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STATEMENT

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Life Insurance Co.,

HARTFORD, CONN.,

January 1, 1874.

Bal. per Statement Jan. 1, 1873, (Market value $17,749,887.13) cost		$17,532,559.27
RECEIPTS.		
Received for Premiums in 1873,	$4,818,512.90	
Received for Interest and from other sources,	1,410,021.61	6,228,534.51
		$23,761,093.78
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Losses by Death,	$1,556,465.04	
Purchased Policies,	944,507.10	
Matured Endowments,	107,572.00	
Dividends, and returned Premiums, on canceled policies,	1,456,576.20	
Amount paid for Re-Insurance,	102,751.64	
Commissions, Agency, and all other Expenses,	504,684.46	
Physicians' Fees,	29,216.19	
Taxes,	122,295.79	4,824,068.42
Net Assets January 1st, 1874.		$18,937,025.36
Add Market Value of Securities over cost. Accrued Interest, &c.,		214,561.66
		$19,151,587.02
ASSETS.		
Real Estate, $	7,737.55	
Cash on hand & in Banks,	1,182,116.03	
Invested in U. S. Bonds, (cost),	356,850.63	
Invested in Railroad and other Stocks, (cost),	580,657.43	
Invested in Bank Stocks, (cost),	1,023,172.04	
Loans to States, Counties, Cities and Towns, (cost)	2,693,571.35	
Bonds and Mortgages secured by Real Estate appraised at $20,882,267.00,	6,379,453.05	
Loans on Collaterals, Market Value, $732,655.00,	476,978.69	
Loans on Personal Security	39,962.89	
Premiums on Existing Policies in hands of Agents in course of transmission,	285,184.91	
Loans on Existing Policies,	5,186,672.25	
Interest due Dec. 31, 1873,	464,447.41	
Furniture of Office, including Agencies, (cost),	13,711.77	
Obligations for Capital Stock	46,944.00	
Semi-Annual & Quarterly Premiums due subsequent to Jan. 1, 1874,	199,565.36	
Net Assets Jan. 1, 1874.	$18,937,025.36	
Add Market Value of Securities over cost, Accrued Interest, &c.,	214,561.66	19,151,587.02
And Amount due from other Companies for loss on Policies of Re-Insurance,		53,200.00
Gross Assets January 1, 1874,		$19,204,787.02
LIABILITIES.		
Losses due subsequent to Jan. 1, 1874, and Losses reported, awaiting further proof,	$558,128.84	
Dividends declared to Policy Holders, not due,	239,332.39	
Capital Stock,	150,000.00	
Reserved for Re-Insurance on existing Policies (New York Standard, $15,753,977.75) Actuaries four per cent. Mass. Standard, $17,400,517.70.	17,123,888.84	
Less value of Policies of Re-Ins., 276,628.86		
Loading on deferred and unpaid premiums,	121,187.57	18,192,537.64
Surplus (Mass. standard),		$1,012,249.38
Surplus (New York standard),		2,658,789.35

The Policies issued during the year 1873 number 10,659, insuring $17,333,108.00, being a material increase over the business of the previous year.

T. O. ENDERS, Pres't. J. L. ENGLISH, Sec'y.

A. G. DEWEY, General Agent,

NO. 30 EXCHANGE STREET,

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2000 Bags	Herds Grass Seeds.	
1000 "	Red Top "	
560 "	Michigan Clover Seeds.	
500 "	No. New York Clover Seeds.	
400 "	Ohio " "	
200 "	Pea Vine " "	
150 "	Alsike " "	
25 "	White Dutch " "	
200 "	Millet " "	
200 "	Hungarian Grass "	
200 "	Orchard " "	

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NO. 383 CONGRESS STREET,

RESIDENCE 6 MAY STREET.

Portland Me. jy17 tf

MAGNUS A. R. LINDBERG,

Vice Consul of Sweden & Norway,

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Portland Tea Store, Portland, Me. 2tawtf mch7

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COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

has removed to

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Commissioner of deeds for the several States. feb10

COBB & RAY,

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Portland, Jan. 15, 1874. ja16d&w2m

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C. C. KIMBALL, Boston.

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ap21 tf

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To Let.

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To Let.

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Farm of 130 acres within 2½ miles of Portland. One half heavily covered with timber and wood, balance under good cultivation with sufficient pasturage. Well adapted for milk or market gardening. Good soil and southern exposure. Good house and barn. About three acres of Salt marsh goes with the farm.

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L. K. BAKER,

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Freedom Notice.

THIS is to give notice that I have given my son, Frederick I. Leach, his time, and shall claim none of his earnings nor pay any debts of his contracting after this date. JOHN LEACH. Lynn, March 9, 1874. mh14d3w

THE PRESS.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAR. 18, '74

Stated Meetings.

THE PRESS.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAR 18, '74

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.

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

A Shattered Idol.

Happy William Shakespeare! Unhappy Charles Dickens! The dramatist either had no near friends who were moved to write a life of him, or else, led by his unerring wisdom and his almost superhuman knowledge of character and the springs of action and opinion, he caused them, by the use of poisons, or other sure means, to pass into a better world before him. If he resorted to the means of posthumous security last mentioned, it was purely an act of self-defense—it was merely a life for a life. He must have known that if a biographer, however friendly, should give to his contemporaries and to posterity an unreserved account of all his connubial difficulties with Ann Hatheway, should tell the whole truth in regard to that little adventure in Sir Thomas Lucy's park, or about his daily walk and conversation as a member of a theatrical company, or should paint his manners, his character and his person exactly as they were, the result would be the loss of the aureola that he foresaw, would otherwise deck his brow.

The singular force with which a knowledge of an author's personal character and private life, reacts on the reader's appreciation of his works has of late received a new and striking illustration. Before the publication of Forster's Life of Dickens, there was already one generation of readers who knew only vaguely of the novelist's domestic infelicities. His older admirers had allowed the memory of them to be completely obliterated in the lapse of time by their love and admiration for the man. But Forster's biography, eagerly sought by all who owned the sway of the inspired story-teller, has spread a cloud over the beloved memory that will not soon be dissipated. In spite of reason and logic we do read an author, to some extent, in the light of his character as we know it. The reaction of Joaquin Miller's now well known personal affectation, lack of principle and essential vulgarity on the estimate of his writings has been wonderful. The certainty that Charles Dickens put away his wife because he was tired of her, will surely impair the enjoyment with which the world has hitherto read his hearty, kindly and humanizing description of virtuous and happy domestic life. If his own story could have been left, like that of the great poet, whose fortune in this respect was so very different, with its outlines all cloudy and undefined, there would have been an Ideal Dickens, as there is an ideal Shakespeare, clothed with all the sweet and tender graces, the purity, the courage and the wondrous perfection of the noblest creations of his imagination. There would have been a Dickens with a nature as sunny and cheery as ever blessed mankind by its overflow, with a genial activity that had for its primary purpose the happiness of his neighbors and a heart bursting with love for all mankind. Lord Bacon says in the introduction to the Novum Organum that his work is not a new discovery, but founded on a very ancient model—nature itself. There are such exhibitions of genius in the writings of Dickens that the time might have come when they would have cleared themselves from all personal associations and, like Bacon's masterpiece, seemed to be a natural outgrowth of time, one of the first hand products of nature. But now the world's pleasantly errant imagination will always be held in unwholesome check by the preraphaelite picture drawn by the superserviceable friend. Readers will always see glowering at them from the page all glowing with emotion, with sympathy almost painful in its intensity and with universal kindness, the face of a cold, calculating man who thought, as he wrote, chiefly of the pounds, shillings and pence his simulated fervor would bring him. The man who grew cold toward a faithful and loving wife, they will say, would, in Bob Cratchit's place, have deserted his family—as David Copperfield would have turned Dora out of doors. It is almost impossible to conceive of Dickens as the sordid, selfish, calculating, cold-blooded man of the world, without constancy of affection and with only a fitful warmth of heart; but the inexorable biographer forces this fiction upon unwilling and reluctant readers. It is certainly questionable whether it is a real benefit to mankind to have this Gradgrindish detail of "facts" and thus to lose the possibility of creating an ideal Dickens to love as well as admire.

AND now Gen. Baker, Commissioner of Pensions, replies to Mrs. Helen M. Barnard, who petitioned the House to have him impeached, that the animus of the charges is that the lady and her brother were discharged from the Pension Office because they drew pay and did no work, Mrs. Barnard is a newspaper correspondent and Gen. Baker says she made no pretense of doing any work. The Commissioner notes the case of another "newspaper" person who for a long time drew pay without doing any work, being kept in the position by "influence." At length Gen. Baker secured his discharge and this correspondent has his charge of conspiracy against the Commissioner. The cheekiest kind of bummers are those who prey upon society under the guise of newspaper men or women. They are usually impostors—those of them who claim special privileges on account of their assumed profession, But by all means, Gen. Baker had better keep his "conspiracy" mill running.

