bunker.

The veteran John Wilton, in a letter to the Chicago Inter Ocean, says that at Commodore Preble's funeral, a band was secured from out of town and they could only play one tune, and so the procession marched to the grave to the music of a lively Irish jig.

Francis Blake, who died in Oakland, Cal., San. 6th, was a Portland boy, an apprentice and afterwards partner of Ira Berry. He went to California in '49, or soon after with a power press. Afterwards he went into the paper business and made a fortune.

On the evening of Jan. 31st, the Young Men's Republican Club will have a public meeting to be addressed by prominent young Republicans of the State. William H. Looney, Esq., of this city and Frederick H. Powers, Esq., of Houlton, have been invited. Mr. Looney will speak upon the tariff.

F. M. Gates, Bowdoin, '90, has been engaged by the Lewiston Y. M. C. A. as the instructor in the new gymnasium. Mr. Gates will assume charge of the physical culture department of the Association work on Saturday, Feb. 4. He was a member of his class crew for two years and captain of his class in the college gymnasium.

Col. A. B. Nealey of Lewiston and Mr. A. S. Melcher and Col. H. M. Sprague of Auburn, called on Governor Marble, Friday, and tendered him and his staff a complimentary reception by the Grand Canton Woromobus, Patriarchs Militant, to take place at City Hall, Lewiston, Feb. 16th, it being the second anniversary of the introduction of the order in Maine. The Governor accepted the invitation.

Mr. Edes, the senior proprietor of the Piscataquis Observer of Dover, comes of a race of printers. His father was the late George V. Edes, who set the first type ever put up in Somerset and Piscataquis, and assisted his uncle, Peter Edes, with whom he was then living, in getting out the first issue of the Bangor Register, from which sprung the Whig and Currier. George V. Edes' grandfather was a fellow-workman of Benjamin Franklin in Boston, and a composing-stick which he used is now one of the heir-looms of the Edes family.

Hon. David P. Chaplin of Bridgton is mentioned in the dispatches as a candidate for State Prison Inspector. If the Governor is looking about for a man for that position with special reference to the matter of fitness, he can hardly do better than to take Mr. Chaplin. His long service on the Cumberland board of County commissioners and intimate relations with the jail workshop gives him an experience which would be valuable at the State Prison.—Bridgton News.

BRIEF JOTTINGS.

The Church of the Messiah has collected $100 more than its debt.

Additional hot air pipes were put in the High school building Saturday.

The new road scraper of the Horse Railroad Company did effective work Saturday.

Twelve new members have joined the Turnverein.

Capt. Long had Henry Kane arrested for stealing barrels on Long wharf Saturday.

A lady friend of the Argonauts has presented the club with an elegant lambrequin.

The meeting of the Longfellow C. L. S. C has been postponed one week.

There were 27 arrests last week of which 20 were for drunkenness.

The steamers of the Portland Steam Packet Company will leave Boston at 6 p. m. instead of 5 p. m. after February 1st.

Michael Bennett, an employe of the Rolling Mills, had a finger caught between two rails and it had to be amputated.

It is unofficially announced that the ocean steamship business from this port will be resumed February 10th.

Sixteen posts have been erected in Deering on the highways and cross roads, and proper sign boards placed thereon.

Chief Engineer Cloyes shot a bald headed eagle at Scarboro that measured 7 feet 2 inches from tip to tip of his wings.

Tonight the P. H. S. class of '81, and on Wednesday night the Cumberland Bar, will dine at the Falmouth Hotel.

By an overflow from a faucet in Union Hall Saturday, the ceilings in the stores below were damaged.

The entire harbor above Bug light, was frozen over yesterday for the first time this winter.

The Clark & Chaplin Ice Company had a pay roll Saturday of $1900. They are fast filling their ice houses.

Some inhuman person covered a dog with kerosene on Friday night, on Howard street, and set the oil on fire.

The crew of the schooner Mattie T. Dyer got $40 a piece for their large part of fish Saturday. Some of them then got drunk and quarrelsome, and were pulled in.

Skippers and receivers are now signing a petition to the Grand Trunk for a warm freight car to be run between this city and Island Pond once a week.

Capt. Geo. H. Abbott, inspector on the staff of the commander-in-chief has been presented an appropriate badge by Bosworth Post.

