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CITY OF PORTLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Joint Standing Committee on Laying out new Streets, to whom was referred the petition of Chas. E. Barrett, for Grand Trunk Railway Company, will meet on Fore Street, at Engine House, near foot of Hancock Street, at 2½ o'clock, P. M., on MONDAY, 27th of July, to hear all parties interested, and there determine and adjudge whether public convenience requires that the southerly side line of said Fore street, for a distance of one hundred feet, westerly, from the westerly corner of the projection of said engine house adjoining said street shall be changed from its present angular direction to a curved line parallel with the northerly side line of said Fore street, distant three rods therefrom.

Also on petition of J. J. Gerrish and others for straightening the southerly line of Eastern Promenade from the angle near foot of Beckett Street to Atlantic Street, and from thence to change the line of Fore Street to correspond with that line. The said committee will meet on Fore street, at foot of Atlantic street, at 3 o'clock p. m. on said MONDAY, July 27th, to hear all parties interested, and then determine and adjudge whether public convenience requires such changes, and if so adjudged, will then and there lay out the same and fix the damages as required by law.

GEO. P. WESCOTT, MICAH SAMPSON, F. W. CLARK, EDWARD THURSTON, WM. E. DENNISON, LEMUEL M. LOVEJOY. } Com. on Laying out New Streets.

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CITY OF PORTLAND.

IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, July 22, 1874.

ORDERED, That the City Clerk give notice to all parties interested, by publishing a copy of this order in the daily papers of this city, for three weeks successively, that this Board on THURSDAY, the sixth day of August next, at 5 o'clock P. M., at the Aldermen's Room, in City Building, will hear all parties interested in the petitions for Sewers in the following named streets, viz:

Warren street, from Monument to Adams streets.

Cumberland Street, from Washington to North streets.

Spring street, from Thomas to Neal streets.

And that thereafter this Board will determine and adjudge if public convenience requires the construction of Sewers in said streets.

Read and Passed.

Attest: H. I. ROBINSON, Clerk.

CITY OF PORTLAND, ss., July 22, 1874.

To all whom it concerns, notice is hereby given as required by the aforesaid order, which is made a part of this notice.

Attest: H. I. ROBINSON, City Clerk.

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City of Portland.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, June 9, 1874.

To Owners or Occupants of Buildings and Lots on State, Congress, Cumberland and Pine Streets:

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named Streets have by Order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, been re-numbered, according to plans in the City Civil Engineer's Office, and all parties interested are hereby notified that the numbers so designated must be affixed to the buildings on said streets within sixty days from the first day of August next.

And any owner or occupant of any building or part of a building who shall neglect or refuse to affix to the same the number designated by the Mayor and Aldermen, or who shall affix to the same, or retain thereon more than one day, any number contrary to the direction of the Mayor and Aldermen, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar, nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every subsequent offence. Per order,

H. I. ROBINSON, City Clerk,

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PROPOSALS

WILL be received until MONDAY, the 27th inst., at 3 P. M., at Mayor's Office, for collecting House Offal within the city limits for one or three years.

Parties making proposals will please state conditions under which they make the offer. Information may be obtained of GEO. P. WESCOTT, Chairman Committee on Health.

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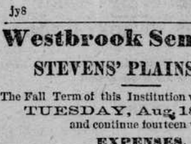

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THE PRESS.

MONDAY MORNING, JULY 27, 1874.

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THE PRESS of this morning is printed on the first double cylinder Hoe press ever used in Portland. Its speed is double that of the single cylinder hitherto used. The largely increasing size of our daily edition rendered an increase of speed imperative, and the inconvenience suffered by many of our patrons from a late receipt of papers will now be obviated.

The Ninth Section.

On the publication of the full text of the proposed Reciprocity Treaty we took occasion to point out the danger to our shipbuilding interests threatened in the ninth article which is as follows:

ART. 9. For the term of years mentioned in Article XII of this treaty (21) vessels of all kinds built in the United States may be purchased by inhabitants of Canada as Canadian vessels; and reciprocally, vessels of all kinds built in Canada may be purchased by citizens of the United States, and registered in the United States as United States vessels.

So clear is the peril to our ship-builders and so certain would be the absorption of our coastwise carrying trade by the more cheaply built provincial vessels, that it seemed fair to assume a unanimous protest from Maine against this article; but the leading Democratic journal of the state—probably from an imperfect appreciation of the nature of the situation—has declared this article to be practically harmless on the somewhat remarkable ground that it will not admit Canadian vessels to the coasting trade. Well, the article will speak for itself to any man of sufficient intelligence to read it, and we leave the *Argus* to the tender mercies of its party friends who are interested in shipping.

But leading Democratic journals of the state cannot be unmindful of the fact that Dominion built vessels bought by citizens of the United States and registered therein, will be entitled to all the privileges of the coasting trade of the United States. They ought not to be ignorant of the fact that labor and timber suited to the building of smaller sized vessels are much more plentiful and cheaper in the Dominion than in Maine, in consequence of which Dominion vessels would be offered for sale at a price lower than our Maine ship builders could afford them, and the result would of necessity be that the purchasers of navigation would go to New Brunswick, leaving our shipyards to go back to the inactivity of four years since; leaving our own citizens who have engaged in that industry without employment, or forcing them to expatriate themselves by emigrating to the Dominion in order to carry on their business with success.

Nor does the mischief end there. The coasting business is a valuable and often a most profitable one for certain kinds of vessels, so much so that in order to avail themselves of the large number of not over scrupulous Dominion ship owners would devise a scheme for a bogus sale to citizens of the United States, so that in time a large number of Dominion *owned* as well as Dominion built vessels will be doing our coasting trade, and Maine ship yards will be but mournful reminders of past activity and energy. To-day our Democratic exchanges are consulting the census tables to find a decrease of population in our farming and shipbuilding towns, and parade the same with ill-concealed delight, because they attribute the loss to agencies entirely foreign to the real cause.

A suitable Reciprocity Treaty is exceedingly desirable to nations whose commercial relations are necessarily so intimate as those of this country and Canada; and for the adoption of such a treaty our people may well make strenuous efforts. It should, however, be sufficiently guarded to avoid the destruction of so important an industry as our recently reviving ship building—an industry formerly a prime source of wealth to the state, and just now again exhibiting something of its old time vivality and prosperity. The proposed Treaty is, in the main, approved by the people of this part of the country; but any such provision as is contained in the ninth article will encounter a very lively and vigorous opposition from Quoddy head to Kittery.

THE New York *World* was gratified because it and its contemporaries could see in the Indiana "flexible" currency resolution that the Democratic ship was directed toward "hard money harbor." The plank, however, which declared for the payment of the 5-20 bonds in greenbacks was pronounced to be a "very dead horse" on the platform rather than a part of it. During the past week two of the leading Democratic congressional districts in Ohio have held their conventions, and from them we have the first notes of the campaign in that state. One of these conventions—in a district having in 1872 a Democratic majority of 3,700, adopted the following resolutions:

That the present amount of the circulating medium of the United States is entirely insufficient to meet the wants of the business and industrial interests of the country; that it should be increased to a sum more commensurate with our necessities, and should be all in legal tenders instead of part legal tenders and part national bank circulation; that it is a suicidal policy to call in legal tender notes, held by the people without interest, in order to substitute for them gold-bearing interest bonds, and that the exertions of the administration to that end deserve our severest censure.

That while we are burdened with a debt of twenty-five hundred million dollars, carrying with it an immense interest, and accompanied with great annual expenses in other respects, it is not practicable to return to specie payments, and that an attempt to do so would entail unspeakable financial ruin.

The convention in the district, represented by Mr. Southard, Democrat, who had a majority of over 2,400 in 1872, in addition to a currency expansion resolution, the following financial declarations were made:

That we are in favor of the redemption of the 5-20 bonds in greenbacks, according to the law under which they were issued.

We are in favor of the repeal of the law of March, 1869, which assumed to construe the law so as to make such bonds payable exclusively in gold.

In a few days the State Convention meets, when we shall see whether Senator Thurman, hard money Democrat, or Mr. Pendleton, the greenback apostle, is the exponent of the Ohio Democracy on the great question of the day. In the meantime the Democratic organs engaged in the interpretation business will have enough to do, for hot weather, to prove that the above resolutions point to "hard money harbor."

PROBABLY more hay of the first quality was secured in Maine last week than ever before in the same period. The weather was excellent, and the grass in the best condition for good hay. Reports received last week indicate a larger crop than was expected. Along the seaboard for the most part the crop is larger, or as large, as last year. The crop in old fields is lighter in the sections of the state further removed from the shore, where it is usually protected in winter by deep snows, which was not the case during a large part of the cold weather of last season. From Aroostook, in particular, there are complaints of a light crop.

THE Iowa crusaders have discovered a two years old law in the statute book of that state which provides that any railroad company, agent, or common carrier of any kind, who shall carry intoxicating liquors into that state to any person without first having received a certificate that such a person is duly licensed to sell the same, shall be fined $20 for the first offense, and fine and imprisonment for continued offenses. The crusaders propose to make this clause effective and some of the leading railways managers have instructed their agents to comply with law.

CROP reports from Minnesota indicate that the grasshoppers have destroyed a million and a half bushels of wheat and will be likely to destroy half a million more. Allowing for this loss, the surplus crop of the state is put at 22,000,000 bushels.

THE Rockland Publishing Company, which recently started the readable *Daily Globe* in that city, announce the launching "upon the tide of public favor," the Rockland *Weekly World*; Mr. George H. Blake, editor.

The Great Scandal.

Comments of the Press.

In the peculiar atmosphere of this case, where people shriek in stilted English, instead of quietly talking, and where the most hideous offenses do not seem incompatible with perfect sainthood, even Mr. Beecher appears to lose his power of lucid expression. A year ago, he spoke of living on "the ragged edge of anxiety, remorse, fear, despair," of spending the most of his time in "the power of great darkness" Yet, commonplace as the explanation of all the trouble is said to be, he still speaks of it as causing unexampled "sorrow and excitement," a "poignancy of suffering," which he hopes no other man may feel, and of being "filled with morbid intensity at the very shadow of it"—whatever that may mean. Should any spiritualistic humbug of the next generation ever profess to summon the spirit of Mr. Beecher, he can hardly make him talk more extraordinary gibberish than this. Why was Mr. Beecher thus trembling on the edge of ruin, despair, remorse and all the rest of it? Surely these words are not in the least degree applicable to the slight fault—if fault it was—which he now alleges constituted his only offense.—[New York Times.

