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To Let.

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oc8 former residence of Dr. French. tf

Removal.

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Office 1 1-2 Union Wharf.

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Portland Widows' Wood Society.

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Portland, Oct. 20, 1874. 8t

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J. BURLEIGH,

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THE PRESS.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 22, '74

Magazines.

The *Atlantic Monthly* for November is in full force. Dr. O. W. Holmes contributes a long and highly interesting biography, which he modestly entitles A Memorial Outline, of Professor Jeffries Wyman, whose recent death has been deeply felt, not alone in Harvard University, where he occupied a chair, but all through Massachusetts. Dr. Holmes associates him, in similitude of character and pursuit, and use of knowledge, to Michael Faraday and Edward Forbes, the British scientists. W. D. Howells contributes, besides some chapters of A Foregone Conclusion, a close review of Mr. Parkman's History. There is a curious chapter of autobiography (How I came to study Spiritual Philosophy) by Robert Dale Owen. From C. W. Stoddard there is a paper entitled Behind the Scenes, which concludes with this well merited eulogium: "I believe there are few, if any, professions that will bear the critical examination the theatrical profession is subjected to, with a better grace; and I know that the best of us are subject to some sort of weakness. And in this connection let me add that there is a suggestive little text that has something to say of the possible beam in one's own eye, and that it will do us all good to consider, when we feel the old prejudices beginning to discolor our vision." From the pen of Mr. John Fiske, there is an agreeable and instructive as well as scholarly contrast of Athenian and American Life. In the department of Art will be found an unusually good chapter of criticism; the subject is a collection of pictures belonging to the Duc de Montpensier, now on exhibition in the Boston Athenæum.

Scribner's Monthly for November. Pictures from Florida is the title of the Great South paper in Scribner's for November. The illustrations are numerous and striking and the information with regard to the raising of fruit and the health-giving qualities of the climate is interesting and timely. A curious little illustrated paper in the same number tells about the celebrated Roman Catholic Miracle of Lourdes. There is a portrait and sketch of, and a poem by, J. T. Trowbridge, author of The Vagabonds and the Jack Hazard stories; a scene from Dr. Holland's Mistress of the Manse, with illustration; more of Jules Verne's Mysterious Island; and (a pleasing announcement to many readers) the beginning of Saxe Holm's My Tourmaline, a story which will run through three or four numbers. A brief biographical and critical sketch of Richard Wagner, the famous composer, is written by Mr. Hueffer, the well-known London critic, author of the book entitled The Music of the Future. There are short stories by Bovesen (The Story of an Outcast) and Stocton (Rudder Grange), and this number gives a second paper of Recollections of Charles Sumner, by his private secretary, Mr. Johnson.

Dr. Holland, in Topics of the Time, discusses Tyndall's late address, and The Relations of Clergymen to Woman. The Old Cabinet describes A Trip to the City; and the other departments have contents much as usual.

The November number begins a new volume, and the publishers make some interesting announcements for the new year, including a serial by Dr. Holland, called The Story of Seven-oaks, and a series of illustrated articles, entitled A Farmer's Vacation Abroad.

Old and New for November is an entertaining number. One of its best articles is The Protestant Episcopal church: its general convention, and the church congress. There are two poems in the number, both good. Anthony Trollope has several chapters of his novel, The Way We Live Now, occupying nearly thirty pages; the Rev. St. John Tyrwhitt gives us the eleventh instalment of Our Sketching Club; Paradise by Isabella Grant Meredith, is a vividly written story of the times before the war, the scene of which is laid at the South. The most enjoyable paper of the number is that entitled Another Dish of Lamb, by J. E. Babson, which gives the reader several before unpublished letters and bits of memoranda gleaned from the papers of Charles Lamb.

St. Nicholas for November offers a greater variety than usual. Among the stories there is the opening of Tchumpin, a stirring Russian tale, by C. A. Stephens; a Trotty story, by Elizabeth S. Phelps: A Half-Dozen Young Rascals, a story of Bunker Hill; The Hidden Treasure. a tale of pirate life in Florida, by S. W. G. Benjamin; a New York Thanksgiving Story, a Coon Story, and an interesting Ghost Story. Then there are practical articles, such as The Transit of Venus; How the Cars Stopped; Yusuf, an Eastern Sketch; Venus of Milo; Legends and Superstitions, by N. S. Dodge; A Billy-Goat Schoolmaster; The Aard-Vark, with illustrations of this curious animal, and an article on the construction of East India Toys. There are poems by Dr. J. G. Holland, Anna C. Brackett, Mary E. Bradley, and Mary Mapes Dodge. H. H. tells about the Ants' Monday Dinner; Alice Williams has a sketch, full of delicate fancy, called The Marriage of the Gold Pen and the Inkstand; and there are some capital boys' letters from Dick Hardin at the Sea-shore. The illustrations this month deserve special commendation. W. L. Sheppard has a spirited frontispiece, and several smaller pictures. Sol Eytinge, jr., contributes two capital pictures, and Granville Perkins has a beautiful view of a Florida Bayou. Then there are comic pictures by Frank Beard and Master Frederick Chapman; pictures of animals by James C. Beard, Concklin, and Hochstein; fanciful drawing by Mary A. Lathbury, Jessie Curtis, and E. M. S. Scannell; pictures of Japanese subjects by A. C. Warren; and an excellent picture of the Venus of Milo engraved from a photograph taken expressly for this illustration, besides many other miscellaneous pictures.

We have all sorts of curious stories, from Jack-in-the-Pulpit, and the Letter-Box and Riddle-box crammed full of interesting and puzzling matter. Then Mr. Bartlett has turned Mrs. Dodge's popular Miss Malony on the Chinese Question, into an acting charade, and there are three full pages for the "Very Little Ones. What more could anybody want?

Misstatement Corrected.

To the Editor of the Press:

The Lewiston Journal seems to labor under peculiar difficulties in giving the public correct impressions in regard to the Maine Central Railroad. This time it is alleged against the road that it does not pass the Grand Trunk cars from Danville Junction freely over its lines to points of destination, with grain, breadstuffs, etc. The Journal omits to state that no arrangement for the reciprocal passage of cars has as yet been consummated by the two roads. The Grand Trunk does not receive the Maine Central cars at the Junction any more than the Central receives the Grand Trunk's. The matter is under advisement by the managers, and a speedy accommodation is confidently looked for. TRUTH.

Vermont seems to be in a very bad way as regards its schools. Over 700 of the school houses, or one-third of the whole, are reported as unfit for use, while cheap teachers are everywhere sought for, the ordinary wages being $1.50 to $4 a week for women—who constitute a majority of the teachers—and $4 and upwards for men. There is no High School system, and it is optional with towns whether to maintain a graded school or not. In the rural districts the number of school children is decreasing every year, and the population has drifted from its old localities.

Letter from Madawaska.

The Modern Acadians—Condition of our French Population—An Honest and Thrifty People—Spiritualized Swine.

HOULTON, Oct. 19, 1874.

In a former letter I gave some account of the persecutions which led the few Acadians to settle Madawaska. To remember the suffering of their ancestors would prevent these people being very devoted subjects of the British crown. Language and religion separated them from the nation which claimed the soil on which they lived. Tradition and history for more than two centuries made the government which claimed their allegiance, their foe and oppressor. When, therefore, the Ashburton treaty of 1842 ceded to the United States all the territory north of Mars Hill which the British claimed to be the "highlands" mentioned in the earlier treaty, including as it did all the French settlements on the western bank of the St. John, these inhabitants were quite indifferent. The British government had never attempted to win them and make them a part of the nation. They were British citizens because on soil claimed by the British crown. To them the cross of St. George was the emblem of oppression and recalled all their wrongs as a people. The fact that on festive occasions the old tri-color is brought out indicates the almost unconquerable attachment of the French race to their nationality.

When the ratification of the Ashburton treaty in 1842 divided the Madawaska settlements almost equally between Great Britain and the United States, they appeared entirely indifferent. No treaty could separate them. Blood was thicker than the water of the St. John. Free trade from bank to bank is better understood than treaties and tariffs in English. The churches on either bank are more potent magnetic agents to unite than the dissimilar laws of two nations with their systems of government have been to separate them. Indeed, until within a few years, induced by the unscrupulous Buchanan office holders, the obliging settlers of the British side visited the Maine side in crowds on election day and assisted their kindred in tongue and blood, to inflate the Democratic vote to astonishing dimensions.

The French people undoubtedly did this voting out of pure courtesy to their Yankee friends who repaid them by a little change and something stimulating. They are not naturally inclined to this business. They are naturally honest and would not take a hand in fraud. Your readers, will also be glad to know that the officials perpetrating the frauds by which the vote of an entire region was doubled, are now very good reformers, glibly denouncing the participation of federal office holders in local politics. They would not draw money from banks to buy votes. That is, one who was a candidate for Congress this year and participated in the irregularities of 1858, said in his letter of acceptance that such things are very improper.

One gets the impression from the careless comment of those who have visited Madawaska that the people there drink a great deal of peculiar spirit of unusual pungency and possessing wonderful intoxicating power. This is a slander. A confirmed drunkard is almost unknown in that region and the stranger will travel through that country several times before he will see a flagon of that peculiar extract of Canadian rye and potatoes, which, in defiance of revenue laws and officers, finds its way to Uncle Sam's side of the river. The Acadia-American is, however, such an obliging and polite person that he will not generally give cause for offense by refusing to drink the health of the person who may ask him, provided he furnishes the fluid. As a people they are temperate, a fact that is largely due to the influence of their clergy.

The Madawaskans are also remarkable for their peaceable character. Neighborhood quarrels are of rare occurrence and in the state there is not a community of 3000 people that gives less business to the courts than Madawaska. A trial justice with the business of the whole region would get out of practice.

A more hospitable people cannot be found. Our best communities could learn genuine hospitality of this king hearted people. Although strangers have for more than two centuries been cruel to their ancestors, the stranger is warmly welcomed and accorded the best place in every house he may visit. That peculiar product of our country known as "young America" is not found in Madawaska. There is a noticeable regard shown by the young for the old. I venture to say that the language of that country—a peculiar French—has never been used by the son to speak of the father as "my old man."

As a whole the people of Madawaska are not first rate farmers. Doubtless, in his picture of Grand Pré, Longfellow drew the picture of their agricultural thrift and enterprise with rather high colors. If not, the descendants have not maintained the high standard of their ancestors. There are many excellent farmers and not a few of the best farms to be found in Maine. There are broad acres of interval land along the river, dotted with flocks and herds that remind one of the story of Acadia. The greater part of the farmers, however, content themselves with raising a field of potatoes, a few acres of buckwheat and a smaller one of oats. Years ago the farms were large but now they have generally been subdivided until they measure from thirty to fifty rods on the road and run back a mile and a half or even more. When the country was first settled the people depended entirely upon their farms. Later the lumber business afforded the young men employment and for many years a large part of the population has depended during the winter and spring for a livelihood upon this business. It may be questioned if on the whole, it has been advantageous, for those who gave most attention to agriculture are now the most independent. Now that the lumber business is falling off, one comes to the conclusion that it has been of little advantage to the district for their farms are the poorer from neglect and little of the results of their labor remains with them. Last year was a hard one for the Madawaska people. A severe August frost destroyed their crops, and shingle making was their main reliance.

But the panic so affected the prices that the millions of cedar shingles offered the traders and rafted down the St. John barely saved the people from the gaunt wolf whose distended jaws they saw. Store goods bring wonderful prices in that country. It is a long way here and a longer road from lumber to cash so that "quick sales and small profits" is not the trade mark in Madawaska. Most all of the goods consumed in this region go up the St. John to Tobline by steamer, from Tobline to Grand Falls by tow boat and after being trucked around the Falls are again taken by tow boat a hundred miles further up the St. John, the finest river east of the Hudson. At Fort Kent the river is as broad as the Kennebec at Waterville.

All of the older houses in Madawaska are built of hewn timber, and the roofs of all but the more modern turn up near the eaves so as to remind one of a cocked hat. For the most part the floor is divided into two rooms which are heated principally by a double-decked box stove about four feet high and as many long, and two feet wide, but as heavy as a half dozen of Yankee manufacture. They are really furnaces and are made in Canada. The barns are of a style of architecture peculiar to the owner, but really are so warm in some parts of them that horses are comfortable in the coldest weather without blankets.

Horses they have in abundance, close, compact, sturdy animals, sure at a load and fleet of foot. Father Suaron, who is something of a political economist, says his people have too many horses and wagons and not enough cattle, or comforts in their houses. So far as the horses and cattle are concerned, the remark applies to all Aroostook, for farmers count horses and colts by tens and cows and oxen by units. The horned cattle are rather a mean lot. They are run out and get little care. The sheep are very fine, being large, hardy, plentiful and well wooled. The flocks are about equally divided between the black and white sheep, so that the conundrum, "Why do the white sheep eat more than the black," will not hold true for Madawaska on the ground that there are more white than black. All the people, men, women and children, wear homespun. and as it is a mixture of black and white, they are nearly all clad in what is known as "Canada gray." Now and then some of the better-to-do people get a suit from "outside," and the young women appear on Sunday in neat Yankee prints, but these cost twenty-five cents a yard at the lowest shingle price. At some of the schools I saw teachers dressed in the latest styles, and a few of the older girls in school with dresses cut *en pannier*. But what a long tedious way the fair ones of Madawaska have yet to travel in the fashion of wearing their own and others' hair, for at present the majority of them have only advanced to our long discarded style of wearing it in bags or nets in the back of the neck.