Rev. A. J. Swarts, the editor of the Mental Science Magazine, will give a pointed lecture in Christian Science at Room 6, Brown's Block, Thursday, at 2.30 p. m.

Capt. A. J. Pettingill and A. D. York have purchased the A. M. Smith, fishing planet, and will conduct it under the name of A. J. Pettingill & Co., with A. M. Smith as manager.

Some time during Friday night burglars broke a pane of glass in the front window of Johnson & Lambert's store on Wilmot street and entering the store stole $10 worth of cigars.

There were 3900 bushels of potatoes imported last week, and the exports were 1373 empty hogsheads, 166 packages of fish, 7925 clapboards, 12,000 shingles, 46,695 feet of lumber, and 2380 shook and heads.

Webb & Cushing, the shoe manufacturers, have purchased W. B. Sawyer's factory, and Messrs. W. F. Dresser, Albert Pennell, Charles Gatley, and Charles Allen will start a co-operative factory on Plum street.

The ferry boat Cornelia H. broke her rudder on one of her trips Saturday morning and was laid up for repairs the greater part of the day. Her place on the line was supplied by a tug boat.

Mr. George Gowan, the carpenter, was taken with chills Saturday, while working on Mr. Baxter's new house on Mackworth's Island, and was taken home in a dory by his fellow workmen. It took two hours to get the boat through the ice.

The Paint and Oil Club dined at the Preble House Saturday evening and entertained Mr. J. W. Sherer of Power & Weightman, Philadelphia, President J. H. Dow of the Commercial Travellers' Association, and G. W. Thompson.

Saturday and Sunday were the mort trying days of the winter. The wind blew from the northwest on Saturday and the mercury didn't rise above 7° during the day. Both days were very clear and bright, but the mercury ran from 6° to 10° below zero yesterday morning. At 11 a. m. it had run up to 14° above.

Boston & Maine was stiff at 210 Saturday. It is claimed that the Maine Central people know of no conference to be held in relation to a lease of the Portland & Ogdensburg road. They admit that the matter has been talked over informally, but assert that no action is likely to be taken, for the present at least.

A Shipwrecked Crew.

The C. W. Locke, a coal schooner, was in collision with the schooner Annie H. Moses near the Isle of Shoals and was sunk. The crew of the Locke took their boats and were saved by the schooner Starry Flag. The Locke was 218 tons, built at Harwich, Mass., and owned by Captain D. H. Lamson and Ira Preble of Addison. She was valued at $3000 and was insured, as was her cargo. Captain Lamson and the crew of the Locke reached Portland Saturday, and General Manager Tucker of the Maine Central, gave them passes to Addison.

Fell Down the Elevator.

One of the female employes at Shaw, Goulding & Co.'s shoe factory, Saturday, asked Russell Luddington to get the elevator for her, then two landings below them. The boy rushed to the elevator well, lost his balance and fell about twenty feet, breaking a leg below the knee. He will receive a benefit while confined to the house, from the relief association of the factory. Two of the employes fainted away on account of the accident, and were sent home in a hack.

Saved from Freezing.

Satufday afternoon, Mr. J. N. Martin, master mechanic for the Grand Trunk road, saw, through a spy-glass, two men in a dory off Pomeroy's Rock, waving a coat, tied to an oar, for assistance. Mr. Martin notified Capt. Ben. Willard, who sent the Fannie G. to the rescue, and after breaking through the ice a half a mile, the steamer saved the men Messrs. Charles Vining and John Dyer of Chatham street—who were badly frost bitten.

Sir Thomas Esmonde.

It is stated that a meeting will be arranged at City Hall, at a day in the near future, when Sir Thomas Esmonde will address our citizens, and so will Mr. Stuart, the Scotch Liberal. Gov. Marble will be invited to preside, and a branch of the Irish National League formed in Portland. All who desire to become members of the League will meet at I. A. R. A. hall next Wednesday evening.

Sons of Veterans.

February 1st, Shepley Camp, S. of V., will celebrate its fifth anniversary by a camp-fire at Bosworth Post Hall. The two Portland Posts, Perry Camp of Auburn, and Custer Camp of Lewiston, will be present, Col. Libby and Adjutant Gould, of the Maine division, have also been invited, and the Ladies' Aid will assist.

The Portland Club Reception.