A CABLE telegram states that the meeting of the Bonapartists at Chiselhurst Monday, the nineteenth birthday of the Prince Imperial that was before his foolish father got too much of a "baptism of fire"—was a great success. The wonderful toady who furnishes the American press with cable despatches must be very dull, for he has not yet learned that the world has done with the Bonaparte humbug. It is very unfortunate for this brevet Napoleon IV that the year of his dynastic majority did not happen while dynasties were in fashion.

THERE comes a rumor from the Border that Messrs. F. A. Pike and C. R. Whidden, who have employed no little portion of the last three years in a sort of personal guerilla war upon each other, have made an alliance to beat Congressman Hale. Politicians who are obliged to write "ex" before their official titles of late do very strange things.

THE average Western member is bound to have his say on Mr. McCreary's transportation bill, not because he has anything new to offer on the subject but that his granger friends may know by the Congressional *Record* that he is sound to the core.

ON Monday Congressman Burleigh introduced a bill for the importation of ship timber free of duty. It did not appear in the regular reports.

FOR a sample of first-class sophism, see abstract of Senator Logan's speech on the currency question.

Current Notes.

"Amateur legislation" is the term applied by the St. Louis *Globe* to measures designed by the authors to cover the ills and ailments of humanity.

The opposition members of the Ohio Legislature have not yet perfected the socalled gerrymandering re-apportionment bill by which the Congressional delegation shall be changed. They propose to put the administration in a minority anyhow, but find difficulty in arranging local interests.

The Washington *Republican*, district organ announces that General Butler has succeeded so fully in proving the usefulness of the Sanborn contracts, that probably the effort to have them repealed will be withdrawn. As the *Republican* has the habit of seeing after General Butler's somewhat distorted vision, perhaps, its conclusions are untrustworthy.—*Hartford Courant.*

A Western exchange says that several months since nearly every Odd Fellow's lodge in the United States received a circular from Cuyahoga Lodge of Cleveland, Ohio, bearing the portrait of Edwin Syle who as "past grand" had been expelled for collecting money for the family of a deceased brother which he never turned over. A resolution accompanying the portrait branded Syle as a swindler and perjured villain, and he was also advertised in the papers. Syle at once begun a suit against the Lodge for "hurt of character" estimating his damage at $30,000. The jury gave him a verdict of $10,000. The Court ruled that the truth or falsity of the charge made no difference as the Lodge, unlike a newspaper was not in the business of publishing news and the fact of the circular disclosing the motives and the offense must be judged from that standpoint. The court also held that the members of the Lodge under the charter granted by the State were personally liable.

The Hartford *Courant* in noticing the deplorable tendency of young men to go from the farms to the cities, says that "it is a possibility of the 'farmers movement" that it will cultivate a sentiment which shall make the rising farmer not content merely but proud to be such, and that shall maintain and elevate the standard of agricultural purity and thrift of life. It would certainly be a commendable result."

The Boston *Advertiser* in a long editorial shows that the "publicans and sinners" of the New Testament times are the special agents of the Simmons and Jayne stripe today. It may be true but it is hard on the "publicans and sinners" of the first party.

The New York *Bulletin* has been interviewing Mr. H. B. Claflin, the great dry goods importer of that city, who says there are two sides to the moiety question and gives the opinion that if this system is abolished and no other stringent plan adopted it will be impossible for honest merchants to compete with those who will enter goods at an under-valuation.

The Calais *Advertiser* declares that the statement of the *Times* of that city, "that Hon. Eugene Hale has intimated to any one one that he would not be a candidate for re-election to Congress is a sheer fabrication without a shadow of foundation in truth."

In view of the probability of the election of Mr. Dawes to the Senate, the New York *Post* comments on the fact that Mrr Kelley will be the nominal head of the Ways and Means Committee. In this connection it speaks of Mr. Kelley as "not a very dangerous man because something more than his innocent fanaticism is necessary to make him so," and as a leader "Mr. Kelley would be like a foot ball on a cottage lawn."

New York Letter.

Responsibility of the party in power—Charges against the Republicans considered—The currency question in Congress—The Sanborn Contracts.

NEW YORK, Mar. 14th, 1874.

Whenever anything occurs to disturb the prosperity of a nation, the party in power becomes at once the subject of critical scrutiny. The panic, from the desolating consequences of which we have not yet recovered, and which has left its impoverishing traces in paralyzed industries and a languid commerce, has had the effect to give the people the leisure and the disposition to fasten their attention upon public men and public measures with more than ordinary intensity. This is why we are witnessing such a universal and animated discussion of the doings of the Executive and legislative branches of the government, and why both are held to the strictest possible account for every act either of omission or commission. It would be strange indeed if under such circumstances, there were not found abundant materials for censorship, even upon a candid representation of the facts. But candor does not always characterize the reports which reach the public ear of transactions at the Capital, and consequently, unfairness of inference and excess of coloring, often combine to convey erroneous impressions in regard to occurrences daily transpiring at Washington.

The Republican party just now is held responsible for all manner of things—for not disposing in a single day of questions which have taxed the genius and perplexed the judgment of statesmen for centuries, without having reached the point of definitive solution—for legislating too much and too little—for an excessive use of authority, and for a supine neglect to exercise it—for an unwarrantable interference with private rights, and a callous indifference to the protection of them—for not having checked speculation and for not having stimulated it—for too much pacification of the savages on our border, and too severe a mode of dealing with them—for an excess, and for a dearth of money—for extreme rigor and unpardonable laxity in the collection of taxes—in fine, nothing short of absolute infallibility—and hardly that—will suffice to meet all the requirements of men whom misfortune has made peevish and discontented.

And yet for all we have of government worth cherishing, we are indebted to the dominant party. It would be difficult to conceive of a condition of things more hopelessly demoralizing than that which existed at the moment when the country was wrested from democratic sway. The pulpit, the press and the rostrum—the schools and colleges—the bishop in his mitre, the judge in his ermine, "bowstringed the virtues in the market places." Religion, literature, justice and humanity were forced to take refuge in anti-slavery conventicles, and all who practiced them were sneered at as fanatics. It fairly makes one shudder to contemplate a restoration of that hateful dynasty which made manhood a reproach and the succor of the oppressed a crime. The times, to be sure, have changed and such things are no longer possible; but the amount of meanness and servility which it required to keep a Democrat loyal to his creed fifteen years ago, was too great to be entirely eradicated in one generation, and no party by that name ought ever in any possible contingency to be permitted to resume sway in this Republic.

But the Republican leaders have in their keeping a sacred trust. They have no right to squander it, or put it at hazard. Great faith has been reposed in them, great expectations are formed of them. Whenever one of them exhibits a disposition to exalt his own interests above the common welfare, he must be cashiered at once. Discipline and honor demand it. The wholesome enforcement of this rule will prove an incentive to patriotism and a warning to selfishness.

The hope of the future lies in the continued ascendency of the Republican party. It is the party of genuine reform. It listens to the voice of public opinion and obeys with alacrity the will of the people. When the passage of the salary bill provoked deprecatory comment last year, the very next Congress promptly repealed it. That proceeding indicated a deference to popular sentiment extremely creditable to the national representatives, involving as it did a considerable pecuniary sacrifice. Recently when a delegation of citizens visited the Capital to urge the abrogation or amendment of the revenue laws, which had existed since the formation of the government, they were cordially received by the Committee of Ways and Means, their representations attentively listened to and satisfactory assurances given that the matter should have speedy and careful consideration.

One of the chief causes of dissatisfaction arises from the inaction of Congress upon financial matters. There is a very wide spread desire that *some* policy should be determined on, so that the community can know how to act. Inflationists and Contractionists alike demand that the amount of government paper to be circulated should be fixed by law, and not be liable to increase or diminution, in accordance with the varying requirements of the Treasury This is not so easy a thing to do as it appears. There is no difficulty in designating a maximum figure but there must necessarily be constant fluctuations in the amount of the balance on hand. However, the main obstacle, in fact the only one, which lies in the way of solving the financial problem is the irreconcilably opposite views of those who advocate a gradual withdrawal of the government circulation, till it shall have appreciated to par and those who are importunate for a further dilation of the paper medium till there shall be enough for every body and a little to spare. The former have the argument, the latter the numbers. While it is merely a matter of debate the contractionists win, but when it comes to a vote the victory will be on the side of the expansionists. Is it any wonder that the friends of a sound currency, hesitate to precipitate a decision which may inflict upon the country the ruinous disasters, which must sooner or later follow in the train of a further issue of irredeemable promises? They hope by renewed presentation of historic facts—by persuasion—by remonstrance—by entreaty—to turn the scale in favor of better financial ideas. The majority on the wrong side is not large, some of those who compose it are not entirely impervious to reason, and the point at issue is so momentous that it seems better to endure for a while longer the uncertainties of the present, than to risk the calamities of the future. If a vote were taken in Congress to-day, the $44,000,000 of which half still remains intact in the Treasury, would be declared a part of the regular circulating medium. If nothing is done about it the Secretary will put out no more of it, except in some grave emergency, and will recall what he has disbursed as soon as the state of his exchequer will admit of it. There is no possibility of increased taxation this session and the Treasury is likely therefore to be lean, and there is small chance of any material contraction of bills outstanding now, but if we save the putting out of any more, we shall have gained an advantage.