Swine abound in Madawaska. What they lack in the swinish requisite of fat they will make up in size and alertness. Your correspondent or agricultural editor who recently advocated the rearing of "spiritualized hogs" will find an ideal in Madawaska. Perhaps he will change his mind when he sees it.

This year Madawaska gathered abundant harvests, which they will need, for every kind of lumber business is stagnant, and when this is the case there is no means of getting a dollar's worth of food or raiment, to say nothing of a greenback.

But the balance of my Madawaska notes I must leave for another letter. S.

Isaac H. Bailey for Congress.

The New York *Evening Mail*, whose editor, Major Bundy, is so well known here as to give his words special weight, speaks as follows of the nomination of Isaac H. Bailey for Congress in the eleventh district of New York. The readers of the PRESS have attained a pretty thorough acquaintance with Mr. Bailey through the "Yarmouth" letters, and will be generally glad that he has at last consented to enter public life, where his brilliant abilities, high character, and extensive and accurate knowledge of affairs will make him prominent and useful. The *Mail* says:

Mr. Bailey's nomination is one which has sought him, and which will be universally regarded as a fitting recognition of his

THE PRESS.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 33, '74

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

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

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

A Business Danger.

The following extract from the Boston Herald indicates the danger, to which we have recently called attention, of losing our ocean steamship lines unless we take such action toward affording them facilities for the transaction of their business as will induce them to remain. Their demand is for suitable terminal accommodations for the transfer of freight between railways and ships, and it is of large importance to Portland that such conveniences be afforded. The Herald report is as follows:

During the past week quite a party of gentlemen representing the Grand Trunk Railway have been in Boston inspecting the terminal facilities of the different lines of railroads centering in Boston, with a view to considering the advantages of the "Hub" as a winter port for the traffic of the Dominion. Mr. Richard Potter, General Manager of the road, says that with the abolition of the broad gauge system the Grand Trunk Railway can ship directly from Chicago to this port and thence to Europe. Mr. Potter thought that with several good lines of steamers, making Boston their port, the commercial prosperity of the city would be established on a firm basis. They had found that some anxiety exists in reference to their purposes and the interest in the matter seemed to be very general. With regard to the Saratoga conference, Mr. Potter said that the Grand Trunk Railway was not represented in that body, although it was of course more or less interested in its doings. Very possibly, in case Boston was made the winter port, some such arrangement as that given out at Saratoga might be entered into. The party express themselves as well pleased with their Boston visit.

SOMEBODY has been lecturing in Boston on "The Mystery of Emotion." In the course of the lecture the speaker took occasion to dwell at some length on what he was pleased to call æsthetic gymnastics, and advanced the doctrine that the attitudes which a man assume exert a subtle influence upon his nature. A great part of the crime in human society is, he thought "owing to the bad habits men have of bearing their bodies." The meaning of this is very clear; the man who attempts to lift himself by his boot straps is an ass. But was it worth while to spend an hour in impressing upon an audience so luminous a truth as this?

FROM Gen. Walker's census maps it appears that the centre of population adheres with remarkable steadiness to the thirty-ninth parallel, that on which are situated Baltimore, Washington and Cincinnati. The centre of population has not departed North or South of this line more than twenty-five miles since the adoption of the constitution, but it has swept 399 miles to the westward, marching 81 miles in that direction between 1860 and 1870. It is now forty-eight miles east of Cincinnati. The settled area embraces 1,272,000 square miles, and the density is 30.2 to the square mile. Of the population 20.9 live in cities, reckoning as cities places of over 8000 inhabitants.

APPARENTLY Mr. Cecil Buckland is another of the favored few who have the rare felicity of reading their own obituaries. It must be a deep gratification to this correspondent of the New York Times to read the warm praise and high commendations which the press of the country have lavished upon him, and the column of "personal recollections" published in the journal which he represents will doubtless prove very entertaining. Very likely, too, he will relish the hard names which are so freely applied to the Spaniards.

NEW York is going delighted over a play in which a husband separates from his wife on discovering that she is very wealthy. It is all so natural that theatre-going people are in ecstasies over it. The young women weep, and the young men applaud to the echo the nice sense of delicacy by which the honorable husband is actuated. Many matches in the empire city will undoubtedly be broken off because of the wealth of the prospective brides.

IT seems quite the proper thing now for young princes out of employment to enter military schools—probably with an eye to the quelling of revolts under propsective reigns. The young man who calls himself Napoleon IV succeeded in passing a fair examination at Woolwich, and now Prince Alphonso, Bourbon pretender to the Spanish crown, has received permission to enter the military academy at Sandhurst.

ON our first page will be found a letter from Madawaska, giving many interesting details of the life and habits of the French population of that region, and an entertaining account of elections in Madawaska in the "good old Democratic times." The story of the modern Acadians is quite as deserving of perusal as the romantic tale of the exile of their ancestors.

OUT of the obscurity of the Red River region Louis Riel looms up once more,—this time as an outlaw, having finally and forever gone out of the hero business, which he found entirely unsuited to his tastes and capacity. The Manitoban court of Queen's Bench has declared him an outlaw, and he has been forced to flee the country to save his neck.

A QUESTION of no little interest to the traveling public is now before the New York courts. Certain passengers have sued the Erie railroad for damages, they having been ejected from the cars for refusing to pay fares for a passage during which they were unprovided with seats.

Current Notes.

The Newport News questions "whether it is right for Judge Hoar to consult his own personal comfort and allow such a man as Dr. Ayer to get a seat in Congress."

Congressman Foster of Ohio, who recently carried his district against tremendous odds, is recommended by newspapers in that state as a candidate for Governor. He is too good a man to be spared from Congress.

The Boston correspondent of the Hartford Courant says of the political situation in Massachusetts that "the experiment is being made of testing the utmost amount of bad management the Republican party here can endure and yet carry the state."

In Missouri the campaign is growing hot, and the prospect of overthrowing the Democracy through the people's movement is daily growing better. The Democrats, it will be remembered, invented what is called "the passive policy," and used it in defeating the Republicans three years ago, and it now returns to plague its inventors.

John H. Reagan, once Postmaster of the rebel Confederacy, is a candidate for Congress in Texas, and promises that he will not try to "fight again the contests of the war." He wants to "heal the deep wounds of the past and restore fraternal relations." He promises well enough, but it is probable that a genuine Republican can do this good work a little better than he.

The leading Liberal organ of the West, the Cincinnati Commercial, says that the "Democracy have just about enough victory to spoil them and confirm the Republicans in power. They will find their Congressmen divided and discordant on the issues of the day, with a strong tendency on the part of the leaders to retire to the political bone-yards for safe keeping, while bummers will revive all the old war cries and grow wild with fierce hunger for the spoils.

The enthusiastic Democrat is wont to mix his metaphors, but he seldom does it more thoroughly than in this from the Akron, O., Argus:—What means this grand upheaval of the masses? This glorious Democratic victory, and consequent uprooting of the once victorious Republican tree, whose roots were supposed to be imbedded in a vast majority of Ohio's sturdy hearts? It means just this—that the Republican party is like unto a dead and stranded whale, rich in fat, and surrounded by myriads of big and little sharks, carrion birds, and hyenas, all tugging and quarrelling over its juicy morsels.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MATTERS IN MAINE

The Wagner Case.

The Warrant for his Execution Signed.

[Special to Press.]
AUGUSTA, Oct. 21, 1874.

The warrant for the execution of Wagner on the 29th of January next, has been made, under date of Oct. 2, and duly signed by the Governor, and placed in the custody of the Secretary of State to be retained by him until the sheriff elect of Knox county shall be qualified. It is hoped this will be satisfactory to the clamorous for a victim for the gallows in Maine—"a great moral spectacle" for the salvation of the people. CIVILIZATION.

[To the Associated Press.]

Fire in Manchester.

AUGUSTA, Oct. 21.—The house owned and occupied by George Morrill, near the Forks in Manchester, was burned about 12 o'clock last night. The barn was saved. Amount of loss and cause of fire not known.

Sale of a Wrecked Vessel.

EASTPORT, Oct. 21. — The bark Rambler, ashore at Pembroke, was sold at auction yesterday for $2,815 to Benjamin Lincoln of Dennysville. The cargo of coal, owned by the Pembroke Iron Company, was not insured, and is badly damaged.

Knox Trotting Park.

ROCKLAND, Oct. 21.—There was a larger attendance to-day at the Knox Trotting Park races than yesterday. The first race was for a purce of $150 for horses that never beat 2.45. Six horses started for this race, which was won by W. C. Marshall's b. m. Queen, in three straight heats, American Lady won the second money, and Flying Cloud the third. Best time 2.42½.

In the second race for a purse of $200 for horses that never beat 2.38, there were eleven entries, and six started. The race was won by John Ayer's b. g. Ayer in the second, third and fifth heats. Best time, 2.36½. Jennie Thompson won the second money, and Sir William Wallace the third.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

The Milford Bank Robbery.

MILFORD, Oct. 21.—The accounts of the Souhegan Bank have been thoroughly examined, and it turns out that the total loss to the institution is $40,000. This amount, with individual loans, swells the whole amount taken to $120,000. The directors met this morning and offered a reward of $5000 for the apprehension and conviction of the desperadoes. The board also voted to resume business at once. The loss the bank has sustained will not impair its capital ($100,000), but will effectually use up its surplus. Detectives have discovered no trace of the thieves who it is believed have gone across the country to New York.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Fire.

SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 21.—What is said to have been the finest barn in western Massachusetts, belonging to H. W. T. Mall of Stockbridge, was burned this afternoon, with 125 tons of hay, 5 horses and other property. Loss $25,000, with partial insurance. The origin of the fire is not known.

Burned to Death.

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—Mrs. John Davis, while attempting to fill a kerosene lamp overturned it and burned her, from the effects of which she died.

NEW YORK.

Re-union of the Army of the James.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The third triennial re-union of the Army of the James was held this afternoon. Gen. Hawley presided and delivered the opening address. Rev. W. H. Thomas offered prayer. Gen. Butler delivered the address of welcome, which was mainly a sketch of the organization and operations of the Army of the James. He defended the Dutch Gap canal scheme. Gen. S. H. Terry was elected President for three years. Gen. Hawley was chosen Orator. The next meeting will be held in Philadelphia in 1876.

Carriage Builders' Convention.

The third annual convention of the carriage builders' association was held to-day. The vice president stated that there were 75,000 carriage builders in the United States and 75,000 attaches to the craft.

After speeches by Gen. Hawley and ex-Gov. Bigler of Pennsylvania, Hon. C. P. Kimball, of Portland, Maine, was elected President. The next convention will be held in New Haven.

The Scandal Suits.

District Attorney Winslow announces that he will move for the trial of the indictments against Theodore Tilton and Francis D. Moulton for libelling Rev. Heury Ward Beecher at the November term of the City Court.

In the suit of Tilton against Beecher the counsel for Tilton have filed a note of issue in the clerk's office of the City Court, thereby placing the cause on the November calendar for trial.

A motion to compel Tilton to furnish a bill of particulars of the damages he claims will be argued before Judge Neilson on Saturday. It is not unlikely the unsuccessful party to this motion will appeal to the general term and from there the appeals may be taken to the court of appeals.

WASHINGTON.

Safe Burglary.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—In the trial of the safe burglary conspirators. to day, the defendants filed a plea alleging that the grand jury was not legally summoned, but it was overruled. A jury was then impanneled.

Treasury Balances.

The following are the Treasury balances today:—Currency, $13,858,360; special deposit of legal tenders for redemption of certificates of deposit, $58,485,000; coin, $80,285,079, including coin certificates, $23,796,900; outstanding legal tenders, $382,000,000.

Various Matters.

President Stewart of the Continental Bank Note Company, to-day submitted to the Postmaster General designs for stamps for use in connection with the new law relating to newspapers, periodicals, &c.

Nothing new is developed in the matter of the stamped envelope contract, and it is generally conceded that the Plympton Company will be able to supply the demand within a reasonable time.

LOUISIANA.

War Clouds Gathering.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The Tribune's New Orleans despatch of last night says that the situation in Louisiana is graver than at any time since the surrender of the McEnery government to General Emory. With the authorities in Washington, and particularly with the President and Attorney General rests the power to keep the peace or bring on an era of violence throughout the state. The people are loyal, orderly and patient in spite of their wrongs. They argue that they surrendered in good faith to the representatives of the United States as to an umpire, and not to the Kellogg usurpation, and that in allowing Packard and his men to persecute them by arrests and threats of arrests, the President is lackiug in magnanimity and fairness, if not guilty of a breach of faith.

Attorney General Field intimates that the federal authorities have only just begun their work; that those already arrested are not one-twentieth of those who will be; that the arrests will extend to the leaders in this city, and that he is assured Grant has promised to keep the federal troops here until Louisiana is as quiet as Massachusetts. This may be promulgated to frighten the Conservatives and encourage the negroes to appear and vote. One wing of the negroes has severed its allegiance from Kellogg.

Various Matters.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—The failure to agree and the final adjournment of the conference committees last night, in no way impairs the agreement heretofore made, except as to the advisory board, which can do nothing without an umpire.

Col. Lockard stated to-day that the Conservatives would be given two members of the returning board, as per original agreement.

Mr. James Low, an anti-Gair man, says Bannor, who was in the buggy with Gair, accidentally shot him (Gair), and denies that Gair was to speak at Jackson, but says the meeting there was of his opponents, and that he tried to break it up.