The spectacle of an unhappy wife and mother fighting for her good name against a husband who wishes to destroy it, is one which appeals powerfully to the sympathies of every one. In this case, the sober judgment will be apt to agree with the aroused sympathies. The statement is a thoroughly womanly one, full of impulse and excited feeling, careless of effect, and only bent upon repelling the hideous charges which are evidently hateful and revolting to her very nature. It is full of touching and unconsciously dramatic details, which give it at once the stamp of sincerity and the appearance of truth. Most readers will be likely to accept it as true, and in that case, the whole structure of scandalous insinuation, which has slowly grown up before our eyes during the last few years, will disappear like a poisonous exhalation.—[New York Tribune.

In common with all right-minded people, we lament the necessity of printing revelations which must carry annoyance and distress into innumerable households. But to refuse to print authentic and decently-prepared testimony in such a case, exciting, as it has already done, universal public attention, and involving the most serious public interests, would not help to solve the difficulties, and would be, in our judgment, a departure from the proper business of a newspaper.—[Boston Advertiser.

In the absence of positive proof to the contrary, these asseverations of Mr. Beecher and Mrs. Tilton, would be accepted as offsetting an accusation of crime made by any man, but when it is made by a man who has the shameless effrontery to claim that he was insulted by Mr. Beecher, through Mrs. Tilton, in his very presence, in a way so gross that he does not feel at liberty to describe it, and that he did not resent it; by a man who says he found his wife locked in a bedroom with her pastor, and he made no fuss about it—the accusation breaks down from the total absence of ordinary manhood and self-respect in the man making it.—[Brooklyn Eagle.

The moral spectacle is in this sense remarkably impressive. The community, with a supreme sense of justice, refuses to swing to its conviction until every opportunity has been given the accused to meet and, if possible, destroy the force of these terrible charges, in general and in detail. Mr. Beecher is to be patiently allowed a proper interval to demolish this web of accusation if he can, and not even his accuser ought to refuse to unite in the universal hope for his speedy and safe deliverance.—[Boston Post.

Yesterday Mr. Tilton's side seemed to be a very strong one, and his points were ingeniously made and presented, but Mr. Beecher's denial makes it look like the work of a very jealous and almost desperate man, who seized serious charges, regardless to make the most

The investigation can now go forward to conclusion amid the general feeling that Mr. Beecher has put himself in the right position, and one that points to his ultimate vindication. The maine question is of innocense or guilt, and as to that, Mr. Beecher's denial answers every required purpose now, and invests the whole matter with the best assurances for the future.—[Boston Journal.

It is not too much to say that the public confidence in Mr. Beecher has not yet been destroyed. His full statement is yet to come, and he has only to furnish a sufficient explanation of the strange letters to Mr. Moulton to regain his old place and more. He is too good a judge of human nature not to know that any lack of frankness, any attempt to deceit or subterfuge, will be infinitely worse than a full confession. As the case now stands, there can be but one of two issues: Either Tiltou is a most malicious liar, coward and fiend, or Mr. Beecher is an unprecedented scoundrel and hypocrite. Until the latter proposition shall be proved beyond question, the public will believe the former.—[Hartford Courant.

The gross and indecent arraignment now publicly made by Mr. Tilton changes the situation and makes it proper for us to speak. We do so, without waiting for the replies of Mrs. Tilton and Mr. Beecher. Having known them both personally for many years, we will frankly say that if they should admit the truth of Mr. Tilton's statement, we should find it difficult to believe, but that until they do so we find it impossible. Knowing Mr. Tilton, also, we should require collateral evidence at every step before accepting any of his statements. The man and woman who are accused have behind them the consistent record of private and public worth; the man who accuses them has no such record. What have these three people been doing during the past seven years? Mrs. Tilton has been a patient, loving, devoted wife and mother, enduring nameless wrongs in silence. Mr. Beecher has been active in good works, devoting his leisure hours to writing a life of Christ. Mr. Tilton has been advocating "free divorce," and writing the biography of Victoria Woodhull. The contrast is a sharp one, and tells the whole story.—[Woman's Journal.

"I humble myself before him," says Mr. Beecher, "as I do before my God." "I will die before any one but myself shall be inculpated." "The poor child lying there is guiltless, sinned against, and bearing the transgression of another." Now, taking all this in connection with the other letters and exclamations above given, it will certainly require abundant proof and very powerful argument to give to it the meaning its author now proposes to fix upon it.—[New York Sun.

The statement of Mrs. Tilton we publish along with that of Mr. Beecher. In "that piteous, strained voice" we hear the accents of truth But along with her own exculpation it will vividly suggest a more charitable judgment of the man whom she has left than has hitherto seemed possible. Is Theodore Tilton sane?—[New York World.

But men everywhere look aghast at Mr. Beecher's apology and at his letters. The authenticity of these is not denied. They are the damning evidence in the case. If Mr. Beecher wrote them he will fall by them. The expressions of wretchedness and despair which they contain were never prompted by any venial sin. No mere error of judgment, no trivial fault that might alienate a few friends, but which could be atoned for by true repentance, ever led to such groveling humiliation, to such consciousness of utter ruin. It is impossible to read them without entire heart-sickness, without feeling enveloped by a dense cloud of dread.—[Liberal Christian, New York.

VISIT TO MARTHA'S GROVE CAMP GROUND.—Wednesday a party of about fifty visited the Martha's Grove Camp Ground, in Fryeburg, rather in anticipation of the camp meeting in August. After spending the day at the place, which is one of great beauty, a meeting was organized, with Rev. Mr. Luce as chairman, and the following resolutions prepared by Rev. Mr. Randall were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, by the favor of E. T. Nutter, Esq., President of the Camp Meeting Association, and members of the committee, we have enjoyed a delightful excursion to the Martha's Grove Camp Ground; therefore

Resolved, That we tender our sincere thanks to Brother Nutter and his associates for their kind thoughtfulness in the matter, and the efforts they have put forth to secure us this delightful gathering; and shall ever pray for their prosperity and happiness.

Resolved, That for beauty of situation, grandeur and sublimity of view, healthfulness of location, convenience and accommodations, Martha's Grove Camp Ground is not excelled by any with which we have ever been acquainted.

Resolved, That when we adjourn it shall be to meet at this place for camp meeting the 25th of next month.

Several families, in cottages, are spending their vacations on the ground, and contracts have been made for some six or eight more buildings, to be erected in season for the camp meeting. The day was one long to be remembered.

The Governor of New Hampshire has appointed special commissioners on the White Mountain roads, a section each to a single commissioner, to expend the late appropriation and see to it that those roads are no longer in the scandalous condition which has at times characterized them.

A MANIAC WITH A HISTORY.—There is in the Insane Hospital, now lying at the point of death, a patient named Samuel Hollinsworth Howard, aged about 80, who has spent a singular life in this world. He was evidently a circus performer when a young man, and has often amused the patients and attendants by his vaulting and other feats once practiced in the ring; he was a soldier in the Mexican war, but disgraced himself and ran away, so that he could never receive a pension; he served a term in the State Prison, and was a prisoner in the Kennebec Jail for nine years, from which place he was removed to the Insane Hospital in 1847 twenty-seven years ago,—where has since passed his existence and had a home. Stealing has always been his besetting weakness or dominant characteristic. He has been a State patient within the walls of the hospital for almost a third of a century; he has no known relative or friend in the world. His insanity has been of a mild form. As above stated, he is now lying at the point of death, and will soon close a long life that seems to most minds infinitely worse than death.—*Kennebec Journal.*

BUSINESS CHANGES.—The following are recent business changes in this State:

Bangor—Crosby & Reed, gro. dis.; J. E. Crosby continues.

Fifield & Ayer, clothing, dis.; J. B. Ayer continues.

Calais—James Bradford, gro., admits C. E. Fleming, style Bradford & Fleming.

Caribou—James Nutting, North Star, sold out to Parker & Glidden.

Lewiston—Jordan Bros., gro., dis.; J. M. Jordan continues.

Paris—C. H. Howe, West Paris House, sold out to John Bicknell.

Solon—A. D. Lord, dry goods and gro., sold out to Theodore Ames.

DECISION IN A MURDER CASE.—The well known case of State vs. Elbridge W. Reed, the Medway murderer, has just been decided by the full court. It will be remembered that Reed was indicted several years since for murder, and on the first trial the verdict was for the state, but on account of some irregularity the full bench set it aside; at the second the jury disagreed; and on the third, verdict was again for the state. The defendant moved exceptions, but now the court have sustained the verdict and refused to grant a new trial.

The Portland Sailor Story.

To the Editor of the Press:

The Sailors Magazine re-publishes from the reliable N. Y. Sun the following:

A sailor from Portland, Me., employed on American vessels for more than thirty years, had contributed annually something toward supporting a hospital for sailors at Portland, the sum aggregating not less than $1000. On his last voyage he shipped for home in a Danish vessel, but before reaching his destination was laid up with inflammatory rheumatism. On applying for admission to the hospital he had helped to support for so many years he was told that having been taken sick on a foreign vessel he could not be admitted. The sailor is now homeless, and very likely to die from the want of proper care. So much for red tape.

This tale reminds us of that standing story of the rual newspaper, wherein a good wife is represented, when ruin is about to befall the household, as bringing forth in her apron thousands of dollars of stray sixpences and shillings she has pilfered from her old man's pockets and hoarded. The writer of the story always seeming to forget that it would take an able bodied horse to draw the amount of silver the good wife is represented as carrying in her apron.

Let us apply a little old fashioned arithmetic to this Portland sailor story.

The hospital tax previous to 1870 had been from time immemorial 20 cents a month or $2.40 a year, granting that the sailor has not missed paying his tax one month—and two-thirds of the time is a large average for sailors to pay—he must have been between four and five hundred years old in order to have paid into the hospital fund $1000. And yet competent authority fixes the average sea life of a sailor at 12 years. So much for the history of this truly pious and Christian Sailor's Magazine.

The animus is apparent when it adds to the story: "Like instances are not uncommon in the port of New York."

Wonderful place that New York. But joking aside, it really seems to us that the hospital authorities, in refusing to extend relief to men on foreign vessels who do *not* contribute to the fund, were about as honest, and commendable in the administration of their trust, as are the officers of the American Seamen's Friend Society for instance, for the latter avoid contributing of their funds to the support of seamen who become a burden upon them by pronouncing such seamen, "tramps and imposters," even though they have certificates of years (16, we believe it was) of honorable ser

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[Correspondence of the Press.]

A Summer Resort.

WATERFORD, July 23.