Members of the Veteran and Young Men's Republican Clubs will bear in mind that they can obtain from their respective secretaries of their clubs tickets to the reception tendered to Hon. C.J. Noyes of Massachusetts by the Portland Club, at their club house, tonight.

Veteran Republican Club.

The members of the Veteran Republican Club are reminded of the adjournment meeting in the Ward Room, City Building, this evening, at 7.30 o'clock. Cards of admission to the reception of the Portland Club can be had of the secretary at this meeting.

Dirigo Boat Club.

The Dirigo Boat Club are busy making preparations for their dance which occurs in City Hall, Wednesday evening, Jan. 25. The order of dances has been submitted to Professor Grimmer, who will furnish the music. A good time is assured to all who attend.

Sleighing Accident.

By the upsetting of a sleigh returning from Spurwink to Portland Friday night, Mr. Clark was cut about the eyes, Mr. P. W. Stoneham got a lame back, and another gentleman had his arm twisted.

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

Meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Association Saturday.

The Society Votes for the Removal of Old City Hall.

A special meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Association was held at Army and Navy Hall on Saturday evening for the final determination of the question, before asking for additional plans and estimates, whether the structure to be erected in Market square shall be a monument or memorial building. There were present about 150.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Gen. John Marshall Brown, and the secretary, Mr. C. W. Roberts, read the published call, stating its purpose. Gen. Brown then read from the records of the previous meetings the proceedings which resulted in the calling of this special meeting, and then said:

"These records will sufficiently explain, I think, gentlemen the position in which we are. The Association, at its annual meeting, required the executive committee to procure plans for a monument, and plans for a memorial building utilizing the present structure in Market square. The executive committee at its first meeting decided that, in their judgment, it was inexpedient to remodel the old City Hall, and asked that there should be a final decision before soliciting plans; that there be a meeting of the Association specially called to determine the question as to whether or not it was desirable to build in Market square a monument or a memorial building. This, in brief, is the question to be submitted to the Association tonight."

Mr. Charles E. Somerby inquired if it would be in order to take any action in regard to the records of the last meeting.

The president replied that this was a special meeting of the Association, called for a special purpose. The annual meeting had been adjourned for eight weeks (to March 5th), but he presumed that there could be no objection to having the records of the former meeting read if desired.

Mr. Somerby did not desire particularly to have the records read, but stated that, if in order, he would like to offer a motion in regard to them. He would move to expunge from the records the vote passed at the last meeting on motion of Mr. George E. Brown that the executive committee submit a report of designs for a monument, as well as for a memorial building, at an adjourned meeting of the Association to be held eight weeks from that date (March 5th.)

Mr. Geo. E. Brown stated, that as he was the member on whose motion the vote referred to had been passed, he should decidedly object to the present motion.

Col. John C. Cobb suggested that the motion was not in order, and could not be entertained.

The president stated that the motion was not fairly before the meeting. Mr. Somerby then read his motion, and asked to be allowed to explain.

The President—The matter before the Association is that in the nature of special business. This motion is one to alter the records of the annual meeting. The Chair will decide that such a motion is not in order, nor is discussion upon that motion in order. If the gentleman desires to appeal from the decision of the Chair, he can do so.

Mr. Somerby did not press the motion, which was evidently intended to relieve the committee from any action under the vote to which it referred.

Mr. Richard K. Gatley said: Mr. President—Some years ago a call was published for a meeting at City Hall of all persons interested in the object of raising funds for the erection of a soldiers' monument. At that meeting I believe, sir, one hundred and thirty-seven dollars was raised by subscription. I claim the honor of paying the first dollar into the fund. It was only one dollar, but it was the first one that was paid. Although not a Portland born boy, I have always taken a deep interest in this matter, from that day to this. In all our struggles to raise this fund, the object in view has always been a soldiers' monument, in honor of those who died in the defense of our country. There has been no question raised at any time, by any person, but that this structure should be a soldiers' monument, until recently. The question was, first, upon a site for the monument, and that was selected by a vote—the largest vote that was ever given for any object in this city. The question was then raised that this was not a legal vote. We then petitioned the legislature for an act to enable us to vote legally upon the measure, and the legislature granted us that privilege. We voted upon it, and it was decided by a vote of seventy-five per cent of the entire vote polled that the site for a soldiers' monument should be in Market square. On the 7th of April the members of the city government met in Old City Hall, under the act, for the purpose of condemning that building as a site for a public park. We waited there an hour and fifteen minutes, during which time no man raised his voice, or entered a protest or remonstrance in any way, in opposition to it. We heard from no one, with the exception of Mrs. Thurston, and she did not come up the stairway. It was then voted that the building should be condemned, and torn down at any time after six months at the request of the executive committee of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Association, not for a Memorial Hall Association or an Old City Hall Association, but for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Association (applause). Mr. President, I would that the request had been made on October 7th. I think I speak the sentiment of nine-tenths of the soldiers and sailors of the city of Portland when I say that we want the monument in Market square (applause). I think I speak their sentiments when I say that we will bid "God Speed" to any gentleman who will be liberal enough to build a Memorial Hall for us on any other site. But now we want a monument; we do not want any obstruction thrown in the way of erecting a monument in honor of those who died in the defence of our country.