It is obvious that the Republican majority in both houses do not delay action on finance, because they are unmindful of the wishes of their constituents or indifferent to the uncertainties of the situation. They resort to "masterly inactivity" as a less evil than positive energy in the wrong direction. That they are trying the public patience to a dangerous degree must be conceded, but it may be that their course will be vindicated by conservative results. That it is actuated by worthy motives, there is no reason to doubt.

The "Sanborn contract" has been the text for innumerable philippics against the administration, and especially against the late and present Secretaries of the Treasury. And yet when it comes to be thoroughly ventilated it implies nothing more than that those officers were zealous in their efforts to collect all the revenue. Before Sanborn was heard of in this connection other parties had applied for and received permission to look up arrearages of taxes on the moiety plan. They were unsuccessful in their quest, and retired without gain. Then Sanborn appeared upon the scene, representing that if it were made worth his while he would put into the national coffers a considerable sum of money which could not otherwise be obtained. The Internal Revenue Department employed no force adequate to this kind of business. Its corps of employes was altogether too small for the purpose. Accordingly an agreement was made that Sanborn should look up delinquent debtors and ascertain the amounts due by them, the reservation being made, that the money should be paid directly to the Treasury Department, he being invested with no power to settle, compromise or give receipts. He went into the business with remarkable system and energy. He established an office in New York with branches in several other large cities—engaged a great number of clerks—explored the records of the surrogates and Probate Courts—sent agents abroad—and organized a bureau on a decidedly imposing scale. In the course of time, and after incurring very large expenses in acquiring the necessary information, he was enabled to collect something over $400,000 thus reimbursing his outlay and securing a handsome net profit on the undertaking. There was nothing occult or sinister in the contract. There is no reason to question the perfect good faith of the Government in becoming a party to it. But direct taxation is a new thing in this country, and it is better that some revenue should be lost than that any mode of collection should be resorted to that is of an inquisitorial or oppressive character. There was an offensive savor of espionage about this unfortunate contract, which rendered it exceedingly objectionable. The moment it fell under the ban of popular censure, it was promptly suspended.

Until statesmanship shall have reached the standard of perfect infallibility, it is inevitable that

"Many an error, by the same example
Will rush into the State—"

but it is a fact redounding to the infinite credit of the Republican administration that it exhibits so marked a deference to the will of the people, that it is prompt to retrieve errors and correct abuses. By all these signs I am confirmed in my abiding faith that the party in power may be trusted to apply the scalpel to all excrescences which disturb the symmetry or mar the health of the body politic—that if bad men attach themselves to it for selfish purposes, they will be overborne by the immense preponderance of earnest, upright, unselfish voters who made it what it is and mean to keep it what it should be—that, exercising the freeman's right of private judgment and impartial criticism, they will fearlessly discuss its policy, and fight *inside the lines* for the maintenance of its purity and integrity. Traitors may desert it, enemies may malign it, pretended friends may seek to betray it, but it is worthy of the loyalty, fidelity and devotion of every American who loves liberty and respects humanity.

YARMOUTH.

Washington News and Gossip.

MONDAY'S BILLS

A new bill has been introduced to facilitate the circulation of public documents. The bill provides for the regular publication of lists of public documents, together with the cost and postage of the same, which shall be posted in every Post Office of the United States, that the officer of the proper department or superintendent of the document room, upon the receipt of the cost price and postage of any document, shall transmit the same to any applicant. Another resolution was introduced in the interest of the Grangers. It provides for the prevention of discrimination in the charges of railroad companies, and directs that classified lists of freights per mile, on all classes of freight, shall be posted at all railroad depots, from which no deviation shall be permitted.

CHANGES IN THE KITTERY NAVY YARD.

The following changes have been made at Kittery Navy Yard, upon recommendation of Representative J. H. Burleigh: Captain McComb has been ordered to take command as Chief Engineer in place of Williamson. Captain Young has been ordered to be Executive Officer, in place of Captain English. Wm. Binson to be Foreman, in place of Handcock.

INTER-STATE COMMERCE.

At the evening session of the House Mr. Kendall, Democrat from Nevada, made an excellent speech in support of McCrary's railroad bill. He argued the constitutional question, and showed the evil effects of discrimination upon commerce. His constituency declared that regulation, not ownership, is the true province of government in regard to inter State commerce by railway. Mr. Orr of Iowa supported the bill in a very clear argument. He showed that the unquestioned and unchallenged power of Congress to regulate inter-State commerce had been exercised over water routes ever since the organization of the government. The existence of this power was never doubted until it was sought to be applied to railways in the interest of the producers of the country. He showed the overshadowing power and influence of monopolies; how half a dozen men can depreciate the values of agricultural productions all over the West; showed the utter fallacy of the idea that States can remedy these evils, and declared that they cannot even control roads built under State charters, because they are subsequently leased or sold out, becoming parts of the great through lines. The States were powerless to remedy these evils.

AN IOWA LIQUOR CASE.

Justice Miller of the United States Supreme Court has just delivered an important decision of that court, relative to the application of the fourteenth amendment to property in liquors. The case was that of Bartemyer vs. State of Iowa. The plaintiff claimed to be owner of the liquor prior to a day on which a law for the suppression of intemperance, under which he was indicted, was passed. He maintained that the law of the Legislature of Iowa, on which the prosecution was based, violated the Constitution of the United States. The case being a moot one, the question was not fully decided. The court, however, hold: First, That the usual and ordinary legislation of the Sates regulating or prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors raises no question under the Constitution of the United States prior to the fourteenth amendment of that instrument.

Second, The right to sell intoxicating liquors is not one of the privileges and immunities of citizens of the United States, which by that amendment the States were forbidden to bridge.

Third, But if a case were presented in which a person owning liquor or other property at the time a law was passed by the State absolutely prohibiting any sale of it, it would be a very grave question whether such a law would not be inconsistent with the provision of that amendment which forbids the State to deprive any person of life, liberty or property, without due course of law.

Fourth, While the case before us attempts to present that question it fails to do it.

Fifth, In such a case, where the Supreme Court of the State to which the writ of error is directed has not considered the question, this court does not feel at liberty to go out of its usual course to decide it.

Municipal Elections.

FREEPORT.—Moderator, S. A. Holbrook; Clerk, John C. Kendall; Selectmen, John Burr, George Aldrich, Thomas Ward; S. S. Com., J. J. Bullfinch, D. D. Spear, Micah Stackbridge; Treasurer, S. A Holbrook; Collector and Constable, Reuben B. Rogers. All Republicans. Voted to raise $800 in aid of a free high school. Voted to abolish school distric .

CANAAN.—Clerk, J. P. A. Butts; Selectmen, Geo. W. Johnson, E. H. Elliot, N. R. Tuttle; Agent, George Weymouth; Supervisor, George W. Johnson; Treasurer and Collector, Stephen P. Penny.

HANOVER.—Moderator, Galen Howe; Selectmen, Geo. E. Smith, F. H. Hutchings, James G. Roberts; Agent, Henry R. Smith; Clerk and Constable, Charles B. Frost; Treasurer and Collector, Gilbert Howe; S. S. Com., Edgar H Powers, Solon Bartlett, Ezra Smith.

ORONO.—Moderator, John W. Atwell; Clerk, E. P. Butler; Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, A. G. Ring, R. J. Hamilton, Nathan Frost; Treasurer, E. P. Butler; S. S. Com., Elijah Wyman; Collector, Stinson Peaslee.

SIGNAL SERVICE.—The monthly weather review for February, issued by the Signal Service Bureau, is of double the usual length, and fully equals its predecessors in the value of its generalizations. There are peculiar features about several of the storms of the month, and two of them are characterized as violent hurricanes. The heavy snow storm of the morning of the 25th ult. seems to have been a result of the unusual combination of two storm centres, and a very rapid cooling at night of the upper atmospheric regions, causing the simultaneous outbreak of the storm over a large area of country. The report introduces a new element by giving the logs of vessels arriving that encountered storms. It is evident that if data of this sort can be systemetically obtained the may add much to our knowledge of the laws of storms; they would be especially of use if supplemented by telegraphic reports from Bermudas, etc., by which the approach of cyclones might often be known in advance. In the matter of cautionary signals the office appears to have erred on the side of caution, 12 of the 90 not appearing to have been verified, and 23 being too late for much service.

A SHARP REBUKE.—There was a curious phase of the social equality question at Troy, N. Y., the other day. The Hampton colored students arrived at the Mansion House, whereupon the pretty white waiter girls went in a body to the proprietor and declared they would not wait on the "niggers." The proprietor was a sensible man and stated his troubles to his boarders with a very satisfactory result. The ladies and gentlemen at once volunteered to act as cooks and waiters pro tem., and the supper was prepared and the table waited upon. The colored singers, however, when they seated themselves discovered the situation, and asked that some of their own number be allowed to attend to the table, and that the ladies and gentlemen sit down. This was refused, and the meal went on, the ladies and gentlemen acting as servants, while the Hampton students were much embarrassed, but very grateful,

News and Other Items

"Gad swingers" is the South Carolina colloquialism for school teachers.

"Hog product in tin cans for European consumption" is a new industry in Cincinnati.

