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ja14 2 ptf

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AGENTS FOR THE CO.,
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WM. SENTER.
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ja30 3m

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1 Chest marked Mrs. Daniel Curtis, Lewiston, Me.
1 small Chest marked Henry E. Hilton, West Pembroke, Me.
1 Chest marked Matthew Glode, Tremont, Me.
1 small Chest marked Geo. N. Marden.
1 Ety. Trunk, marked Wm. Graves.
1 Carpet Bag, Str. "City of Richmond," check No. 140.
1 Black Valise, Str. "City of Richmond," check No. 43.
1 Sailors' Bag, "Str. "City of Richmond," check No 92.
1 Sailors' Bag, marked Sam'l Curtis, Lynn, Mass.
5 Sailors' Bags, not marked.
1 Chest, not marked.
1 Russet Trunk, not marked.
2 Black Trunks, not marked.
7 Blk. Valises or Bags.
1 Russet Valise.
1 Black Valise.
1 Band Box. 1 Band Basket.
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1 Hf. Bbl.
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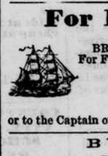
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TUESDAY MORNING, FEB. 10, 1874.

Gossip and Gleanings.

A drop of honey attracts the fly more than a bottle of vinegar,

At a recent masquerade ball in a city in this State no less than fourteen ladies were costumed as "Night."

No man is safe these times. A convict at Sing Sing had notice of a breach of promise served on him.

We never understand the value of those hugh fur gloves until we are caught out riding without a handkerchief.

A faithful brother in a Fairfield (Conn.) church recently prayed for the absent members, who were prostrate on beds of sickness and chairs of wellness.

A West Troy policeman resigned because he couldn't get permission to attend a dog fight and bet on the winning pup. Americans never will be slaves.

Artificial or natural flowers fastened to the muff carried by the fashionable *demoiselle* of the period are quite the correct thing, providing, however, that the muff is of cloth, not fur.

Rev. Gent..—"But you really can have no serious reason to wish to be parted from your wife." Rustic.—"Well, no, sir, I like my wife well enough, but you see, she don't please mother."

Good idea, to leave your horse unhitched under the eaves of a building

THE PRESS.

TUESDAY MORNING, FEB. 10, 1874

EVERY regular attache of the PRESS is furnished with a *Card* certificate countersigned by Stanley T. Pullen, Editor. All railway, steamboat and hotel managers will confer a favor upon us by demanding credentials of every person claiming to represent our journal, as we have information that several "bummers" are seeking courtesies in the name of the PRESS, and we have no disposition to be, even passively, a party to such frauds.

We do not read anonymous letters and communications. The name and address of the writer are in all cases indispensable, not necessarily for publication but as a guaranty of good faith.

We cannot undertake to return or reserve communications that are not used.

Drawing the Line.

The New York organ of the Liberals which recently refused to give publicity to certain "startling revelations" impeaching "high officials" because they were forgeries, virtually confesses thereby that there are limitations to the measure of misrepresentation which may be meted out to political opponents. Like the barber described by Dickens who softened his refusal to shave the coal heaver, by pleading that "he must draw the line somewhere", the editor whose columns have welcomed all other forms of misstatement closes them against forgeries. Without tarrying to consider the nice ethical questions involved in this subtle distinction, one cannot help reaching the conclusion, that in encouraging what it conceives to be less reprehensible methods of warfare, it has created a market for stronger sensations and suggested the manufacture of more appetizing scandals than those which have palled upon the taste of its readers by constant iteration. Almost every high official has at some time or other been the object of such extreme vituperation, that the public will feel a sense of relief upon being informed that one of the most prominent organs whose chief business it is to disseminate this sort of falsehood, has been seized with such a spasm of virtue that it will sternly decline to aid an accomplice in giving currency to documents which it knows to be forged.

The exquisite self-complacency with which the journal in question parades its heroic abnegation in the rejection of matter which would give spice to its columns and increase to its subscription list reminds one of the story that is told of Col. Billy Wilson who recruited a regiment of bullies and pick-pockets, in New York during the Rebellion. The redoubtable Colonel and his corps of roughs were consigned to an island on the Southern coast, where they would be out of the way of those temptations, which they had been unable to resist before they turned soldiers. One day a visitor appeared on the Island and, waiting upon the Colonel, was cordially received and invited to inspect the Regiment. As the Colonel and his visitor were walking through the field, the latter inquired of the former whether the men under his command were of as bad character as had been represented. "Not a word of truth in it!" says the Colonel with marked emphasis.

Just then a soldier appeared sauntering towards them with a fine fat turkey slung over his shoulder.

"Where did you get that turkey?" asked Wilson, in a familiar tone.

"I stole it, old boy" was the bluff reply.

"You see" said the imperturbable Wilson, "he'll steal but he won't lie!"

THE press of the country has commented upon the failure of Edwin Booth in such a manner as to indicate the appreciation on the part of the intelligent public of his efforts to elevate, purify and exalt the drama. Mr. Booth, from his magnificent income, might have been a rich man to-day instead of a bankrupt had his object been to make money. Such was not his purpose. His aim was to elevate and enoble an art which has been made to minister to vice. He conceived the idea of building a Theatre which should be closed against all representations except the legitimate drama, which he has done so much to popularize in this country. To accomplish this purpose he spent money lavishly. The cost far exceeded the estimates; *the receipts have failed to meet the* exbenditures, and the result is bankruptcy. Mr. Booth might have avoided the stigma of this failure if in the intervals of his regular seasons, he had permitted the maudlin and sensational drama to be presented in his theatre; but having made it the home of the higher drama, he repelled as its foes those representations of indecency, pruriency and shallowness which have brought the stage into disrepute. It is said there are failures more glorious than success. This is certainly true of Edwin Booth's misfortune.

MOST of our exchanges have expressed their views on the new movement of praying women upon the rum shops which has recently caused considerable attention in Ohio; and the general opinion is that the attempt to break down the liquor traffic by such means will prove a failure. We cannot think that our brethren have no general faith in the efficacy of prayer but conclude that they only take into consideration the exceedingly tough customer the praying people have taken in hand.

IF two more absurd schemes were ever presented in a legislative body this side of Utopia than those presented yesterday in the National House by Messrs White of Alabama and Vance of N. C., we should —no, we don't want to see them, for we don't want to lose faith in everything.

THE *Argus* says that the Democratic State Committee will not meet at Augusta in February, which means, if our contemporary is authority, that the little unpleasantness is temporarily adjusted.

THE hearing on the annexation of a portion of Cape Elizabeth to Portland begins this afternoon at Augusta before the Committee on Division of Towns.

Death of Judge Conkling

Hon Alfred Conkling, father of the eminent Senator of New York died at Utica on the 5th inst., at the age of 83. Mr. Conkling was a member of Congress fifty years ago, was subsequently appointed by President Adams U. S. Judge for the Northern District of New York and held the office some twenty-eight years. He resigned in 1852 to accept the office of Minister to Mexico to which he was appointed by President Fillmore.

The later years of his life have been passed in dignified retirement at Utica, the home of his gifted son. He was a gentleman of fine presence, courtly bearing, thorough culture and exemplary character. He was a great reader and student and a charming conversationist. Between him and his youngest son existed the most tender relations, and it was pleasant to observe the paternal pride which was mingled with the affection of the venerable sire, and the touching filial devotion, with which it was reciprocated. He passed away peacefully and painlessly, retaining to the last his mental faculties and leaving behind him the memory of a blameless and useful life.

MASONIC.—On the evening of Feb. 7th the following officers of Drummond Lodge, No. 118, F. & A. M., of Parsonsfield, were publicly installed by Past D. D. G. M. Jerry Dearborn:—Winfield S. Young, W. M.; Almon O. Smart, S. W.; Joseph Wedgwood, J. W.; Charles O. Nute, Treas.; David M. Merrill, Sec.; Ruthvin J. Dearborn, S. D.; Stephen E. Watson, J. D.; Edwin A. Sadler, Marshal; Mark Chapman, Chaplain; George F. Chapman, S. S.; John A. Pease, J. S.; George R. Young, Tyler.

News and Other Items.

John Quincy Adams denounced the Centennial Exhibition in the Massacausets House Saturday very severely. He thinks it is a swindle.

Thurlow Weed's watch has been returned to him. It was stolen by a pickpocket on a Broadway car, and was returned by an individual who would not accept a reward.

The New York Post mentions as a sign of reviving trade the fact that the duties received at the Custom House at that port on Friday amounted to $707,772.86, being the largest sum received on any day since the panic. A marked increase in the imports and duties has been observable since the middle of last month, the revival of trade affecting nearly every class of goods. On several days the duties have amounted to more than $600,000.

New York Letter.

Historical and Biographical—The Tweed Ring, Mike Norton, Reformer Fenton and ex-Gov. Hoffman—Norton and the New York Police—Some comments on the Police Department not complimentary—Gen. Van Buren.

NEW YORK Feb. 8th 1874.

At the time when the Tweed gang had supreme control of the municipality they selected as one of their lieutenants, a bold dashing devil-may-care sort of fellow ycleped Michael Norton. He was a cross between the cavalier and brigand, gay, reckless and unprincipled, but not hypocritical. He never pretended to the possession of the least atom of virtue or honesty, and on convivial occassions endeavored to make himself agreeable by relating his experiences in acquiring pecuniary profit by official dereliction. Without education, and accustomed all his life to association with municipal thieves who pursued their criminal career, with unchecked success, he had grown into a belief that that kind of stealing was a thing rather to be gloried in, than ashamed of. In his official positions, as Alderman, State Senator and Court House Commissioner, he never sought to disguise the fact that he was, to quote the current slang of the Ring era, "on the make." If he conducted his negotiations through agents, instead of through principals it was more in deference to established precedent than because he had any scruples about selling himself or being bought direct. The idea of being called to account some day for his misdeeds never seems to have entered his head. In the summer of 1871, he went to Europe. On the voyage out and back, and during his sojourn in the British and French capitals he swaggered about in gorgeous apparel and and flashy jewelry rather parading than concealing the fact that he was a New York Democratic politician. In England, the infamy of the Ring had by that time become a topic of general discussion, the conservatives pointing to it as a striking illustration of the dangers of free suffrage, and the liberals abashed, at having so notable an example of the imperfections of the system hurled back upon them from the metropolis of that great Republic which they had been wont to hold up as the exampler of a self-governing nation. Of course at that juncture the presence of any one of these worthies in a foreign land was a reproach to the country whence he came, and the occasion of humiliation to such of his countrymen as might have the misfortune to encounter him in his travels. When the Americans in London met to commemorate the 4th of July, Norton and another creature of the Ring who happened to be there at the time, asked permission to participate in the festivities but the request was peremptorily denied.