Religious Convention.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 21.—The session of the 25th General Convention of the Christian church, and the quarter centennial of the General Christian Missionary Society, commenced in this city yesterday. The convention is composed of delegates from various states, and the directors and life members of the Missionary Society. Eleven states are represented. Standing committees were appointed and President Pendleton of Bethany College made the memorial address to the Missionary Society.

Cannon Surrenders.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 21.—To-day Geo. Q. Cannon, delegate to Congress, on learning that the grand jury had indicted him under the territorial law for lewd and lascivious cohabitation, surrendered himself to the U. S. Marshal. Bail was fixed at $5000. President George A. Smith and W. A. Hooper became sureties.

Alarming Prairie Fire.

FORT WAYNE, Oct. 21.—A fire which has been burning five miles west and southwest of this city, on the prairie and in the woods, now assumes a serious aspect. It is estimated that nearly 10,000 acres of prairie and timber land are burning on the line of the Toledo, Wabash & Western railway, and it is feared the fire may reach the city if rain does not come soon.

POLITICAL.

A Candidate for Congress Declines.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 21. — Hon. George H. Brown has recalled his acceptance of the Democratic nomination for Congress in the second district and declines to be a candidate.

New York Mayoralty.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The Republican county convention last night made no nomination for Mayor and other officers. It is understood that quite a strong movement is on foot with a view of securing the nomination of Mr. Kuhne for Mayor, as he represents the best German interests, he being well known as an agent here of the German branch of the Rothschilds, besides being one of the proprietors of the Hamburg line of steamers.

Mayor Havemeyer has been nominated for re-election by the people's party, and it is said that he is preparing a letter declining the honor.

Gen. Banks Nominated.

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—A mass meeting was held in Bunker Hill district last evening, which was attended by at least 2000 people. Gen. N. P. Banks made an address on the condition of the country, particularly the South, and also referred in pointed terms to the finances of the Commonwealth, which he declared were mismanaged. He advocated the better execution of the laws and cultivation of better sentiment South, and more stringent economy in the management of national and state finances.

At the conclusion of the address, during which he was frequently and loudly applauded, the meeting unanimously voted to nominate him for Congress on a people's ticket.

Ratification Meeting.

The first general Republican ratification meeting was held in Music Hall to-night and was well attended, the opposition element present making some slight demonstrations at various stages. Henry D. Hyde, C. W. Slack and J. L. Swift made short speeches, Mr. Dawes' effort being the principal one of the evening.—His speech was one of generalities. Speaking of what he called the "Third term nonsense," Mr. Dawes said it came from the allies of Democracy in the South which has come to the support of the Democracy of the North. They preferred Gen. Grant with the chances of seducing him to their base purposes rather than any chance of the despised "Nigger" being retained on an equality with themselves.—In closing Dawes urged the importance of sending Republicans to Congress that the glorious work of the party might be carried out and its great mission fulfilled.

FOREIGN.

Severe Storm In England.

Steamship Wrecked and Fourteen Lives Lost.

Other Disasters Reported.

LONDON. Oct. 21.—The severe gale in Northern England last night was more destructive than indicated by the first reports. The storm also extended to Scotland. The steamship Chusang from Glasgow for Shanghae, was driven ashore near Ardrosson and is going to pieces. Fourteen of the crew were washed overboard and drowned. The persons left on board, some fifty in number, took to the rigging, where they remain in full sight from the shore. Efforts will be made to save them. Several lives were lost in England. Reports from Hartpoole, Shields, Hall and other ports, and from the inland towns, bring intelligence of great damage to shipping, factories and other property.

All the rivers in the north of England and Scotland are much swollen. Railway and telegraph lines are interrupted, trees uprooted in all directions, chimneys and walls prostrated and many persons injured in Edinburg by the flying debris. Three houses at Stockton, on the Tees, were demolished and one person killed. At Ayr, Scotland, twenty vessels broke adrift in the harbor, which is shallow and exposed, all of which were more or less damaged, and one totally wrecked. Three persons were drowned at Deal and two at Sunderland.

The Bessemer saloon steamer lately launched and lying at Hull, dragged her anchor znd ran aground, but floated off and is now adrift in the Hunter. Tugs have gone to her assistance.

LONDON, Oct. 22; 5 A. M.—Seventeen of the crew of the steamer Chusen, ashore of Androssan, were drowned. The survivors were rescued from the rigging, and the steamer is a total loss.

Trouble in Khiva.

The Pall Mall Gazette has a despatch from St. Petersburg, announcing that affairs are critical in Turkestan and Khiva. The Turcomans are growing bolder in their attacks and depredations upon tribes friendly to Russia. The government of the Czar has ordered the Khan of Khiva to repress the disorders and the Khan has replied that he will carry out the instructions of the Emperor. A conspiracy has been discovered in Orengeburg and many arrests made.

The Schleswig Question.

A Hadersieben (Danish) newspaper denies the statement that the attitude of Germany towards Denmark, relative to the recent expulsion of the Danes from Schleswig, has been conciliatory.

The same paper declares, upon what it claims to be good authority, that the reply of the German government to the representation of the Danish Minister was neither courteous nor satisfactory.

Trouble in Montenegro.

A party of Montenegroes was recently attacked by Turks in the Province of Albania, and seventeen killed. The affair created great excitement in Montenegro, and a joint commission of the two countries was appointed to investigate it.

Japan News.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 21.—Steamer Japan brings Yokohoma dates to Sept. 29. Chili had invited that country to take part in her international exhibition. The French government is pushing a demand for the opening of the whole empire.

The Mikado gave a breakfast on the 10th to all foreign diplomats, at which he freely mingled with the foreign guests.

The largest review ever seen in Yeddo took place on the 9th; 10,000 infantry, cavalry and artillery were in line.

Affair between China and Japan have not changed. Some of the Yokohoma papers contain positive announcements of war, while others are equally sure that peace will be maintained. The people enthusiastically support the government and are preparing for war.

The Argentine Rebellion.

RIO JANEIRO, Oct. 21.—Advices received at Buenos Ayres to-day state that Congress closed its session yesterday. The President subsequently gave a formal reception to the diplomatic corps.

An engagement had taken place between the government troops, commanded by Revas, and the insurgents under Plais, in which the latter were defeated and their commander taken prisoner. President Aveldavedo has issued a proclamation offering large rewards for the capture of rebel steamers.

Winter Navigation of the St. Lawrence.

QUEBEC, Oct. 21.—At a special meeting of the council of the board of trade of Levis the following resolutions were unanimously passed:—"That this council after hearing the explanations by Wm. Sewell on the possibility of navigating the gulf and river St. Lowrence from Quebec to the sea during the winter months, believes navigation can be carried on by steam with comparative ease and safety, the council therefore trust that the Dominion government will take into serious consideration a question of such paramount importance in which the whole confederation in the greatest degree is interested."

METEOROLOGICAL

PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

WAR DEP'T, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D. C., Oct. 22, (1 A M.)

For New England,

and the Middle states, a rising barometer, stationary temperature, light variable winds, mostly northeast; fogs on the coast, clear and partly cloudy weather.

MINOR TELEGRAMS

It is stated that that Uruguay intends to issue $4,000,000 in paper money.

A heavy gale prevailed on the north coast of England Tuesday night. Telegraphic communication in that section was interfered with and the trouble continues.

It is reported that Elias Lesher, a well known citizen of Frockville, Penn., has been murdered. His team, was found early Wednesday morning hitched to a tree three miles out in a distant mountain. Great excitement prevails.

John J. Walsh, one of indicted New York court house commissioners, who absented himself from the city when the bills were found against him and others, appeared in the Oyer and Terminer Court yesterday and renewed his bail.

The house of Mrs. Timothy O'Brien in Hollis, Mass., was burned Tuesday night.

In Baltimore yesterday morning, a boiler in the rolling mill of George Coats & Brothers exploded with terrible effect, demolishing the boiler house which was a solid brick structure, and a great brick smokestack over 70 feet high. Five men were seriously injured, two fatally. The fire communicated to a two story brick stable near by, which was destroyed. Loss $6,000; no insurance.

Monsieur Montoux, formerly private chaplain to Napoleon, III, is dead. He bequeathed 150,000 francs to the Prince Imperial and a like sum to the Pope.

Bark Rosa Olivari from New York for Gloucester, Eng., has been lost at sea. Crew saved.

Yoseda has been appointed Japanese Minister to Washington.

A government vessel which went to Anticosi to relieve the colony there has returned to Quebec, bringing back 12 persons who were in a state of starvation.

Ship Shanlon from Glasgow for Montreal has been wrecked on Anticosi. Crew saved.

Chas. Draper, who fell from a bridge at Holliston, has since died.

W. Erwin & Co's dry good store at Alleghany City was robbed Tuesday night of $8,000 worth of silks.

Col. Grant and wife arrived in St. Louis yesterday, and spent the day in the old homestead.

The Plympton Envelope Co. have commenced the delivery of stamped envelopes to the government agent at Hartford. The work will now proceed satisfactorily.

Phelps was taken to the penitentiary. On entering he remarked that his counsel said they would have back to the jail in ten days.

The Highland House at Tenafly, N. J., was burned Tuesday night. Loss $50,000; insurance $40,000.

The Oriental Insurance Company of Jersey City has been closed on the ground that its reports are unsatisfactory.

William Smith, postmaster of Mulberry Grove, Ga., was shot and killed by his son, Monday, on account of some domestic difficulty.

Thomas B. Wagmore, a lawyer of Livingston, Ala., nephew of the late Senator Badger, his client, N. K. Stephen and a colored man named Little, are under arrest for a conspiracy to injure detective Hector.

A Pottsville, Pa., despatch says the supposed murdered man, Lester, recently effected an insurance on his own life of $50,000 and Tuesday paid the premium thereon.

A large number of German bondholders of the California Pacific Railroad have asked to have that company thrown into bankruptcy, and ask the court to enjoin them from mortgaging their property.

W. J. Howell and Louis Honck, having withdrawn as candidates for the Missouri Supreme Court on the peoples state ticket, Sam'l Ensworth of St. Joseph for the long term and Peter C. Bland of St. Louis, to fill the vacancy, have been submitted to the people's state Committee.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Review of Portland Markets.

WEEK ENDING October 21, 1874.

The changes in the markets this week have been slight. Trade is progressing quietly with no indications of any marked increase in any department. The fall trade is rather light, and much of it is conducted on a cash basis. The money market is quiet, though there is a little more demand for loanable funds. Gold closed on Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 110¾.

Apples have advanced, and are quoted at $2 50@3 25. Beans are in fair demand, especially for mediums. Butter is less active, owing, no doubt, to the recent advance, which has checked consumption; the finest grades still command 42c. Cheese is firmer, and the market indicates a further advance. Coal continues active, and sales are large in anticipation of winter. Coffee is quiet, but strong for all grades. Copper is fairly active. Cordage is quiet. Drugs and dyes show but little movement except in opium, which is still tending up. Dry goods have shown a satisfactory jobbing business during the week. Duck is in good demand for Portland manufactures. Fish have come in rather more freely, but the close of the season has a tendency to stiffen prices. Flour is steady in the best qualities, with rather more doing in the low grades. Grain has been rather quiet since our last: corn is quoted at $1 08, meal at $1 02@1 05, oats at 68@70c. Iron is flat. Lard has stiffened up, and tierces are now quoted at 10½c; pails at 11c. Lead is steadily improving, though transactions are very limited. Leather is in active demand, but with no marked change in prices. Lime is steady. Lumber is dull and unsatisfactory, with limited demand. Molasses is firm and prices are well sustained, though there is little doing. Nails are firm at $4. Naval stores exhibit no change except in in turpentine, which has advanced to 45@50c. Oils show little animation; linseed has dropped again, and porgie is a shade firmer. Produce is fairly active; chickens, of which there are very few in the market, being 12@15c and turkeys 18@20c; eggs are tending upward as the market is lightly supplied, and rule at 25@27c in lots; potatoes are 55@60c, and cranberries $8 50@10 50. Provisions are dull, and the market for pork products still has a downward tendency. Salt is unchanged. Spices are in fair demand for all descriptions. Sugar is very strong for refining qualities. Teas are a trifle improved in all grades. Tin is dull, and there has been a further decline in prices. Tobacco is sustained at the advanced quotations with prospects of a further rise. Wool shows no change since our last report.

Daily Domestic Receipts.

Grand Trunk Railroad—D W Coolidge 260 bbls of flour, J F Randall 100 do, Norton & Chapman 300 do, D Keazer 400 do, Perley & Russell 100 do, C Haywood 100 do, R M Libby 106 do, J R Coleman 100 do, G W True 2 cars oats, Burnham & Merrill 450 boxes canned corn, Webb & Phinney 1 car coarse middlings, G W Greene 2 do corn, Kensell & Tabor 1 do potatoes, Isaac Berry 1 do do, Hodgdon & Soule 1 do do, D B Ricker 1 do do, Hathaway & Woods 1 do oats in bulk.

Eastern Railroad—W H Milliken 200 bbls flour, Norton & Chapman 200 do, D Keazer 100 do, D W Coolidge 100 do, R S Whitney 50 do, J C Fowle & Co 221 sacks middlings.

By water conveyance—1000 bush cornmeal to G W True & Co.

Foreign Exports.

ST. JOHN, NB. Schr S R James—800 bbls flour, 100 do oatmeal, 1280 galls spirits, 728 do whiskey.

WESTPORT, NS. Schr Hibernian—45 bbls flour, 6 do onions, 6 do apples, 300 do lard, 3 do pork, 2 tons coal.