The Chicago returns for the season of 1873-4 show 1,520,024 sheep and 21,712 cattle salted down.

The building trade is greatly depressed in New York, owing to the labor strikes and the financial panic.

The last vote cast by Sumner in the Senate was in favor of the bill providing for the appointing of a commission to investigate the liquor traffic.

English evangelists publish religious tracts in the weekly newspapers as advertisements, and claim that by this means they reach three million readers every week, a much larger number than could be reached in any other way.

Baggage checks are not used on English railways, which is a matter of inconvenience to passengers. The Great Western Railway Company recently lost $215 by delivering a trunk to a "confidence" man, and it is likely that this and similar experiences will lead to the use of checks.

The French town of Issoudun boasts of the most wonderful *lusus nature* of the age. It is a young girl, fourteen years old, whose body from the waist downwards, is double, and presents two parts acting independently of each other. The two legs she uses for walking belong each to a different trunk, whilst a third one is quite insensible to pain. She enjoys good health.

A new college is called for in Southwestern Missouri. Five years ago there was in this section a region three hundred miles on a side, with a million of people, yet not a school house and only a very few shaky meeting houses. The most of the adults could not read or write, but the men vote. A grand opening for home missions. Eleven Congregational churches have been founded there during these five years.

STATE NEWS.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

The Lewiston Journal says a man named Hart, by profession a cook, a few days since left Hartland, intending to walk to the city of Portland, and there ship on some vessel; but after arriving at Lewiston he spent all his cash for liquor, was arrested, and on Monday morning arraigned at the Municipal Court. Finding that the man, notwithstanding the head winds which he had encountered, was still desirous of continuing his journey to Portland, the Court ordered that he be furnished with a "square meal," which he very much needed, and allowed him to continue his journey.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

At the recent term of the S. J. Court for this county, three divorces were decreed.

HANCOCK COUNTY.

The stave and shingle mill of Murch & Doyle of Ellsworth was burned Monday morning by an incendiary fire. Loss about $3,000. No insurance.

OXFORD COUNTY.

E. W. Gregg, Esq., first selectman of the town of Andover, died on the 10th inst.

The town of Canton at its recent annual meeting, voted not to license any liquor agent or any billiard tables.

Henry C. Hammond, of Paris, who was assaulted and struck on the head with a hoe last fall by Lysander Butterfield, died last Sunday. Butterfield was arrested at the time and put under bonds for his appearance at Court. He has since absconded.

A meeting of the citizens of Norway is called to consider the subject of establishing a cheese factory there.

The Democrat says the East Rumford and Mexico Cheese Factory bids fair to do a larger business the coming season than ever before. The farmers are buying cows to supply the factory with milk.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

The Whig says a Temperance Club has been formed in Veasie, which is doing a good work.

The Whig states that Monday Mrs. J. H. Lynde reached home in the evening, accompanied by her eldest son and her sister. The remains of the late Mr. Lynde have unfortunately been delayed, but will be brought to Bangor by friends as soon as possible. As soon as the time of their arrival is positively assured we will announce the date of the funeral, which will probably be on Wednesday or Thursday. The deceased will be buried with Masonic honors by the Grand Lodge of Maine.

The Whig says that Robert Blake, who came to Bangor and opened an office, claiming to be agent for Walker & Co.'s publications proves to be insane, and will be sent to the Hospital.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

Nathan Frost had his foot and ankle very badly sawed while at work at Robinson's mills at Hartland a few days since.

Skowhegan taxes dogs.

YORK COUNTY.

Kennebunkport wants a branch railroad from the Boston and Maine to the port.

That human head which created so much excitement last Sunday was sent to Saco last November.

An adjourned session of the Supreme Judicial Court is to be held in Saco on Thursday next. This session is principally to hear motions and render decisions on cases held under advisement. It will probably be quite short.

An election to fill the vacancy in the Board of Aldermen in Saco, is to be held on Wednesday, March 25.

The Irishmen of Biddeford celebrated St. Patrick's Day in a fitting manner, with music, parade, high mass, lecture and closing by gathering around a well spread board.

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The combination of tonic, alterative and stimulating properties in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, especially adapts that famous specific to the cure of chronic forms of disease, when the strong influence of a long protracted morbid habit is to be surmounted. In chronic dyspepsia, and liver complaint, and in chronic constipation and other obstinate diseases, it is beyond all comparison the best remedy that can be taken. As a means of restoring the strength and vital energy of persons who are sinking under the debilitating effects of painful disorders, this standard vegetable invigorant is confessedly unequalled. The permanent tonics included in the preparation are associated with a diffusible stimulant absolutely pure, and the tendency of these elements is modified by the presence of alterative ingredients slower in their operation and capable of producing more lasting local and general effects. For feeble convalescents and in all phases of debility, it is the best as well as the most agreeable of restoratives.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Caucus.

The Republicans of North Yarmouth are requested to meet at the Town House, in said town, on Thursday, March 19th at 3 o'clock P. M. to nominate a board of town officers, for the ensuing year.

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In Lovell, Solomon Heald of Lovell and Miss Sarah W. Wiley of Fryeburg.

In Greenwood, March 14, Alexander Day, Jr., and Miss Augusta M. Burgess.

In Wellington, March 8, L. S. Weaver of Parkman and Miss Meda F. Hutchins of W.

DIED.

In this city, Emma, infant daughter of John and Rose Cushing, aged 4 months.
[Funeral at 2 P. M.]

In Gorham, March 6, Mrs. Dolly, wife of Capt. Reuben Libby, aged 86 years 9 months.

In Cornish, March 17, Mr. Benjamin Thompson, aged 82 years.

In Limington, March 15, at the residence of D. McKenney, Mrs. Mary Flood, wife of the late Calvin Flood of Buxton, aged 75 years 3 months.

In Augusta, March 8, Mrs. Jane S., relict of the late Charles Little, aged 74 years.

In St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 10, Sherburne T. McKenney, aged 67 years 2 months,—formerly of Portland. [Bridgton News please copy.]

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Cuba	New York	Havana	Mch 21
Etna	New York	Jamaica	Mch 24
Columbus	New York	Havana	Mch 24
City of Havana	New York	Havana	Mch 25
Algeria	New York	Liverpool	Mch 25
Italia	New York	Glasgow	Mch 25
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Miniature Almanac. March 18.

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U. S. District Court.

BEFORE JUDGE FOX.

TUESDAY.—The District Court came in this morning, and a hearing was given by Judge Fox in the case of T. H. Hubbard, assignee of James A. Winn, a complaint in equity vs. Casper E. Marshall to set aside three mortgages and a payment of $2000 made in contemplation of bankruptcy. Case not yet finished.

E. B. Smith. W. J. Copeland.

Superior Court.

MARCH CIVIL TERM, 1874. SYMONDS, J., PRESIDING.

TUESDAY.—Charles W. Fuller vs. Cyrus F. Jellerson. Action upon an account for labor as a boot and shoe maker. Am't claimed $40. Submitted to Justice without the intervention of a jury. Decision for the plaintiff for $33.95 with interest from the date of the writ.

Williams for the plaintiff.
Frank for the defendant.

William H. Shaller vs. Marcus Watson et als. As sumpsit upon a promissory note for $203. Defense, want of consideration. Decision for the plaintiff for full amount claimed.

Arthur H. Harris vs. Alfred Roberts. Assumpsit upon an account annexed for labor to the amount of $64. Account in set off filed to the amount of $65.49. The case has been submitted to an auditor who reported $1.13 due the defendant.

The plaintiff claims that several items in his account were disallowed which should have been allowed, and that several items were improperly allowed in the account in set off. Testimony closed.

Ridlon for the plaintiff.
Frank for the defendant.

Municipal Court.

BEFORE JUDGE MORRIS.

TUESDAY.—Hugh Doherty. Common seller. Recognized for his appearance at May term Superior Court.
Mattocks & Fox.

Oliver J. Stenbon. Common seller. Recognized for his appearance at May term Superior Court.
Bradburys.

James McCluskey. Search and seizure. Fined $50 with costs. Paid.

Bridget Haley. Intoxication. Fined $3 with costs. Paid.

William Clary, Arthur Bowman and Charles Flynn. Larceny. Fined one cent each with costs. Paid. Bradburys—Mattocks & Fox.

James Looney and James Devine. Affray. Fined $5 each with costs. Paid.

John M. Brode. Intoxication. Fined $5 with costs. Paid.

Brief Jottings.

The spring term at Greely Institute opened on Monday, March 16, with seventy pupils. This is a much larger number than has attended at any previous corresponding term.

There are no more freight steamers on the Allan line to arrive at this port this season.

There was not a snake or toad to be seen on the streets yesterday, and all on account of St. Patrick.

From the prevalence of Green yesterday one would judge we had an early spring.

It is Thomas Heffron, Sexton of St. Stephens and not Thomas Seffron, as incorrectly reported, who has been appointed special policeman.

The New York Glee and Madrigal Club have been secured for the Army and Navy course next winter, and will probably give the opening concert.

"Our Dance" comes off at Army and Navy Hall next Monday evening.