However, Norton and his traveling companion carried themselves with an effrontery which indicated that they were entirely devoid of apprehension of the catastrophe which was that very moment impending over their chiefs. Norton's fellow traveler nine days after the Independence day dinner, rudely interrupted a conversation among Americans in a London coffee room, in the course of which, Tweed, Connelly, Hall and Sweeney were mentioned by name in terms more truthful than complimentary, by interjecting a vehement endorsement and laudation of those worthies and following it up with a coarse philippic against the party who had impugned their honesty.

Three weeks later the Tweed dynasty fell into irretrievable disgrace and ruin, and these two champions of it in its prosperous days have in turn deserted and betrayed it. One of them, having covered his tracks and managed to keep his spoils, has purchased a seat in Congress where he sits as the colleague of Fernando Wood, under the ample legal protection of the same statute of limitation which protects his associate.

But poor Mike Norton is now reaping the unpleasant consequences of that ingenuous frankness with which he was accustomed to narrate to admiring or wondering auditors, the modes whereby he and his confederates contrived to transfer money from the City Treasury to their own pockets. Unanimously nominated by the Grand Jury of the county for a seat in the States Prison, with every prospect of being elected with equal unanimity, he shrinks from entering the lists, and absolutely conceals himself from observation, to avoid the importunity of his friends the Sheriff and District Attorney. But he emerges from his retirement in so far as is necessary to issue an address to his constituents wherein he explains the history of a claim made against the city by the Tenth National Bank, and does all which a man with his limited pretensions to credibility can do to show that that institution was acting as an accomplice with Ingersoll in endeavoring to extort from the public coffers a large sum of money paid to the latter while he was a director of the Bank and before he made his involuntary begira to Sing Sing.

It is by these occasional and fragmentary scraps of history that the public are kept in mind of and gather some grains of information about the tortuous proceedings of that anomalous monstrosity of crime, which under the name of the Ring, pursued for eleven years a career of barefaced and sweeping robbery. And yet very little is known of that memorable decade. The narrative remains to be written. Tweed has been urged to "bring forth fruits, meet for repentance," by funishing the requisite materials for this instructive volume. But he still cherishes the hope of judicial interference and will not unseal his lips while that last chance of release remains to him. Hall could do it better than any other man, but having been acquitted by a forbearing jury he will not court further publicity by reviewing a subject which must be inexpressibly painful to him.

The details of the great conspiracy have been tolerably well ascertained but the names of the participants have pretty generally escaped exposure. There are some men in New York, rolling in wealth, revelling in luxury and maintaining a certain degree of social consideration, who have been guilty of innumerable depredations of a criminal character. Tweed's earlier stealings were effected while he was a Supervisor. In that body of twelve men he had never less than six, and at some times ten accomplices. All these were sharers in the unholy plunder. Then again he had occasion every year to get his Tax levy passed by the Legislatnre and signed by the Governor.

On one of these occasions while Fenton occupied the executive chair, a levy more outrageous than any that ever preceded it passed both houses. Every respectable man in the city, without regard to party affinities, besought the Governor, by petition or personal entreaty, to veto the abominable measure. He held it under advisement long after the Legislature had adjourned. Finally he signed it, and that signature did more to intensify the general distrust of Fenton's integrity, than any preceeding act of his life, *dating from the day he reached his majority.* A great many people, not inordinately censorious, seriously believed that the approval was obtained for a consideration, being unable to conceive of any unselfish motive which could have prompted it. The conclusion may be an uncharitable one, but this we do know, that at the next election Tweed counted in a Governor of his own, so that there should be no more trouble or expense in procuring a gubernatorial signature to a Supervisor's Tax levy, and this wasn't accomplished without some management. The Republicans had the votes, the Democrats the inspectors and canvassers. But the necessary perjuries and forgeries having been perpetrated, Hoffman got the certificate, although John A. Griswold was unquestionably fairly chosen. After that Tammany legislation was subjected to no let or hindrance in the Executive Chamber, till Hoffman was succeeded by that strict constructionist, and old-time Democrat, John A. Dix.

The fact that Norton, although a fugitive from justice, has made an affidavit within three days in the city of New York, elicits some commentaries more forcible than polite upon the utter degeneracy of our police force under its present government. Here is a culprit lurking in some covert near by, whom it is the duty of the constabulary to arrest and bring to the bar of justice. If the police administration was good for anything, such a disgrace could not befall it. But since Havemeyer committed it to the tender mercies of a little cabal of politicians with Charlick at its head, with a superannuated chief in control of the force, it has proved to be, as was predicted at the time, a useless and expensive piece of municipal machinery, doing literally nothing, either in the way of preventing or of detecting crime. Three of the Commissioners, constituting a majority and ignoring their associates, have divided up the city into sections, each being allotted one as his especial manor, wherein he is authorized to exercise undisputed political sovereignty. Of course, with such a power rendered absolute by his unchallenged right of selection of canvassers of elections, the Police Commissioner within his prescribed domain has the most potential voice in the nomination of candidates. Nor is this voice likely to be generally raised in the interests of the people. We have been shown in the conspicuous case of Genet, what kind of candidates command the patronage of the police.

Street cleaning was especially confided to the Police Board, under the delusion that they would do it. The mistake has proved a costly one. The streets were never in a worse condition. There is no attempt made to render them passable.

On the whole, the police organization is irredeemably bad, and inasmuch as it was the commission, which above all others, Havemeyer claimed to exercise especial personal jurisdiction over, the capricious and absurd way in which he has officered it, affords a sufficient answer to all those cavillers, who remonstrated so earnestly with the Republicans in the Legislature because they hesitated to confer the unrestricted power of appointment upon the perverse octogenarian whom the eccentricities of politics had accidentally invested with functions quite beyond his capacity.

In some quarters there is a disposition to censure the recent appointment of Gen. Van Buren, the deposed commissioner at Vienna, to a Japanese consulate. It is easy to see how this appointment came about. The General returned from Austria smarting under a deep sense of the terrible humiliation to which he had been subjected, and appealed to the President's kindness of heart, to break his fall by some act of official recognition. This is a kind of appeal which is never made in vain to Gen. Grant. Holding as he has always held, that Van Buren's failure at Vienna was attributable solely to his being unsuited to the requirements of that particular post, and involved no suspicions of his personal integrity, he was perfectly willing to assign him to any station, which he felt confident he could fill satisfactorily. The appointment, under the circumstances, is creditable to the President's magnanimity. In this as in hundreds of other instances, he has proved how considerate he is of the feelings of others, how unwilling to inflict, how ready to heal, a wound to the sensitiveness of a fellow being. Some people may fancy they detect in this act, a reflection on Mr. Jay, but if they will recall all that happened, at the time and subsequent to Van Buren's supersession, they will see how little foundation there is for this deduction, the President and the State Department having ratified and confirmed Mr. Jay's action without a reservation.

YARMOUTH.

The Baptists and Taxation.

Our article of Friday in reference to the taxation of church property and the reference to the action of the Baptist ministers of Boston at their Monday morning meeting of last week has evoked the following letter from Prof. Gould of Newton, addressed to Rev. H. S. Burrage of this city, editor of the *Advocate*. It may be proper to say here that the Baptists have taken more pronounced ground in favor of such taxation than any other evangelical denomination.

NEWTON CENTRE, Feb. 7th, '74.

My Dear Burrage:—I can answer your question happily, confidently and intelligently, as I was the one who made the obnoxious statement about the Roman Catholic church. And "propriety and duty" were just the words that I was careful not to use. And the article in question no less misrepresents the entire discussion in which no other denomination except Roman Catholic was at all discriminated against. The "literary clubs" existing largely not for the public good, but for private comfort, and building for this purpose elegant houses to accommodate select and aristocratic audiences, were supposed to exist in all denominations, as far as the discussion went. And the discrimination was made against such single churches wherever existing. The term was not applied to any denomination as such, nor was any denomination, not even our own, excluded from the application of it. And moreover it was expressly stated that these were merely cases in which the government *might* make an exception to the ordinary rule, because the principle on which exemption from taxation was based, did not apply in its full extent to them. But the speaker who took this ground was careful to say that he did not think it would be wise, and would certainly be very difficult, to make such discriminations; and that it would be better to exempt them with the rest. He named them as making against his general principle of non-taxation, but contended that they were too few to invalidate it.

Now as to the Roman Catholics again. The ground taken was about the same as in the preceding case, viz, that the government would certainly have a right to tax them, but that the wisdom of such an exception to the general rule of non-taxation, was doubtful, for the present, at least. Of course the "principles subversive of a government like ours" are the well known doctrines of that church in regard to the relations of church and State, and their corollaries. And it was held that this important position, involving real antagonism to the State, so neutralized their service to the government in point of patriotic motives as to invalidate their claim to exemption on that ground.

The general position taken in the discussion was that the State and the church were under mutual obligation to each other, and that the church by its efficient and expensive service in promoting to a certain extent the same great ends as the State, might fairly claim that it had done its part without paying its share of the expenses of government.

E. P. G.

STATE NEWS.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

The Lewiston Journal publishes a statement of the manufacturing products of Lewiston the past year, which is a gratifying exhibit of the industries of the city. There is a slight increase in the aggregate volume of business over that of the previous year, despite the recent panic. The total number of persons employed in manufacturing in Lewiston is 7564. The total value of the manufacturing of the city for the past year is eleven and a half millions of dollars.

The rear car of the Saturday afternoon passenger train from Brunswick to Lewiston, on the Androscoggin road, was thrown from the rails about a mile from Brunswick. The car was badly damaged but not a passenger was injured.

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

The Journal says that the highways in the country are in a horrible condition. The snow averages between two and three feet in depth. In breaking out the roads in Readfield, for one mile the snow was from two to five feet in depth where it was bare ground previous to the recent storm.

OXFORD COUNTY

Miss Frank Pottle, a school teacher of Lovell, was arrested for whipping a son of Addison Wentworth, aged 16 years, and brought Saturday before Justice Hobbs. Able counsel was employed and a large number of citizens gathered at the trial. After a patient hearing she was acquitted, the evidence showing that the young man richly deserved all the punishment he received.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

The Bangor Whig says there have been many cases of severe sickness in town within a few weeks, but very few have resulted fatally, and the number of deaths in January was less than during the same month last year.

The Whig says two women who, it is alleged, have been carrying on an extensive business in shoplifting and clothes line robbing at Winn, have been committed to jail in Bangor and will be tried at the present term of Court.

SAGADAHOC COUNTY.

Mr. Berry of Bath, a brakeman on the early train of the Maine Central road, had his hip broken or dislocated and received other serious injuries, in being caught between two cars at Brunswick, while engaged in shackling them, Monday morning.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

A member of the Somerset Bar writes the PRESS to correct the statement of our correspondent that Mr. Knowlton made the arrangements for the dedication of the Court House. The work was done by the Bar Committee in conjunction with a committee of the citizens of Skowhegan.

YORK COUNTY.