Mr. President, I have been requested to present the following resolutions:

Resolved. That this Association agree with the executive committee that it is inexpedient to remodel Old City Hall.

Resolved. That the executive committee be, and hereby is directed to ask the mayor of the city to remove the Old City Hall before May 1, 1888. [Applause.]

Resolved. That it is the opinion of this Association that a monument should be erected on the Market Square lot as soon as the contracts can be made.

Mr. President, I move the adoption of the resolutions, and the motion was seconded from all parts of the hall.

The president inquired if the resolutions should be acted upon separately or together, and Mr. Gatley moved their adoption as a whole.

Ex-Mayor Deering said that before the resolutions were adopted he would like to inquire, in order that the matter might be thoroughly understood, whether the mayor has authority to remove the Old City Hall, or whether it is the city council that has the authority. In reply the president read from the act the section stating that "the mayor shall, within six months after said date, cause the building upon said lot to be removed at the expense of the city."

The resolutions were then adopted by a vote of 66 to 7. The vote was received with great applause, and three cheers for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument.

On motion of Mr. P. H. Brown, the meeting then adjourned.

PULPIT AND PLATFORM.

FREE STREET CHURCH.

Just before commencing his sermon at Free street Baptist church yesterday morning, Mr. Dunn called the attention of the congregation to the fact that two of the former pastors of the church had passed away within a few days of each other. Rev. Lewis Colby was the second pastor of the church, holding the pastorate for two and a half years. Dr. Bosworth was called in 1855 and was with the society during the three crisis of its existence which included the financial struggle, and the war. He referred to the fact that after the Doctor moved to Boston, that the, the speaker, was his secretary in one of the most important departments of his work, and he thus became closely associated with him, and realized the strength and importance of his character.

Mr. Prentiss Manning and Judge Bonney were appointed by the church to attend Dr. Bosworth's funeral.

NOTES.

There was a large attendance at Congress street M. E. church yesterday and many conversion were reported. Mrs. Van Cotts will preach each evening during the week and also at 2.30 o'clock every afternoon except Monday and Saturday.

The Death Rate.

The whole number of deaths in the city for last week was 8, from the following causes:

Diseases.	WARDS 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total.
Brain	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1
Chronic bronchitis	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1
Consumption	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	2
Heart	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1
Infantile	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1
Paralysis	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1
Pneumonia	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
Total	1	–	2	2	1	2	–	8

Atkinson House Furnishing Co.

At a meeting of this corporation, held Thursday, a dividend of ten per cent was declared and these officers elected:

President—Isaac C. Atkinson.
Treasurer—Frank N. Deane.
Directors—Isaac C. Atkinson, B. A. Atkinson, George C. Wing, Robert Dornam, John E. Donnell.

C. A. R.

The Twenty-first Annual State Encampment.

Department Commander Catley's General Order.

Department Commander Gatley has issued the following general order in reference to the approaching encampment of the Department of Maine, G. A. R., to be held in this city:

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF MAINE, G. A. R.,
PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 19, 1888.

General Order No. 7.

I. The twenty-first annual encampment of this department will convene at Park Theatre, Portland, at 2 p. m., Feb. 9th, and continue through the 10th.

II. The Commander of Bosworth Post, No. 2, will detail an officer of the day, and the Commander of Thatcher Post, No. 3, an officer of the guard, and each commander will detail four comrades to act as sentinels during the encampment. The officer of the day will report to the Assistant Adjutant General, at parlor 2, Falmouth Hotel, at 8 p. m., Feb. 8th, for instructions.