The readings by Mr. Burbank will be given Thursday evening week.

Henry Shiels and William Goldthwaite will play an exhibition game of billiards at the Saco House billiard hall Monday evening. The game will be a fine one.

House No. 29 Emery street has been sold for $4500 cash, by C. W. Richardson to General Starbird through the firm of Upham & Gardiner.

Rev. C. W. Mossell will preach a memorial sermon on Charles Sumner at the Mountfort Street Church next Sunday.

The case of Leathe & Gore against the city has gone to the referee, and his decision is reserved.

The lady friends of of the Wolf Tone Association presented all the members with white flowers yesterday.

The next entertainment of the Bisbee Literary Union, a drama, comes off Friday week.

A family named Dennis had a narrow escape from suffocation from coal gass on Centre street Monday night. The dampers of the stove were closed.

Centre street was gaily decorated with bunting yesterday in honor of the procession.

There is promise of a fine audience at Chapin's lecture to-morrow evening. The lecture is said to be one of his best efforts and all should attend.

A Congress street doctor took part of a glass of the bichromatic which caused trouble at Music Hall last night, just to find out how it tasted. At a late hour a flock of reporters were hovering around his residence, collecting facts about his age, birth-place, etc., and anxiously asking when the funeral would begin.

POLICE NOTES.—Officers Rich and Gribben arrested John H. Hassett and George Coffin yesterday for an affray on Commercial street. The scrimmage was a very lively one and hard blows were exchanged.

Officer York arrested a boy named Daniel H. Hyde for the larceny of a box of salt from a team standing on the street.

A large-sized row took place on Centre street about one o'clock in the afternoon, in which about twenty persons took part. One woman was badly kicked, and two men came out with bad looking noses.

A lively fight occurred between some fishermen on Commercial street in the afternoon One son of the sea knocked down five men before his anger was appeased. Officer Rich rushed into the crowd, showing much pluck, and quelled the disturbance. Several policemen came to his aid and two arrests were made.

Last evening "Slim Jim," of three monte notority, met a woman on Congress street, who stands to him in the relation of brevet wife accompanied by a strange man. Slender James took exceptions to the situation, and trouble followed. The woman was taken to the station. In a short time Jencks called for her in a hack and she was released.

There were seventeen arrests yesterday, sixteen of which were for drunkenness.

STABBING AFFRAY. — A stabbing affair, which took place in the boarding house of Samuel Nolan, on the corner of Clark and Salem streets Sunday night has just come to light. It seems that a quarrel took place between Thomas Nolan and a man named Donovan, two boarders in the house, in the course of which Nolan seized a steel-tined fork from the table and stabbed Donovan in the breast, just missing the heart. Dr. Hutchins was called, who pronounced the wound a very serious one. It doesn't appear that he or any one else considered it necessary to inform the authorities.

Early yesterday morning officer Place got wind of the affair and informed Deputy Williams. Mr. Williams at once went to Nolan's, where he found Donovan in bed, suffering from his wounds. It is thought that Nolan has succeeded in making his escape from the city, and that the affair was kept quiet so as to give him an opportunity to do so. At a late hour last night Donovan was quite comfortable and no serious result is apprehended unless internal hemorrhage sets in.

THE SECOND ADVENT.—The Rev. John S. Davenport delivered his second lecture on the Second Advent at Congress Hall last evening, to a small audience, discoursing on the principles of the "Catholic Apostolic Church," according to Irving and Cummings. The concluding lecture of the course will be given this evening.

PERSONALS.—Edmund Wilson, Esq., of Thomaston, is at the Falmouth.

THE GREEN FLAG.

Celebration of St. Patrick's Day—Grand Street Parade—Services at Cathedral and Hall.

St. Patrick's Day opened with low heavy skies and every sign of rain Despite the unfavorable weather prospect the streets were crowded with people anxious to witness the celebration in commemoration of Ireland's tutelary saint. At an early hour, men clad in uniforms and regalias, chiefly of green, were seen hurrying to the halls of the Irish associations. At half-past nine the societies formed in front of their halls and marched to the hall of the Irish American Relief Association, where they were drawn up in line by the marshal of the day, Capt. A. J. McMahon, of the Montgomery Guards. He was assisted by his Adjutant, Lieut. Peter S. Doyle, and aides, Lieut. J. H. Larkin, of the Sheridan Cadets, Marshal John J. Sheehan of the I. A. R. A., and Marshal William Quinn of the Wolfe Tone Association. The line started on its march at ten o'clock, a platoon of police, under command of Capt, Black, leading the way. The police were followed by Chandler's Band: then came the Marshal and his sides, followed by the Montgomery Guards, with their blue coats and green plumes, and soldierly bearing, numbering forty-eight muskets; these were followed by the Sheridan Cadets in trim marching order, thirty-two strong, having pompons of the prevailing green. These companies carried the stars and stripes. Next in the line was the Irish American Relief Association, numbering one hundred and fifty men, wearing their regalia of green and gold, and carrying a banner, which bore the harp of Erin upon its field of emerald green. The Portland Band was next in line. The Wolfe Tone Association, numbering fifty-five men, brought up the rear of the procession, bearing a flag, upon which was blazoned the sun-burst. The procession started on its march down Middle street, the bands playing "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning," "Wearing of the Green," "Rory O'Moore," and other Irish national airs, and a crowd of curious people pressing along the sidewalks The display was a very fine one, and the procession is thought by many, to have been the best street procession seen in Portland for years. The line wound down Middle and India streets and up to the hall, and thence into Congress street.

A large concourse of people were in waiting about City Hall, where the members of the City Government were stationed to review the procession as it passed. This ceremony concluded, the line kept on up town, along the arranged line of march. At Danforth street the companies and associations countermarched and passed in review before the Marshal and his aides. Lieut. Gately was in command of the Guards, Capt. Somers of the Cadets, Marshal Hickey of the I. A. R. A., and Marshal Haley of the Wolfe Tones.

The line of march was then resumed, and the procession drew up in front of the *Advertiser* office, when Chandler's Band played as a serenade, Heinicke's Andante and Waltz. It then proceeded to the *Argus* and *Press* offices, from which were hung the blended banners of Ireland and America. Here the Portland Band played as a serenade, "Departed Days." This serenading of offices is a new idea, for which we are indebted to the Irish societies.

The procession then moved to I. A. R. A. hall, where it broke up, the Wolfe Tones being escorted to their hall on India street, by the Montgomery Guards.

PRESENTATION.

When the Wolfe Tone Association had assembled in their hall, the line was formed, and Miss McFarland, accompanied by several young ladies, stepped forward bearing a magnificent national flag, which she presented to Marshal John Haley in the following address:

Mr. President and Members of the Wolfe Tone Association:

A number of your lady friends of the city of Portland, desirous of tendering to you some mark of their esteem, have deputed us to present you with this Irish flag. We deem this day—the anniversary of our patron saint—a most suitable time to make this offering, because on this day there is not an Irish exile on the face of the earth who will not offer up to God a silent prayer for the redemption of our own loved Emerald Isle from the heel of the Saxon oppressor.

Irishmen! Remember that although you will bear th s emblem to day, side by side with the Star Spangled Banner, under whose protecting folds you have found a home of perfect freedom and liberty, any attempt at a similar demonstration on St. Patrick's Day, in the land of your birth. would be the means of depriving you of your liberty and confining you in a felon's cell. We place this flag in your keeping, trusting to you defend it from dishonor or disdain, and hoping that its place will be foremost should an opportunity offer for the redemption of our native land. God save Ireland!

Marshal Haley in receiving the flag thanked the ladies most heartily for the beautiful emblem of their country entrusted to his care. He assured them that if ever occasion offered, the green banner shomld lead the van in the independence of their country, and the harp, symbolically blazoned on its folds, once more be heard, in joyful strains, through Tara's halls. Pure and stainless should be its reputation, even, if in the struggle, the sod should be watered with their heart's blood.

AT THE CATHEDRAL.

A special service was held in the morning at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. There was a very large concourse in attendance Rev. Father McSweeny of Rockland, delivered an eloquent and earnest address on the life and works of St. Patrick, and his labors in the redemption of Ireland, consummated 1381 years ago. He dwelt upon the purity, strength of purpose, indomitable will and earnest labors of the Saint, and held them up for examples to the present generation.

Werner's unison mass was sung by the choir, as was also a hymn to St. Patrick, in which Miss Elden and Messrs. Howard and Coffin sustained solo parts. Bishop Bacon and clergy were in attendance in their sacerdotal robes, Father O'Callaghan acting as celebrant. The Arch-Bishop of Toronto, who was present, pronounced the benediction.

THE CHILDREN'S CONCERT.

In the evening a grand concert was given in City Hall by the children of the Catholic schools under the direction of Bishop Bacon The details of the affair were arranged by the Sisters of Mercy, to whose untiring efforts its great success may be attributed.

The hall was fairly packed with people, among whom were many representatives of Young America and Young Ireland. Seats, rising one above the other, were placed across the platform at the end of the hall, and upon these were seated a thousand children, costumed in white with green sashes. It was a very pretty sight. In marked contrast with the children were the Sisters in the sable robes. To the left stood the choir boys of the Cathedral. Above all hung the flags of America and Ireland. Chandler's Band was in attendance.