Eighteen divorces have thus far been decreed at the present term of the Supreme Judicial Court in Saco.

The matter of a Superior Court in this county is being revived, and S. W. Luques, esq., is circulating a petition for the establishment of said Court in Biddeford.

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Haydn Association.

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A full and punctual attendance of the members is desired.

fe9sntd GEO. C. BURGESS, Sec'y.

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STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Feb. 4, 1874.

ORDERED, That notice of a public hearing in regard to the discontinuance of the Cumberland and Oxford Canal, to be held before the Judiciary Committee of the Legislature on Tuesday the 17th inst at 2 o'clock P. M., be printed for six days successively in the Portland Daily Press, and the Daily Eastern Argus, and that such publication be deemed a sufficient notice to all parties interested.

Bead and passed. Sent up for concurrence.
S. J. CHADBOURNE, Clerk.

IN SENATE, Feb. 5, 1874.

Read and concurred.
fe7sntd SAMUEL W. LANE, Sec'y.

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☞ Refers to Mr. H. Kotzschmar, Rev. Asa Dalton. sntf
January 14, 1874.

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DIED.

In Augusta, Feb. 6, David J. Day and Miss Viola Williamson.

In Lewiston, Feb. 2, Atwell F. Nash and Arvesta H. Cunningham.

In Liberty, Jan. 20, William Emerson and Miss Francis Fish.

In Ellsworth, Jan. 21, Augustus C. Moore and Miss Annie L. Osgood.

In Vinalhaven, Jan. 24, Luther J. Calderwood and Mrs. Susan P. Hopkins.

In Boston, Jan. 21, by Rev. J. M. H. Dow, Ralph Ward and Miss Harriet Tarbox, both of Portland.

MARRIED.

In this city, Feb. 8, Edwin A. True, aged 26 years 5 months.

[Funeral services this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Free street church. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. (Corrected.)

In Milton, Jan. 23, Mrs. Sarah, widow of the late Samuel Wentworth, aged 71 years 8 months.

In Dayton, Jan. 30, Abby J., daughter of Joseph and Abigail Roberts, aged 21 years 4 months.

In Camden, Feb. 3, Geo. B. Barrows, aged 30 years 10 months.

In Appleton, Jan. 30, Mr. Nath'l B. Grinnell, aged 80 years 9 months.

☞ The funeral services of the late Harriet F. Larrabee will take place on Wednesday forenoon at 10 o'clock, at her late residence, No. 23 Chestnut St. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

DEPARTURE OF OCEAN STEAMERS

Name.	From	For	Date
Wilmington	New York	Havana	Feb 10
Columbus	New York	Havana	Feb 10
America	New York	Bremen	Feb 11
Italia	New York	Glasgow	Feb 11
Calabria	New York	Liverpool	Feb 11
City of Havana	New York	Havana	Feb 12
Polynesian	Portland	Liverpool	Feb 14
Colon	New York	Aspinwall	Feb 14
Canada	New York	Liverpool	Feb 14
City of New York	New York	Liverpool	Feb 14
Oceanic	New York	Liverpool	Feb 14
Australia	New York	Glasgow	Feb 14
Hecla	Boston	Liverpool	Feb 14
Etna	New York	Jamaica	Feb 17
Moro Castle	New York	Havana	Feb 17
Wisconsin	New York	Liverpool	Feb 17
Algeria	New York	Liverpool	Feb 18
Caledonia	New York	Glasgow	Feb 18
Circassian	Portland	Liverpool	Feb 21

Miniature Almanac. February 10.

Sun rises	7.03	Moon rises	1.40 AM
Sun sets	5.26	High water	5.30 PM

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF PORTLAND.

Monday, Feb. 9.

ARRIVED.

Sch Milo, (Br) McDougal, Boston for St John, NB.
Daisy, (Br) Maloney, St Andrews, NB.
Sch Hunter, Tibbetts, Boothbay.

CLEARED.

Steamer Chesapeake, Johnson, New York—Henry Fox.
Steamer Chase, Bennett, St John, NB—John Porteous.
Steamer New Brunswick, Pike, Eastport and St John, NB—A R Stubbs.
Brig Antilles, Skinner, Sagua—Phinney, Jackson & Fox.
Sch Eva May, Andrews, Matanzas—Geo S Hunt.
Sch Anna Barton, Frink, Philadelphia—Charles Sawyer.
SAILED—Barque Casco.

MEMORANDA

Ship Carrollton, (of Bath) Bosworth, at New York from Liverpool, took the Southern passage and had strong westerly winds; was ten days beating down the Channel.

Sch A F Bonney, Kendall, at New Haven from Jacksonville, reports heavy gales off Cape May and lost jibboom.

Sch D B Everett, Gregory, from Savanna-la-Mar, arrived at SW Pass 3d inst with loss of foremast head and maintopmast.

Sch J W Baxter, with a cargo of flour for St John, NB, put into Ten Mile Creek 1st inst, with part of crew badly frost bitten. The vessel has been ashore at Gardiner's Creek.

Sch W R Page, of Eastport, recently damaged by collision, has been repaired and put in good seagoing condition.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO—Ar 29th, ship Revere, McIntyre, Port Discovery.

Cld 30th, ship Valley Forge, Wood, Liverpool.

In port 1st, ship Lady Blessington, for Portland, O, to load for Liverpool with wheat at £5 6s, or to Cork and United Kingdom at £5 12s, or to Continent, £6.

GALVESTON—Cld 31st, ship Centaur, Foster, for Liverpool.

Ar 6th, sch M S Lewis, Lewis, Boston.

INDIANOLA—Ar 29th, sch Carrie, Allen, NYork via Key West.

NEW ORLEANS—Ar 3d inst, barque Proteus, Murphy, Liverpool.

Below, barque Jona Chase, Chase, from Bordeaux; sch D B Everett, Gregory, from Savanna-la-Mar.

MOBILE—Cld 4th inst, ship Sandusky, Norton, for Reval.

PENSACOLA—Cld 4th, brig Rocky Glen, Higgins, Boston.

BRUNSWICK, GA—Cld 31st, sch Georgia B McFarland, McFarland, Trinidad.

In port 2d, brig Kremlin, Wyman, for Rio Janeiro, ldg; Henry Trowbridge, Hinckley, wkr; schs Hattie E Sampson, Davis, for Sagua, ldg; Lucy Hammond, Robinson, for Fall River, do; Addie Fuller, Henderson, for New York; and others.

SAVANNAH—Ar 6th, sch Jennie F Wiley, Wiley, New York.

Sld 3d, sch H A DeWitt, Manson, for Port Royal and Baltimore.

Sld 7th, ships Mogul, Freeman, and Antelope, Scott, Liverpool; barque La Plata, Matthews, Charleston; brigs I Howland, Keen, New Haven; Abby Ellen, Gilkey, Port au Prince.

Ar at Tybee 7th, barque Rome, Otis, Havre, (ordered to New Orleans); schs Lizzie Heyer, New York; Harry ——, Burgess, (perhaps the Henry Norwell, Burgess, from Portland for Mobile)

PORT ROYAL, SC—Ar 7th, sch Gamma, Guptill, Orient, Li.

Sld 7th, sch Etta Barter, Barter, New York.

CHARLESTON—Ar 6th, sch Ocean Belle, Mills, Rockport.

Cld 4th, sch LaVolta, Whittemore, Oak Point Mines to load for Wood's Hole.

WILMINGTON—Cld 5th, sch Georgia, McClure, Port au Prince.

FORTRESS MONROE—Ar 7th, schs Ethan Allen, Blake, Cardenas for Baltimore; W F Cushing, Cook, Fernandina for New York; Ada F Whitney, Marsters, Cardenas for do.

Sld 7th inst, brig Jennie A Cheney, (from Richmond) for Rio Grande; sch Nellie Bowers, (from Baltimore) for West Indies.

BALTIMORE—Cld 7th, brig Torrent, Wilder, for Havana.

PHILADELPHIA—Ar 6th, sch S J Gilmore, Torrey, Some's Sound.

Cld 7th, schs Lottie Bell, McIntyre, St Lucia; Alex Harding, McBride, Matanzas.

At Newcastle, Del, 7th inst, schs J B Anderson, to load grain for a Northern port; Julia Newell, from New York for Chester.

NEW YORK—Ar 6th, schs Abel W Parker, Deane, Providence; Sophia Kranz, Dyer, Providence.

Ar 7th, barques Etta Loring, Loring, Yokohama; Kosmos, Meyer, Bremen.

Ar 9th, barques Czarina, Nichols, Barrow, E; Lizzie, from Cardenas; Florence, Mayo, Boston; brig L L Squires, Baker, Messina.

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TUESDAY, MORNING, FEB. 10, 1874.

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CITY AND VICINITY.

New Advertisements To-Day.

ENTERTAINMENT COLUMN.
Grand Concert by Old Folks—City Hall.
Great Dance—St. Lawrence House.
SPECIAL NOTICES.
Bal Masque—A. S. Fernald.
AUCTION COLUMN.
Sheriff Sale—Matt. Adams.
NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
Gorham Seminary—John A. Waterman.
Ridgewood Insurance Co—Dow & Palmer.
For Sale—J. B. Clark & Son.
State of Maine - To the Electors of Portland.
Removal—N. D. Curtis.
Bait Wanted—A. D. Whidden.
Notice—J. M. Plummer,
Just Published—Loring, Short & Harmon.

STATE OF MAINE.

CITY OF PORTLAND SS.

To the Electors of the City of Portland, February 9, 1874.

THE Aldermen of the City of Portland have prepared Alphabetical lists of such inhabitants as appear to them to be Consitutionally qualified to vote in the election of Municipal Officers in and for the several Wards in said City, and that they will be in open session at the Aldermen's Rooms on

Friday, the Twentieth Instant,

from nine to twelve o'clock A. M., and from three to six o'clock P. M., for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualifications of persons claiming the right to vote on such election, and for correcting said lists.

Given under our hands the day and year above written.

J. S. YORK, WILLIAM GOOLD, Z. A. SMITH, EDWARD H. DAVEIS, MICAH SAMPSON, EDWIN CLEMENT, F. W. CLARK, } Aldermen of the City of Portland.

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Stated Meetings.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

The regular meetings of the City Council take place he first Monday evening of each month.

The School Committee meet the fourth Monday evening of each month.

MASONIC

At Masonic Hall, No. 95 Exchange Street.

YORK RITES.

BLUE LODGES—Ancient Land-Mark, first Wednesday; Portland, second Wednesday; Atlantic, third Wednesday.

CHAPTERS—Greenleaf R. A. C., first Monday; Mt. Vernon, R. A. C., third Monday.

COUNCIL—Portland C. R. & S. Masters, second Monday.

COMMANDERIES OF K. T.—Portland, fourth Monday: St. Albans, second Thursday.