HALIFAX, NS. Schr Providence—2300 box shooks 2 carboys acid, 44 gals turpentine, 6 casks nails, 50 plates tin, 4400 bricks, 1 old boiler, 25 pkgs cordage, 45 do merchandise, 1500 lbs splits.

Rockland Lime Market.

ROCKLAND, Oct. 20—Market very firm; common 90c @ 1 00; Lump $1 40; Casks, 25c.
Wood—Firm at $5 for best.

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21—*Evening.*—Money was active and stringent at 3, 4 @ 5 per cent. on call, and closed at the highest figure. Sterling Exchange firm for prime 60 days; nominal rates 485½ and 489; business at 485 @ 485½ and 488½ @ 488¾ for sight. The Customs receipts to-day were $213,000. Gold moderately active and firm between 110¾ @ 110½, and closed at 110¾; loans at 1-64 per cent. per diem and 7 to 1 per cent. per annum for borrowing to flat, and finally 1 @ 2 per cent. for carrying. The Assistant Treasurer disbursed to-day $22,000 in interest and $5000 in redemption of bonds. Governments are steady. State bonds dull. Railroad bonds are firm. The Stock market was irregular during the first hours of business but in the main weak with limited transactions. After the second call there was a general decline, but towards the close an improvement took place and a firmer feeling prevailed. The total transactions today aggregated 175,000 fshares, including 1900 shares New York Central, 17,100 Erie, 58,900 Lake Shore, 17,300 North Western, 1800 Rock Island, 10,000 Pacific Mail, 2100 St Paul, 5000 Ohios, 17,900 Western Union, 17,900 Wabash, 18,600 Union Pacific, 3300 Indiana Central, 780 Panama.

The following were the closing quotations of Government securities:

United States coupon 6's, 1881	118½
United States 5-20's, 1862	113
United States 5-20's 1864	116
United States 5-20's, 1865, old	117½
United States 5-20's, 1865, new	116¾
United States 5-20's, 1867	117¾
United States 5-20's, 1868	117¾
United States new 5's	112½
United States 10-40 coupon	112½
Currency 6's	118

The following were the closing quotations of Stocks:

Western Union Telegraph Co	79¾
Pacific Mail	46½
N Y Central and Hudson River consolidated	100¾
Erie	22½
Erie preferred	50
Union Pacific stock	34
Michigan Central	72
Lake Shore	80½
Illinois Central	90½
Chicago & Northwestern	37½
Chicago & Northwestern preferred	53½
Chicago & Rock Island	97½

The following were the quotations for Pacific Railroad securities:

Central Pacific bonds	92½
Union Pacific	88½
Union Pacific land grants	85½
Union Pacific incomes	89

Boston Stock List.

[Sales at the Broker's Board, Oct. 21.]

Boston and Maine Railroad 7s	105
Eastern Railroad	—@ 53¾

Sales at Auction.

Laconia Manufacturing Co	450
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth R	—@ 112½
Pepperell Manufacturing Co	760
Boston & Maine Railroad	115½ @ 115¾
Eastern Railroad	—@ 54
Boston & Maine Railroad 7s, 1894	105
Portland City Sixes, 1897	92

Brighton Cattle Market.

For the week ending Wednesday, Oct. 21.

At market for the current week: Cattle, 4402; Sheep and Lambs, 14,579; Swine, 15,300; number of Western Cattle, 3839; Eastern Cattle 238; Northern Cattle and Milch Cows 475. Cattle left over 250.

Prices of Beef Cattle, ℔ cwt, live weight;—Extra quality $7 50 @ 8 00; first quality $6 75 @ 7 25; second quality $6 25 @ 6 62½; third quality $5 50 @ 6 00; poorest grades of coarse oxen, bulls, &c., at $3 75 @ 5 00.

Brighton Hides 8 @ 8½ cents ℔ lb. Brighton Tallow 6 @ 6½c ℔ lb.

Country Hides 7½ @ 8c ℔ lb. Country Tallow 5½ @ 6c ℔ lb.

Calf Skins 15 @ 16c ℔ lb. Sheep and Lamb Skins 75c @ 1 25 each.

The supply of Cattle in market for the week has been larger than that of the previous one. The quality of those from the West was not much different from that of last week. The trade has been dull and prices upon all grades fell off before the close of market fully ¼c ℔ lb. There were a few very nice Cattle sold at our highest quotations. From Maine there was a good supply of Working Oxen.

Working Oxen—The supply from Maine was large and the demand for workers moderate. We quote sales of 1 pair, girth 6 feet 8 inches, for $165; 1 pair, girth 6 feet 10 inches, for $170; 1 pair, girth 7 feet, for $195; 1 pair, girth 6 feet 6 inches, for $145; 1 pair, girth 6 feet 6 inches, for $135; 1 pair, girth 6 feet 8 inches, for $140; 1 pair, girth 6 feet 4 inches, for $125; 1 pair, girth 7 feet 3 inches, for $205.

Milch Cows—Extra $55 @ 90; ordinary $25 @ $50 ℔ head. Most of the Cows offered in market for sale are of a common grade. Good Cows command fair prices.

Store Cattle—Yearlings $11 @ $15; two year olds $16 @ $25; three year olds $25 @ $45 ℔ head. Prices for small Cattle depend much upon their value for Beef, the larger portion of those in fair condition being sold to slaughter.

Sheep and Lambs—From the West the supply was fair, all owned by butchers, and costing from 5½ @ 6½c ℔ lb. From Maine one butcher had 2000 head, which cost from 5½ @ 6½c ℔ lb. From the North there was a large supply, and trade slow for poor grades.

Swine—Store Pigs, wholesale, 7½@ 7½c ℔ lb; retail 7½ @ 9c ℔ lb. Fat Hogs—15,900 in market; prices at 7½ @ 7½c ℔ lb.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—[*Reported for the Press.*]—The following is a list of prices quoted this afternoon:

Domestic—Ohio and Pennsylvania pick-lock 58 @ 62c; do choice XX 55 @ 57c; do fine X 53 @ 55c; medium 53 @ 55c; coarse 48 @ 50c; Michigan extra and XX 50 @ 52c; fine 49 @ 51c; medium 48 @ 50c; common 45 @ 47c; other Western fine and X 49 @ 52c; medium 46 @ 50c, common 45 @ 47c; pulled extra 40 @ 56c; superfine 40 @ 56; No 1, 25 @ 35c; combing fleece 55 @ 62c; California 20 @ 45c; Texas 25 @ 42c; Canada 40 @ 55c; do combing 60 @ 62; Smyrna washed 17 @ 33c; do unwashed, 14 @ 23c; Buenos Ayres 18 @ 38c; Cape Good Hope 24 @ 30c; Australian 45 @ 56c; Donskoi 20 @ 36c; Mestiza pulled 50 @ 82½c.

There is no change to notice in the Wool market since last week. The is a steady demand for nearly all kinds, and although the market is very generally admitted to be quiet, the sales at the close of the week generally foot up a fair average. Medium unwashed fleeces and combing and delaine selections are still in demand, and parties who hold this description can find a ready sale at full prices. Large buyers are still in market, and more active movements are looked for at an early day. Now that prices have settled down from the extreme figures of a few weeks ago, we would not be surprised if large manufacturers made a sweeping movement, as they have now a larger and better stock to select from than will be found later in the season.

In New York there has been an improved demand during the past few days, owing to increased sales of woolen goods at a reduction of from 5 to 10 per cent. This concession has been made with a view of reducing the supply of old stock, some of which has remained in store for many months past.

In Philadelphia there has been but little activity in the trade during the past week, owing in a measure to the continued dull condition of the dry goods market. The stocks in the hands of the manufacturers, however, are greatly reduced, and they are compelled to purchase to a moderate extent at former quotations.

Domestic Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21—Evening.—Flour—receipts 8,708 bbls; exports 7,359 bbls; sales 9,000 bbls; market dull and in buyers favor with prices shaded to make business. Buck Wheat flour firmer at 3 25 @ 3 75 for State; 3 65 @ 4 00 for Penn per 100 lbs. Rye flour is steady. St Louis and Southern flours in fair demand; shipping grades scarce and low Winter taking their places for export. Minnesota easier. Wheat—receipts 16,738 bush; exports 40 950 bush; sales 64,000 bush at 1 30 for No 1 White Michigan; 1 22 @ 1 23 for Amber; 1 16 @ 1 20 for red Winter; 1 07 for North Western afloat; No 2 Chicago nominal 1 05 @ 1 06; 1 10 for No 2 new Milwaukee Spring; market closed 1c lower on Spring and dull on all grades. Corn—receipts 18,100 bush; exports 1,800 bush; sales 85,000 bush; Western Mixed 89 @ 90c afloat, and closed dull at 89 @ 89½c for high Mixed; Yellow 90 @ 91c. Oats—receipts 52,400 bush; exports 542 bush; sales 50,000 bush at 60½c in store; 63½ @ 63½c afloat for Mixed Chicago; 61 @ 63c for State on track; Iowa 60c; 63c for White Mixed State; market closed steady, buyers holding off. Rye—receipts none; held at 96c @ 1 02 for Western, State and Penn. Barley—receipts 9127 bush; prime Canada bay held at 1 38; sales 30,000 bush do do at 1 36½; 4-rowed State 1 27. Cornmeal—exports 1613 bbls; sales 550 bbls and 300 sacks at 5 15 @ 5 25 for brandywine; 4 75 @ 5 00 for Western Yellow; 1 65 @ 1 75 for Southern do sacked. Seeds—receipts 323 sacks; exports 136 do; market quiet; last sales Timothy at 2 75; Clover held at 10½c; buyers bid less than 10c. Whiskey—receipts 549 bbls; sales 300 do at 1 03½. Pork nominal at 19 25 seller Oct.—Lard dull and lower at 14c seller Oct; 11 15-16c do all the year. Tallow is quiet and steady at 8¾. Linseed Oil 75c. Petroleum dull and nominal; crude in bulk at 5½ @ 5¾; R S W at 12½c cash; cases at 17½c. Naval Stores—Rosin is easier; strained at 2 40; Tar, nothing doing; Wilmington at 2 62½ @ 2 75; Spirits Turpentine dull at 36½ @ 37c. Coffee quiet; steamer South America has just arrived with 10,060 bags in 16 invoices; samples possibly out this afternoon; Java very firm, the entire stock and receipts for some time to come being controlled by three houses; sales 4800 bags extra Goetland at Baltimore p t. Raw Sugar is steady; fair to good refining 8¾ @ 8½c; sales 791 hhds good Cuba at 8¾c; refined Sugar is steady; standard A at 10¾ @ 10¾c: do hard, granulated, powdered and crushed 10¾ @ 10½c. Gold closed at 110¾.

Ocean Freights—Closing rates yesterday for Liverpool, by sail, tallow 17s 6d; cotton ½ @ 11-13d; grain 6d; by steam, oil cake 17s 6d ℔ ton. London, sail, grain at 5½d; peas in ships bags 6d. Glasgow, 6½d asked at steam rate on grain. The engagements to-day have been as follows: London 32,000 bush grain, sail, at 6d; for Liverpool 500 bales cotton at ½ @ 5-16d ℔ lb.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Flour is dull but firm; shipping extra at 4 25 @ 4 65; family brands 4 80 @ 5 00; Western extra 5 25 @ 6 50

THE PRESS.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 22, '74

CITY AND VICINITY.

New Advertisements To-Day.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
Danger in Delay—W. D. Little & Co.
Room with Board.
Ladies Fleeced Hosiery—Nelson & Co.
To Let—G. A. Clark.
Opening—Cogia Hassan.
Defamation Non-board Companies.
Room Papers—Brunel & Co.
ENTERTAINMENT COLUMN.
Dancing—A. B. Gee,
AUCTION COLUMN.
Saturday Sundries—Morgan & Dyer.
Next Saturday—F. O. Bailey & Co.

Supreme Judicial Court.

BEFORE JUDGE VIRGIN.

WEDNESDAY.—Nehemiah C. Rice appellant vs. Boston & Maine Railroad. Verdict for appellant, $2,009.59.

Haskell for plaintiff. Putnam for defendants.

Thomas F. Roberts, appellant, vs. Boston & Maine Railroad. Roberts formerly owned a lot on York street, 49½ feet front, 90 feet deep. The railroad on their location took one thousand square feet from the rear of the lot. The County Commissioners awarded $925 damages. Roberts claims that for the taking of the land, out-houses, vines, trees, &c., and for the annoyance occasioned by the presence of defendant's workmen during the progress of the work, and by trains since its completion he is entitled to $2000. Verdict for appellant, $1645.75.

Goddard for appellant.

Putnam for defendant.

Superior Court.

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

WEDNESDAY.—Simeon K. Yeaton & wife vs. Leonard B. Chapman. This was an action to recover damages laid at five thousand dollars, for an alleged slander of the female plaintiff, by charging that she was a prostitute and would prostitute herself for one dollar. Defendant denied uttering the words charged. Verdict for the defendant.

Williams—Bradburys for plaintiffs.

Reed for defendant.

Orrin J. Libby vs. Thomas F. Perley. Action to recover a balance of $32.72, alleged to be due on a top carriage, charged at $135. Plaintift said he was to do the wood and iron work or the carriage at what it should cost him, which was $135. the price charged; that Dr. Perley paid him $110 and promised to pay the balance in a short time.

Defendant says the work was done under a contract, and the price was to be $110, which he paid on the delivery of the carriage and took a receipt in full of Libby; that the receipt was consumed with other papers when his office burned, two years ago; defendant also says that the work was not worth more than $110. Jury out.