The programme embraced singing and dramatic recitations. The children acquitted themselves admirably, and much to the delight of the great audience. The exercises closed with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner.

Meeting of the Colored Citizens.

RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF CHARLES SUMNER.

A meeting of the colored citizens of this city was held in Mountfort Street church Monday evening, to take action on the death of Hon. Charles Sumner. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Samuel Murray. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Mr. Mossell. By permission of the chair the following list of officers were read and adopted: President, Mr. Thomas M. Fisher; Vice Presidents, Messrs. Geo. S. Bussell, Samuel S. Murray, Jos. P. Taylor, Corbin H. Smith, Reuben Ruby, Josiah Jones, John Parrs, A. B. Ball, Elbridge P. Talbot, jr., Chas. Humphrey, Wm. W. Ruby, Alfred Van, Jas. Hawley; Secretaries, Braston M. Parrs, Edw. S. Williams, Chas. Murry, E. C. Daniels; Committee on Resolutions, Rev C. W. Mossell, Messrs. Howard Skanks, Edw. Johnson; Remarks were made by Messrs. S. S. Murray, R. Ruby, Burrell, Bisbee, Parrs.

It was voted that a union service on the evening of the coming Sabbath should be held in Mountfort street church, at which time a memorial sermon is to be preached by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Mossell.

The following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Fellow citizens—No trivial event has brought us together to-night. We meet not as we have frequently met, to rejoice over the successful passage of some great measure introduced and advocated by our deeply lamented friend, Hon. Charles Sumner, the end contemplated being "the equality of rights (which he regarded as) the first of rights." But, we do meet, if not to pay the last tribute of respect, to express our heartfelt grief, which can only be partially indicated by words. It is the work of ages to bestow encomiums upon one who dared to do right, who from the purest of motives became the representative of an oppressed people and the honest advocate of justice and liberty, who made himself of no reputation in identifying himself with the helpless and ignorant.

Inasmuch as our first duty, whether in prosperity or adversity, life or death, is to acknowledge the sovereignty of Him whe is the giver of every good and perfect gift, of every noble and great character, and of every benefaction with which the human family has been blessed.

Therefore be it Resolved, That we bow in humble submission to the King of Kings and Lord of Lords—that we recognize the sad event as no accident. but rather as the rounding out of another link in the chain of Providence. For in the language of our departed friend, "From the fall of a sparrow to the fall of an empire. or the sweep of a planet, all is according to Divine Providence whose laws are everlasting." "The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away, blessed be the name of the Lord.", It was Mr. Sumner's aim to sustain fundamental and eternal principles—to establish a government which would have all the strength of a monarchy, without its weakness, the refinement of on aristocracy without its oppression. Standing in the van of his countrymen, with his eyes fixed steadily upon this object, he pointed out the rocks upon which other ships of state ran and were dashed to pieces; so also the evils which grew side by side with our free institutions. In every national event with which he had to do, he separated the chaff from the wheat, and in eloquent strains said to the nation, choose the former if you would die, the latter if you would live. He gave his influence, which was not separated from his best efforts, to advocate a system of universal education, he opened the springs of virtue which had long been closed, he proved to the world what a very few have ever attempted to prove—that it is not impossible to be honest and pure though the surrounding elements may be contrary and antagonistic to such a condition of inward purity. He created and directed public sentiment. He exhibited to the youth in his own person that masterly strength which is the result of and inseparable from profound research, constant application of the mind, punctuality in duty, honesty in public affairs and economy in the affairs of private life.

Therefore be it resolved, That by the death of Mr. Sumner the country has lost a statesman, profound in learning, strong in morals, and indefatigable in duty; that humanity has lost a sentinel, whose scrutiny might be considered and whose honest heart announced the approach of the enemy, though he may have been transformed into an angel of light; that universal education, art and science have lost a patron—that from the youth of our land and of the world an exemplar has been taken, but who, being dead, yet speaketh. Furthermore, be it resolved, that we the colored people of the United States and of the world, have lost our beloved brother, our true and tried friend, our ablest, most earnest and most faithful advocate, one who gave his life for us. "Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."

Furthermore, be it resolved, That in accordance with the sentiments expressed by the colored citizens of Boston, which are in unison with the feelings of our own hearts, that our churches be draped with the proper symbols of mourning, and that memorial discourses be preached in our respective places of worship, on the coming Sabbath.

Furthermore, be it resolved, That in our private and public devotions, we invoke the Father of light, truth and justice to direct the wisdom of Massachusetts in filling the seat in the Senate of the nation, made vacant by the death of the Hon. Charles Sumner. Furthermore, be it resolved, that in the event (which we conceive to be inevitable,) viz: That the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the United States, should erect a monument to the memory of the honored dead, that we, the colored citizens of Portland, shall not be backward in adding to the many gifts that shall be laid upon the altar.

Furthermore, be it resolved, That while some ascribe to him greatness, and others goodness, we ascribe to him both: "For in so much as he has done good unto one of the least of my brethren; he has done it unto me.

Furthermore, be it resolved, That out of respect to the honored dead we ask Congress to remember his dying words and pass "the civil rights bill."

PLAY-ACTORS POISONED AT MUSIC HALL.

A Scene not Down in the Bills.

A scene not down in the play-bill took place last evening while the John Murray troupe were playing "Ten Nights in a Bar room. In the scene where the revellers are clustered about the bar, draining the glasses, Mr. Murray and Mr. J. H. Connor clinked their goblets and emptied them of a pale yellow liquid, much resembling whiskey in color. Almost immediately Mr. Murray hastened from the stage, apparently in great agony, and Mr. Connor fell upon the floor in convulsions. The curtain came down with a rush, and the wondering audience rose to its feet. Presently the manager appeared before the curtain and announced that the performance could not go on, because some of the actors had accidentally taken poison.

Messrs. Murray and Connor were taken to the dressing room. They were both in great gastric pain, vomited freely and were very weak. Medical aid was immediately summoned and very soon Drs, Shaw and Fogg arrived. Antidotes were administered and soon the poisoned men grew easier. It appears they had drank water colored with bi-chromate of potash.

How the accident happened is in this wise: The troupe are staying at the City Hotel. Yesterday afternoon the property man was in the room used as a bar in the wicked old times, when liquor was sold, and saw upon a shelf several decanters filled with red and yellow liquids. The decanters were of antique shape, and the property man borrowed them to use on stage. The proprietor of the hotel had no idea that the contents were to be touched, or that indeed they were in any way harmful. It appears that the water in one of the decanters was colored with bi-chromate of potash, a virulent poison. The decanters were merely show bottles, and had been on the shelves untouched for over a year.

Messrs. Murray and Connor were taken to their hotel. At midnight Mr. Murray was quite comfortable, but Mr. Connor was still in much pain. No fatal injury is however apprehended.

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MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

MIRACULOUS CURE OF ASTHMA. Dr. S. D. HOWE—Dear Sir: You advertise that any person buying and taking your "Milk Cure" and "Tonic" will be cured of "asthma," etc. I have done so; and my asthma, of over twenty years existence, is gone. I induced a friend, residing sixteen miles distant, to try it; he did so, and his asthma, too, is gone. I commenced taking this on the 21st of November last, and my friend on the 6th or 7th of December last; both very bad, obstinate cases. I can give full particulars of the cases if desired. Allow me to refer you to Gerity and Morrell, druggists, here, as to the facts which I have in this communication only hinted at, and to them and any other person or persons here as to my personal standing or reputation. Believe me, truly,
JEROME B. WHITE.

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Elmira, N. Y., Dec. 24. 1862. w&s&w1t.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

MATTERS IN MAINE.

Serious Accident.

BATH, March 17.—Horace C. Bowen, a workman employed in the ropewalk of F. & J. T Donnell, had his right arm caught in the machinery this morning and crushed at the elbow n a shocking manner. That he escaped with his life is a wonder. Drs. Bibber and Packard attended the sufferer, and he is now doing well.

The Reed Murder Trial.

BANGOR, March 17.—J. F. Robinson, jr., counsel for the prisoner, made the opening for the defence in the Reed murder trial to-day, after which a large number of witnesses were put on the stand. Reed's brother and father testified that Reed was with them at supper the evening of Ray's disappearance and that he afterwards went to a "reading meeting" with them on the other side of the river. Considerable testimony was introduced to show that Reed's boots did not correspond in size with the tracks discovered near the hole in which Ray's body was found. The trial will occupy the remainder of the week.

Funeral of Mr. Lynde.

The remains of John H. Lynde, proprietor of the Whig and Courier, who died last week in Savannah, Georgia, arrived here to-night and will be interred to-morrow afternoon with Masonic honors, under the direction of the Grand Lodge of Maine, of which he was a Past Grand Master.

St. Patrick's.

St. Patrick's Day was celebrated in this city by the various Hibernian and Catholic associations, by a parade and public dinner.

NEW YORK.