GRAND BODIES—Grand Lodge, first Tuesday in May; Grand Chapter, first Tuesday evening in May; Grand Council, Wednesday 3 P. M.; Grand Commandery, Wednesday evening.

MASONIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Fourth Wednesday in every month.

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITES.

LODGE—Yates Grand Lodge of Perfection, firs Friday.

COUNCIL—Portland Oouncil P. of J., second Friday.

CHAPTER—Dunlap Chapter Rose Croix de H., third Friday.

CONSISTORY—Maine Consistory, S. P. R. S., fourth Friday in March, June, September and December.

I. O. O. F.

At Odd Fellows' Hall, No. 88 Exchange Street.

LODGES—Maine, on Monday evenings; Ancient Brothers, on Thursday evenings; Ligonia, on Friday evenings; Beacon, on Tuesday evenings; Ivy, D., of R., second and fourth Saturday.

ENCAMPMENTS—Machigonne, first and third Wednesdays; Eastern Star, second and fourth Wednesdays; Portland, first and third Saturdays.

RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Every third Tuesday in the month.

TEMPLARS OF HONOR.

At Templars' Hall, No. 100 Exchange Street.

COUNCIL—Maine, first and third Mondays in each month.

TEMPLE—Forest City, No. 1, every Wednesday evening.

MAINE CHARITABLE MECHANIC ASSOCIATION—Corner of Congress and Casco streets. First Thursday in each month.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION—Corner Congress and Casco streets. Every evening.

PORTLAND FRATERNITY—No. 353½ Congress street Every evening.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Bramhall Lodge, No. 3, Thursday evenings; Munjoy Lodge, No. 6, Monday evenings. At their Hall, Clapp's Block, Market Square.

PORTLAND ARMY AND NAVY UNION—Corner Congress and Brown streets. First Tuesday in each month.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE—Portland Division, No. 95; Sons' of Temperance Hall. Friday evening.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS—Ayeana, Monday; Mission, Wednesday; Forest City Saturday—in Williams' block, Congress street. Mystic, Thursday; Atlantic, Tuesday;—at Sons of Temperance Hall, Congress street. Iron Clad, Thursday, West End.

PORTLAND TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION, No. 75—Corner Congress and Casco streets. Second Saturday in each month.

PAYSON LITERARY SOCIETY.—Meetings every Monday evening, Brown's Block, cor. Brown and Congress streets, at 7½ o'clock.

BOSWORTH POST G. A. R.—Meetings every Friday evening in Mechanics' Hall, corner of Congress and Casco streets.

PATRIOTIC ORDER SONS OF AMERICA—Convenes at Arcana Hall, Williams' block, corner of Congress and Chapel Sts., Tuesday evening.

MERCANTILE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, Congress Hall Block. Second Monday in each month. Delivery of books, 2 to 6, 7 to 9, day and evening.

Municipal Court.

BEFORE JUDGE MORRIS.

MONDAY.—William H. Sanborn vs. Jeremiah Breslin. Forcibly entry and detainer. Defence, title in another. Decision, judgment for possession.
Mattocks & Fox for plaintiff.

Patrick Welch vs. John W. Rand. Carting lumber $11.52. Defence, payment. Decision, judgment for defendant.
Bradbury & Bradbury for plaintiff.
Butler & Libby for defendant.

Brief Jottings.

The Montgomery Guards netted $140 from their ball.

Twenty-one years ago yesterday the Atlantic and St. Lawrence was opened to Island Pond On the 23d of July following it was opened to Montreal.

The morning train from Augusta met with a slight accident at Oak Hill yesterday morning, two passenger cars jumping the track. But little damage resulted, though trains were delayed.

The Aldermen will begin correcting the voting lists on the 20th inst.

The valentine fever is upon us.

Yesterday was a sample of what old probabilities can do when he feels in a pleasant mood.

An extended synopsis of the Rev. Mr. Hincks' sermon, delivered at State street church, Sunday, will be found on our first page.

The great subject of conversation is the Blues' masquerade, for which elaborate preparations are making.

The Cadets begin another of their popular assemblies Wednesday week.

Arcana Lodge, I. O. of G. T., had a pleasant little time at their hall last evening.

Checker-playing is looming up, consequent on the games now being played at Lancaster Hall.

Petitions are in circulation in the city against the petition presented in the Legislnture for the repeal of the law requiring innholders and victualers to give a bond not to violate any of the provisions of the prohibitory law.

All members of the Montgomery Guards are requested to attend the meeting of the Company to-night.

The horses attached the to team from the Fort became frightened yesterday noon in front of City Hall, and ran up Congress street to Munjoy Hill, where, becoming weary, they stopped without doing any injury.

City Affairs.

At a special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen yesterday afternoon at five o'clock, an order was passed aushorizing the issue of an additional $50,000 of bonds to the Portland and Ogdensburg Railroad Co., in accordance with the act approved by the vote of the city. The reports of the Railroad show that $518.886 has been expended beyond North Conway. The installment of bonds granted makes the aggregate $550,000 Work is progressing successfully the present winter, 250 men being employed.

The petition of A. K. P. Leighton for permission to build a carpenter's shop on Commercial street, at the foot of Centre, was referred to the Committee on New Wooden Buildings with power.

THE GREAT FIGHT.—The fourth entertainment of the Y. M. C. A. course comes off at City Hall to-morrow evening, and consists of a lecture by the Rev. George H. Hepworth, the well-known sensational preacher. His subject is "The Great Fight," and the lecture is said to be of unusual interest. There will of course be a great desire to see and hear the eminent pulpit orator. Ticket-holders will present ticket No. 2.

The Story of the State of Maine.

Last evening Enoch Knight, esq., delivered at Reception Hall, City Building, his lecture entitled "The Story of the State of Maine," to an audience representing the best culture of the city. Those assembled had been led by encomiums of good judges to expect something good, and their expectations came to a fulfillment. The lecture, without effort at fine language, was a vivid and interesting picture of the State, its capabilities, its resources, its developed wealth, its progress and its encouraging future. Statistics, admirably grouped and presented, were given of the various industries of Maine, many of which have come to their birth within the last few years. The lecturer's clean-cut, picturesque sentences were a fit dress for the story he had to tell, a story that in the main was new to his audience. Shafts of deserved satire were sent at the croakers and grumblers who are forever disparaging Maine and prating of the "Great West." The highest praise that can be accorded to the lecture is that it sent the audience away prouder of the State in which they live and more hopeful of her political and industrial future.

The lecture opened with the briefest reference to climate, early settlement and the general characteristics of first settlers and their descendants up to 1843, when began the new era for Maine—that time when the power of "corporation hate" was broken by the united action of Whigs and Democrats, and the law was framed which has stood till now, and which allows holders of corporation stock to limit individual liability, under some conditions. This was the beginning of that intelligence and thrift which we now see builded upon on all hands, and at last effecting a stay of that great tide of emigration to the West, and even turning back our people to their first love. The leading productions of this new time were grouped together, and especially was it made to appear that for the first time in our history we are turning our natural wealth of all kinds to account. We are no longer content to wear the cast off garments of dead generations, but we are finding in our forests and streams a new type of riches which our fathers did not see, and instead of taking surface products to the distant and doubtful markets, in their rough, crude shape, we are giving them a new value by enterprise and skill; for we have learned the deep meaning of that saying of the ancients "He who can use tools can double the years of his life." The wonderful growth in industrial productions was shown in the salient points of our later history and a remarkable showing made for a score of occupations concerning which the ordinary observer has hardly a conception. Contrast was made between the old droning stage town, with its country store as the only distributing force, and the modern working center, where market is brought to productions and where the products of the earth are made into a wealth never possible before. And here an appeal was made in behalf of that true policy which shall unite all our working interests, making each one minister to the other, and above all keep the money of the people at home and save the full fruits that might come of our greater development. Mention was made of the means used to drain our State of its money and men, and sharp comparison was instituted between our real wealth and the exaggerated representations that have been made in behalf of the western lands and western stocks, and an amusing picture made of the ancient croaker who despaired of Maine but put his faith in Northern Pacific. The lecturer also showed how much better our farm and market garden products pay (when we have the swift, hungry local market) than the growths of the western farms—a showing entirely fair and conclusive in our favor. Exhibit was made of various specialties, like the associated dairying interests, the sweet corn culture and the new forms of our fisheries. Passing from these things the lecturer sketched the vast resources of the State hitherto almost generally unknown, such as the lime, slate, granite and iron productions, which was the interesting and striking portion of the lecture, being almost entirely new to nine-tenths of the audience, no doubt. Repiy was made to the objections which have been urged against Maine in the matter of locality and climate, and the lecturer closed with a summary of our consequence and promise, and a plea for that patriotic love of home which knows no centre but the place where we dwell in peace and plenty—the centre of human purpose.

Larcenies.

For two months past railroad tickets in large quantities have been missed by the Ogdensburg road from its station at Lake Sebago. Several persons in this city have bought tickets with a Boston coupon attached for one dollar and even less. About two weeks ago the matter was placed in the hands of the police, and they have been cautiously working it up. Deputy Marshal Williams got track of some of the tickets, followed the clue up, and traced them to a news agent on the train. Last evening, having made out his case, he arrested a young man named Hermon L. Chase, who hails from Chicago, and who has been a news agent for Chisholm Brothers for some time. Last week he was discharged and has been loafing about the city since. At first he denied any knowledge of the tickets, but finally confessed to the taking of them, it appears that he used to reach in through the ladies' window, while the station agent's back was turned, and steal the tickets. He then sold them to whoever would purchase. He implicated William F. Pinkham of this city, another news agent. Deputy Williams subsequently arrested Pinkham, who also confessed.

Friday night McCarty's store on Danforth street was broken into and confectionery, cigars, &c., stolen. Yesterday morning officers Stover and Seth Sterling succeeded in arresting two of the thieves, named William Martin and John Leonard. Two others, Bartholemew Cleary and Patrick Ford, escaped on the ice across the harbor, but were tracked to Saco and arrested yesterday afternoon by officer Sterling.

A man was arrested yesterday for stealing two feet of wood from Dennison's coal yard. He was evidently very needy and was driven to the act by absolute want.

PAYSON LITERARY SOCIETY.—The anniversary exercises of this society were held last evening at the library room of the A, & N. U. A very interesting programme was presented, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, essays and a timely discussion betweed three young men upon the following question "Which does the most to produce crime, poverty, wealth or ignorance." Each debater shoved his side up in glowing language. The society is sustained by a class of young men interested in debating, and is progressing finely.

CHECKERS.—Checker-playing began yesterday between Mr. James Wylie, the English player, and Mr. W. H. Broughton of this city, at Lancaster Hall. Five games were played, four were drawn and one won by Wylie. Mr. Wylie is a man fifty years of age, with a square, broad head and stolid features and close cut grey heiir. During all the time he was playing he never once took his eyes off the board. He is a moderately quick, cautious player, but as yet has played no brilliant games. This afternoon he plays with Mr. Walker and this evening with Mr. Broughton.