To the Editor of the Press:

You have heard of the young gentleman who attended his sweetheart to the circus to view its many wonders. Providing himself with a liberal supply of seed cakes and pop beer he took an early opportunity of testing them and exclaimed, "They ale awful good Sukie, buy you some!" Being of a benevolent turn of mind I feel in the midst of all this loveliness an earnest desire that you should all "buy you some." It is the easiest thing in the world to do. No long railway rides to be endured, no sea-sick hours, no weariness to body and spirit in lumbering stage coaches. The very journey itself is a delicious rest. To many of your readers this will be a trite subject, but perhaps they will love to think of it yet again. The pleasant little ride on the Ogdensburg, the sail from loveliness to loveliness, every mile growing more beautiful as the hills open to receive us. The uninitiated will think they have reached perfection when they land at North Bridgton, but the end is not yet. Take seats in the carriage that awaits the arrival of the afternoon boat and ride through the lengthening shadows of the sunset hours with beauty and perfume on every side, and only the thrush's song to break the almost sacred stillness.

When you reach the "Waterford House" you will have exhausted language, but you will look around with a silent acknowledgement that it is a finale worthy the idyl you have been living for the last few hours. Here we find the June that we thought had been dropped out of this year—June freshness and sweetness everywhere. The temperature is like that of the tropical islands at some seasons of the year, so perfect that you forget all about it. The new hotel offers every "creature comfort," in addition to its charming outlooks, and the spirit of integrity and kindness that makes its proprietor so popular upon the road is equally noticeably in the landlord. From this point walks or drives in all directions are full of interest. A few weeks, or even days, here, and life will seem a better thing to you. We invite you to come and prove how vain are words to describe what we are enjoying. J. P.

News and Other Items.

Not exactly a lovely trio—Tilton, Butler, Woodhull.

How eagerly Woodhull rushes to the defence of her biographer.

The new grain crop is moving to Chicago three weeks earlier than usual.

The production of books in France last year nearly doubled that of the United States.

A Cairo paper declares that the entire oat crop of Southern Illinois will be a failure.

A lady is said to occupy the position of Superintendent of the Toledo, Wabash & Western railroad.

It is stated that another boy, four years old, has been abducted in Philadelphia, in the same way as the Ross boy was taken.

Meetings are being held and called by the Michigan lumbermen, in opposition to the proposed reciprocity treaty with Canada.

Men are judged by the tone and drift of their minds. Henry Ward Beecher wrote the "Life of Christ." Theodore Tilton is the biographer of Victoria Woodhull.—[Boston Transcript.

The Hollidaysburg (Penn.) Register, fires one of the earliest guns in the campaign for the Presidency, by nominating Hon. James G. Blaine.

It is stated to be a fact that in Georgia alone forty-eight militia companies refuse to carry the United States flag, while bearing United States arms, drawn from the arsenals of the general government.

STATE NEWS.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

An attempt was made Thursday night to break into the Auburn liquor agency. The breaking of the glass by which the fellow intended to effect an entrance was heard by an officer, who immediately repaired to the spot, but the thief had fled.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

(Press Correspondence.)

The hay crop in Phillips and Strong though fair is not what was anticipated a few weeks ago, and such is the case in most parts of the county. In several places grasshoppers are making their appearance in large numbers and threaten to be very destructive. The weather is very fine but quite dry and some crops are beginning to feel the need of rain very much.

The several cheese factory in the county are doing a flourishing business, using from three to five tons of milk per day. But very little butter is being made this month. Wool is commanding a fair price and lambs are high. Beef is scarce and brings a high price. Potatoes are plenty and of an excellent quality for the season. New potatoes are coming into the market to a limited extent.

The temperance cause is receiving considerable attention, and in some sections revivals of religion are in progress. C.

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

The state insane hospital now contains 400 patients under treatment. Forty-one have been discharged, and twenty-eight admitted during the past month.

Dr. G. W. Morrill's house in China, caught fire Thursday afternoon, but was saved from destruction, though somewhat damaged.

In a little less than two months Louis H. F. Wagner will be legally ready for the gallows—his one year's confinement in the state prison terminating Sept. 25th. It will then devolve upon the Governor and Council to hang him or commute the sentence. He is a well-behaved, industrious prisoner.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Burglars are plenty in Newcastle and Damariscotta, and several breaks are reported.

OXFORD COUNTY.

Charles Glover of Hartford, committed suicide by hanging himself, last Thursday night.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

The body of Nehemiah Brown, recently drowned at Milford, has been recovered.

John Souci, a Frenchman, employed in a tannery at Winn, Friday stepped into the trough through which spent tan is conveyed to the furnace, when his foot was caught by a revolving shaft and torn off.

Policeman D. L. Clark, while arresting a lot of roughs in a dringing saloon in Bangor, Friday afternoon, was cut across the back of the hand so as to sever the cords and let the fingers drop

New hay is in the Bangor market and sells at $10 to $12 per ton.

Mr. Benj. H. Crocker, who died at Medway Plantation on the 20th inst., went to Salmon Stream thirty years ago, and remained there in diligent employment up to a few weeks previous to the time of his death. He was one of the "old landmarks," and was widely known among those engaged in the lumber business in this and adjoining counties.

A light-brown mare was stolen from David Ames' stable in Bangor, Thursday night.

There were owned in Bangor district, on the 30th of June, as shown by the report of the Collector of that port, to the Bureau of Statistics, 235 sailing vessels, with an aggregate tonnage of 34,131 86, and five steam vessels, with a tonnage of 1,537.77; total, 240 vessels, with a tonnage of 35,770.63, n. m.

Enough money has been pledged to introduce black bass into Dexter pond.

YORK COUNTY.

The coroner's jury in the case of Hans Johnson, who was run over and killed by a Boston & Maine train, acquit the company of all blame.

Rev. E. P. Ladd of Limerick, died suddenly at his home July 14th. Mr. Ladd had recently resigned the pastorate of the Free Baptist church of that place on account of poor health. He held the pastorate four years and a half. He was graduated at the New Hampton Academy, Dartmouth College and Andover Seminary.

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It is a long way from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from Maine to the Gulf of Mexico, but in all the vast area lying within these boundaries there is not a city, a town, village, settlement or camp where Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is not well known and in great demand. It is the great household medicine of the American people, and is taken everywhere as a safeguard against epidemics and endemics, as a remedy for dyspepsia, biliousness and irregularities of the bowels, as a cure for chills and fever and rheumatic ailments, as a sedative in nervous cases, as a wholesome exhilarant in hypochondria, and as a general invigorant and restorave. To the weak and drooping it imparts strength and vitality, bracing the relaxed nerves and rusing all the latent energies of the system. For twenty years it has been the standard tonic and corrective of the western world.

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MARRIED.

In Lovell, July 11, Rob't W. Gray and Miss Lizzie McKeen.

In Calais, July 11, Jonathan Ward of Fairfield and Mrs. Clarinda Haskell of China.

In Edgecomb, July 12, Charles E. Grover and Miss Annie F. Williams.

DIED.

In this city, July 25, Geo. W., only son of Chas. D. and Ioira F. Green, aged 1 year 2 months 10 days.

In Cumberland, July 25, by drowning, Agnes Isabella Welch, aged 19 years, and Hannah Welch, aged 14 years.

In Arrowsic, July 13, Mrs. Sophia Y., wife of Chas Snipe, aged 74 years 3 months.

In East Winthrop, July 21, Fred C. Sleeper, agep 17 years. The father and seven children have died within ten years.

In West Fort, Iowa, May 30, Mr. Simeon Morgan formerly of Gardiner, aged 85 years.

DEPARTURE OF OCEAN STEAMERS

Name.	From	For	Date
Minnesota	New York	Liverpool	July 28
Columbus	New York	Havana	July 28
India	New York	Glasgow	July 29
Abyssinia	New York	Liverpool	July 29
Dulcies	New York	Jamaica, &c.	July 31
Frisia	New York	Hamburg	July 30
City of Havana	New York	Havana	July 30
Canima	New York	Bermuda	July 30
Republic	New York	Liverpool	Aug 1
City of Richmond	New York	Liverpool	Aug 1
Circassian	Quebec	Liverpool	Aug 1
Accapulco	New York	Aspinwall	Aug 1
Samaria	Boston	Liverpool	Aug 1
Victoria	New York	Glasgow	Aug 1
Moro Castle	New York	Havana	Aug 4
Wyoming	New York	Liverpool	Aug 4
Russia	New York	Liverpool	Aug 5
Atlas	New York	Porto Rico	Aug 7
Nova Scotian	Quebec	Liverpool	Aug 8
Sarmatian	Quebec	Liverpool	Aug 15

Miniature Almanac. July 27.

Sun rises 4.47 | Moon sets 2.30 AM
Sun sets 7.24 | High water 9.45 AM

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF PORTLAND.

Saturday, July 25.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Evanora, Johnson, New York—mdse and passengers to Henry Fox.

Steamer New York, Winchester, St John, NB, via Eastport for Boston.

Brig F H Jennings, Manoney, Boston.

Sch Mattie E Hand, Hand, Georgetown—coal to Grand Trunk RR.

Sch Mary E Amsden, Lavender, Philadelphia—coal to Sugar Refinery.

Sch Susan, Byers, Philadelphia—coal to Rounds & Dyer.

Sch Koret, Dunham, Hoboken,—iron to Grand Trunk R R.

Sch Wave, (US) Green, Hyanis.

Sch Mariel, Anderson, Boston.

Sch Emma Brown, Morey, Deer Isle—canned goods to Portland Packing Co.

Sch Emma, Thorp, Bristol.

Sch Nautilus, Parker, Southport.

CLEARED.

Steamer Falmouth, Colby, Halifax, N S—John Porteous.

Brig Agenora, Prince, Montevideo—R Lewis & Co.

Sch J C Roker, Taylor, Boston—Chas Sawyer.

Sch Mayflower, Benson, Bangor—J Nickerson.

Sch Helen Maria, Prince, Camden.

SAILED—Brig Agenora, for Montevideo.

Sunday, July 26.

ARRIVED.

Sch Hattie Ross, Farr, Portsmouth.

Sch Speaker, Matthews, York.

Sch Emma T Story, Fernald, Rockland.

BELOW—A deep brig, from the Eastward.

MEMORANDA

Brig Emily T Sheldon, Hatch, from New York for Brunswick, Ga, put into Savannah 24th inst, leaking badly, and will go into dock for repairs.

Brig Charles Miller, Gilchrist, from New York for St John, NB, which ran ashore in Hell Gate, came off 24th without damage.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

GALVESTON—Cld 18th, sch Lottie Mayo, Mayo, Tuspan.

NEW ORLEANS—Cld 24th, barque Halcyon, Hardy, Havre.

PASCAGOULA—Sld 18th, brig Ambrose Light, Schwartz, Boston.

JACKSONVILLE—Ar 19th, schs Ralph Howes, Burgess, Boston; Laura S Watson, Sargent, from New York.

Ar 20th, sch Chas Sawyer, Mullen, New York.