Tricks of Informer Jayne.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The Tribune gives the particulars of a sugar importing firm here having, after receiving numerous threatening communications from Jayne, paid him $10,000 to avoid a long expensive litigation. The compromise was made by the junior partner in absence of the senior member, who declares that he should have fought the matter had he been in the country, notwithstanding that Jayne threatened to sue for $250,000. It is claimed that the firm is wholly innocent of any charges made.

E M. Carr, a custom house weigher, was spirited away when suspended by the Congressional Committee last year to testify in relation to some of Jayne's doings, being sent to Boston by a forged despatch from agent Bingham, and when the act was disavowed by the latter on Carr's arrival in Boston, Jayne had him bribed to leave for New Orleans, promising him $10,000, but giving him only $400.

The Union Pacific.

A resolution was offered in the State Senate at Albany, setting forth that the Kansas Pacific, known generally as the Union Pacific Railroad, by means of false representations have induced purchasers in Germany to nearly $10,000,000 of bonds, on which the company profess inability to pay interest, said inability it is believed being from misapplication of funds, and such non payment of interest being a breach of faith, the Representatives of New York State in Congress are requested to secure an investigation of the affairs of said company and such legislation as will compel the directors to comply with the demands of the stockholders. The resolutions were laid over under the rules.

A Letter from Admiral Semmes.

In a letter regretting that he has to decline an invitation to address a post of the Grand Army at Rome in this State, the late rebel Admiral Semmes says: "As citizens of the same country, who have had a good rough and tumble fight, I see no reason why we should not make peace and be friends when the fight is over, especially if the fight has had the effect to increase mutual respect."

A Model Juryman.

Eleven jurymen trying one Joseph Harvey for highway robbery in Brooklyn yesterday, after having retired for some time sent word to the Judge that they had agreed on a verdict except one man, Thomas Sullivan, who was too drunk to agree to anything.

About Salaries.

The Post urges the passage of a bill by Congress, providing that hereafter no officer of the United States excepting members of diplomatic service and the President shall receive a salary greater than paid to a Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and that all sections in excess of that limit, whether they come in from fees, moieties or any kind of emoluments whatever, shall be paid directly into the treasury.

Various Matters.

Oliver Charlick authorizes a denial of the statement that he and John Morrissey have buried the hatchet.

Rev. Mr. Portous, in a lecture at the Brooklyn Academy of Music last night, argued that the church should take hold of and elevate the theatre.

The Erie investigating committee report discovering that for four months the books have been taken out of the auditor's office night after night, and that the floating debt is $2,000,000 instead of $8,000,000 as asserted by retiring auditor Dunan. They claim to have discovered other evidence of a conspiracy against the road.

The St. Patrick's procession took an hour and twenty minutes to pass City Hall, marching closely and somewhat fast on account of rain and numbered between fifteen and twenty thousand. Dispatches from various parts of the country show that the celebration was universal and enthusiastic.

Mrs. Francis Bidwell, the wife of a respectable citizen of Brooklyn, committed suicide tonight by cutting her throat with a razor while laboring under depression of spirits.

WASHINGTON.

Bill to Reduce the Army.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The House Committee on Military Affairs to-day prefected the bill for the reduction of the army. They propose to cut off five regiments of infantry, one of artillery and one of cavalry, this to be done gradually by the first of Jan., 1875; the number of enlisted men to be 25,000; such officers as may resign before that time to receive a years' pay. The army according to the bill will consist of 10 regiments of infantry, 9 of cavalry and 4 of artillery.

Treasury Balances.

The following are the Treasury balances today:—Currency, $3,534,111; special deposit of legal tenders for redemption of certificates of deposit, $52,810,000; coin, $86,586,624, including coin certificates $40,705,700; outstanding legal tenders, $382,000,000.

Moieties.

The Treasury Department has prepared a statement to be sent to Congress of fines, penalties and forfeitures in New York from Nov. 10th to March 1st, a portion of the collections for January and all for February remain undisturbed in the Treasury. The gross proceeds are stated at $195,246; duties $4,978, and the expenses $7,027. The net amount covered into the Treasury $183,241. The collector, naval officer and surveyor of New York received of the amount thus far distributed $1437. Jayne is mentioned in one case involving $48,891, but his claim to the moiety is contested The gross proceeds at Boston for the same period are $2919. Net amount covered into the Treasury $1984. The collector, naval officer and surveyor each received $26.

Pensions.

The House Committee on Invalid Pensions to-day agreed to an amendment to Sec. 1 of the pension act of March 3d, 1873, to extend the time to July 4, 1876, for State militia men to prosecute their claims to a successful issue.

Various Matters.

The President has nominated W. Steele of Kansas, Consul at Matanzas.

In the District of Columbia Investigating Committee this afternoon, all the members, including Senator Stewart were present. Mr. Mattingly commenced an argument on behalf of District authorities.

Gen. Spinner has resumed official duties, and is greatly improved in health.

Chief Engineer Williamson is detached from the navy yard at Portsmouth and placed in waiting orders.

The condition of Hon. Nathan Sargent seems to be improving.

Admiral Porter is recovering from a severe cold. His condition was at no time alarming.

A committee from New Orleans to day presented President Grant a picture of himself, heroic size, on horseback.

Tribute of Respects to Charles Sumner.

PROVIDENCE, March 17.—The following resolution was introduced by Lt. Governor Van Zandt and passed by both houses of the Assembly to day:

Resolved, That the General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island has received with profound regret, the intelligence of the decease of Charles Sumner of Massachusetts, and desire to express and place upon their records their appreciation of his scholarly statesmanship, devoted patriotism and his study personal and political integrity.

Railroad Trouble.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 17.—The directors of the Memphis & Charleston R. R. have refused to accept the proposition of the Southern Security Co., to annul the lease and restore the control of the road to the stockholders on payment of a bonus of $160,000, which the Security Co., so claims to have lost in running the connecting roads.

Destructive Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 17.—A dispatch from Modoc City states this morning that a fire was discovered issuing from the Oil Exchange Hotel. The flames spread rapidly, reaching the Bateman House on the opposite side of the street. About 55 buildings were destroyed. The loss is estimated as $100,000. Partially insured.

Steamboat Burned.

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—Steamboat South Western, hence for Shreveport, was burned at Colfax Sunday morning. Boat and cargo are a total loss. Valued at $30,000: insured $10,000.

Judge Dwinello has decided that David Scannell is legally elected chief of the San Francisco fire department and fined ex-chief Frank Whitney $300 and costs for usurping the office.

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SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.

The chaplain in his opening prayer said: "Oh Lord, we come to Thee this morning under the dark shadow of heavy grief. A vacant chair is before us, a noble presence has been borne hence to be committed "earth to earth, dust to dust, ashes to ashes." He shall not come to us again, but we shall go to him."

Mr. Ferry of Michigan said that a great effort had been made recently to show that money is abundant in the city of New York. Such was a perversion of the true state of affairs as would be seen by a petition which he presented from about 400 leading business men of that city, some of them using millions of money in their business, in which they protest against the efforts now being made to reduce the volume of currency and pray that the same may be increased so that the business of the country may be safely carried on. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Logan presented petitions of citizens of Illinois and New York City in favor of an increase of currency.

Other petitions in favor of specie payments and for an increase of currency were presented.

Mr. Frelinghuysen said that some weeks ago when the Civil Rights bill was under discussion, upon the statement that if the bill should be referred to the Judiciary Committee it would be reported back soon, the late Senator from Massachusetts (Sumner) agreed to the reference and he (Frelinghuysen) now desired to state that the committee had spent two days in perfecting the bill. It was now ready to be reported to the Senate, having received the approval of the majority of the committee, but as the author of the bill had been taken away he (Frelinghuysen) would not report or call it up until the chairman of the committee (Edmunds), who favors it, should be present, that he might take part in the debate.

After some explanation by Mr. Stewart and some debate the record was corrected so that Mr. Stewart should be a member of the Joint District Committee and not as chairman.

The bill to equalize the distribution of National Bank currency was taken up.

Mr. Logan spoke in favor of increased circulation.

In the course of his remarks, Senator Logan said the arguments and sophisms of the Senator from Missouri (Schurz) might be considered simply as attempts to amuse, if it were not for the grand scheme which appears to be at the bottom of this onslaught upon greenbacks and outcry for specie payments. Every plan they offer embraces the plan of retiring greenbacks which do not bear interest and substituting in their places interest bearing bonds payable in gold, without power of reconversion into greenbacks so to keep them in circulation, thereby imposing upon the backs of the people an additional burden of $20,000,000 per annum for what purpose and for whose benefit? To enable eastern money holders to have a secure place to loan their surplus funds, and at the same time to get additional interest upon these bonds they seem to want some way to drain the treasury of its gold and thus leave the whole monetary power of the government in their hands and at the mercy of eastern money holders. Is it any wonder then that the West and South who understand this thing should look upon it as a movement to strengthen and perpetuate money monopoly, which present legal restriction gives to the East. It may not surprise us that an Eastern Senator should advocate this policy, but what are we to think when we see Western Senators in the very front of this movement? Is the present movement among farmers, mechanics and workingmen without significance? Are we so silly as to suppose they will see their wages reduced to a mere pittance without a severe struggle? If there are labor strikes and stoppage of business now, what may we expect if we undertake to decrease the currency so that wages will not purchase bread? We had more money during the time when the whole South was shut out from its use than we have now and yet a less amount must supply the wants of the whole country with $11,000,000 more of people to be furnished with a circulating medium, to say nothing of the fact that 4,000,000 of the people formerly slaves are now free and must be supplied with a medium of exchange. It is said a speculation in railroads was the cause of the panic and that this speculation was induced by an abundance of money. Where did these railroads sell their bonds to raise the $340,000,000 annually used by them? Were these all taken here? No sir, they were based on gold and sold in Europe.