THE OLD FOLKS.—For those who delight in the melodies of our fathers, or those who desire to hear the songs of auld lang syue, the Old Folks are preparing a rich treat. Among other songs will be Sons of Zion, Dying Christian, Child of Mortality, &c. The Old Folks choir will be asssisted by the First Parish choir and other favorite musicians. The concert comes off at City Hall Saturday evening, and is for the benefit of that most excellent charity, the Martha Washington Society.

D. S. D's.—Grand Army Hall was filled to overflowing last evening to witness the second dramatic entertainment given by the above named club. The plays were "Slasher and Crasher" and "Turn him out." Preceeding each play they gave several pieces of select music, both vocal and instrumental. The audience were highly pleased with the whole performance, and showed their appreciation by frequent and hearty appiause.

F. S. I. P.—At a meeting of the F. S. I. P. Society last evening, Mr. Maxcey was chosen President On account of the small attendance the balloting for the other officers was deferred until next Monday evening, when it is hoped every member will be present. That the society is prosperous and that it is of great benefit to the members, was evident from the statistics given by the President on taking the chair.

PERSONAL.—John H. Lynde, Esq., of the Bangor Whig, is to take a trip south for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Elias H. Ely, for the last five years a boarder at the Preble House, died Sunday night, aged 83 years. He was a graduate of Yale in the class of 1810, and was for many years a successful practitioner at law in the New York Courts.

FRATERNITY ENTERTAINMENT.—It seems to be almost needless to call attention to the entertainment which is to take place this evening at City Hall. The attractions are all that could be desired, and the indications are that the attendance will be immense. No one should fail to visit the picture gallery and view the wonderful works of art, at once amusing and instructive. The ladies in charge of the refreshment room will be prepared to furnish a supper "fit for a king," from six to eight o'clock, to all who may favor them with a call; and quite a large number have already signified their intention to be present at that time and partake of the good things. With a bevy of young ladies as assistants in every department, nothing will be left undone to make all who may attend pass a delightful evening.

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT ASSOCIATION. — The Soldiers' Monument Association met at Reception Hall, City Building, last evening, for the purpose of drafting an appeal to the citizens. The draft was presented, approved and ordered to be printed. The President of the Association, W. S. Dana, Esq., tendered his resignation on account of pressing business engagements. The resignation was accepted and the choice of a successor assigned for the next regular meeting. After appointing a committee to draft a code of by-laws the meeting adjourned.

Gorham.

The seventh entertainment of the course "given by the ladies of the Methodist Parish" is to be a concert, (to come off Wednesday evening) by Mrs. Wetherbee, Miss Carle, Miss Leach and Mr. John L. Shaw. We can assure our friends of a very fine concert.

THE silver-grey repp paper just received by Loring, Short & Harmon, cannot fail to be in great demand with all lovers of nice stationery. The design is unique, the paper is heavy, and the general effect "nobby" in the extreme. It will be found quite the thing for notes of invitation, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

F. O. BAILEY & Co. will sell to-day at salesroom 18 Exchange Street, a very large and fine stock of groceries. See auction column.

RINES & ROBERTSON are selling best Black Brilliantines, Cashmeres and Alpacas at splendid bargains. fe2eodtf

NEW York State Butter, a fine invoice just received at WILSON & Co's. feb7 3t

FOR SALE on favorable terms, a valuable slate property, partially developed, with most encouraging prospects, in the eastern part of the State. Owners refer to S. T. Pullen, Esq PRESS office. je14-dtf

A FACT worth knowing, that Rubber Goods can be repaired and warrented to stick, at Hall's Rubber store, under Falmouth Hotel. ja29tf

On dit that Philadelphians wish the country was but ninety years old, or else a hundred and four.

Mr Woolridge of Lynn, the new President of the Eastern Railroad, has been an extensive shoe manufacturer.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE.

[Special to Press.]

SENATE.

AUGUSTA, Feb. 9.

Passed to be enacted,—An act to incorporate the Lewiston Benevolent Association; an act additional to an act to incorporate the St. Croix Log Driving Company; to incorporate the Bar Harbor Water Company; amendatory of chapter 196, public laws of 1871, relating to river fisheries; to confirm the lease of the Bangor & Piscataquis railroad to the consolidated European & North American Railway Company.

Read and Assigned—Bill establishing the boundaries of Medway plantation, (this bill unites the plantations of Medway and Pattagumpus); bill to increase the capital stock of the Saco Water Power Machine Shop to an amount not exceeding $800,000; bill additional to the charter of Colby University, allowing the trustees to elect their own President instead of having the President of the college ex officio the President of the Board of Trustees; bill for the preservation of pickerel in Lovejoy's pond in Albion; to incorporate the Eaton Family and Day School at Norridgewock.

Ordered printed—Bill to establish the pay of the Bank Examiner; bill relating to the duties of clerks of courts, requiring them to make extended records in actions of flowage, cases in equity, real actions, divorce cases, actions upon mortgages, &c.; bill to amend chapter 113, R. S., relating to poor debtors' disclosures; relating to citations.

Petitions, &c., presented and referred—Of H. Burleigh et als., for incorporation of Maine Breeders Association; of township A, range of Penobscot county, for reduction of valuation; of citizens of Winn to incorporate the county of Appleton; Remonstrance against legalizing the doings of District No. 1, in Hartland; bill to revise the provisions of sec. 2, chap. 53. of the laws of 1871.

Orders passed—To inquire into the expediency of allowing assessors to appoint a constable and collector from another town when no person can be found in town to accept the office.

Miscellaneous reports—Legislation inexpedient, on order relating to constitutionality of school mill tax; on revision of treaties of Penobscot tribe of Indians.

Leave to withdraw, on petition to change the manner of electing officers of the Penobscot Indians.

Next Legislature, on petition to change Bridgton Academy to a Normal School.

HOUSE.

Mr. Snow of Hallowell was elected Speaker pro tem.

Petitions, &c., presented and referred—Of S. Small et als., for change of school laws; for bill giving three-fourths of the jury power to render a verdict in civil suits after two disagreements; of P. M. Harrington et als., for the incorporation of the St. Croix and Mattawamkeag Railroad Co.; of J. H. McLarren et als., for the establishment of a steamship line between Eastport and Digby and Annapolis, Nova Scotia.

Orders Passed—That after this date the sessions begin at 9 a. m.

Read and Assigned—Bill to amend sec. 9, chap. 83, R. S., relating to trial justices and police courts.

Ordered Printed—Bill to incorporate the Maine Sabbath School Association; bill to repeal chap. 675, special laws of 1871, incorporating the trustee of the Bangor Masonic fraternity.

The bill authorizing the change of location of the Maine Central below Kendall's Mills was tabled.

Leave to withdraw was reported on petition in favor of S. F. Walker.

Passed to be enacted:—Bill to repeal secs. 52, 53 and 54, chap. 38, R. S., relating to hay; to incorporate the town of Blaine; an act additional to chap. 105, R. S., relating to gambling in railroad cars; to amend sec. 1, chap. 17, public laws of 1872, relating to the appointment of deputy town clerks; to authorize and empower the Little Androscoggin Water Power Co. to manufacture gas; to incorporate the Devine Water Co.; to provide in part for the expenditure of government; resolve in favor of Joseph Socklexis; for the purchase of the Maine State year book; in favor of the road through Indian township, appropriating $300; in favor of J. Bell; in favor of G. F. Whitney of Presque Isle.

MATTERS IN MAINE.

Vessels Sold.

EASTPORT, Feb. 9.—The brigs Rover and Willie Maud were sold at auction at Grand Menan last Thursday. The Rover sold for $856 to parties from Eastport and Lubec, who afterwards sold out to Grand Menan parties. The Willie Maud was bought by Eaton Murchie and others of St Stephens. The flour sold for $4.50 to $6.10. The most of it was badly damaged.

To be Sold.

The brig James E. Shaftener, before reported ashore at Nash's Island, near Addison, is to be sold at auction at 2 p. m., Wednesday next at Splitt Harbor

Accident to a Railroad Employe.

BRUNSWICK, Feb. 0.—This morning a brake man named Berry, had his thigh dislocated while descending between two freight cars to shackle them. He belongs in Bath.

The National Grange.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9.—In the National Grange to-day, reports on the ritual and constitution and by-laws were postponed until the next session. A resolution to petition Congress on the currency question was referred. Resolutions to remove the headquarters of the National Grange to St. Louis was referred to the following special committee, to report at the 8th session of the Congress:. Parsons of Minnesota, Warden of Florida, Hamilton of California, Colton of Vermont, and Allen of Missouri.

The Sanborn Contracts.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The Times Washington despatch states that copies of the Sanborn contracts will be sent to Congress to-day. Secretary Richardson says that there has been no public reason for not sending them to Congress sooner, but it was considered unjust to parties concerned in the contract that their names should be published. The contracts were made with Mr. Sanborn, with Philadelphia parties and with a firm in Washington. Mr. Sanborn's collections have been $600,000, of which he was allowed $200,000 for his share.

The Financial Situation.

A Washington special to the Journal of Commerce says that the Secretary of the Treasury says that up to Feb. 1st, there was a deficit of $39,000,000 with five months of the the fiscal year to run, but he will certainly be enabled to wipe out $9,000,000 of this by the present encouraging increase of revenues, leaving the deficit of $30,000,000, mainly by reason of the sinking fund required by law. He opposes any permanent inflation of the currency or increase of the debt by a new loan of any character. Instead, he advises an increase of taxes on spirits and tobacco. He says that $1 a gallon on spirits and 32 cents a pound on tobacco would bring in the $30,000,000.

Forty-Third Congress—First Session

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.

John S. Hager of California, was qualified and took his seat vacated by Mr. Casserly.

Mr. Sherman withdrew his motion to reconsider the vote by which the investigation of the affairs of the District of Columbia was passed, saying that while holding the views he expressed on Friday, he withdrew his motion to prevent delay, No objection was made.

Mr. McCreery was excused and Mr. Hager of California appointed on the Committee on Territories.

Several bills were introduced and referred.

Mr. Boutwell introduced a bill amending the currency act.

A bill paying $18,000 to the East Tennesses University for damages by the Union troops in the war was passed.

At the expiration of the morning hour, the bankrupt bill was resumed, the pending question being on the amendment abolishing registers.

Mr. Thurman advocated and Mr. Frelinghuysen opposed the amendment.

Mr. Norton claimed that it would be bad policy to remove experienced registers.

The Chair here laid before the Senate a message from the President covering a communication from Gov. Dix, presenting the statute of George Clinton.

Mr. Saulsbury favored the amendment, saying that bankruptcy expenses are now enormous.

The amendment was rejected.

Mr. Sherman offered an amendment authorizing notaries of public to take depositions in bankrupt cases. Adopted.