Littlefield for plaintiff.

Chaplin for defendant.

Municipal Court.

BEFORE JUDGE MORRIS.

WEDNESDAY.—John Conellan. Search and seizure. Fined $10 with costs. Paid.

Brief Jottings.

Mr. Gee opened his dancing school at Army and Navy Hall yesterday afternoon. He had a good number of pupils.

A drunken man made a good deal of trouble on Federal street yesterday afternoon and at last succeeded in getting a beating. He was arrested by officer Hall.

A young man twenty years of age, named George Brown of Gorham, has left his home. His father is making diligent search for him.

The "Flower Girl," that was put up at raffle at the G. A. R. Fair, was drawn yesterday morning by ticket No. 61, Mr. John P. Thomas being the holder of the ticket.

The little black pony from the stable of J. W. Robinson slipped and fell on Free street yesterday afternoon, cutting himself badly.

A derrick used in unloading coal from a vessel at Randall & McAllister's wharf, broke yesterday morning and came near hitting a man standing beneath.

Miss Oliver, a young lady from Ohio, now in Boston educating horself for temperance work, has promised to be present at the temperance meeting in City Hall this evening. She is said to possess just the qualities necessary for success in the cause to which she devotes her energies.

The colored girl, spoken of the other day, returned to Boston yesterday with Mr. Peck.

Ward had a good house last evening. Tonight they give a change of programme.

About two persons, said to be members of the Marr Association, met at the U. S. Hotel yesterday.

The Allan Mail Steamer Nova Scotian from Liverpool for Quebec passed Father Point at 9'clock a. m. yesterday with 25 cabin and 322 steerage passengers.

The Infantry have passed fitting resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Sergeant John A. Neil.

ROMANTIC.—A young man in this city aged 17 years, has just married a girl but fifteen years of age. The father of the girl objected to the match, and when he heard that the day for the marriage was set, locked the girl in her room. But also love recognizes no locks or bars and as the appointed hour for the wedding drew near, the young lady, not in the least daunted, prepared herself and jumped from her window. It was agreed that the couple should meet at the house of a certain justice of the peace, and there be made one. The young lady in question was promptly on hand at the appointed time, and the ceremony was duly performed. When the indignant father went to the room of his daughter to release her, he found the room vacant and a note on the table saying that she was Mrs.——. The father at once sent word to her that she need not return to his house. It was probably unnecessary, as the young couple are now living as happy as two clams in high water, all by themselves.

MAINE GENERAL HOSPITAL OPENING.—At 3 p. m. to-day occurs the formal opening of the Maine General Hospital. The public are cordially invited to be present, ladies in particular. The following is the

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Prayer of Dedication by Rev. Dr. Hill.
Hymn written for the occasion by Rev. Samuel Longfellow, and sung by a select choir; music by Herman Kotzschmar.
Dedicatory Address by Governor Dingley.
Instrumental Music.
Brief Addresses by prominent gentlemen of the city and state,
Original Hymn.
Inspection of the buildings.

THE MUSEUM.—The play of "Caste" was excellently received at the Museum last evening. Mr. Ryan was even better than usual as Eccles. Mr. Lonsdale as Capt. Hantree has greatly improved both in voice and manner. The play will be given to-night again. The matinee yesterday was well attended, and the play was put on in fine shape. These afternoon entertainments are becoming very popular. Friday evening Mr. Ryan will have a benefit. Give him a full house.

OBJECTS.—A lady appeared at the office of the City Clerk yesterday and asked if her daughter had been published. She was answered in the affirmative, when she replied, that she objected to the issuing of the certificate on the ground that the girl was under age. The Clerk entered the complaint on the register, and this morning when the young man calls for his certificate it is probable that he will fail to get it.

FIRE.—Yesterday afternoon the wife of Chas. Nash discovered a fire in a back entry at her residence, No. 16 Green street. She with good presence of mind, gave the alarm and the fire was subdued without a general alarm. The fire originated from a defect in a chimney. The loss is slight. Mrs. Nash has been ill of late and had the fire occurred a day before she would not have been able to assist in subduing the flames.

Personal.

Rev. Mr. Bicknell lectured at Kendall's Mills last evening.

A. A. Strout, Esq., of this city, has been retained as counsel for the United States in the examination of the Alabama claims arising in this state.

M. C. M. ASSOCIATION—The Maine Charitable Mechanic Association have raised a committee to prepare a course of free lectures for the coming winter. The success of last winter's course has encouraged the Association to continue the course this season. There will be debates one week and a lecture the next.

D. S. D's.—The D. S. D's dramatic club are rehearsing for a course of dramatic entertainments at Grand Army hall this season. This club got up quite a reputation as amateurs last winter, and the plays that they are now rehearsing are sure to bring them still brighter laurels. The club is large, and they are all working with a will for this enterprise.

THE TEMPERANCE RALLY.—The grand temperance rally at City Hall this evening, should call out a crowded house. The account of the wonderful movement in Saco and Biddeford, which will be given, is of greast interest, and will be well worth hearing. Gov. Dingley will preside.

Maine Y. M. C. A. Convention.

The ninth convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Maine, met at the rooms of the Association in this city, yesterday. The exercises commenced at 9.30 o'clock with a prayer meeting conducted by Mr. Charles M. Bailey of Winthrop, who read the 12th chapter of Romans. Earnest prayers and addresses followed by a large number of delegates and visitors, both pastors and laymen. There was a good attendance and excellent spirit manifested.

The convention was called to order about 10½ o'clock by the President, Mr. H. H. Burgess of this city, who called upon Mr. David 'Cargill of Augusta, to lead in prayer. Mr. Burgess then briefly addressed the convention upon the object of the gathering, after which the introductory business of the convention was attended to.

The following persons were appointed a committee on Credentials: N. D. Curtis, Portland; C. D. Jordan, Biddeford; A. L. Morey, Lewiston.

After a recess of a few minutes the committee reported forty-seven delegates and visitors present.

The following persons were appointed a Committee on Nominations: C. A. Wing, Winthrop; J. F. Cobb, Auburn; D. Cargill, Augusta; T. N. Huntington, Bath; M. C. Ayer, Biddeford; A. S. Fuller, Portland; E. R. Staples, Bridgton.

The Committee after a brief absence, reported the following persons as officers for the ensuing year, all of whom were elected: President, J. R. Learned, Auburn; Vice-Presidents, C. M. Bailey, Winthrop; David Cargill, Augusta; J. F. Cobb, Auburn; N. D. Curtis, Portland; G. F. French, Lewiston; J. M. Moody, Bath; M. C. Ayer, Biddeford; S. G. Davis, Winthrop; Corresponding Secretary, W. H. Hobbs, Portland; Recording Secretaries, C. A. Weston, Portland; L. T. Carleton, Winthrop; E. R. Staples. Bridgton; Treasurer, C. A. Wing, Winthrop.

The committee then adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The young men assembled at two o'clock, when a prayer meeting conducted by David Cargill, was held.

The business session commenced at 3 o'clock, Mr. H. H. Burgess, occupying the chair in the absence of the President.

After the report of the business committee, the report of Mr. W. H. Hobbs, Corresponding Secretary, was presented, an abstract of which is as follows:

As Corresponding Secretary of the Maine associations he was required to act as Corresponding Member for Maine of the International Executive Committee. By them he was instructed to remember, in his official capacity, that "the associations are not the church of Christ; nor are they substitutes for church organizations. They are an arm of the church to be employed in the special work described. They are not mere moral reform societies. They are more. Their prime object is the conversion of young men, and hence every true moral reform movement has an interest to us; but as Young Men's Christian Association we cannot undertake to prosecute, especially, any one. The associations are not political societies. They have no political opinions to express. The Associations, when wisely conducted, and according to the purpose for which they are organized, are the efficient helpers of the called and ordained ministry. All honest opposition is caused by misunderstandings."

He referred to the convention as being the ninth in number, the first and largest having occurred at Lewiston in 1868. Several pastors have been present at every convention and entered heartily into the exercises. Our brother, Rev. John Allen, old in years but young in heart, had been present at nearly, if not quite, every convention.

Upon different occasions the conventions have declared, among other things, "in favor of the legal prohibition of the rum traffic;" against the use of tobacco; against the reading of light, flashy and immoral books; and in favor of the interdiction of games of chance in the rooms.

The observance of the usual day of prayer, on the second Sabbath in November, was recommended.

Reports from only a part of the associations had been received, in which it appears that there are 739 active and 337 associate members; 3000 volumes in libraries; aggregate expenses. $3,073.32 weekly meetings are held and 11 Sabbath Schools; there have been about 560 conversions, mostly in connection with the Biddeford associations, under the labors of Rev. Mr. Fowler.

The report of the Treasurer, Mr. C. A. Wing of Winthrop, was then presented as follows:

Cash on hand at the beginning of the year, $95.97; interest and collection at Auburn, $42.-81; paid out for expenses, $19.67; on hand, $119.12.

Brief verbal reports from the Augusta, Bath, Farmington, Bridgton and Winthrop associations were then listened to with much interest.

"Watchman Tell Us of the Night," was then sung.

The first topic of the convention was then opened by Mr. M. C. Ayer, "How can we best promote the study of the Bible." First, understand it, get a general outline, must make use of helps—commentaries, geographies, bible histories, Greek testament, etc.

Mr. Verranus Morse of Brooklyn—We boast that we have an open Bible, but to the majority it is a sealed book; every church and every association should sustain a Bible class, organize first and then make it interesting.

Rev. John Allen—Have the heart in sympathy with the Lord Jesus and he will unfold it.

Mr. Winans said the word of God looked very bright to him.

Rev. Mr. Pitblado of this city, advocated much study of the Bible and prayer to God for enlightenment.

Mr. David Cargill thought the Bible should be made to appear as an attractive book—it is an interesting story.

Mr. N. D. Curtis of Portland, said the most essential thing was the right kind of leader.

Mr. J. S. Turner of Augusta, thought that we should first point out to the young the interesting stories of the Bible.

Mr. H. H. Ricker of Portland—We should dig for truths of the Bible.

Rev. S. L. Bowler said we should plan, and Mr. F. A. Smith thought we should study the positive and not the negative side of the Bible.

"Some Are Sowing Their Seed in the Daylight Fair" was then sung.

Questions from the question box were then answered. We present a few as follows: Shall ladies be admitted to membership? Mr. Wing, Yes. Cannot the Association undertake Bible readings among the neglectors of religious worship? Dr. Morse said, yes. Can we receive the Pentecostal power. If so, how?

"We're Listed in a Holy War, Battling for the Lord" was then sung.

The Committee on Credentials reported further, after which the afternoon session adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

A promise meeting occupied the first half hour of the meeting, which assembled at Chestnut street church. The first topic of the evening, "What new plans shall now be adopted to infuse new vigor into the association, &c," was opened by Mr. F. N. Dingley of Auburn, who said we need a faith, not only deep but sincere; we want the props of self-reliance and worldly wisdom knocked away. We also need a gospel of good digestion. More temperance in eating as well as in drinking was required. He knew no better receipt for warmth and vigor than work. If you want to get people to work go to work yourself. You must have something deeper than emotional religion, something deeper than paroxysms of spiritual excitement in prayer meetings.

Dr. Morse said our purposes were threefold, first to convert souls, second to train Christians and third, to carry the gospel to the masses. We must be in earnest and persistent in our efforts. He advised the young men to go out and organize associations. Mr. O. C. Herbert of Kingston, Ont., related an inspiring incident.

Mr. H. B. Smith of Portland, thought we should give members work and then seek the baptism of the Holy Ghost.

"How shall our prayer meetings be conducted and the attendance increased," was next discussed.

Mr. E. R. Staples of Bridgton, liked this zeal that had been spoken of.

Rev. Stephen Allen of Winthrop, said members of the association should keep very near to Jesus, and the association should keep very near the church.

Mr. N. D. Curtis of Portland, said we needed most to infuse vigor into the old methods.

Rev. Stephen Allen said we should avoid formality in prayer meetings.

Mr. J. W. Munger thought we, ourselves, should first be filled with the fullness of the gospel of peace.

After the report of the business committee the meeting was adjourned, Rev. Stephen Allen pronouncing the benediction,

SERVICES TO-DAY.

There will be prayer meetings at 6 and 9 o'clock a. m., and at 2 o'clock p. m. The remainder of the time will be occupied in the discussion of the remaining topics and listening to the reports from associations. The evening meeting will be held at the Plymouth church, beginning at 7½ o'clock.

FREE SINGING SCHOOL.—The free singing school advertised by L. F. Pingree is meeting with great success. At the opening there were 144 scholars present. The school is held in the vestry of New Jerusalem church, and is free to all. To-night is the second night and all who wish to learn to read music should be present.

MR. BEECHER'S LECTURE.

Large Audience and Warm Welcome.

The opening lecture of the M. L. A. Course was delivered last evening by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. There was a very large audience present, every seat being taken, and many people standing about the doorways.

As Mr. Beecher came upon the stand he was welcomed in the usual cordial Portland manner with the clapping of many hands. He looked fresh, vigorous and rosy, his face showing the tan and burn of a sojourn in the mountains, and was evidently in excellent health and spirits. The lecture was one of his best platform efforts, and all through its delivery the speaker gave that impression of immense reserve power which he habitually conveys. In short the lecture was a characteristic Beecher lecture, the reception was the usual cordial one, and at the close many people, as usual, pressed to the platform to shake hands with him.