Therefore this mania for speculation spoken of has nothing more to do with the amount and character of our currency than did the tulip mania with the money of Holland or the Darien scheme the money of Scotland. Why do we go to Europe to sell railroad bonds and pay interest to foreigners? Simply because we had not the money here, and if Senator Schurz is allowed to lead the Senate in this matter, we will still continue to pay tribute to Europe.

He presented a table giving the conditions of the New York banks for five years past, showing that these bear no evidence of unusual loans immediately preceding the panic. The Senator from Missouri had said that the poor men of this country have $950,000,000 of money on deposit in savings banks. A larger amount than there is now in the United States, sufficient, if a run should be made, to drain every bank and the United States Treasury of every dollar. This will certainly be good news to those who are starving in New York and other cities, and while this hideous spectre of contraction is before the country these poor people would do well to look after their money a little.

In conclusion he called upon the Senate to adopt that liberal policy of free banking which, properly guarded, will not only do justice to all but will develope latent resources of the South which lay dormant under a former mistaken policy, and which will utilize till the water power of Virginia and the power locked up in the vast coal fields of Indiana and Illinois, the iron mountains of Missouri and the agricultural resources of the whole country—a policy that will put our manufactories again in operation and iron foundaries in blast and give employment to idle hands, prosperity to producers and happiness to the whole country. He warned the monied power of this country that if they attempt to impose further burdens upon the masses of the people, they will finally lose their power altogether. He would stand by the rights of the people no matter how the monied monopolies might attack him or the metropolitan newspapers abuse and criticise him.—Adjourned.

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, March, 17.

Mr. Cox of N, Y., presented resolutions reciting the allegations that bills for advertising have been presented to the Treasury Department, which advertising has been done in defiance of the law of the 15th of July, 1870, requiring written orders for all advertising, and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to furnish copies of all such bills and of the correspondence thereto. Adopted.

Mr. Cook of Ga., offered a resolution instructing the committee on expenditures in the department of Justice, to inquire into the judicial expenditures in the southern district of Oregon. Adopted.

A bill was reported favorably, providing that public mineral lands, unless shown to contain bona fide mining claims, shall not be excluded from preemption of homestead laws.

Mr. Lowe, of Kansas, advocated it, and Mr. Ward of Ill., opposed it, as surrendering all government control over them and practically opening all mineral lands of California at $1.25 per acre.

Mr. Page of California, favored the bill.

Mr. Kelley, of Pa., thought if this law passed, the rich mineral lands would shortly fall into the hands of a few people.

Mr. Randall, of, Nev., favored the bill, saying it was needed to secure progress and proper ty in the old mining belt of California.

Mr. Kasson, of Iowa, approved of the bill.

After further debate the bill was referred to the Committee on the whole.

After a conflict for precedence between the cheap transportation bil, legislative appropriation bill, and a contested election case, the House went into Committee of the Whole on Legislative. Executive and Judicial appropriation bill.

Mr. Willard of Vt., called attention to the inequality of compensation provided for the officials of Congress, and those of various other departments of the goverument, and offered various amendments for the reduction or the pay of door keepers and messengers in the capitol, all of which were rejected.

The Committee rose after having got through only two and a half pages of the bill.

Mr. McCrary of Iowa, proposed that to-morrow be set apart for discussion on transportation bill, giving as a reason, that members will be absent to witness launch of the Pacific Mail Steamship, City of Peking, at Chester, Pa.

Mr. E. H. Roberts of New York, objected.

Mr. Marshall, from the Appropriation Committee, reported the Military Academy Appropriation bill. Referred to Committee of the whole.

Mr. Coburn of Ind., Chairman of the Military Committee, reported bill to provide for the gradual reduction of the army, which was made special order for first Tuesday in April.

Mr. Todd of Pa., moved to adjourn over till Thursday. Negatived.

Mr. Conger, member of the Committee on Commerce, renewed the proposition that tomorrow be devoted to debate on cheap transportation bill. The members of his committee regarded it almost as a part of their duty to attend the launch of the largest steamship ever built in the United States.

Mr. Roberts withdrew his objection and unanimous assent was given.

House took recess. The evening session is for debate on transportation bill

Mr. Scudder of N. J., opposed bill on legal constitutional and practical gr

POETRY.

The Church Spider.

Two spiders, so the story goes,
Upon a living bent,
Entered the meeting-house one day,
And hopefully were heard to say,
"Here we shall have at least fair play,
With nothing to prevent."

Each chose his place and went to work;
The light webs grew apace;
One on the altar spun his his thread,
But shortly came the sexton dread,
And swept him off, and so half dead,
He sought another place.

"I'll try the pulpit next," said he,
"There surely is a prize;
The desk appears so neat and clean,
I'm sure no spider there has been;
Besides how often have I seen
The pastor brushing flies."

He tried the pulpit, but alas!
His hopes proved visionary;
With dusting brush the sexton came,
And spoilt his geometric game,
Nor gave him right nor space to claim
The right of sanctuary.

At length, half-starved, and weak and lean,
He sought his former neighbor.
Who now had grown so sleek and round,
He weighed the fraction of a pound,
And looked as if the art he'd found,
Of living without labor.

"How is it, friend," he asked, "that I
Endure such thumps and knocks,
While you have grown so very gross?"
"'Tis plain," he answered, "not a loss
I've met since first I spun across
"The contribution box."

LAWS
OF THE
UNITED STATES

PASSED AT THE

First Session of the Forty-Third Congress.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 9.]

AN ACT making appropriations to pay for reporting the debates and proceedings of Congress.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of twenty-five thousand one hundred and eighty-five dollars for the payment of the five official reporters of the proceedings and debates of the House of Representatives during the first year of the Forty-third Congress, said reporters to be paid monthly at the rate fixed by law.

SEC 2. That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand six hundred and thirty-six dollars and twelve cents to pay D. F. Murphy, official reporter of the Senate, for reporting the proceedings and debates of the Senate at the special session of March, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, according to the arrangement made with him by the Committee on Printing of the Senate, which was reported by said Committee to the Senate on the twenty-first day of March, eighteen hundred and seventy-three.

SEC. 3. That there is hereby appropriated for reporting the proceedings and debates of the Senate for the Congressional year ending March four, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, which sum shall be added to the contingent fund of the Senate and be disbursed by the Secretary of the Senate, agreeably to the terms of the resolution aforesaid: *Provided*, That from and after the passage of this act a sum not exceeding forty-two thousand dollars shall be paid for reporting the proceedings of each House of Congress for any one Congress, under the direction of the respective Houses; and all laws inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved, January 23, 1874.

[GENERAL NATURE—No 10.]

AN ACT to abolish the office of Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the office of Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue, made vacant by the death of General B. J. Sweet, be, and the same is hereby, abolished; and that the Secretary of the Treasury may, upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, designate one of the two remaining deputy commissioners as First Deputy Commissioner, who shall perform the duties and be paid only the salary prescribed for the office of deputy commissioner hereby abolished.

Approved, January 29, 1874.

J. G. BLAINE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
MATT H. CARPENTER,
President of the Senate pro tempore.
Approved U. S. GRANT.

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1. To hear the reports of the Directors and Treasurer and act thereon.
2. To fix the number and make choice of the Board of Directors for the ensuing year.
3. To see if the Stockholders will ratify the contract with the Eastern Railroad Company, dated June 10, 1873.

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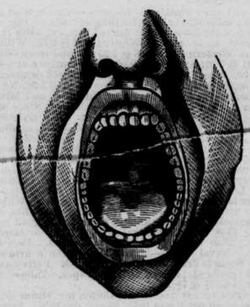

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The 6.15 A. M. train arrives in Boston at 10.40 A. M., connecting with train for New York via Shore Line at 11.10 A. M. The 9.10 A. M. train arrives in Boston at 1.40 P. M. in season to connect with the train for New York, all rail, also with the 5.30 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 tram. N. B. This train runs Sunday Morning, *does not run* Monday morning.

†Accommodation train
§Fast Express.

J. PRESCOTT,
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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), *5 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, §8.10, *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 Boston, Haymarket Square.

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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:

FOR 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 Bridgeton.

At Fryeburg 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

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.

fe9dtt 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:

At Gorham for West Gorham, Standish, and No. Limington, daily.

At Buxton Centre for West Buxton, Bonny Eagle and Limington ,daily.

At Centre Waterboro' for Limerick, Newfield, Parsonsfield and Ossipee, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, returning alternate days.

At Centre Waterboro' for Limerick, Parsonsfield daily.

WILLIAM H. TURNER, *Superintendent.*
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