III. Department headquarters will be established at parlor 2, Falmouth Hotel, where the Council of Administration will meet at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, Feb. 8th, for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it. Matters of business requiring the action of the Council of Administration of the Department Encampment should be forwarded to these headquarters before the 1st of February. All posts or comrades having matters to bring before the encampment will present the same in writing.

IV. It is the intention of the Commander, with the concurrence of the Council, to confine as far as possible the business of the encampment Thursday afternoon, Feb. 9th, to the reception of reports of officers, etc. The business of the encampment and the election and installation of officers will take place on the 10th.

V. Commander-in-Chief John P. Rea, Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief John C. Linehan, Adjutant General Daniel Fish, Inspector General Ira M. Hedges are expected to be present at the encampment.

VI. 1. Arrangements have been made with the Maine Central railroad, Bangor & Piscataquis, Knox & Lincoln, Grand Trunk, Rumford Falls & Buckfield, Sandy River, Somerset, Bridgton & Saco River, Portland & Ogdensburg, Portland & Rochester, and the New Brunswick railway, and the International Steamship Company for one fare for the round trip over their respective lines for comrades and their ladies.

2. On the Maine Central Railroad and branches, at all stations, purchase tickets to Portland and return.

3. The New Brunswick Railway will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip from all stations in Maine on their road and at St. Stephen, N. B., tickets to be sold Feb. 6th and 7th, good to return Feb. 14th.

4. On the Maine Central Railroad and other roads, tickets will be sold to go to Portland on the 8th, 9th and 10th, and return on the 11th.

5. The Knox & Lincoln Railroad will issue round trip tickets to Portland and return from all stations on its line.

On the Bangor & Piscataquis Railroad, comrades will, at the station where they take the train, ask for tickets to Oldtown and return, and at Oldtown buy tickets to Portland and return.

7. Comrades on the line of the Sandy River will purchase tickets to Farmington and return, and at Farmington buy tickets to Portland and return.

8. At all stations of the Somerset Railroad, comrades will purchase tickets to Oakland and return, and at Oakland will purchase tickets to Portland and return.

9. On the Rumford Falls & Buckfield, tickets will be purchased at Mechanic Falls and return, then by Grand Trunk Railway to Portland and return.

10. The Bridgton & Saco River Railroad will sell tickets from Bridgton to Portland and return for one fare for the round trip.

11. At all stations on the Portland & Ogdensburg railroad, comrades will purchase tickets to Portland, and will receive free return checks on application to the Assistant Adjutant General of the Encampment.

12. On the Portland & Rochester railroad, purchase tickets to Portland, and free return checks will be issued on application to the Assistant Adjutant General, at the Encampment.

13. On the Boston & Maine railroad, Eastern and Western divisions, the fare will be two cents per mile each way.

14. Commanders of Posts, on receipt of this order, are charged with the duty of informing comrades of the information contained herein in relation to the encampment, and railroad transportation and rates. By the exercise of a little care on the part of commanders and comrades no mistake will occur.

VII. The hotel rates at Portland will be as follows: Falmouth Hotel, $2 to $4 per day; Preble House, $2.50 per day; United States Hotel, $2 per day; City Hotel, $1.50 to $2 per day; Merchants' Exchange Hotel, $1 to $3 per day; Eagle House, $1 per day.

VIII. Assistant inspectors will, immediately upon the conclusion of their labors, forward their reports to Henry E. Sellers, Department Inspector, Bangor, Me.

IX. There have been several applications from Posts for Special Order No. 12, National Headquarters. This order is included in and is a part of General Order No. 13.

By command of
RICHARD K. GATLEY,
E. C. MILLIKEN, Dept. Commander.
Asst. Adjt. Gen.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

MR. W. J. FLORENCE.

Tonight and Tuesday evening Mr. Florence and his company will be seen in three of the best plays in their repertoire, giving the double bill tonight of "Husband Hunting" and "Domby & Son" and on the second evening presenting their latest success entitled "The Flirt." It is now four years since Mr. Florence appeared here and as he produced the Mighty Dollar on that occasion.

The public chiefly remember him as the Hon. Bardwell Slote, the character that has made his name famous, so that his visit this time will be all the more welcome as he gives us two new characters to enjoy.