Cld 20th, sch Jas K Lawrence, Herrick, Aux Cayes

SAVANNAH—Ar 24th, brig Emily T Sheldon, Hatch, New York for Brunswick, Ga.

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Abbott Family School for Boys.
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Bangor, Mattawamkeag, and connecting routes. Arrive at 3 p m. Close at 12 m.
Augusta and connecting routes. Arrive at 9.05 a m and 3 p m. Close at 12 m and 5 p m.
Express, Augusta, Bangor and the East. Arrive at 2 a m. Close at 9 p m.
Skowhegan, intermediate offices and the north. Arrive at 3 p m. Close at 12 m.
Canada and intermediate offices, via G. T. R. Arrive at 3 p m. Close at 12.45 p m.
Morning Northwestern by G. T. R. Arrive at 9 a m. Close at 6.30 a m.
Lewiston and Auburn. Arrive at 9.05 a m, 3 and 7.15 p m. Close at 6.15 a m, 12 m, and 5 p m.
Rochester, N. H., and intermediate offices. Arrive at 10.10 a m, and 7 p m. Close at 7 a m, and 5 p m.
North Conway and other offices on the P. & O. R. R. Arrive at 9.00 a m, and 3.00 p m. Close at 8.00 a m. and 1.00 p m.
By the Bridgton Stage. Arrive at 3 p m. Close at 9 a m.
Eastport, via each steamer. Arrive at 6 a m. Close at 5 p m.
Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Mount Desert, Millbridge, Jonesport and Machias, via each steamer. Arrive at 6 a m. Close at 9 p m.
Nova Scotia and Prince Edwards Island. Arrive Thursday at 3 a m. Close Saturday at 5 p m.
Foreign Mails, via New York, day previous to sailing of steamers, Close at 2.40 p m.

Supreme Judicial Court for Western District.

LAW TERM.
YORK COUNTY.

Aaron B. Chapman vs. Inhabitants of Limerick. Plaintiff's and defendant's arguments in. Plaintiff to have twenty days to reply to defendant.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Lewis H. Prime vs. Edward Cobb. To be submitted in briefs.
William W. Gage vs. Charles Johnson. To be argued in 60, 30 and 20 days.
Charles P. Miller et al, vs. Henry W. Miller. Argued.
Eliza G. T. Libby vs. John W. Johnson et al. Argued.
Inhabitants of Westbrook vs. Inhabitants of Deering. Argued.

Municipal Court.

BEFORE JUDGE MORRIS.

SATURDAY.—Mary Ward. Intoxication. Sixty days.
Michael O'Donnell. Search and seizure. Fined $50 with costs. Appeal. Howard & Cleaves.

Brief Jottings.

St. Mary's Benevolent Society of Biddeford go to Little Chebeague on the 10th of August.

Rev. O. M. Cousins will give a lecture this evening at Allen Mission Chapel, one the "Nature and Effects of Alcohol" illustrated by diagrams. Lecture commences at 8 o'clock, and the public are invited.

Dog days already, and we have had no summer yet. A protest, mild but firm, is in order.

Mr. Isaac Quimby lost a pocket book, containing $400, Saturday.

Andrew Bonner fell in a fit on Exchange street, Saturday, and was taken to the City Hospital. The city physician thought it a case of sun stroke.

The boats running to the islands Saturday night, were crowded.

Cool and cloudy yesterday, with signs of a coming storm.

A. M. Phinney, who drives a baker's team, fell from his cart in a fit Saturday morning, at the corner of Oak and Spring streets. After a time he recovered consciousness, and walked away in pursuit of his team.

The yachts K, C. Barker of New York, and Elsie of Boston, were in the harbor Saturday. The Barker is en route for Mt. Desert.

The Stewart and O'Donnell race comes of at six o'clock this evening.

The moonlight excursion to Peake's Island Saturday evening was a grand success. The steamer Gazelle was crowded with passengers.

The first grand annual excursion of the Portland Catholic Union, takes place August 12th, at Long Island. It is guaranteed to be one of the pleasantest occasions of the seasons.

The steamer Charles Houghton will not run to the islands this morning, but will resume her regular trips this afternoon.

The Rev. J. K. Mason has declined the invitation to deliver the centennial address at Bethel.

Bishop Bacon sailed from New York for Rome, Saturday.

Judge James Wiggins, of the Hudson Co. court of New Jersey, arrived Saturday morning in the steamer Eleanora, and is stopping at the St. Julian Hotel.

Anyone who has lost sixty pounds of lard can recover the same by calling at the police station.

Two men came in from Saccarappa last night and proceeded to get very drunk. While in this condition they called at one of the hotels in town, and there, so they say, one lost a pocket book containing $115. The officers are inclined to discredit the story, as a strict search did not bring the pocket book to light.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—The following are real estate transfers recorded in this city the past week:

Lot of land on Cumberland street from John M. Skillings to Samuel R. Leavitt. Consideration not given.

Lot of land on Cumberland street from Mary M. Patridge to Samuel R. Leavitt. Consideration not given.

Lot of land with buildings thereon on Munjoy Hill, from Franklin L. Hunnewell to John Mellony. Consideration $500.

Lot of land on Anderson street from Clarence Oxnard to Matthew Burke. Consideration $700.

Lot of land with the buildings thereon on Chestnut street from John Murray to Ellen Murray. Consideration not given.

Lot of land on Peakes Island from William Harrington to Simeon A. Skillings. Consideration $100.

Lot of land on Carleton street from Hosea Kendall to George L. Hodgdon. Consideration $8,000.

Lot of land on North street from John B. Coyle to E. Clark. Consideration $1,500.

Lot of land with buildings thereon on Fox street from Matthew Burke to Clarence Oxnard. Consideration $700.

Lot of land with buildings thereon on Oxford street from Robert Knight to William Thayer et. al. Consideration $3000.

Lot of land with the buildings thereon on Anderson street from William R. Thayer to Robert Knight. Consideration $500.

Lot of land with buildings thereon on Anderson street from Moses M. Knight to Robert Knight. Consideration $500.

SEVERE ACCIDENT.—Saturday morning soon after 7 o'clk, two little sons of John J. Lidback were playing in their father's room, on Franklin Street, when they found a revolver in a drawer. The oldest boy, about nine years of age, took it up and pointing it at the window tried to fire it. As he heard no report he lowered it when the piece discharged, the ball striking the youngest boy, two years of age, about an inch below the left eye. Drs. True and Fitch were called and probed for the ball, but failed to find it. The little fellow was quite smart last evening, and Dr. True, the attending physician, thinks that if inflamation does not set in he will recover. The oldest boy feels very sad, and fully realizes the injury he has unwittingly done.

LARCENY.—A man named Graffam had occasion to call at Dr. Tewksbury's office Saturday night between six and seven o'clock, leaving his team standing at the door. When he came out he discovered that some one had stolen a bundle containing a suit of clothes just purchased from the wagon.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SECOND PARISH CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Carruthers preached yesterday upon "Christian Hope" taking for his text Rom. VIII, 24: "We are saved by hope; but hope that is seen is not hope, for what a man seeth why doth he yet hope for?"

When Alexander the Great, after many munificent largesses was asked by one of his obsequious courtiers what would be left to himself he answered—Hope. As an unscrupulous and ambitious man, he would repair his resources by future conquests and could therefore be thus liberal in his donations. Few indeed have in any sense been so impoverished as not to foresee in the future something to compensate for the losses of the past and present. "Hope springs immortal in the human breast." It survives a thousand forms of disaster. It whispers consolation to such as are most deeply sunk in distress and bordering even on despair. It is a merciful provision of divine benevolence, that the star of hope gleams through the darkest sky, and that *hopelessness* is the very rarest condition of humanity.

Hope is the expectation of some future good. But "who knoweth what is good for a man, all the days of his vain life which he spendeth as a shadow?" He is deceived by false appearances. Future difficulties are hidden from his view. "Hope tells a flattering tale" and spreads out pictures of the future which speedily dissolve but are succeeded by others equally fallacious and fleeting. Yet the advantages of hope are seen in all directions. It stimulates all human labor. It alleviates all human sufferings. It brings all human faculties into active exercise. It moves the entire mechanism of human society. Its extinction would arrest every industrial pursuit, loosen every ligament that holds men together in community, and convert the world into the prison of despair. The value and advantage of hope in general are beyond all calculation.

But if so, what imagination can conceive, or tongue describe the worth and practical utility of the hope of the Christian? In itself, it is the same emotion as that which glows in the bosom of the unregenerate and ungodly—but it is sanctified, it is sublimated. It rests on the surest of all foundations. It is directed to the noblest, purest, and most permanent of objects. It stimulates to holy activity. It stays the mind in the roughest storms of adversity. It surmounts the most formidable difficulties. It speaks of safety in the midst of danger—of comfort amid the crowding cares—of joy and satisfaction under wasting disease, and in the extremity of death.

Our subject, then, is *Christian* hope properly so called—the hope which the Christian, as such, is authorized to entertain and cherish, the influence it exerts on the activities, enjoyments, and endurances of the present life,—and its happy issues in the life that is to come. I do not speak of that hope which dawns upon the mind when the tidings of salvation, hitherto unknown or neglected, are heard as a direct communication from God to the individual soul; when faith "lays hold on eternal life," as purchased by Christ's obedience unto death, and when forgiveness of sin—the first of a long, interminable series of spiritual blessings—becomes a conscious personal possession. That hope had been already realized by Paul and those to whom he wrote. They were already saved. An enlightened faith had struck its roots deep into the moral soil, and "the first fruits of the spirit" gave evidence of its incipient growth. This period of their spiritual history was past. Hope had merged into fruision—expectation into enjoyment. They did not *expect* to be saved. They *were* saved. The day of grace had dawned. The seal of adoption had been placed upon them. They knew in whom they trusted and to whom they had committed the precious deposit of the soul. The good part—the one thing needful—the pearl of great price, was already theirs. This was not a matter of expectation but of actual attainment.

Yet this attainment was preparatory to others in the nearer or more distant future. There was much of necessary, desirable and expected good in earth and in heaven. For themselves, for many near and dear to them by the ties of kindred, friendship and acquaintance, for the church of God, and for the world at large, there was much to be expected, desired, and sought by earnest, persevering prayer and the assiduous use of available and appointed means.