Mr. Beecher began by stating the subject of his lecture, "Upper and Under," and commented at some length on the modern impatience of class distinctions, the constant striving upward of all classes, and the constantly increasing wants and luxuries of even those low down in the social scale.

That society must classify itself is inevitable, it is a necessity, if there is no moral and intellectual force and specific gravity which, varying, must needs place different people and classes of people at different elevations. Many defend classes and many assail them, and both in part are right, for as classes have demeaned themselves, as classes have been constituted artificially with prerogatives and privileges which did not fitly belong to them, they have been mischievous, and the class spirit when it is selfish and arrogant is always bad. But these are faults of administration, and not of organization.

There are many lamina, strata in society.—They run into each other. They cannot be distinctly transposed in their outlines. Where the population is small, is widely scattered, where the education and employment are not thoroughly organized and developed it is less obvious. Then there seems to be a great, uniform and homogenous whole. But it becomes apparent, this classifying spirit, as population crowds into narrow confines or competition brings out men and compares them one with another.

In the first place, in these common pursuits, it is quite natural that men that are pursuing common ends, drawing them together, should need counsel and co-operation. There are intellectual affinities that will draw other men together, æsthetic affinities that will draw others together, religious or social affinities which will draw others together, affinities of morality and sentiment, and each of these or all of them conjointly act to classify men and tend to put them into sympathy with the promiscuous whole, or to appoint them paths among the the few. We consort where our dominant feelings are apt to be gratified. We do not like to go among those who do not feel as we do.

Mr. Beecher said the fullest and the largest conception of a man, is one that measures society from top to bottom, and has something of everything in him, and he is the best man whom no man passes without being more or less understood by him, and sympathized with by him. A man may belong to different classes. Men belonging only to one class may be extremely proper, but are apt to be learned, narrow and undeveloped. The man who believes there is nobody worth knowing out of his own set, the man who believes he has joined himself to a class, that contains all the knowledge or all the refinement or all the morality, that man must be very narrow. There is no one class that contains everything, and to be shut up in a class is like being shut up in a prison.

Healthy condition requires, however, that in the formation of these different classes in society there should be perfect ease of access and exit. It ought not to be difficut for a man to rise into any class. It ought not to be difficult for any class to reject a man when he is no longer fit for the association.

The distinction Mr. Beecher made between the upper and under classes was that one was above the other as the one is better developed than another. Men that are developed in the direction of the intellect and its moral feeling and spirituality are of the higher class, and the inferior class of men are those who represent only the material or the lower comprehension of the mental.

As we ascend we forget where we come from. We forget and we are ptone by pride to entinguish those sympathies which connect us with the lower classes round about us, and we limit our station of manhood to that particular manhood which is in direct sympathy with ourselves, and forget that royal injunction, "Ye that are strong bear with the weak."

After reviewing in a satirical manner the spirit of exclusiveness and caste which widely prevails, the lecturer said: "It is refreshing sometimes to go from among good men to men that are not so good, for goodness is like sugar. I like a little of it diffused, but when you have to take it in the lump it becomes very satiating. To go from our ordinary environment and find ourselves among the simple and plain and have that intercourse, the change in social life, unrestricted as it is, is a great rest. While culture tends to develod the intellect and taste, it is often at the expense of the heart, and I observe that highly cultivated people feel that expression of feelings is not in good taste, or to express surprise or great interest; that it is not in good taste to laugh, or to smile, or to give indulgence to any impetuous feelings of pleasure—of enthusiasm, &c." He said these things were not common to high culture land persons must repress their feelings until at last they get into that state where they are extremely admirable to themselves and nobody else. Lacking, it may be, much refinement, nevertheless plain people have more affection, more heart. Among humble people there are just as many acts of heroism as are found among the superior classes, but there are no heroes because they are obscured too much to allow their heroic acts to be seen or known by the world. These people give more too in their religious and charitable contributions in proportion than the rich do. There is among them more patience in sorrow and suffering, more resignation, more submission.

Business Notes.

The Deering Association at South Paris have manufactured the past season 1000 cheeses, doing fully as well as last year, and sold them at 16 cents.

The East Corinth cheese factory is progressing toward completion.

About 25,000,000 of deals have been shipped to English ports this season against 5,000,000 last year.

The catch of herring has been the lightest and the fish the smallest since the year 1846.—Whatever people may have to eat for the year to come, it is certain that they cannot have but few smoked herring. The stock on hand is very small indeed.

The saw mill at Turner village changed hands during the past summer, and the present proprietors, Asa B. Jones and Charles B. Blake, are greatly improving the property. A fifty inch circular saw with box board attachment, will replace the old, and Lane's monitor turbine will supersede the old water wheel.—The changes which are being made will necessitate an outlay of about $2000; and with the new arrangements one thousand feet of lumber per hour can be sawed. The mill will be ready for business by the middle of November.

There are now 110 stone cutters on Clark's Island, cutting stone for the Hartford post office, with full proportions of contingent labor making the number employed now about 150 men. The force of cutters will probably be increased this fall to 150 and will remain at that number during the winter.

A PRECOCIOUS VILLAIN.—A motherless boy, ten years of age, named George W. Stanton, boarding with a Mrs. Merrow of Auburn, on Tuesday, during the absence of Mrs. M., broke open a small trunk, taking from it $13.50. He then went to the gunshop of C. F. Nason and purchased a single-barreled fowling piece, paying therefor $10. He then returned to the house, took a quantity of pies and other viands into his possession, and accompanied by a girl of about his own age, started for the woods west of the Maine Central depot with his armament of musket and pies.

Two young men, who were advised of the theft, went to bring him back. They found him, but the lad cocked his gun, and said: "Let me alone or I'll shoot you." The young men, not liking to face so much music, retired without interfering with the rebellious youth, while the little girl remained at his side.

The young men then notified officer Joseph Littlefield, who proceeded to the woods over the hill north of Auburn Heights. The officer found the lad and the girl. The boy, on seeing the officer approaching, again cocked his gun, rested it on a fence, and deliberately remarked to Littlefield, "Keep off, or I'll shoot you." Littlefield paid no attention to the threat, but kept on. The boy then got down from the fence and started off. The officer followed, and the boy finding that he was being overtaken, wheeled around, brought the gun to his shoulder and fired. The gun was loaded with shot The charge went, he thinks, within a foot of his head. The officer then made a plunge for the boy and took him into custody.

STATE NEWS.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

The young ladies of Barker Mills have raised by subscription over $60, for the purpose of fitting up the old school house at that place for religious services, lyceums, &c.

A one hundred mile walking match for the championship of America is to occur in Lewiston next Friday evening, commencing at nine o'clock, between the champions of Maine and Massachusetts.

Rufus Higgins, one of the men charged with the murder of Barlow, was arrested in Gray Monday by a posse of Lewiston police. He had hired out to a farmer for the sum of $10 a month, and was at work in the woods some miles from the main road. A neighboring farmer had read the advertisement and sent word to Marshal Noyes. Higgins was arrested in the house at about 11 o'clock at night.

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

Sunday morning the house in West Gardiner owned by Mr. Merritt of Boston, and occupied by Mr. Goodwin, was burned. Furniture was all lost, with barn, hay, three horses and a colt. Loss $2500; insured for $650.

Sunday night the shoe store of John Webb in Gardiner, was entered, a small sum of money taken and several pairs of shoes and boots.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

The Penobscot Musical association opened its twenty-seventh annual session at Bangor Tuesday.

As a large crew of wood-sawyers on the E. & N. A. road were at work in one of the up-river stations last week, six men were taken suddenly ill, and at one time their lives were despaired of, though eventually all recovered. The physician in attendance, Dr. Chapman, attributes the cause to river water, which the men had been drinking.

Bangor's valuation this year is as follows: Real estate $6,210,880; personal property $3,-883,327; property owned by non-residents $466,-487; total $10,510,694. Number of polls 4115. Rate of taxation $2.70 per hundred.

Charles Hamlin of Bangor is one of the deputies appointed to take testimony in regard to the Alabama claims.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

Patrick Flaherty's house in Columbia Falls, was burned Oct. 17th. Very little was saved from the house, the occupants having barely time to get out, the building being all on fire when they awoke from sleep. Loss from $500 to $800.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

THE unprecedented sale of Eureka Machine Twist, is accounted for from the fact that those who use it once will use no other.

WE call the special attention of our readers to the insurance advertisement of Messrs. W. D. LITTLE & Co. in our columns this morning. It is well known by the business men of Portland that this Agency is now about the longest standing of any in the state, having for more than 30 years represented some of the oldest and best companies in this country, and with such a list as they now present, and with their well known promptness and liberality in the adjustment and payment of losses in the past, the public may rest assured they will be well protected in the future.

SECOND hand and new overcoats and clothing cheap to pay advances at Abrams', pawnbroker, under the U. S. Hotel. oc21tf

MARKED DOWN, this day, the largest assortment of long and square striped India Shawls at P. M. FROST's, oc20eod1w 122 Middle St.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Defamation

OF

NON-BOARD

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During the last few months, on several occasions we have been informed, that it was and is the practice of certain agents of prominent National Boards companies in this city and elsewhere, (extending in fact from East to West and from North to South,) to indulge in wholesale sweeping denunciation of the solvency of non-board companies without discrimination or exception. This is a contemptible method of conducting any business, and especially the fire insurance business. It is the vilest way of obtaining patronage, and we pity the company which has for its agent any person so despicably mean, as to run down his rivals in one general strain of defamation.

This journal has been an advocate and supporter of local and National Boards from the day of its first issue, though we have freely criticised blunders and mistakes in their management, and shall continue to do so. We recognize the fact that among the companies outside the National and local boards, are some which are as conservative, as prudent, as reliable, as promp and as safe in their dealings with the public, as any of those inside of these organizations. We migh name several which possess equal experience and talent with any of their loyal neighbors and some also with large and well invested assets which have been as carefully and prudently managed as any of those in the boards. In any test which may be applied, excepting the single one of upholding board rates, they are the peers of the best and cannot be sneered down, lied down or defamed to death. It is an unworthy spirit which animates such defamation.

We would in no manner be understood as claiming these merits for all non-board companies, even as we would not claim all the virtues, stability and soundness *par excellence* for all board companies. In fact there are some board companies which offer weak points for attack, quite as devoid of superior merits as their non-board rivals. We hold up to public gaze the bad and indifferent, whether of the board or non-board species with equal satisfaction, and shall not spare the rod in punishing both alike if they are guilty of peccadillos in their business transactions. It is not our province to defend any company because it is *in* the board, any more than to assail another company which is *out* of the board. We do hold it, however, to be exceedingly impudent and malicious to denounce all non-board companies in the same breath because it happens that some steal away risks below the tariff rates. Two wrongs never made a right yet, and foul and noisy agents who talk about their neigbbors will do to remember it.—*Western Insurance Review.* oct22W&S2w

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The Ladies of the
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Wednesday and Thursday Afternoons and Evenings, Oct. 21 and 22.
Refreshments, Useful and Fancy Articles for sale as usual. All are cordially invited.
ADMISSION FREE.
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Museum & Opera House,
OPPOSITE THE CITY BUILDING.
OWING TO THE GREAT SUCCESS OF
CASTE, CASTE, CASTE,
It will be Continued until further Notice.
PRICES AS USUAL.
Friday, Oct. 23d, will be for the Benefit of **MR. BELVIL RYAN.**
See

THE PRESS.

Portland Wholesale Price Current.

Corrected for the PRESS to October 14, 1874.