Mr. Merrimon offered an amendment giving an assignee authority to bring suits to recover debts in State courts for all sums under $300. He said the law at a present required all suits to be brought in the federal courts and little cases of $50 or $100 brought several hundred miles to the federal court were frequently all expended for costs.

Mr. Frelinghuysen moved to amend by inserting the words "unless the court having charge of the estate shall order to the contrary," which was accepted by Mr. Merriman and the amendment as amended was agreed to.

Mr. Merriman offered an amendment giving to the courts of record of the several States having superior jurisdiction and jury trials power to administer the bankrupt law the same as the United States Courts, provided that the parties should have the same right of appeal.

Pending the discussion, the Senate went into executive session and subsequently adjourned.

HOUSE.

This is "bill day." Among those introduced were the following:—Reducing of letter postage to two cents; amending the National currency acts; fixing the salaries of the Postmasters of Boston, New York and Philadelphia; regulating the hours of service in the departments and reducing clerks; also bills repealing the internal revenue taxes on tobacco and whiskey, for the coustruction of Fort St. Phillips canal and for the free circulation of weekly newspapers.

Bills were also introduced by Mr. White of Alabama, for the construction of the Atlantic and Great Western Canal, by the endorsement of bonds and the issue of currency notes to an amount not exceeding $7,000,000 and for opening to the navigation of the Tennessee and Coosa rivers in Alabama and of the Ocmulgee river in Georgia. The bill embodied the idea of combining the water improvements and the expansion of the currency. It is to be followed by a general bill on the subject of internal improvements.

By Mr. Vance of North Carolina, to incorporate the branches of the contemplated Southern Trans Colonial railroad under the name and style of the North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia Extension Railway. It provides for the consolidation of the North Carolina, Wilmington, Charlotte, Rutherford, North Carolina Western, Spartansburg, and Union Railroads, the bonds of the company bearing interest at six per cent., to be endorsed by the State of North Carolina and the Treasurer of the United States.

Mr. Cox of New York, presented a memorial of citizens of New York for belligerent rights to Cuba.

Mr. Dawes offered a concurrent resolution for sine die adjournment on the 15th of May.

Mr. Beck remarked that the Senate will have new bills and appropriation bills held back till the last days and then crowded through.

Mr. Dawes said the gentleman from Kentucky was quite in the habit of ascertaining and announcing the motiovs of other people. No other gentleman in the House knew that resolution was to be offered and therefore no man's motives entered in it but his own (Dawes). He had simply followed the practice in the past sessions in suggesting an early day for adjournment, in order to despatch business. Otherwise the middle of July or August would be reached before adjournment. He did not suppose Congress would adjourn on the 15th of May exactly but the adoption of the resolution was to contribute to the despatch of business. He had thought it was an innocent proposition till he heard the gentleman from Kentucky say that it originated from an improper motive.

Mr Beck of Kentucky knew that it was almost a crime to say anything against the government from Massachusetts but be objected to putting this matter through without debate. Congress had been now two months and eight days in session and only one appropriation bill out of eleven or twelve has been passed and no measure of tariff or of revenue had been brought up and now the House was asked to fix the day of adjournment at three months from now. He believed the effect would be to crowd all legislation in Congress into the last ten days and have it virtually in the hands of conference Committees by which all the vicious legislation was effected. Whether that was the purpose of the resolution or not that certainly would be its effect. He would vote to set every night and every day including Saturday and stop all debate except on business, but till Congress had done more work he objected to fixing the day for adjournment.

Mr Kelley of Pennsylvania expressed a belief that the adoption of the resolution would be evil only. He moved to lay on the table.

Mr. Hale moved to suspend the rules and adopt the resolution. The motion was not seconded, 90 to 100.

Mr. G. F. Hoar moved to suspend the rules and refer the resolution to the Committee of Ways and Means. Rejected 108 to 60, not the requisite two thirds in the affirmative.

The House refused to lay the resolution on the table 113 to 128, and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Coburn of Indiana offered a resolution declaring it the sense of the House that Congress should not adjourn until some measures are enacted providing for a reform in the present saytem of currency, also on the subject of transportation and for a more economical administration of government.

The rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted without the yeas and nays.

A bill appropriating $20,000 to dredge and protect the navigable channel at the mouth of the Buffalo river passed under suspension of the rules.

The majority and minority reports of the contested election case from the 3d Congressional District of Arkansas were presented and ordered printed. The majority report gives the seat to W. W. Wilshire on his prima facie right and the minority report directs the Committee on Elections to report on the merits of the case.

Mr. Smith of Ohio, moved to suspend the rules and adopt a resolution declaring it within the constitutional power of Congress to regulate commerce among the States, and to protect that portion of internal commerce which is among the several States from all unjust or oppressive tolls, taxes, obstructions or other burdens, whether imposed by railroad companies or by combinations thereof, or by other common carriers; and that the present condition and magnitude of commerce among the States demand prompt and wise exercise of those powers and duties. Carried, yeas 170, nays 64.

Mr. Randall moved to suspend the rules and a resolution declaring if any increase of currency shall be directed by Congress, the same ought to be of United States notes, commonly called greenbacks. The House by 69 to 95, refused to suspend the rules. Adjourned.

FIRES.

ST. ALBANS, Feb. 9.—Martin & Moore's extensive tannery at Scranton, on the Missiquoi river, was burned yesterday morning. Loss $25,000; insurance $10,000. The thermometer at the time was 10 below zero.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Feb. 9.—A wooden block at the west side of the city was burned on Saturday night. The sufferers are John Steel, Commercial Hotel, Moses Boyle, variety store; Carlos Labell, grocer; George King, milinery, and A. Avalley, dry goods. Loss $20,000.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 9.—Steward's woolen factory at Mechanicsburg, Ohio, was burned on Saturday. Loss $15,000.

Attempted Suicide of a Defaulter.

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 9.—W. D. Coleman, clerk of the board of public works, attempted to commit suicide this evening by cutting his throat. A heavy defalcation has been discovered in the office of the Commissioner of the sinking fund which was traced to Coleman and a warrant was issued for his arrest. Coleman was formerly editor of the Enquirer and held in high estimation. His life was not considered in danger.

A Washington despatch states that the report of the investigating commission exonerates the Indian Commissioner Smith from the charge of fraud by William Welsh.

Indians on the War Path.

OMAHA, Feb. 9.—Official letters from the commanding officer at Sidney barracks report that Pawnee Killer and Two Lances, accompanied by 93 lodges of Whistler's band of Sioux and two or three of Brule's band have left the reservation and are moving to the hunting grounds south of the Platte, by way of the Lewis Canoon. They claimed that they had the verbal permission of the agent to do so. Two Lances reported that two other bands near Lewis Canon, one of twenty-five lodges of Arrapahoes, and another of some fifteen warriors are after the Utes, who had a few days previous stolen a large number of horses from there. There is no question but that the Indians are highly incensed at their treatment.

On the night of the 4th inst., a party of about 200 Cheyennes, under Little Arrow, attempted to break into houses at Antelope station, but were driven off by the employes.

These Indians are reported on the war path against the Utes Jno. S. King, a trapper, while cooking his supper in a camp on Funpkin creek on the night of the 6th inst., was attacked by a band of 30 Sioux, and shot in the knee and ankle. He killed one Indian and escaped with the loss of his horses and wagon and $800 worth of furs. This was a war party finely mounted. King dragged himself to a ranche 12 miles from where the fight occurred and is now at Sidney.

On the 7th a band of Indians ran off seven horses from the Reddington Ranche. Gen. Ord has sent a party in persuit. Evidence is daily accumulating that the Indians are being ill treated on their reservations and contemplate a rising in the spring and are even now swarming the prairies prepared for war.

The Woman's Temperance Movement.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 9.—A despatch to the Gazette from Ripley says the woman's temperance movement is at a fever heat in that town, and 16 out of 23 saloon keepers have signed the pledge and abandoned business. It is taking a profound religious turn. The men hold daily prayer meetings for nine hours while the women visit the saloons. The meetings are crowded and deep religious interest is manifested. Ladies visit steamboats at the landing and call upon the bar-keepers not to sell to citizens. They have been met kindly by captains and bar-keepers of the boats. Ripley is one of the largest towns in which the work has gone on.

Preparations are beginning in Dayton, and Dio Lewis is here and will make an effort to start the movement here. In all the Southern half of the State the excitement over the subject is great and is spreading southward. Indiana is affected considerably by it.

John C. Van Celt, the converted saloon keeper of Vienna, is travelling and lecturing.

Washington and Hillsboro are the the only instances where the venders have enjoined the women through their courts from visiting them.

A despatch from Evansville says that last Saturday the women of Hazleton, Gobson county, organized for the movement and visited the saloons and drug stores in a body and held services, and besought the liquor dealers to give up the traffic, but none have stopped the business. The ladies are determined to carry their point and will continue the work to-morrow.

Charged with Murder.

ST. ALBANS, Feb. 9.—James Winn has been arrested at Windsor and committed to Woodstock jail, charged with the murder of Wm. Donahoe, who was found last Wednesday lying in the snow with his skull crushed in. Winn and Donahoe were neighbors and farmers, and had feeling existed between them.

Printers' Strike.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 9.—The printers in the Courier-Journal office are on a strike owing to the refusal of the proprietors to discharge Jno. Bennett, foreman. Only six men out of fifty are at work to-night, and the paper issues only a half sheet to-morrow.

METEOROLOGICAL.

PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

WAR DEP'T, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D. C., Feb. 9, 8.00 (P. M.)

For New England

and Middle States, increasing north-west winds except in Maine with cloudy weather.

FOREIGN.

Mr. Gladstone Desires to Resign Immediately.

LONDON, Feb.—The Press Association of this city state that Gladstone is at variance with his colleagues in the government on the question of its resignation. The Premier, it is said, wishes the ministry to resign immediately, while the others desire to wait until the new Parliament assembles. It is also stated that Disraeli has already announced his Ministry.

The Times advises the government to resign during the time intervening between the conclusion of the election and the assembling of Parliament.

The Parliamentary Elections.

So far in the Parliamentary elections 509 members have been chosen. Of this number, 267 are Conservatives and 242 Liberals and Home Rulers. One Home Ruler has been returned from the city of Cork and two from the county of Kilkenny. It is probable that Card well, Secretary of State for War, will be raised to the peerage.

Various Matters.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Disraeli will address his constituents at Buckingham Wednesday next.

The diplomatic representatives of Spain at Brussels, Berlin and Lisbon have resigned.

French Affairs.

PARIS, Feb. 9.—An election for member of the Assembly was held in the Department of Pas de Calais to-day, and resulted in the choice of a Conservative.

Japan and the Foreign Ministers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The China Transpacific Company's steamer Vasco da Gama arrived last night from Yokohama 18th ult.