The ground-work of Christian hope lies in the faithful promises of God, and these cover all possible conditions, occasions and emergencies of the Christian life. * * * Thus might we survey the entire field of promise and find everywhere the flowers that decorate the path of Christian hope, the fruits of paradise on which she feeds, and the perfume thrown by these into the atmosphere she breathes. The good soldier of Jesus Christ has "for a helmet the hope of salvation." The Christian voyager across life's ocean has this as "the anchor of the soul." Christian hope, as regards all personal expectation, has no higher aim than to be free from sin, to be with Christ, and to dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

No sooner, however, is the soul consciously saved by grace through faith in the Redeemer, than it desires and seeks for others an interest. In the "great salvation," Christian hope breathes in the intercessions of the closet, in the entreaties of the domestic altar, in the ejaculations, uttered by all but God, that rise from the bosom of the believing parent, the redeemed brother or sister, the Christ-loving child. Christian hope delights in the reiteration of the prayer, "Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is done in heaven." It comforts and sustains and animates the earnest Christian, the faithful minister, the devoted missionary.

The preacher concluded by urgently entreating his hearers to seek, through faith in Christ, the forgiveness of sin and the inheritance of heaven, reminding them that "every man that hath this hope in him, purifieth himself even as Christ is pure."

A REMARKABLE DOG.—A certain fruit dealer in this city has a dog which will rank No. 1 for sagacity. For a better name he is called "Scott." His master remarked at the table Saturday that he guessed he would go down to the islands. Scott was lying under the table. At once he made known his desire to accompany his master. Before the gentleman started the door was opened and Scott started down the street. His owner went from his house direct to the wharf, where he took a sailboat for Cushing's Island. He saw nothing of his dog until he returned and found him coming off the steamer Gazelle. He questioned Captain Oliver and was told that the dog went on board the steamer just as she was leaving for her first trip in the afternoon. He stayed at Peakes Island until the six o'clock boat returned when he took passage as before. He has been on similar excursions before. The question is, does the dog know the sound of the word islands?

THE ARMY AND NAVY excursion to Mt. Pleasant and Bridgton and Harrison to morrow promises to be the most enjoyable of the season. The sail over the lakes and rivers at this season of the year is most delightful. The party who go to the top of the mountain will have the best of accommodation, and a sunrise and a sunset from this height is a sight never to be forgotten. Secure your tickets to-day for this excursion at Rand & Thomes', under Music Hall, at only $6.00 for the round trip, including supper, lodging and breakfast at the hotel on top of the mountain. This party will return next day. The excursion over the lakes to Harrison and return same day will have the pleasure of a moonlight sail on Lake Sebago on the return. Tickets for this excursion only $2.00, for sale at same place and of the committee at the depot on the morning of the excursion.

Personal.

Rev. George W. Bicknell of this city, has received a very flattering call to settle in San Francisco.

Prof. Elder of Colby University is at his home in Huntsport, N. S., where he will spend his vacation is professional field work.

Miss Julia Starkey, a well known and popular teacher in the town of Vassalboro, has recently been engaged in one of the schools in Chelsea, Mass, at a salary of $800 per year.

Rev. E. H. Chapin of New York, will deliver the sermon at the re-opening of the Universalist church at Livermore, on Wednesday, July 29th. Miss Annie Louise Cary will assist in the singing on the occasion.

SAD ACCIDENT.—We are pained to learn of a sad case of drowning that occurred at Cumberland Mills on Saturday afternoon. Two sisters, Agnes, aged 19 years, and Hannah Welsh, aged 14 years, with friends, went to the river for a bath. Hannah, venturing beyond her depth, lost control of herself. Her cries for help bringing her sister to her aid both were carried under and drowned. Help was quickly procured and they were taken from the water, but too late to resuscitate them. All that medical aid and skill could offer was done, but without success. A widowed mother, now left alone has certainly the sympathy of all in this sad bereavement.

STOLEN PROPERTY RECOVERED.—Some time since Mr. E. N. Bates had a trunk stolen from his saloon on Commercial street, containing about $5,000 worth of valuable papers and $88 in money. Yesterday three boys, John Holbrook, Michael Kennedy and John Maley found the trunk in an empty box-car under the Brackett street bridge with all safe except the money, which had been taken out. Mr. Bates rewarded the boys handsomely.

BASE BALL.—A game of base ball was played Saturday between the Clippers of Cumberland Mills and the Dry Goods of this city, resulting in favor of the former by a score of 22 to 18. The game was played by the Dry Goods with eight men, three of them being substitutes, but nevertheless the Clippers had hard work to beat them, the score standing even at the end of the eighth inning.

THE MERCANTILE EXCURSION.—Saturday a party of 160, embracing many of our most prominent business men with their families, made an excursion over the Portland & Rochester to Winnepesaukee Lake. At 7.30 a. m., the train rolled out of the station, having the merry party on board. The excursionists were forced to amuse themselves with lively conversation, screaming out jests above the rumble of the car-wheels, for truth to say the scenery for a great portion of the way is not enticing to look at. After crossing the Saco one sees chiefly stunted growth and coarse brakes, behind which black stumps start up in an unexpected way. At Alfred, thirty miles out the pretty sheet of water called Shaker Pond, bordered with lily pads, comes into sight, and a little beyond is Alfred village. After passing Alfred the landscape is less mountainous, and small hills break into view.

Ten o'clock sees us in the beautiful and thriving village of Rochester with its many railways. After an hour passed in loitering about its shady streets and looking at the old houses, once tenanted by historic New Hampshire families, we take the Boston & Maine, and in a short time are at Alton Bay, on the banks of the beautiful lake. Here we embark on the fine steamer Mt. Washington.

The ride up the lake is one of the pleasantest that can be imagined. The many islands stand out of the water like huge rocks clad in green. Woods everywhere come down to meet the indented shore, and on every side the mountains close in the view. Toward the upper end of the lake these mountains loom up large and indistinct, through a haze that is almost autumnal. We conjecture them to be the outposts of the White Mountains; but this pleasant impression is dispelled by a passenger who contemptiously informs us that "they're only hills in Tuftonborough." Hills in Tuftonborough or not, they were grand to look at, and it is evident that Tuftonborough is a good place for that sort of scenery.

The Mt. Washington landed us at Wolfboro', ten miles up the lake, and two hours after came for us. Another pleasant hour's sail, and we were on board the cars again. A few minutes before eight the familiar smell of tan yards admonished us that we were in the vicinity of Portland.

The excursion was a very pleasant one and highly enjoyed by all who participated. Mr. W. H. Turner, the popular superintendent of the P. & R. R. R., did all in his power to make the journey a pleasant one and the party will be very happy to be confided to his charge again. The sharp business men with us kept a look out for the main chance, and were eying the country with a view to building up trade along the line of the road.

Just before leaving Rochester the gratifying information was received that the bridge is being put down over the Merirmac on the Rochester & Nashua road. The road is all graded and but twenty miles of rail are to be laid. It will be open for travel in six weeks.

LIST OF PATENTS issued to Maine inventors under date of July 7, 1874, reported expressly for the PRESS through the office of Smith & Bird, counselors in patent causes, No. 48 Exchange street, Portland:

152,757. Devices for heading cans; G. A. Marsh, South Paris.
152,807. Harrow and cultivator teeth; Stephen J. Nason, South Berwick Junction.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

P. O. S. OF A.—All members of Washington Camp No. 4, P. O. S of A. are requested to attend their regular meeting at Temperance Hall this Monday evening. July 27th, as business of importance will come before the meeting. A full attendance is earnestly requested.
W. E. ROSS, Rec. Sec.

IN our educational column will be found the cards of two well established schools, of great merit, in the charming town of Farmington, Me.

HE is truly a slump speaker who, when talking, exhibits a mouthful of stumps. If you would keep your dental fixtures in perfect talking order, use the fragrant Sozodont daily: the recipe is simple but sure. jy27d&w1w

THE ancient Egyptians learned the art of preserving their bodies for many generations, but all the world have not been able to discover an infallible preventative that will stop the hair from falling off. Bearine is without doubt the safest dressing, and is also the most delightful preparation to use, ever made. jy22d&w1w

ANYTHING desired in a Catholic Bookstore can be found at T. P. McGowan's, Congress Block. je16tf

VISITORS to Mt. Desert should purchase the Illustrated Guide with Map, published by Loring, Short & Harmon, under Falmouth Hotel. july20-1m

BY TELEGRAPH.

MASSACHUSETTS.

A Suspicious Character Arrested.

LOWELL, July 25.—A fellow has been taken into custody here who may prove an important capture. He had in his pockets a revolver and ammunition, a memorandum book containing the names of Boston detectives and sundry suspicious transactions recorded, a bottle of chloroform and a bit of sheepskin with which to administer it. He gives the name of John McGinnes, hailing from the Hub.

NEW YORK.

Various Matters.

Total specie shipments for the West $676,680 principally in gold and silver bars.

Custom receipts for the week, $2,639,468.

Imports for the week, dry goods, $2,857,793; merchandise, $5,882,753.

Annie Burke died yesterday afternoon, being the third victim of eating poisonous chow-chow at a friend's house last Sunday.

Ackerman's factory on First street, Brooklyn, was burned this morning. Loss $12,000.

The woman Shotwell, under indictment for perjury, is still in the Tombs, unable to obtain bail.

Five mad dogs were killed in the streets yesterday.

Adolph Beals, for many years confidential clerk and cashier of a wholesale clothing store, was arrested to-day for stealing some $10,000 to $15,000 worth of cloth, &c., a large quantity being found at his residence.

Archbishop McCloskey sailed for Europe today, accompanied by Bishop Bacon of Portland, Me.

John O'Conor was arrested in Jersey city today for throwing his wife out of the window during a quarrel. She is expected to die.

WASHINGTON.

The New Loan.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The accepted bids for the new 5 per cent. loan amount, thus far, to $10,118,550, which amount, it is believed, is for permanent investment at home. Further negotiations are still pending.

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Fidelity Trust Company of Philadelphia, $1,000,000; Life Annuity Company of Philadelphia, $500,000; Maitland, Phelps & Co., New York, $1,000,000; Suffolk Bank, Boston, $600,000; J. M. Cebellos, New York, $2,000,000; Fourth National Bank, New York, $600,000; Fourth National Bank, San Francisco (through the Bank of California), for circulation, $1,000,000; three Western banks, for circulation, $900,000, and other scattering amounts.

Dangerous Counterfeit.

A dangerous counterfeit having appeared on the $5 notes of the Traders National Bank of Chicago, the Treasury Department offers one-half per cent. premium for the return of the genuine $5 notes of that bank to the department for destruction. All genuine $5 notes of this bank should be refused and notes of that denomination thus driven out of circulation.

No more of their notes will be issued hereafter by the Comptroller of Currency to that bank.

Various Matters.

The Treasury Department have decided that failure to register within ten days works a forfeiture of the vessel, and that the non surrender of a temporary register after arriving in the home district is punishable with a fine of $100.

The amount of money now being paid from the Treasury is greater than for many months. Among the large items are the judgments of the Court of Claims and Southern Claims Commission.

The Secretary of the Treasury decides that under the revised statutes articles for churches cannot be imported free of duty.