Grimmer's orchestra will play the following selections:

Overture—"Die Schone Galathe".....Suppe.
Waltzes—"Fruehlong's Kinder".....Waldteufel.
Medley—Pele-Mele (first time).....Damon
Pierrette—Air De Ballet (new).....Benaud.

BUSINESS COLLEGE MUSICAL.

At the Portland Business College Saturday evening, the following musical programme was rendered:

Waltz, Crickett on The Hearth, College Orchestra.
Selection.....Miss Lillian F. Edwards.
Piano Duet.....La Dame Blanche
Mr. Oren K. and Miss Elva Pettingill.
Violin Solo.....W. I. A. McGrath.
Vocal Solo.....Frank A. Gray.
Reading of the Students Review by.....
John C. Hutchieson.
Polka, Johnny Get Your Gun. College Orchestra.

LONGFELLOW LODGE.

Longfellow Lodge, Knights of Pythias will celebrate their fourth anniversay at Castle Hall Wednesday evening, with an entertainment followed be a supper. The following excellent programme will be presented:

"The Singers' March".....Weston.
Portland Quartette.
Reading.....Selected.
Mr. C. F. Plummer.
Song.....Selected.
Miss Lucie Pitts.
Xylophone Solo.....J. W. Barbour.
Banjo Accompaniment, Mrs. A. F. Johnson.
Reading—in Costume.....Mr. C. F. Plummer.
Duet—"Alla Campana".....
Miss Pitts and Mr. Jordan.
Harmonica and Banjo.....Mr. J. W. Barbour.
Song—"Who Cares".....Mr. E. L. Jordan.
Reading—"Mother Hubbard Sermons".....
Mr. C. F. Plummer.
Plantation Songs.....Anson.
Portland Quartette.
Accompanist.....Miss H. L. Damon

HANNIBAL A. WILLIAMS.

The sixth and closing entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. course was given at City Hall on Saturday evening by Hannibal A. Williams of New York, before a large and intelligent audience. Few really anticipated the appearance of so finished and superior an elocutionist. Mr. Williams recited from memory the third and fourth acts of Shakespeare's historical tragedy "Julius Cesar," Howell's side splitting farce, "The Sleeping Car," as published in Harper's Monthly, "The Planet's Ball," a fanciful and delightful poem by Miss Shaw, and "The Stutterer." In all these selections Mr. Williams unrivalled power for character delineation provoked frequent and hearty applause.

MISS STERLING'S CONCERT.

Among the artists of note who will assist Miss Stearling at the concert given by her at City Hall Tuesday evening is Mr. J. Aldrich Libbey, of Boston. A young American baritone who recently returned from Europe. His deep powerful voice he has in good control, and shows the effect that the best American and European training has had effect upon it.

NOTES.

Maud Banks will appear in "Joan of Arc," at Portland Theatre, Jan. 30th.

Boucicault will play at Portland Theatre on Feb. 3rd and 4th.

The drama "Held by the Enemy," will be put on at Portland Theatre, Feb. 17th and 18th.

The Schubert Quartette will sing at Fairfield Tuesday evening.

At the concert to be given at City Hall in the Stockbridge course the Haydns and Germanians, the Haydns will give among other things Hiller's "Song of Victory," and Rubenstein's "Those Pictures." Mr. J. B. Coyle will render "Why do the Nations."

There was an excellent advance sale of seats Saturday to the Gilmore concert. Good seats are still on sale at Stockbridge's.

Chandler's Band.

We learn that Mr. Frank E. Collins has been elected leader of Chandler's Band. Mr. Collins is a young man of ability, and brings to this position acknowledged merit as a musician, skill as a performer, and experience as a teacher and leader. A band is a necessity, and a good one something to be proud of, and we have always felt proud of ours. We do not doubt that the good reputation they have sustained in the past, will, under the guidance of Mr. Collins, and with proper encouragement from our citizens, still remain, and that they will continue a credit to themselves and an honor to our city.

MUSIC.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate in this county have been recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

Deering—George Libby to Annie E. Lamson. $1 and other considerations.

Cape Elizabeth—William D. Murray to Albert F. Hannaford. $1 and other considerations.

Gray—Dora L. Bailey to Simon Libby. $100.

George W. Quint to Jabez C. Benson. $75.

New Gloucester—J. P. Grant to J. S. Sturgis. $125.