The relations between the government of Japan and the foreign ministers, excepting the representatives of the United States, are becoming more inharmonious. Japan still holds the plans for opening the country, and requires strict enforcement of treaties as they stand till a revision has been agreed upon. Mr. Bingham acquiesces and the other envoys are vehement in opposition.

At the New Year's reception by the Mikado Mr. Bingham was absent from illness. The other members of the diplomatic corps presented an address, which caused great irritation in high quarters. It directly urged the removal of all restrictions upon free intercourse and trade. When first received the question was seriously discussed whether it should not be returned as unacceptable. This decisive step, however, was not taken. The demeanor of certain ministers has now become so aggressive that it will be necessary for the few moderate envoys to cease to act with them as hitherto in a united body.

MINOR TELEGRAMS.

The schoener Membrina Chief, of Boston, from Brazil to New York, with rubber and nuts, went ashore on the Maryland coast Saturday and will be a total loss. The crew were saved, and most of the cargo will be recovered.

Wm. P. Hadley was arrested in Providence Monday on the charge of stealing five English sovereigns and $150 in greenbacks from the man he boarded with in Worcester, Mass., last December. Nearly all the gold was found upon him.

Many Erie railroad employes have been discharged for swindling the company in many petty ways.

A Lancaster, Ohio, despatch states that the womens' prayer meeting raid against the rum-shops continues in that State and they meet with continued success.

The workingmens' associations continue to flood Congressmen with letters against the reduction of the appropriations for public buildings.

The steamship inspectors, in their report just made, consider it essential that all foreign steamers shall be subject to our laws.

An Ottawa despatch says that the Catholic Bishop Guigues died Sunday night.

A Berlin telegram says that David Frederick Strauss, the German theologian, is dead

A nitro-glycerine factory exploded at Ticonderoga, N. Y., yesterday, killing ten men.

One-fourth of all customs duties in Cuba must be paid in gold after April 1st.

Hamilton, the defaulting Treasurer of Jersey City, is at Corpus Christi, Texas.

Charles S. Gray, late candidate for Receiver of Taxes of Philadelphia, has brought a suit against C. W. Green, publisher of the Sunday Transcript, for libel, in having charged him with being a thief and a swindler.

A bill appropriating $100,000 for a centennial celebration passed the New Jersey Senate Monday.

The President of Venezuela has issued a proclamation offering facilities and aid to immigrants.

It is said that three brothers of ex President Baez of San Domingo are in prison in Hayti.

The U. S. squadron is now drilling in new naval tactics about thirty miles north of Key West. It consists of 15 ships.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Portland Wholesale Markets.

MONDAY

POETRY.

The Blue Coat.

The following ballad is from the pen of the late Bishop Burgess, of Maine, and was contributed by him to the book published and sold at the Sanitary Fair in Baltimore, under the sanction of the State Fair Association of the women of Maryland:

THE BLUE COAT OF THE SOLDIER.

You asked me, little one, why I bowed,
Though never I passed the man before?
Because my heart was full and proud
When I saw the old blue coat he wore;
The blue great-coat, the sky-blue coat,
The old blue coat the soldier wore.

I knew not, I, what weapon he chose,
What chief he followed, what badge he wore;
Enough that in the front of foes
His country's blue great coat he wore;
The blue great-coat, &c.

Perhaps he was born in a forest hut,
Perhaps he had danced on a palace floor;
To wan or wealth my eyes were shut,
I only marked the coat he wore;
The blue great-coat, &c.

It mattered not much if he drew his line
From Shem or Ham in the days of yore;
For surely he was a brother of mine,
Who for my sake the war coat wore;
The blue great-coat, &c.

He might have no skill to read or write,
Or he might be rich in learned lore;
But I knew he could make his mark in fight,
And nobler gown no scholar wore
Than the blue great-coat, &c.

It may be he could plunder and prowl,
And perhaps in his mood he scoffed and swore;
But I would not guess a soul so foul
On the honored coat he bravely wore;
The blue great-coat, &c.

He had worn it long, and borne it far;
And perhaps on the red Virginian shore,
From midnight chill till the morning star
That worn great-coat the sentry wore;
The blue, great-coat, &c.

When hardy Butler reined his steed
Through the streets of proud, proud Baltimore,
I chase behind him at his need,
Marched he who yonder blue coat wore.
The blue great coat, &c.

Perhaps it was seen in Burnside's ranks,
When Rappahannock ran dark with gore;
Perhaps on the mountain side with Banks
In the burning sun no more he wore
The blue great-coat, &c.

Perhaps in the swamps was a bed for his form,
From the seven days' battling and marching sore,
Or with Kearney and Pope amid the steady storm,
As the night close fell in that coat he wore;
The blue great-coat, &c.

Or when right over as Jackson dashed,
That collar or cape some bullet tore;
Or when far ahead Antietam flashed,
He flung to the ground the coat that he wore;
The blue great-coat, &c.

Or stood at Gettysburg, where the graves
Rang deep to Howard's cannon roar;
Or saw with Grant the unchained waves
Where conquering hosts the blue coat wore.
The blue great-coat, &c,

That garb of honor tells enough,
Though I its story guess no more;
The heart it covers is made of such stuff,
That coat is nail which that soldier wore;
The blue great-coat, &c.

He may hang it up when the peace shall come,
And the moths may find it behind the door;
But his children will point when they hear a drum,
To the proud old coat their father wore;

And so, my child, will you and I,
For whose fair home their blood, they pour,
Still bow the head, as one goes by
Who wears the coat that soldier wore;
The blue great-coat, the sky-blue coat,
The old blue coat the soldier wore.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 29, 1874.

WHEREAS, The petition of Ralph C. Jewett and others for a charter for a Railroad from Rumford Falls in the County of Oxford along and upon the present location of the Portland and Oxford Central Railroad to Mechanic Falls in the County of Androscoggin, thence by the most feasible route to the city of Auburn, is now pending before this Legislature, without sufficient notice to all persons and parties, who are or may be interested and whereas said petition has been referred to the committee on Railroads for a hearing of the parties,

Therefore, ORDERED, That notice of the pendency of said petition and of the time and place for a hearing of all persons and parties interested, shall be given by publishing this preamble and order in the Oxford Democrat, printed in the County of Oxford and the weekly Lewiston Journal, published in Lewiston in the County of Androscoggin, and the weekly Portland Press two weeks successively; the first publication in each of said papers to be at least ten days before Friday, the thirteenth day of February next, on which day a hearing will be had before said committee in the Senate Chamber at two o'clock in the afternoon at which time all parties or persons interested may be heard if they shall see cause.

Read and passed. Sent up for concurrence.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, Clerk.

IN SENATE, Jan. 29, 1874.

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SAMUEL W. LANE, Sec'y.

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OF HARTFORD, CONN.
First Semi-Annual Statement Jan. 1, 1874

Authorized Capital -	$1,000,000.00
Capital Paid Up - -	200,000.00
Surplus - - - -	119,002 10

ASSETS:

Loans on Mortgage of Real Estate	$106,750.00
Loans on Stock Collaterals	50,233.47
Loan to County of Hartford	10,000.00
Loan to City of Hartford	10,000.00
United States Bonds (Coupons of '67)	11,550.00
532 Shares National Exchange Bank, Hartford	31,920.00
50 Shares First National Bank, Hartford	6,750.00
51 Shares Charter Oak National Bank, Hartford	6,375.00
50 Shares Mercantile National Bank Hartford	6,000.00
100 Shares American National Bank, Hartford	6,000.00
Cash in hand and in Bank	33,496.99
Cash in course of collection from Agents	32,209.66
Interest accrued on Loans	3,262.90
Miscellaneous Items, Non-Resident Tax, &c	4,454.38
	$319,002.10

LIABILITIES:

Losses in course of settlement	$16,656.51

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STATEMENT OF THE
MANUFACTURERS' Fire & Marine Ins. Co.
OF BOSTON, MASS.
JANUARY 1, 1874.

Capital Stock, -	$500,000.00
Surplus, - -	389,698.96
Total Assets, - -	$889,698.96

ASSETS:

150 Shares Hamilton National Bank, of Boston	$17,850.00
200 Shares National City Bank, of Boston	22,600.00
150 Shares Shawmut Nat. Bank, of Boston	17,700.00
250 Shares Second Nat. Bank, of Boston	36,250.00
200 Shares Shoe & Leather National Bank, of Boston	26,600.00
City of Fall River Bonds	25,000.00
Loans on Stocks & Mortgages, amply secured	447,600.00
Real Estate—Office Building	80,000.00
Cash on hand and in Bank	55,108.47
Premiums in course of collection	42,556.20
Bills receivable for Marine Premiums	107,484.76
Interest accrued	10,940.23
	$889,698.96

LIABILITIES:

Unpaid Losses	$25,000.00

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STATEMENT OF THE
Continental Insurance Co.
OF NEW YORK.
JANUARY 1, 1874.

Cash Capital,	$1,000,000.00
Surplus,	1,255,937.08
	$2,255,937.08

ASSETS AS FOLLOWS, VIZ:

Cash on hand and in Banks, $143,269.39	
Loans on U. S. & other stocks and Bonds, (market value $298,770)	222,078.00
	$365,347.39
Loans on Bond and Mortgage (on Real Estate, worth $1,328,950)	469,000.00
U. S. and other Stocks and Bonds	622,375.00
Real Estate owned by the company	650,000.00
Premiums due and unpaid and balances in hands of agents	127,727.31
Interest (due this day and unpaid)	15,987.38
Rents due and accrued	5,500.00
	$2,255,937.08

LIABILITIES:

Dividends due stockholders and scrip and scrip interest, unclaimed	$14,711.16
Losses unpaid	126,370.79
	$171,081.95

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE
Franklin Insurance Co.,
OF BOSTON, MASS.,
JANUARY 1, 1874.

Capital - - -	$200,000.00
Surplus - - - -	75,937.15
Gross Assets - -	$275,937.15

LIABILITIES.

Losses Unpaid - -	$2,955.00
Other Claims - - -	1,381.53
	$4,336.53
Nett Assets -	$271,600.62

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Cash Capital - - $500,000.00.

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS JAN. 1, 1874.

$676,190 First Mortgages on City Property	$676,190.00
300,000 United States Government Loans	340,450.00
254,000 Pennsylvania and other State "	260,540.00
364,000 Philadelphia and other City "	365,210.00
North Pennsylvania and other Railroad Companies Bonds and Stocks	184,080.00
Sundry Steamship, Canal and other Securities	162,700.00
Cash in Banks and Bankers' hands (Gold) $233,184.61	
Premium thereon @ 10 per cent	23,319.46
	$256,514,07
Cash in Bank and in Bankers' hands and Office (Currency)	233,728.97
Net cash Premiums in course of transmission	121,723.41
Total Cash	611,966.45
Notes Receivable and unsettled Marine Premiums	564,112.55
Loans on Collateral Security	30,200.00
Book balances due Company, all good	43,831.64
Accrued Interest	13,581.00
Real Estate, Office of the Company, Philadelphia	35,000.00
Total Assets Jan 1, 1874,	$3,287,831.64

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MERCHANTS' INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF NEWARK, N. J.
16TH ANNUAL STATEMENT, JAN. 1, 1874.