Apples.	
Green,.....	2 50@3 25
Dried,western	12@ 14
do eastern.	14 @ 16
Ashes.	
Pearl, ℔ lb. ..	11 @ 11½
Pot.....	9 @ 11
Beans.	
Pea.....	2 75 @3 00
Medium.....	2 12½@2 37½
Yellow Eyes...	3 00@3 25
Box Shooks.	
Pine.....	60@75
Bread.	
Pilot Sup....	9 00 @11 00
Pilot ex.100℔	7 0 @ 8 00
Ship.....	5 00 @ 5 50
Crackers℔100	35 @ 40
Butter.	
Family, ℔lb...	35 @ 42
Store.....	25 @ 30
Candles.	
Mould, ℔lb....	@ 13
Sperm.....	35 @ 37½
Cement.	
℔ bbl.....	2 25 @
Cheese.	
Vermont,℔ lb	14 @ 15
Factory.....	15½@ 16½
N. Y. Dairy..	14 @ 15
Coal—(Retail.)	
Cumberland...	8 50@ 9 00
Pictou.....	8 00 @8 50
Chestnut.....	7 50 @8 00
Franklin.....	9 50 @10 00
L'gh&W.Ash..	8 50@ 9 00
Coffee.	
Java,℔lb.....	33 @ 35
Rio.....	21½@ 22½
Cooperage.	
Hhd. Shooks and Heads,	
Mol. City....	@2 62
Sug. City....	2 30 @
Sug. C'try...	1 60 @1 65
Country Rif Mol.	
Hh'd Sh'ks.	1 75@
Hh'd Headings,	
Spuce 35 in.	28 @
Soft Pine,..	28 @
Hard Pine,	30 @
Hoops,(14ft),	28 00 @ 33 00
R.OakStaves	50 00 @
Copper.	
Cop.Bolts..	35 @
Y. M. Sheathing	@ 22
Bronze do.	@ 22
Y. M. Bolts,..	30 @
Cordage.	
American,℔ lb,	11½ @12½
Russia,.....	13½ @ 14
Manila,.....	16½ @17½
Manila B'lt'r	18½ @
Drugs and Dyes.	
Alcohol, ℔gal.	2 20 @ 2 30
Aver Rock,	25 @ 55
Bi-Carb Soda,	6 @ 8
Borax,.....	20 @
Camphor.....	35 @ 37
Cream Tartar	44 @ 48
Indigo,.....	1 25 @ 1 50
Logwood ex.,	11½@ 12
Madder,....	13 @ 15
Naptha, ℔gal	18 @ 20
Opium,.....	9 75@10 00
Rhubarb,....	75 @ 1 00
Sal Soda....	3 @ 3½
Saltpetre....	10 @ 17
Sulphur,....	4½@ 5½
Vitrol,.....	12 @ 13
Duck.	
No. 1,.....	@ 42
No. 3,.....	@ 38
No. 10, ...	@ 24
Havens,	
8 oz,.....	20
10 oz.....	26
Dyewoods.	
Barwood,....	3 @
Brazil Wood,	5 @ 7
Camwood,..	6 @ 7
Fustic,.....	2½@ 3
Logwood,	
Campeachy,	1½@ 2½
St. Domingo,	1½@ 2½
Peach Wood,	5½@
Red Wood....	2½@
Fish.	
Cod, per qtl.,	
L'ge Shore,	5 00 @5 25
L'ge Bank,	4 75 @5 00
Small,.....	3 00 @3 50
Pollock,.....	2 75 @3 25
Haddock,....	2 25 @2 50
Hake,.....	2 62 @2 75
Herring,	
Shore,℔ bbl	4 25 @5 00
Scaled,℔ bx	33 @ 37
No. 1,.....	25 @ 30
Mackerel,℔ bbl.,	none
Bay No. 1,	11 50@13 00
Bay No. 2,	8 00@ 9 50
Large 3	8 00@ 9 50
Shore No. 1,..	13 00@15 00
No. 2,.....	9 00@11 00
Medium....	7 00@ 8 50
Clam Bait....	4 50@ 5 50
Flour.	
Superfine,....	5 00 @5 50
Spring x,...	6 25 @7 25
" xx,...	7 00 @ 7 75
Rich.....	7 00 @7 50
" " xx	7 75 @8 25
" Family	8 00@ 8 50
Illinois x,..	6 75 @7 75
" xx,...	7 75 @8 25
St. Louis x,..	8 25 @9 00
" " xx,	9 00 @10 00
Fruit.	
Almonds,...	20
Soft Shell,...	21 @ 22
Shelled,....	40 @ 55
Pea Nuts,....	2 50 @3 00
Citron,.....	30 @ 31
Currants,	8½@ 9
Dates, .	9 @ 10
Figs,.....	14 @ 18
Prunes,.....	14 @ 15
Raisins,	
Layer, new	3 25@3 38
L. M. new	3 75@4 00
New Val.℔ lb	11 @11½
Lemons,℔ box	8 00@9 00
Oranges ℔ box,..	none
Grain.	
Corn, Mixed,	1 08 @
Yellow,....	1 08@
Meal	1 03@1 05
Rye,.....	@1 30
Barley,.....	75 @ 85
Oats,.....	68 @70
Fine Feed,	@35 00
Shorts,.....	@32 00
Gunpowder.	
Blasting....	4 50 @5 00
Sporting,....	7 00 @ 7 50
Hay.	
Pressed,℔ton	16 00 @18 00
Loose,.....	16 00 @20 00
Straw,.....	17 00 @
Iron.	
Common,....	4½@ 5½
Refined,.....	3½@ 4
Swedish	@ 7½
Norway,.....	7½@ 8
Cast Steel,...	20 @ 23
German Steel	14 @ 15
Shoe Steel ..	6½ @ 7
Spring Steel .	9 @ 12
Sheet Iron,	
Common,	5@ 5½
H. C.....	6½@ 6¾
Russia,.....	17½@ 18½
Galv,.....	10 @ 12
Lard.	
Kegs, ℔lb,..	15½@15¾
Fierces, ℔ lb	@15
Pail,.....	16½@16¾
Caddies,.....	16½ @17
Lead.	
Sheet & Pipe..	9 @ 9½
Pig.....	8 @ 8½
Leather.	
New York.	
Light.....	28 @ 30
Mid. Weight	29 @ 31
Heavy	29 @ 31
Slaughter..	38 @ 43
Am. Calf.....	1 00 @110
Lime.	
Rockland c'sk.	@1 20
Lumber.	
Clear Pine,	
Nos. 1 & 2.	50 00 @60 00
No. 3.....	40 00 @4500
No. 4.....	30 00 @35 00
Shipping..	20 00 @25 00
Spruce.....	14 00 @17 00
Hemlock . .	12 00 @15 00
Clapboards,	
Spruce ex.	30 00 @35 00
do No. 1.	20 00 @27 00
Pine.....	45 00 @60 00
Shingles,	
Cedar ex...	4 00 @ 4 75
Cedar No 1.	2 50 @ 3 25
do Shaved	4 00 @ 6 50
Pine do...	4 50 @ 7 00
Spruce ..	1 75 @ 2 00
Laths, Spruce	2 00
Pine.....	3 00 @ 3 50
Matches.	
Star, ℔ gros....	1 95
Molasses.	
Porto Rico new	65 @ 75
Cienfuegos new	none
Muscovado....	45 @ 48
New Orleans..	70 @85
Mus tart.....	none
Sagua new.....	48 @ 50
Nails.	
Cask	4 @
Naval Stores.	
Tar,℔ bbl.....	5 50 @5 75
Pitch (C. Tar).	4 50 @4 75
Wil Pitch....	5 50 @ 5 75
Rosin,.....	4 00 @ 7 00
Turpentine,gl	45 @ 50
Oil.	
Kerosene,....	@ 18
Port.Ref.Petr	@ 13
Devoe brilliant	@ 27
Sperm,.....	2 00 @ 2 10
Whale,.....	85 @ 90
Bank,.....	58 @ 68
Shore,.....	50 @ 60
Porgie, ...	@ 50
Linseed,.....	@ 59
Boiled do,...	@ 84
Lard,.....	1 10 @ 1 25
Olive,.....	1 25 @ 1 75
Castor,.....	2 00 @ 2 12
Neatsfoot,....	1 25 @ 1 50
Elaine,.....	58 @ 60
Paints.	
Port. Lead,..	11 25 @
Pure Gr'd do	11 00 @11 25
Pure Dry do	11 00 @
Am. Zinc.....	10 @ 12
Rochelle Yell	3@ 3½
Eng.Ven.Red	3½@ 4
Red Lead,...	11 @ 12
Litharge,....	11 @ 12
Plaster.	
White, ℔ ton,..	@2 75
Blue,.....	2 25 @2 25
Ground,in bls	8 00 @9 00
Calcined, brls	2 75 @3 00
Produce.	
Beef Sides,℔lb	9 @ 13
Veal,.....	8 @ 10
Mutton,.....	12 @ 13
Chickens,....	12 @ 18
Turkeys,....	18 @ 20
Eggs, ℔ doz.,	25 @ 27
Potatoes,	55 @ 60
Onions, bbl...	3 00@ 3 25
Cranb's℔bbl	8 00@10 50
Round hogs...	8 @ 9
Provisions.	
Mess Beef,..	12 00 @13 50
Ex Mess,....	13 00 @ 15 00
Plate,.....	15 00 @ 16 50
Ex Plate,..	17 00 @17 50
Pork.	
Backs,....	27 25@27 50
Clear,.....	27 25@27 50
Mess,.....	28 50@30 00
Prime,....	none
Hams,.....	14½@15
Rice.	
Rice, ℔ lb,...	7½@9
Saleratus.	
Saleratus, ℔lb,	7 @ 9½
Salt.	
Turk's Is. ℔	
hhd.(8bus),	2 37½@ 2 87½
St. Martin,..	
Bonaire, ...	2 50 @ 3 00
Cadiz,duty p	2 75 @ 3 00
Cadiz,in bond	2 00 @ 2 50
Liverpool,duty	
paid,.....	2 75 @ 3 00
Liv. in bond,.	2 50 @ 2 75
Gr'nd butter,	25 @
Seeds.	
Clover lb.....	10½ @ 11
Red Top bag,	4 75@
H.Grass, bush.	3 00 @ 3 25
do Canada,	none
Soap.	
Ex St'n Ref'd	@ 8
Family,.....	@ 7
No. 1,.....	@ 6½
Spices.	
Cassia, pure,.	40 @ 45
Cloves,.....	55 @ 60
Ginger,.....	20 @
Mace,.....	1 75 @
Nutmegs,....	1 35@ 1 40
Pepper,.....	25 @ 25
Starch.	
Pearl,.....	9 @ 10½
Sugar.	
Granulated,.	@11½
Coffee A,....	@11
Extra C,.....	10½@10¾
C,.....	@10
Syrups,.....	65 @ 75
Eagle Sugar Refinery:	
C.....	none
CC....	@10½
Ex C....	none
Hav. Brown	
Nos. 12 & 16	10 @ 10½
Refining...	7½@ 8½
Teas.	
Souchong, ...	25 @ 45
Oolong,.....	35 @ 50
Oolong, choice	55 @ 80
Japan,....	45 @ 70
Do. choice...	70 @ 100
Tin.	
Straits, ...	27 @ 29
English,.....	26 @ 27
Char. I. C....	11 50@ 12 00
Char. I. X....	14 00 @14 50
Terne.....	11 00@11 75
Coke.....	9 75 @11 00
Antimony, ...	18 @ 19
Zinc.....	10 @ 10½
Tobacco.	
Fives and Tens,	
Best Brands,	70 @ 85
Medium,..	60 @ 65
Common,....	55 @ 60
Half lbs.,.....	55 @ 65
Nat'l Leaf,....	85 @ 90
Navy lbs....	55 @ 62
Varnish.	
Damar,.....	1 25 @ 1 75
Coach,.....	2 25 @3 00
Furniture,..	1 25 @2 50
Wool.	
Fleece washed	40 @ 42
do. unwashd	30 @ 33
Pulled,Super	50 @ 55
Pelts, large ..	1 25@1 35

Portland Daily Press Stock List

For the week ending October 21, 1874.

Corrected by W. E. WOOD, Broker, 67 Exchange.

Descriptions	*Par Value.*	*Offered*	*Asked.*
Gold,...	.....	110½	110¼
Government 6's, 1881,...	.....	118½	118¾
Government 5-20's, 1862,...	.....	112½	113
Government 5-20's, 1864,...	.....	115½	116
Government 5-20's, 1865,...	.....	116½	117½
Government 5-20's, July, 1865,...	.....	116½	116¾
Government 5-20's, July, 1867,...	.....	117½	117¾
Government 5-20's, July, 1868,...	.....	117½	117¾
Government 10-40's,...	.....	111½	112
State of Maine Bonds,...	.....	101½	101¾
Portland City Bonds, Municipal,...	.....	97	97½
Bath City Bonds,...	.....	91	91½
Bangor City Bonds, 20 years,...	.....	92½	93
Calais City Bonds,...	.....	95	96
Cumberland National Bank,...	40	59	60
Canal National Bank,...	100	*137	138
First National Bank,...	100	*137	138
Casco National Bank,...	100	*137	138
Merch ants' National Bank,...	75	98	100
National Traders' Bank,...	100	137	138
Portland Company,...	.....	80	85
Portland Gas Company,...	50	68	70
Ocean Insurance Company,...	100	100	102
Atlantic & St. Lawrence R. R....	.....	90	95
A. & K. R. R. Bonds,...	.....	85	8
Maine Central R. R. Stock,...	100	40	50
Maine Central R. R. Bonds, 7's,...	.....	95	96
European & North American R.R bonds.		70	75
Leeds & F'rm'gton R. R. Bonds,	100	85	87
Portland & Ken. R. R. Bonds,..	100	85	87
Portland & Ogdensburg R.R. Bonds, gold,		80	90

COPARTNERSHIP.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore existing between W. & A. TAYLOR, Shipsmiths, at 46 COMMERCIAL STREET, Has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the firm will be settled by ALEX. TAYLOR at the old stand.

WILLIAM TAYLOR,
ALEX'R TAYLOR,

Portland, Oct. 19, 1874. oc20-1w*

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE copartnership of HARRIS, ATWOOD & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The Messrs. Harris will remain at the old stand for the present and attend to adjusting the affairs of the late firm, and either partner is authorized to sign the firm name in liquidation.

W. W. HARRIS,
A. A. ATWOOD,
F. F. HARRIS.

Portland, Oct. 12, 1874. oc15d3w

Copartnership Notice.

WE have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name of ATWOOD, STEADMAN & CO., and have purchased the stock and will continue the business of Harris, Atwood & Co., at the old stand, No. 145 Commercial Street.

A. A. ATWOOD,
E. M. STEADMAN.

Portland, Oct. 13, 1874. oc15d3w

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm name and style of Massure & Ojeda has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. John Massure is to collect all claims due the late firm and will pay the copartnership liabilities. He will continue the business at the store occupied by us, No. 381 Congress St.

JOHN MASSURE,
YSIDORO J. OJEDA.

Portland, Oct. 8, 1874. oc9tf

THE undersigned having taken the stand of Harlow & Hunt, will continue the business at

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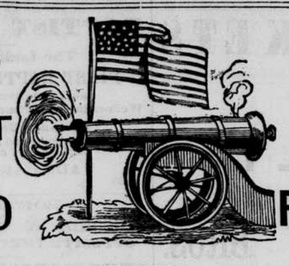

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Never Before Were Such Inducements Offered.

WE SAY WE WILL DO IT.

WE ARE DETERMINED TO DO IT.