Bridgton—Freeman H. Brown et al. to P. M. Glines. $250.

Harrison—C. A. Chaplin et al. to H. F. Proctor et al. $300.

FISH.

Annual Report of the Fish Bureau.

The Fish Bureau has made its annual report, from which we gather the following statistics:

The catch of the New England fleet for the year was 88,382 barrels against 79,998 barrels in 1886, 329,943 barrels in 1885, and 478,076 in 1884. Last year's catch was as follows:

	No. of Sail.	Shore Catch.	N. Bay Catch.	Total.
Massachusetts	282	55,268	15,655	70,918
Maine	65	9,151	1,913	11,064
Rhode Island	...	6,400	.....	6,400
Total.				
1887	297	70,814	17,568	86,382
1886	293	16,905	63,093	79,998
1885	388	302,271	27,672	329,943
1884	361	458,439	19,637	478,076
1883	358	198,019	28,066	226,085

Of last year's catch, Maine packed at Portland 10,652 barrels.

Schooner Lizzie Maud of this city stocked $13,000 on salt mackerel alone.

Of codfish, Maine with 173 vessels got 160,100 quintals. The catch last year was much smaller than for the four preceding years.

Portland Typographical Relief Society.

The second annual meeting of the Portland Typographical Relief Society was held at the Argus office Saturday evening. The reports of the officers showed the society to be in a prosperous condition, the treasurer's statement giving a total fund of $845.39, which is an increase of $38 over last year; while from the fund there has been paid out in benefits about $70.

Amendments to the by-laws were acted on, two members dropped from the roll, and one admitted, after which the following officers were elected:

President—Samuel H. Brown.
Vice President—William H. McDonald.
Recording Secretary—W. H. Greene.
Financial Secretary—Stephen D. Brown.
Treasurer—George D. Loring.
Executive Committee—Geo. E. Kenworthy, Jr., Thomas H. Fisher, Fred O. Turner.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

CAPE ELIZABETH.

Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Association has expended $100 for the purchase of the lot adjoining the cemetery.

Scarboro and Cape Elizabeth Farmers' Grange, will have a supper and entertainment at Grange Hall, Thursday next.

Worth Knowing.

Which life insurance company furnishes sure protection at the lowest possible cost and at the same time guards against possible misfortune or inability to continue payments.

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MARRIAGES.

In this city, Jan. 21, by Rev. E., S. Stackpole, Mr. Wesley J. Wyer, and Miss Lottie M. Vroom, both of Portland.

In Lisbon, Jan. 9, Albert G. Mairs of Wilton and Miss Mary A. Keen of Lisbon.

In Waterville, Jan. 14, Walter S. Harding of Waterville, and Miss Lizzie M. Crosby of Fairfield

In Palmyra Jan. 14, Frank O. Thompson of Hartland and Miss Frankie E. Pooler of Palmyra.

In York, Jan. 14, Thos. J. Wilson of Elliot and Miss Alice Preble of York.

In Waldoboro, Jan. 19, C. W. Longran of Freeport and Miss Mary A. Jackson of Waldoboro.

DEATHS.

In this city, Jan. 22, of brain fever, Miss Grace L. Pearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pearson, aged 20 years 1 month 4 days.

[Funeral Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at residence, No. 13 Laurel street.

In this city, Jan. 21, Barnard Usher of Bridgton, Me., aged 82 years and 6 months.

[Funeral this Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the residence of F. A. Usher, No. 16 Dermot Court.

In Boston, Jan. 19, Mrs. Phebe Garland, aged 56 years.

In Baldwin, Jan. 17, Abner Sanborn, aged 87 years 7 months.

In Old Orchard, Jan. 21, Mrs. Betsey Gammon, aged 78 years.

In Saco, Jan. 21, Daniel E. Johnson, aged 57 years 11 months.

In Bath, Jan. 11, Phillip H., son of Fred A. Berry, aged 14 years.

In Bath, Jan. 15, Abagail D., wife of Myrick Hopkins, aged 78 years.

In Franklin, Jan 15, Chas. A. Blaisdell, aged 37 years 11 months.

In West Ellsworth, Jan. 12, John Bunker, aged 68 years 9 months.

A Fair Trial

Of Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, salt rheum, or any affection caused by impure blood, is sufficient to convince any one of the superior and peculiar curative powers of this medicine. The following statement is right to the point:

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