An official says that the Treasury Department is to be run on business principles.

FIRES.

In New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, July 25.—A fire to-day, originating in Allen's furniture store, corner of Magazine street and Sixth street, destroyed half a dozen frame houses. Loss, $45,000; insurance $22,000 in local companies.

METEOROLOGICAL

PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

WAR DEP'T, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D. C., July 26, (1 A. M.)

Probabilities for New England and the middle states, the cloudiness will increase, with light rain, southerly winds, veering to northerly, slight changes in temperature and falling barometer.

THE GREAT SCANDAL.

Much Gossip, Few Facts.

STATEMENT OF MRS. TILTON'S MOTHER.

Tilton's Cross Examination.

One of Tilton's Friends tells a Story.

NEW YORK, July 15.—One of Mr. Tilton's intimate friends, in a conversation with a reporter, remarked on the absurdity of the charge that Mr. Tilton was pursuing Mr. Beecher vindictively. This gentleman said that just the opposite was the fact, and that he could produce excellent evidence of it. On the reporter inquiring what this evidence was, this gentleman narrated the following circumstance:

Immediately after the publication of Mr. Tilton's letter to Dr. Bacon, Mr. Beecher, by advice of his friends, announced the policy of silence. Gen Tracy, his present counsel, stated publicly in the Brooklyn Press that he was glad of this publication of Mr. Tilton's letter. Mr. Beecher permitted an editor of the Boston Globe to say that he (Mr. Beecher) did not blame Mr. Tilton for writing the letter. At that time the effect likely to be produced by the letter did not seem to be more than a passing stir of comment, exciting attention one day and forgotten the next; but the public curiosity was so great to know what the offence was that Mr. Tilton charged, and what the apology contained in the unpublished portion of it, that Mr. Beecher and his friends were forced to consider the necessity of some reply. In Mr. Beecher's behalf, Gen. Tracy held several interviews with Mr. Tilton, with a view, if possible, to unite Mr. Tilton and Mr Beecher in a joint statement to the public, or according to another plan, with a view to put forth for Mr. Beecher an offence which might seem adequate to the apology, and yet which would not necessarily involve Mr. Beecher.

Statement of Oliver Johnson.

The Tribune says that Oliver Johnson was before the committee, and gave them a satisfactory explanation of the letter written by him to Tilton, June 4, 1873. He also related an interview he had with Tilton in 1870, in which, for the first time, he told him his grievances against Beecher, which were that Beecher had alienated him in his business relations, but that there was not the slightest allusion, at that time, to any charge of adultery against Beecher.

Unfortunate for Tilton.

Victoria Woodhull's arrival and entrance into the arena as champion of Tilton is regarded on all sides as calculated to seriously damage his case.

General Gossip.

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A.—"I have not, except that I am sure he will speak the truth or adopt some honorable way of avoiding the speaking of it. I have a very strange nature. I sometimes wish it was a very different one. That nature has prevented my asking Mr. Moulton anything about the course he intends to take. I am represented as cold, pitiless and heartless This is all on the surface. I am proud and have a very strong will. This it is that impels me on in this course unrelenting and inexorable apparently. I cannot help it."

Should the committee render in favor of Mr. Beecher (a very probable result), may I ask you, Mr. Tilton, what will then be your course?

"I shall commence an action for divorce. What can I do otherwise, I should like to know in the present conditions of this terrible trouble."

Interview with Mr. Sage.

The World says in reference to the private interview which Mr. Sage, chairman of the investigation committee, had with Mr. Tilton Friday, it has been ascertained the meeting was arranged to see if the investigation could not be brought to a close by the withdrawal of the charges. Tuesday afternoon Mr. Tilton said to the committee, "This matter must not go on any further. It must be dropped if it can be dropped now." They said this could be arranged if he would only withdraw the charges and write a statement to be given to Mr. Beecher that the charges were false and had arisen under misapprehension. He said he would consider the matter and the interview asked for. Nothing was done, however, by him at that interview to carry out such an arrangement, and thus the matter rests.

Reporter—I understand the committee is in possession of a copy of the statement prepared by Tilton the day after his reconciliation with his wife, a statement exonorating Beecher, praising his wife and more especially praising himself?

Answer—Yes, there is such a document I am told, but we have not seen it. Our counsel has, however, and the purport of it was to exonerate Beecher fully.

Testimony of Mrs. Tilton's Mother.

NEW YORK, July 26.—The World publishes the testimony of Mrs. Morse, mother of Mrs. Tilton, before the investigating committee Friday night. The lady's statement had no material bearing on the more important points involved in the investigation, but was wholly confined to the nature of the domestic unhappiness that had sprung up between husband and wife. She said that shortly after the marriage of her daughter to Mr. Tilton, domestic difficulties arose between them in consequence of Mr. Tilton's peculiar tendencies to believe in and practice queer doctrines. Mrs. Morse testified that Mrs. Tilton had come to her many times with bitter complaints of her husband's actions. She complained that her domestic happiness was becoming completely destroyed by the introducing to her home, through the agency of Mr. Tilton, of people and particularly women with free love doctrines and other strange socialistic beliefs. Mrs. Tilton had repeatedly told her that among the number were some women who had reached unfortunate prominence from the practice of such doctrines and that Mr. Tilton likewise believed in the doctrine they preached. On many occasions Mrs. Tilton had come to her broken down in spirit, declaring that her lot was was unendurable, saying that her house had become a place of resort for people of this class. Notwithstanding Mr. Tilton was repeatedly importuned to do so, he refused to change his course.

Mrs. Morse spoke of the continued ill treatment to which Mr. Tilton had subjected his wife, during nearly the whole of their married life.

Early yesterday morning Mrs. Morse in company with Mrs. Tilton returned to her home in Montclair.

The Intimacies.

The World also gives the following extract from Tilton's cross-examination: Mr. Beecher, Mrs. Beecher, Mr. Tilton and Mrs. Tilton were in the parlor, Mr. Tilton said, when Mr. Beecher improperly caressed Mrs. Tilton, as set forth in the accuser's statement. The question was asked how did anything improper occur as you have alleged?

Answer—After a friendly chat, my wife took a seat on a low stool, and Mr. Beecher went to her side and seated himself on the floor. He was very talkative with her, but of course I paid no attention to what he was saying. I was in a conversation with Mrs. Beecher. He took off the table near prior to sitting down a portfolio and commenced showing her the engravings. It was during this time I saw Mr. Beecher caress her and touch her ankle with his hand.

Question—You say Mr. Beecher touched her ankle; was it an accident, do you think? Answer—I do not know; I cannot say whether it was accidental or not. I did not think much about it at the time, and never mentioned it to her until my attention was called to subsequent occurrences.

Speaking of the 7th charge made against Mr. Beecher, Mr. Tilton said: I remember the occasion very well. I went out early in the morning and came back in the course of the forenoon some time. I went to my bedroom and found the door locked. I knocked and Mrs. Tilton opened it. As I went in I saw Mr. Beecher quietly sitting in a chair. When Mr. Beecher left she spoke about it. She said that the children and the neighbor's children made such a racket she had taken Mr. Beecher out of their way. She wanted to talk to him quietly and privately on religious matters.

Q.—Did you consider that statement satisfactory?

A.—I did. I was quite content with the statement, knowing her religious habits. There were two rooms on the second floor of the house which communicated with each other by folding doors. One of the rooms was used as a sitting and reception room, and the other as a bedroom. It was in this bedroom I found Mr. Beecher. One of the doors was frequently locked. We could go into the bedroom through the folding door out of the reception room. There was a door leading into the rooms into the hall-way. I had no suspicion of anything eing wrong at that time.

Q.—Have you any evidence of any improper conduct on the part of Mr. Beecher?

A.—I have none whatever, except the evidence of Mrs. Tilton, the confession she made to me.

Tilton's Testimony to the Committee.

The Beecher investigating committee has given out for publication, the entire cross-examination of Theodore Tilton. It makes ten columns of the New York Tribune.

Mr. Sage in a communication accompanying the document, says: Mr. Tilton's direct testimony having been published without the knowledge or consent of the committee of investigation and fragmentary and inaccurate reports of his testimony under cross-examination having been published by means unknown to the committee, and without its consent, whereby it is said Mr. Tilton feels that injustice has been done to him, it is believed that in fairness to all parties, the whole of Tilton's testimony should be made public at once.

The document shows that after the discovery alleged offence of Mr. Beecher, Mr. Bowen expressed a wish for Tilton to say more in the Independent about Plymouth Church. He replied that there was a personal and domestic reason why he could not go there constantly with self-respect; that Beecher had been unhandsome in approaches to his wife. That was the sum and substance of all he (Tilton) ever said on this subject to a few people to whom he had spoken about it. This was the occasion upon which he agreed upon the letter demanding Mr. Beecher to leave the pulpit.

Being asked when he first learned that Mr. and Mrs. Beecher had in any way communicated which influenced him in the matter of his (Tilton's) dismissal, witness said he learned that from Beecher himself on the day after the apology was written. The 2d, possibly the 3d of January. It was in Moulton's room, and Beecher came in. It was an unexpected meeting. Mr. Beecher broke down in an expression of great sorrow, and said he hoped the contrition he felt was sufficient to satisfy witness. He then and there told Moulton he had done wrong, not so much as some others had, (referring to his wife, who had made statements to Bowen that ought to be unmade, and volunteered to write a letter to Bowen concerning the facts he had misstated.) Mr. Tilton had told witness of the visits Mrs Beecher made her and of testimony they wanted to get. Mrs. Tilton spoke a number of times of the enmity which Mrs. Beecher had for Mrs. Tilton's mother. There was a conspiracy between Mrs. Beecher and Mrs. Morse before September. The truth as Mrs. Tilton's confession was made also to her mother, and the mother naturally wanted to protect the daughter and she made a kind of alliance with Mr. Beecher, and Mrs. Beecher took part in it. There was a desire on their part to protect Elizabeth.

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A.—"I have not, except that I am sure he will speak the truth or adopt some honorable way of avoiding the speaking of it. I have a very strange nature. I sometimes wish it was a very different one. That nature has prevented my asking Mr. Moulton anything about the course he intends to take. I am represented as cold, pitiless and heartless This is all on the surface. I am proud and have a very strong will. This it is that impels me on in this course unrelenting and inexorable apparently. I cannot help it."

Should the committee render in favor of Mr. Beecher (a very probable result), may I ask you, Mr. Tilton, what will then be your course?

"I shall commence an action for divorce. What can I do otherwise, I should like to know in the present conditions of this terrible trouble."

Interview with Mr. Sage.