Capital - - -	$200,000.00
Assets - - - - -	684,141.44

ASSETS.

Real Estate	$86,500.00
Loans on Bond and Mortgage	342,705.00
Interest due and accrued on do	8,039.10
Newark City Improvement Bonds	100,000.00
New Brunswick Water Bonds	2,800.00
U. S. 5-20 Bonds, interest and value	23,275.00
Loans on Collateral	53,455.00
Cash and Cash Items	37,119.35
Interest due and accrued on Loans, etc	2,588.07
Gross Premiums in course of collection	25,544.92
Bills Receivable	150.00
Rents due	1,965.00
	$684,141.44

LIABILITIES:

Losses unpaid	$15,989.74
Other liabilities, including unpaid Dividends, Interest, &c.	15,870.00—$31,859.74

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Leave Biddeford for Portland at †8.00 A. M., returning at 5.15 P. M

The 6.15, 9.10 A. M. and 3.15 P. M. trains from Portland, and the 8.00 A. M. train from Bangor make close connections to New York by one or other of the routes from Boston. Passengers ticketed through by either route.

The 6 15 A. M. train arrives in Boston at 10.40 A. M., connecting with train for New York via Shore Line at 11.10 A. M. The 9.10 A. M. train arrives in Boston at 1.40 P. M. in season to connect with the train for New York, all rail, also with the 5.30 P. M. (steamboat) trains for New York via Fall River, Stonington and Norwich Lines. The 3.15 P. M. train arrives in Boston in season to connect with trains for New York via Springfield at 9 P. M

The 9.10 A. M. and 3.15 P. M. trains from Portland connect at Conway Junction with the Great Falls and Conway Railroad.

The 7.20 A. M. train from Boston arrives in Portland in season for passengers to take the cars of the P. & O. Railroad.

The 8.30 A. M. train from Boston connects with the Grand Trunk Railway for Montreal, Quebec and all parts of Canada East.

Through tickets are sold in Portland and Baggage checked through to Houlton, Calais, St. John, Halifax, Dover, Foxcroft, Rockland, &c.

*Pullman sleeping car express train. N. B. This train runs Sunday Morning, *does not run* Monday morning.

†Accommodation train
§Fast Express.

J. PRESCOTT,
Supt. Eastern Railroad,
I. L. LINCOLN,
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BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD
PORTLAND TO BOSTON
VIA
Old Orchard Beach, Saco, Biddeford, Kennebunk, Wells, Dover, Great Falls, Exeter, Haverhill and Lawrence.

PARLOR CARS.

1873. Winter Arrangements. 1873.

Passenger Trains leave Portland for Boston †6.15, †9.10 A. M. *3.10 (Parlor Cars), *6 P. M.

Returning, leave Boston at *8.30 (Parlor Cars) A. M., †12.30, †3.30, *6.00 P. M.

Trains from Boston are due at Portland at *12.30 †5.00, 18.10, *9.55 P. M.

For Manchester and Concord, N. H., via C. & P. R. R. Junction, †6.15 A. M., *3.10 P. M.

For Lowell—All trains connect at Lawrence with trains for Lowell.

For Manchester and Concord via Lawrence †9.10 A. M.

For Rochester and Alton Bay †6.15, A. M., *3.10 P. M.

For Milton and Union Village 6.15 A. M., *3.10 P. M.

For Old Orchard Beach, Saco and Biddeford †10.25 A. M.

Returning, leave Biddeford at †11.20 A. M.

For Scarboro, Old Orchard, Saco, Biddeford and Kennebunk *2.30 P. M.

Returning, leave Kennebunk †7.30 A. M.

For New York, Albany, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington,
AND ALL POINTS
SOUTH AND WEST.

The †6.15 A. M. train arrives in Boston at 10.45 A. M., connecting with train for New York via Shore Line at 11.10 A. M.

The †9.10 A. M. train arrives in Boston in season to connect with the 3.00 P. M. train for New York via Springfield; also with 5.30 P. M. (steamboat) trains for New York via

Fall River, Stonington and Norwich Lines.

The *3.10 P. M. train arrives in Boston at 7.10 P. M., connecting with trains for New York via Springfield at 9 00 P. M., and Shore Line at 9.30 P. M.

Passengers ticketed and Baggage checked through by either route.

All Trains stop 10 minutes at Exeter for refreshments at First Class Dining Rooms.

Passenger Station in Portland, Haymarket Square.

Passenger Station in Boston, Commercial street.

Portland & Ogdensburg R. R. passenger trains arrive at and depart from this station.

Freight received at Portland & Ogdensburg R. R. Freight Station, West Commercial street, until 5 P. M.

Family package Tickets between Portland and Boston for sale at 25 per cent. discount.

Freight station in Boston, Causeway street.

†Accommodation.
*Fast Express.

JAS. T. FURBER, Gen. Supt., Boston.
PAYSON TUCKER, General Agent, Portland.
Boston, Dec. 6, 1873. tf

PORTLAND & OGDENSBURG R. R.
CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after Monday, Oct. 20, 1873, and until further notice trains will leave, as follows:

Portland for North Conway at 7.45 A. M. and 1.30 P. M.

Portland for Upper Bartlett at 1.30 P. M.

Upper Bartlett for Portland at 7.00 A. M.

North Conway for Portland at 8.15 and 11.30 A. M.

The 7.45 train from Portland and 11.30 from North Conway will be Freight trains with Passenger car attached.

The 1.30 train from Portland and 8.15 from North Conway will have the following Stage connections:—

At Baldwin for Cornish, Porter, Kezar Falls and Freedom.

At Brownfield for Denmark and Bridgton.

At Freeburg for Lovell and North Lovell.

Ticket office in Portland at Boston & Maine R. R. Station, where all trains of P. & O. R. R. arrive and depart.

J. HAMILTON, *Superintendent.*
Portland, Oct. 18, 1873. aug30tf

KNOX & LINCOLN RAILROAD.

Direct rail route to Wiscasset, New Castle, Damariscotta, Waldoboro, Warren and Rockland.

No change of cars between Portland and Rockland.

Steamers leave Rockland for all points on the Penobscot river, Machias, Mount Desert, Vinal Haven, Hurricane and Dix Islands.

Leave Maine Central Depot, at 7.00 A. M., and 1.00 P. M.

Stages connect at Rockland, for Camden, Lincolnville, Northport, South Thomaston and St. George, daily. At Rockland for Union, Appleton and Washington, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

At Thomaston for St. George daily.

At Warren for Union, daily.

At Warren for Jefferson and Whitefield, Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays.

At Waldoboro' for North Waldoboro', Washington and Liberty daily.

At New Castle for Bristol and Pemaquid, daily.

Freight Trains daily and freight taken at low rates.

C. A. COOMBS, Sup't.

STONINGTON LINE!
FOR NEW YORK,
AHEAD OF ALL OTHERS.

This is the only inside route Avoiding Point Judith.

Seamboat Express trains leaves Boston from Boston & Providence R. R. Depot daily, except Sunday at 5.30 P. M. connecting at Stonington with the entirely new and superb Steamer Rhode Island, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and with the elegant and popular Steamer Stonington every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arriving in New York always in advance of all other lines. Baggage checked through.

Tickets procured at depots of Boston & Maine and Eastern Railroads and at Rollins & Adams 22 Exchange St., and W. D. Little & Co., 49½ Exchange St.

L. W. FILKINS. D. S. BABCOCK.
Gen. Passenger Ag't. New York. President.
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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY OF CANADA.
ALTERATION OF TRAINS.
WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

On and after Monday, Sept. 15th, Trains will run as follows:

Mail train for Gorham and accommodation train to Island Pond, 7.15 A. M.

Mail train 1.20 P. M. (stopping at all stations to Island Pond.) connecting with night mail train for Quebec, Montreal and the West.

Accommodation train for Gorham and way stations, 5.25 P. M.

Trains will arrive as follows.

Mail train from Gorham and intermediate Stations 8.50 a. m. Through mail train from Island Pond Montreal, Quebec and the West 2.50 p. m.

Accomidation train from South Paris and way Stations 6.15 p. m.

Passenger Offices
74 EXCHANGE ST.
—AND—
DEPOT AT FOOT OF INDIA ST.
Tickets sold at Reduced Rates!
To Canada, Detroit, Chicago, Milwaukee, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Omaha, Saginaw, St Paul, Salt Lake City, Denver, San Francisco,
and all points in the
Northwest, West and Southwest
J. C. FURNIVAL Agt.

THE GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY is in splendid condition, is well equipped with first-class rolling stock, and is making the best connections and quickest time of any route from Portland to the West.

PULLMAN PALACE DRAWING ROOM AND SLEEPING CARS attached to all through trains.

Baggage checked from Portland to Detroit and Chicago, and not subject to Custom House examination.

The Company are not responsible for baggage to any amount exceeding $50 in value (and that personal) unless notice is given, and paid for at the rate of one passenger for every $500 additional value.

C. J. BRYDGES, *Managing Director.*
H. BAILEY, *Local Superintendent.*
Portland Sept. 12, 1873.

RAILROADS.

EASTERN RAILROAD
—AND—
PORTSMOUTH & DOVER R. R.
Commencing Monday, Feb. 9, 1874.

Passenger trains leave Portland for Portsmouth and Dover daily, (Sundays excepted,) at 6.15 a. m. and 3.15 p. m.

Leave Dover for Portsmouth and Portland at 7.45, 10.45 and 4 25 p. m.

A freight train will leave Portsmouth for Dover, and Dover for Portsmouth daily.

fe9dtf J. PRESCOTT, Superintendent.

PORTLAND & ROCHESTER RAILROAD.
FALL ARRANGEMENT.

Passenger trains leave Portland for Rochester and intermediate stations at 7.30 A. M., and 1.30 P. M., making direct connection at Rochester with trains for Boston, over Boston & Maine and Eastern Railroads. Also connect at Rochester with Dover and Winnipiseogee Railroad for Alton Bay, and with Portsmouth, Great Falls and Conway Railroad for Conway.

Leave Rochester for Portland and way stations at 7.20 A. M. and 12 M.

The 12 o'clock train making direct connection at Rochester with trains from Boston, leaving Boston via Boston & Maine, and Eastern Railroads.

Leave Portland for Gorham at 4.00 P. M.

Leave Gorham for Portland at 4.45 P. M.

Leave Portland for Saco River at 6.20 P. M.

Leave Saco River for Portland at 5.30 A. M.

Stages connect as follows:

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