The World says in reference to the private interview which Mr. Sage, chairman of the investigation committee, had with Mr. Tilton Friday, it has been ascertained the meeting was arranged to see if the investigation could not be brought to a close by the withdrawal of the charges. Tuesday afternoon Mr. Tilton said to the committee, "This matter must not go on any further. It must be dropped if it can be dropped now." They said this could be arranged if he would only withdraw the charges and write a statement to be given to Mr. Beecher that the charges were false and had arisen under misapprehension. He said he would consider the matter and the interview asked for. Nothing was done, however, by him at that interview to carry out such an arrangement, and thus the matter rests.

Reporter—I understand the committee is in possession of a copy of the statement prepared by T

POETRY.

An Old Song.

BY C. J. S.

You laugh as you turn the yellow page
Of that queer old song you sing,
And wonder how folks could ever see
A charm in the simple melody
Of such an old-fashioned thing.

That yellow page was fair to view,
That quaint old type was fresh and new,
That simple strain was our delight,
When here we gathered, night by night,
And thought the music of our day
An endless joy to sing and play,
In our youth long, long ago.
A joyous group, we love to meet,
When hope was high, and life was sweet;
When romance shed its golden light,
That circled, in a nimbus bright,
O'er Time's unwrinkled brow.

The lips are mute that sang these words;
The hands are still that struck these chords;
The loving heart is cold.
From out the circle, one by one,
Some dear companion there has gone;
While others stay to find how true
That life has chord and dischord too,
And all of us are old.

'Tis not alone when music thrills,
The power of thought profound that fills
The soul. 'Tis not all art
The old familiar tones we hear
Die not upon the listening ear;
They vibrate in the heart.

And now you know the reason, dear,
Why I have kept and treasured here
This song of bygone years.
You laugh at the old-fashioned strain:
It brings my childhood back again,
And fills my eyes with tears.

—Old New for August.

LAWS

OF THE

UNITED STATES

PASSED AT THE

First Session of the Forty-Third Congress.

[GENERAL NATURE—NO. 43.]

AN ACT making appropriations for the consular and diplomatic service of the government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated for the service of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the objects hereinafter expressed, namely:

For salaries of envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Great Britain, France, Germany and Russia, at twenty thousand dollars each.

For salaries of envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Spain, Austria, Brazil, Mexico, Japan, China, and Italy, at twelve thousand dollars each, eighty-four thousand dollars.

For salaries of envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Chili and Peru, at ten thousand dollars each, twenty thousand dollars.

For ministers resident at Portugal, Switzerland, Greece, Belgium, Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden and Norway, Turkey, Ecuador, Colombia, Bolivia, Venezuela, Hawaiian Islands, and the Argentine Republic, at seven thousand five hundred dollars each, one hundred and five thousand dollars.

For minister resident accredited to Guatemala, Costa Rica, Honduras, Salvador, and Nicaragua, to reside at the place that the President may select in any one of the states named, as by act making appropriations for the consular and diplomatic service, approved May twenty-second, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, ten thousand dollars.

For minister resident at Uruguay, also accredited to Paraguay, ten thousand dollars.

For minister resident and consul-general to Hayti, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For minister resident and consul-general to Liberia, four thousand dollars.

For charge d'affaires ad interim and diplomatic officers abroad, forty thousand dollars.

For salaries to secretaries to legations at London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, and Saint Petersburg, at two thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars each, ten thousand five hundred dollars. And the Secretary of State is authorized to allow and pay to the secretary of legation and to the second secretary of legation and to the messenger of the legation in Paris, from the moneys collected at the legation for the transmission of consular invoices, an amount not to exceed in the aggregate six hundred dollars in any one year, to be divided and distributed as the Secretary of State may direct, provided that the surplus receipts are sufficient for that purpose.

For salary of secretary to legation at Japan, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For secretaries to legations at Austria, Brazil, Italy, Mexico, and Spain, at one thousand eight hundred dollars each, nine thousand dollars.

For second secretaries to legations at Great Britain, France, and Germany, at two thousand dollars each, six thousand dollars.

For secretary to legation (acting also as interpreter) at China, five thousand dollars.

For the interpreter to the legation at Japan, two thousand five hundred dollars.

To enable Robert C. Schenck, minister to Great Britain, to employ a private amanuensis, according to joint resolution approved January eleventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For contingent expenses of foreign intercourse proper and of all the missions abroad, one hundred thousand dollars.

For consuls-general, consuls, vice-consuls, commercial agents, and thirteen consular clerks, three hundred and sixty-four thousand five hundred dollars; and the bonds which consular officers who are not compensated by salaries are required by the thirteenth section of the act of August eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, to enter into shall hereafter be made with such sureties as the Secretary of State shall approve.

That Schedules B and C in section three of the act entitled "An act to regulate the diplomatic and consular systems of the United States approved August eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, shall, from and after the first day of July next, read as follows:

SCHEDULE B.

The agent and consul-general at Cairo shall be entitled to compensation for his services at the rate of four thousand dollars per annum.

The consuls-general at London, Paris, Havana, and Rio Janeiro shall each be entitled to compensation for their services at the rate of six thousand dollars per annum.

The consuls-general at Calcutta and Shanghai shall each be entitled to compensation for their services at the rate of five thousand dollars per annum.

The consul-general at Melbourne shall be entitled to compensation for his services at the rate of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

The consuls general at Kanawaga, Montreal, and Berlin shall each be entitled to compensation for their services at the rate of four thousand dollars per annum.

The consuls-general at Vienna, Frankfort, Rome, and Constantinople shall each be entitled to compensation for their services at the rate of three thousand dollars per annum.

The consuls-general at Saint Petersburg and Mexico shall each be entitled to compensation for their services at the rate of two thousand dollars per annum.

The consul at Liverpool shall be entitled to compensation for his services at the rate of six thousand dollars per annum.

The following consulates shall be divided into seven classes, to be known, respectively, as classes one, two, three, four, five, six, and seven, and the consuls at such consulates shall each be entitled to compensation for their services per annum at the rates respectively specified herein, to wit:

Class one, four thousand dollars.
Class two, three thousand five hundred dollars.
Class three, three thousand dollars.
Class four, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Class five, two thousand dollars.
Class six, one thousand five hundred dollars.
Class seven, one thousand dollars.

CLASS I.
GREAT BRITAIN.
Hong-Kong.
HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.
Honolulu.
CLASS II.
CHINA.
Fowchow, Hankow, Canton, Amoy, Chin-Kiang, Tien-Tsin, Ningpo, Swatow.
PERU.
Callao.
CLASS III.
GREAT BRITAIN.
Manchester, Glasgow, Bradford, Demarara.
FRENCH DOMINIONS.
Havre.
SPANISH DOMINIONS.
Matanzas.
BARABARY STATES.
Tripoli, Tunis, Tangiers.
JAPAN.
Nagasaki, Osako, and Hiogo.
MEXICO.
Vera Cruz.
SIAM.
Bangkok.
UNITED STATES OF COLOMBIA.
Panama, Colon, (Aspinwall.)
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.
Buenos Ayres.
CHILI.
Valparaiso.
CLASS IV.
GREAT BRITAIN.
Birmingham, Sheffield, Belfast, Singapore, Tunstall.
FRENCH DOMINIONS.
Marseilles, Lyons, Bordeaux.
SPANISH DOMINIONS.
Trinidad de Cuba, Santiago de Cuba.
BELGIUM.
Antwerp, Brussels.
DANISH DOMINIONS.
Saint Thomas.
GERMANY.
Hamburg, Bremen, Dresden.
JAPAN.
Hakodadi.
CLASS V.
GREAT BRITAIN.
Leeds, Southampton, Dundee, Leith, Cork, Dublin, Toronto, Hamilton, Coaticook, Halifax, Saint John's, (New Brunswick,) Kingston, (Jamaica,) Nassau, (New Providence,) Turk's Islands, Cardiff, Port Louis, (Mauritius.)
RUSSIA.
Odessa, Amoor River.
SPANISH DOMINIONS.
San Juan.
PORTUGAL.
Lisbon.
DOMINION OF THE NETHERLANDS.
Rotterdam.
GERMANY.
Sonneberg, Nuremburg, Barmen, Chemnitz, Leipsic, Aix-la-Chapelle.
AUSTRIA-HUNGARY.
Trieste, Prague.
SWITZERLAND.
Basle, Zurich.
TURKISH DOMINIONS.
Smyrna, Beirut.
MADAGASCAR.
Tamatave.
MEXICO.
Acapulco, Matamoras.
BRAZIL.
Pernambuco.
URUGUAY.
Montevideo.
CLASS VI.
GREAT BRITAIN.
Bristol, New Castle, Aukland, Gibralter, Malta, Cape Town, Saint Helena, Goderich, (Canada West,) Kingston, (Canada,) Prescott, Port Sarnia, Windsor, (Canada West,) Quebec, Saint John's, (Canada East,) Pictou, Charlottetown, (Prince Edward Island,) Winnipeg, Barbadoes, Bermuda, Port Stanley, Mahe, (Seychelles,) Fort Erie, Clifton.
FRENCH DOMINIONS.
Nantes, Nice, La Rochelle, Algiers, Martinique.
SPANISH DOMINIONS.
Cadiz, Malaga, Barcelona, Port Mahon, Valencia.
PORTUGUESE DOMINIONS.
Fayal, (Azores,) Oporto, Funchal.
BELGIUM.
Verviers and Liege.
DOMINIONS OF THE NETHERLANDS.
Amsterdam.
DANISH DOMINIONS.
Santa Cruz, Copenhagen.
GERMANY.
Mannheim, Munich, Stuttgart.
SWITZERLAND.
Geneva.
ITALY.
Genoa, Leghorn, Florence, Palermo, Messina, Naples.
TURKISH DOMINIONS.
Jerusalem, Port Said.
MEXICO.
Tampico.
VENEZUELA.
Laguayra.
BRAZIL.
Bahia.
SAN DOMINGO.
San Domingo.
SCHEDULE C.
CLASS VII.
GREAT BRITAIN.
Ceylon, Gaspe Basin, Windsor, (Nova Scotia.)
GERMANY.
Stettin.
HAYTI.
Cape Haytien.
UNITED STATES OF COLOMBIA.
Sabanilla.
ECUADOR.
Guyaquil.
NETHERLANDS.
Batavia.
BRAZIL.
Maranham, Para, Rio Grande de Sul.
HONDURAS.
Omoa and Truxillo.
TURKISH DOMINIONS.
Cyprus, Bucharest.
MEXICO.
Guaymas.
MUSCAT.
Zanzibar.
PORTUGUESE DOMINIONS.
Santiago, (Cape Verde Islands.)
SOCIETY ISLANDS.
Tahiti.
CHILI.
Talcuhuano.
FRIENDLY AND NAVIGATORS' ILSANDS.
Apia.
FEJFE ISLANDS.
Ovalau.
ITALY.
Venice, Milan.
COMMERCIAL AGENCIES.
SCHEDULE C.—Gaboon, Saint Paul de Loanda, Lauthala.
COMMERCIAL AGENCIES.
SCHEDULE B.—Madagascar, San Juan del Norte.

SEC. 2. That there shall be allowed for the hire of clerks, when actually expended therefor, as follows: To the consul-general at Havana and consul at Liverpool, each a sum not exceeding the rate of three thousand dollars for any one year; and to the consuls-general of London, Paris, and Shanghai, each a sum not exceeding the rate of two thousand dollars for any one year; to the consuls-general at Berlin, Vienna, Frankfort and Montreal, and to the consuls at Hamburg, Bremen, Leipsic, Lyons, Manchester, Beirut, Belfast, Birmingham, Bradford, Chemnitz, Sheffield, Sonneburg, Dresden, Havre, Marseilles, Foyal, Nuremberg, Leith, Naples, Stuttgart, and Tunstall, each a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars for any one year.

SEC. 3. That the President shall be, and is hereby, authorized to appoint interpreters to the consulates at Shanghai, Tien Tsin, Fowchow, and Kanagawa, and to allow them salaries not to exceed, in either case, the rate of two thousand dollars a year; and to appoint interpreters to the consulates at Hankow, Amoy, Canton, and Hong-Kong, and to allow them salaries not to exceed, in either case, the rate of seven hundred and fifty dollars a year; and also to allow, at his discretion, a sum not exceeding the rate of five hundred dollars for any one year to any one consulate in China or Japan, respectively, not hereinnamed, for expenses of interpretation; and that section six of the act entitled "An act to regulate the diplomatic and consular systems of the United States," approved August eighteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. That the Secretary of State shall, as soon as practicable, establish and determine the maximum amount of time actually necessary to make the transit between each diplomatic and consular post and the city of Washington, and vice versa, and shall make the same public. He may also, from time to time, revise his decision in this respect; but in each case the decision is to be in like manner made public. And the allowance for time actually and necessarily occupied by each diplomatic and consular officer who may be entitled to such allowance shall in no case exceed that for the time thus established and determined, with the addition of the time usually occupied by the shortest and most direct mode of conveyance from Washington to the place of residence in the United States of such officer.

SEC. 5. That from and after the first day of July next, the annual salary of consular clerks who shall have remained continuously in service as such for the period of five years and upward shall be one thousand two hundred dollars.

SEC. 6. That any vice-consul who may be temporarily acting as consul during the absence of such consul may receive compensation, notwithstanding that he is not a citizen of the United States.

For loss by exchange on the above, forty-eight thousand dollars.

For repaying to the government of Brazil money erroneously claimed by and paid to the United States, fifty-seven thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For interpreters to the consulates in China, Japan, and Siam, including loss by exchange, five thousand seven hundred dollars.

For marshals for the consular courts in Japan and China, Siam, and Turkey, including loss by exchange, seven thousand seven hundred dollars.

For contingent expenses of foreign intercourse proper, and of all the missions abroad, such as stationery, book-cases, arms of the United States, seals, presses, and flags, rent, freight, postage, and other necessary miscellaneous matters, including loss by exchange, one hundred and thirty-one thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars.

For interpreters, guards, and other expenses at the consulate at Constantinople, Smyrna, Candia, Cairo, Jerusalem, and Beirut, in the Turkish Dominions, three thousand dollars.

For payment of consular officers not citizens of the United States, ten thousand dollars.

For salaries and expenses of the United States and Spanish Claims Commission, namely: For Commissioner, five thousand dollars; for counsel, five thousand dollars; for secretary, nine hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents; for messenger, three hundred dollars; and for rent, fuel, and ice, three thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents; making, in all, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars.

For salaries and expenses of United States and Mexican Claims Commission: For Commissioner, four thousand five hundred dollars; for agent, four thousand dollars; for secretary, two thousand five hundred dollars; for umpire, three thousand dollars; legal assistant to agent, three thousand dollars; two translators, at one thousand five hundred dollars each; one messenger, six hundred dollars; one assistant messenger, three hundred dollars; and for contingent expenses, five thousand dollars; making in all, the sum of twenty-eight thousand seven hundred dollars.

Survey of boundary between the United States and British possessions: For expenses of the commission appointed under the act approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, for the purpose of surveying and marking the boundary between the territory of the United States and the possessions of Great Britain from the Lake of Woods to the summit of the Rocky Mountains, to be available immediately on the passage of this act, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For rent of prisons for American convicts in Siam and Turkey, and for wages of keepers of the same, including loss by exchange, four thousand dollars.

For rent of prison for American convicts in China, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For wages of keepers, care of offenders, and expenses, ten thousand dollars.

For rent of prison for American convicts in Japan, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

For wages of keepers, care of offenders, and expenses, five thousand dollars.

For bringing home from foreign countries persons charged with crimes and expenses incidental thereto, including loss by exchange, five thousand dollars.

For relief and protection of American seamen, in foreign countries, one hundred thousand dollars.

For expenses of acknowledging the services of masters and crews of foreign vessels in rescuing American citizens from shipwreck, five thousand dollars.

To meet the necessary expenses attendant upon the execution of the neutrality act, to be expended under the direction of the President pursuant to the third section of the act of Congress of May first, eighteen hundred and ten, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of ministers and consuls residing on the coast of Barbary, and for other purposes," twenty thousand dollars.

For annual proportion of the expenses of Cape Spartel light, on the coast of Morocco, two hundred and eighty-five dollars.

For allowance to widows or heirs of deceased diplomatic and consular officers for the time that would be necessarily occupied in making the transit from the post of duty of the deceased to his residence in the United States, five thousand dollars.

For rent of court-house and jail, with grounds appurtenant, in Yeddo, or such other place as the United States minister in Japan may designate, five thousand dollars.

To pay the sums awarded to British subjects for such claims as are enumerated in article twelve of the treaty of May eighth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, which have been allowed by the commission appointed under that article in the manner prescribed by the following articles to the seventeenth inclusive, one million nine hundred and twenty-nine thousand eight hundred and nineteen dollars.

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	Tax for 1873.	Ratio of tax $1.15 on $100 valuation.			
Names.		Acres.	No. Lot.	No. Div.	Am't.
Samuel Tuttle,	1½	104		33	$1 5
Samuel Poole,		144	46		1 90
Charles P. Jordan,	3	104	33		1 37
Benj. Burnham,	6¼	105	37		1 5
Elijah Bennett,	17				1 44
James H. Mayall,	35				
Samuel Tuttle,	1½				1 37
Samuel Poole,					1 90
Charles P. Jordan,	3		104		3 37
Benj. Burnham,	6¼				1 52
Elijah Bennett,	14				1 44
James H. Mayall,	35	102		7	2 74
Shadrach Humphrey,	18				82
A. S. Hatch,	10				1 15
Mrs. Wm. True,	3	9	3		99
Daniel Merrill,	2	9	3		46
Joshua Pierce, hrs,	60				6 30
Tuttle & Lawrence, land formerly owned by Joseph M. Lawyer,					2 30
William Swetsir,	29				2 30
Wm. Harmon, unpaid highway tax of 1872,					75
Charles H. Smith, known as the J. F. Cushman place, unpaid highway tax of 1872, balance due,					10 92

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SEALED Proposals for each class, separately endorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the Navy Yard at (name the yard)," will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m. of the sixth (6th) of August, at which hour the opening of the bids will be commenced, for furnishing and delivering at the several Navy Yards named, the articles embraced in the following classes:

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Washington, 36 tons (2,240 lbs) hay, best quality timothy, per ton.
Norfolk, 76 tons (2,240 lbs) best quality timothy hay, loose, per ton.
Pensacola, 20 tons (2,240 lbs) best timothy and clover hay, per ton.
Deliveries to be made monthly as required.

Bureau of Yards and Docks, Class No. 27, Anthracite Coal, 1874—'75.

Kittery, 600 tons (2,240 lbs) White-ash, steamboat size, per ton.
Kittery, 150 tons (2,240 lbs) White-ash, stove size, per ton.
Boston, 900 tons (2,240 lbs) White-ash, steamboat size, per ton.
Boston, 75 tons (2,240 lbs) Red-ash, for stoves and furnaces, per ton.
Boston, 15 tons (2,240 lbs) Red-ash, egg-size, per ton.
Boston, 15 tons (2,240 lbs) Red-ash, nut-size, per ton.
Brooklyn, 700 tons (2,240 lbs) Locust mountain, screened for steam boilers, per ton.
Brooklyn, 50 tons (2,240 lbs) Locust mountain, egg size, per ton.
Brooklyn, 50 tons (2,240 lbs) Locust mountain, stove size, per ton.
Norfolk, 50 tons (2,240 lbs) Cumberland coal, run of the mines, per ton.
Philadelphia, 150 tons (2,240 lbs) best quality Lehigh coal, egg size, per ton.
League Island, 100 tons (2,240) best quality Lehigh coal, stove size, per ton.
Washington, 50 tons (2,240 lbs) White-ash, stove coal, per ton.
Norfolk, 120 tons (2,240 lbs) Anthracite, stove size, per ton.
Pensacola, 50 tons (2,240 lbs) Anthracite coal, per ton.

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Brooklyn, 25 tons (2,240 lbs) Broad-top coal, run of the mines, best quality for smith's use, per ton.
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Leave Upper Bartlett for Portland at 5.15 and 11.30 a.m. and 4.15 p.m.

Leave North Conway for Portland at 6 15 a.m., 12 m. and 4.45 p.m.

The 8.40 a.m. from Portland connects with steamers leaving Boston the previous evening. Also connects at Boston & Maine Transfer Station with morning trains from Lewiston, Augusta and the East via Maine Central Railroad.

Excursion steamer to Naples, Bridgton, &c., connects with 8.40 a.m.

Regular steamer to Naples, Bridgton, &c., connects with 1.30 p.m.

Stages at South Windham for Windham, Raymond, Casco, Naples and Bridgton.

Stages at Sebago Lake for Standish Corner.

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Stages at Brownfield for Denmark and Bridgton.

Stages at Fryeburg for Lovell and North Lovell.

Stages at Glen Station for Glen House (twice daily.

Stages at Upper Bartlett for Crawford and Fabyan House (twice daily).

By 5.15 and 11.30 a. m. from Upper Bartlett close connection is made with trains for Boston leaving Portland at 9.10 a. m. and 3.15 p. m., and passengers via Portland arrive in Boston as early as by any other route from the mountains or North Conway.

By the 4.15 p. m. from Upper Bartlett passengers make connections with steamers for Boston leaving Portland at 8 p. m.