AND IT SHALL BE DONE.

OUR PRICES SHALL BE THE LOWEST

Look! See! Behold! and Wonder!

62	Pieces	7	Inch,	Heavy,	All Silk	Sash	Ribbon	50 cents	a Yard.
43	"	7	"	"	"	"	"	58 "	"
27	"	7	"	"	"	"	"	64 "	"
41	"	7	"	"	"	"	"	70 "	"
13	"	7	"	"	"	"	"	75 "	"

ALL IN NICE SHADES AND SPLENDID QUALITIES.

$5,000.00 WORTH OF

BEADED GIMPS,	BEADED BELTS,
BEADED LACES,	BEADED VEILS,
BEADED FRINGES,	BEADED BUTTONS,

In the Greatest Possible Varieties and at Prices Lower than the Lowest Prices ever heard of.

NOW LOOK! NOW LOOK! NOW LOOK

18 Spring Hoop Skirts		30 cts.;	former price	50 cts	
20 " " "		35 "	" "	60 "	
Ladies' Fleeced Lined Hose		19 cts.	3 pair for	44 cts.	
" Ribbed "		8 "	13 " "	97 "	
Gents' Hose - - - -		8 "	13 " "	96 "	

Better qualities embracing the best Balbriggan at the Lowest Prices.

18 Bone German Woven Corsets,	50 cts,	Former price	75 cts.
A. D. French Corsets, - -	$1.00	" "	$1.25
Embroidered " - -	1.25	" "	1.75
Elegantly Embroidered Corsets,	1.75	" "	3.00

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Stock of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats.

Fearful Sacrifice in Everything in the

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

Felt and Velvet Hats, Latest Styles,	50 cts.	Worth	$1.00
Trimmed " " " " "	$1.50.	"	3.00
" " " " " "	2.25.	"	4.00
" " " " " "	2.50.	"	5.00

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Solid Cases of Flowers and Feathers!

Superb Ostrich Feathers in all Colors.

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Warranted to be heavier than can be found at the same price.

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10 cts. to $1.00 a Bottle.

If it is not Cheap Enough we will Give you a Bottle.

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Why pay from $2.00 to $10.00 for a real Russia Leather Pocket Book when we are selling them at from $1.00 to $3.50.

SEAMLESS TWO BUTTON KID GLOVES $1.75.

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Nos. 129 Middle and 6 Temple Streets.

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS

CITY OF PORTLAND.

Sewer Assessments.

Munjoy Street Sewer.

Beginning at a point in the centre line of Munjoy St. produced nine (9) ft. northwesterly from the southeasterly line of Congress St. thence southeasterly through centre of Munjoy St. a distance of six hundred and sixty-one (661) ft. where it enters old sewer.

Sewer of cement pipe, oval. The first one hundred and thirty-one (131) ft. is 15 inch, the remainder eighteen (18) inch laid to the depth of nine (9) ft.

Cost of sewer,	$832 30
City's proportion,	277 43
Assessed on abuttors,	544 87
Area assessed sq ft,	87548
Rate pr 100 sq ft,	62 24-100 c.

The following assessments have been made:

Names of owners.	Area sq. ft.	Rate pr. 100.	Assessments.
Deering Heirs,	13,962	62 24-100c.	$ 86 90
G Mark,	3,549	"	22 09
C W Cushing,	3,108	"	19 34
W. H Anderson,	3,495	"	21 75
Sumner Barber,	3:296	"	20 51
Deering Heirs,	19,475	"	121 21
E S Shaw,	6,546	"	40 74
C W Cushing,	2,792	"	17 38
Arthur Cleasby,	4,005	"	24 93
S C Pollister,	1,687	"	10 50
C B Libby,	1,719	"	10 70
Jos P Merrill,	2,515	"	15 65
Hazen M Chase,	2,173	"	13 52
T Brown,non resident, Mass,	3,804	"	23 68
S Charleston,	1,797	"	11 15
Wm H Libby,	2,138	"	13 31
Wm Davis,	2,625	"	16 34
Jos P Rugg,	3,200	"	19 92
Joshua F Weeks,	3,126	"	19 46
W Hoyt,	2,536	"	15 78

Sewer in Danforth and Maple Streets.

Beginning at a point in the centre of Danforth street, sixty-six (66) feet northeasterly from the east line of High street; thence northeasterly through the centre of Danforth street, a distance of four hundred and forty-six (446) feet, to a point at the junction of Danforth and Maple streets; thence on a curve to right fifty-nine (59) feet to the centre of Maple street on the south line of Danforth street; thence southerly in the centre of Maple street a distance of one hundred ninety-one (191) feet to the north line of York street; thence on a curve to right fifty-nine (59) feet o the old sewer in York street at the manhole in York and Maple streets a total distance of seven hundred fifty-five (755) feet.

This part of the sewer is of fifteen (15) inches circular cement pipe for a distance of four hundred fifty-eight (458) feet and thence of sixteen (16) inches circular brick pipe two hundred ninety-seven (297) feet to terminus. All within the limits of Danforth street is laid nine (9) feet deep and in Maple street nine (9) feet at Danforth street and eight (8) feet at terminus.

Again beginning at a point in the centre of Maple street twenty-eight (28) feet southerly from the south line of Pleasant street; thence in the centre of Maple street a distance of one hundred eighty-nine (189) feet to the north line of Danforth street; thence on a curve to left, thirty-eight (38) feet to the sewer in Danforth street above described making two hundred twenty-seven (227) feet as the length of this section which is of ten (10) inches cement pipe laid nine (9) feet deep.

The total length is nine hundred eighty-two (982) feet or 59,515 rods.

Cost of sewer,	$1352 62
City's proportion	450 87
Assessed on abuttors,	901 75
Area assessed, square feet,	138923
Rate per 100 square feet	64 91-100

The following assessments have been made:

Names of owners.	Area Sq. ft.	Rate per 100 sq. ft.	Assessments.
S H Lisk	5021	64 91-100	$32 59
F A Smith	4621	"	29 99
I L Cane	4653	"	30 20
I L Cane	4326	"	28 08
William Chadbourne	8863	"	56 23
Patrick McQade	5686	"	36 91
Mrs. Emily Barker	8044	"	52 21
J B Brown	3463	"	22 48
J B Brown	15046	"	97 66
J B Brown	4814	"	31 25
Merrill property, M Gore, agent	10657	"	69 13
Nath'l Crockett	4894	"	31 78
J K King	5748	"	37 31
J W Stockwell	3358	"	21 80
James Simonton	7345	"	47 68
W P I Baker	2682	"	36 88
A W Whitmore	3161	"	20 52
Sarah J Murch	4788	"	31 08
Nath'l Walker	4202	"	27 28
William Lindsey	1700	"	11 03
Mary O'Brion	1528	"	9 92
Mrs Sarah Tibbets	4764	"	30 92
J B McAlevy	2969	"	19 21
Marcian Scavey	2210	"	14 35
Isaac Emery	2068	"	13 42
John Burns	3688	"	23 94
G W Wildrage	5833	"	37 86

Sewer in Pleasant Street.

Beginning at a point in centre of Pleasant street on the west side of Maple street produced; thence northeasterly through centre of Pleasant street a distance of four hundred sixty-three (463) or 28.06 rods to the old sewer in Pleasant street, making a direct continuation thereof.

The sewer is of sixteen (16) inches circular brick pipe, laid nine (9) feet deep.

Cost of sewer,	$824 47
City's proportion,	274 82
Assessed on abuttors,	549 65
Area assessed square feet,	77,443
Rate per 100 square feet,	70 97-100 c.

The following assessments have been made:

Names of Owners.	Area. sq. ft	Rate pr. 100 sq. ft.	Assessments.
Heirs of Chas Baker,	8,265	79 97-100c.	$ 58 66
J B Brown,	32,525	"	230 83
J B Brown,	1,575	"	11 18
Hugh Dolan,	1,442	"	10 23
S A True,	1,963	"	13 93
Chas Jackson,	3,404	"	24 16
Martin Gore,	2,407	"	17 08
Martin Gore,	3,636	"	25 80
Martin Gore,	3,490	"	24 77
Mrs Foxon,	2,973	"	21 10
S Nolan,	2,396	"	17 00
Lester Bradley,	3,739	"	26 54
Mrs D T Thomes,	5,722	"	40 60
Margaret Musgrave,	3,906	"	27 72

Sewer in Cotton Street.

Beginning at a point in the centre of Cotton street, sixty-nine and one half (69.5) feet southerly from the south line of Free street; thence southerly through the centre of Cotton street, a distance of five hundred seventy-one (571) feet to the north line of Fore street, thence on a curve to left a distance of thirty-one and one half (31.5) feet to the oil sewer in Fore street, making a total length of six hundred two and one half (602.5) feet or 36.51 rods.

The sewer is of brick, sixteen (16) inch circular pipe laid nine (9) feet deep to a point forty (40) feet from terminus, which is 8½ feet deep.

Cost of sewer,	$1130 75
City's proportion,	376 92
Assessed on abuttors,	753 83
Area assessed, square feet,	68,693
Rate per 100 square feet,	1.09 73-100 cts.

The following assessments have been made:

Names of owners	Area sq. ft.	Rate per 100 sq. ft.	Assessments.
James McGilnchy	2805	1.09 73-100	$30 78
John Abern	1890	"	20 41
C R & L E Frost	5503	"	60 38
T & J B Cummings	13163	"	144 45
J C Morse	4273	"	46 89
Mrs J M Colby	3595	"	39 45
J W Mansfield	2322	"	25 48
Geo F Shepley	4851	"	53 23
Cynthia Beals	3193	"	35 04
Jacob Lewis	2282	"	25 03
J Bradford	2308	"	25 34
J C Morse	1728	"	18 96
H D Shed	2061	"	22 61
S M Bowdoin	2663	"	29 22
Bridget Welch	1823	"	20 01
E Newman	1871	"	20 53
Benj Stevens	2289	"	25 12
Garrett Linehan	3447	"	37 82
James McGovern	1871	"	20 53
J Ahern	1395	"	15 31
John Stidworthy	1395	"	15 31
John Stidworthy	1925	"	21 89

Sewer in Salem, Briggs and School Streets.

Beginning at a point in the centre of Salem Street, sixty seven and one half (67.5) feet westerly from the west line of Clark St.; thence westerly through the centre of Salem street eleven hundred thirty-eight and one half (1138.5) feet to the old sewer in Emery street. This section is of fifteen (15) inch cement pipe, laid eight (8) feet deep from point of beginning to a point sixty (60) feet westerly from west line of Orange street and seven (7) feet at terminus. Again beginning at a point in the centre of Briggs street, fifty-six (56) feet southerly from south line of Danforth forth street; thence southerly in the centre of Briggs street, three hundred thirty-four (3341) feet to north line of Salem street; thence on a curve to right thirty-three and one half (33.5) feet to the above named sewer in Salem street. This section is of twelve (12) inch cement pipe laid eight (8) feet deep. Again beginning at a point in the centre of School street eighty (80) feet southerly from south line of Danforth street, thence southerly in the centre of School street, three hundred twenty (320) feet to north line of Salem street, thence on a curve to right twenty-five (25) feet to the sewer in Salem street. This section is of ten (10) inch cement pipe, laid eight (8) feet deep.

Cost of sewer,	$2545 18
City's proportion,	848 39
Assessed on abuttors,	1696 79
Area assessed square feet,	209,860
Rate per 100 square feet,	80 55-100 c.

The following assessments have been made:

Names of owners.	Area.	Rate.	Assessment.
Mrs F A Libby,	2,447	80 85-100 c.	$ 19 78
John W Rand,	16,974	"	137 23
Wm Bigelow,	3,811	"	30 81
Mitchell, G R Davis agt.	2,940	"	23 78
Edward O'Day,	2,448	"	19 87
" Rand,	5,141	"	41 56
Mrs McMasters,	2,949	"	23 84
Jas Doherty.	3,494	"	28 25
Chas McCarthy,	2,593	"	20 96
M McLaughlin,	2,599	"	21 01
Neil McCafferty,	2,657	"	21 48
Patrick Martin,	2,624	"	21 22
Thos Leonard,	2,625	"	21 22
Thos Leonard,	2,730	"	22 07
Hannah Maley,	2,677	"	21 64
Patrick Wade,	2,700	"	21 83
Thos Leonard,	4,248	"	34 35
Wm G Twombly,	2,446	"	19 78
A Deering,	2,767	"	22 37
A Deering,	2,730	"	22 07
Welch & Adams & Mrs H M Brackett,	1,125	"	9 10
Welch & Adams,	1,144	"	9 25
A Deering,	1,154	"	9 33
A Deering,	1,156	"	9 35
Mrs H M Brackett	1,148	"	9 28
	865	"	6 91
City of Portland,	7,112	"	57 50
Thos Marshall,	3,168	"	25 61
Robert DeWolfe,	3,541	"	28 63
W & J B Torndike,	2,092	"	16 91
Andrew Bennett,	2,894	"	23 40
Wm Barker,	3,578	"	28 93
T Daly,	2,490	"	20 13
S L Carleton,	5,077	"	41 05
Jeremiah McCarthy,	6,400	"	51 74
Jos Thompson	5754	"	46 52
A Bennett	2764	"	22 35
McKenney & Welch	6777	"	54 79
J B Brown	3024	"	24 45
Heirs of J C Barker	3300	"	26 68
Heirs of J C Barker	3469	"	28 05
J B Brown	14207	"	114 86
Boston & Maine R R	5312	"	42 95
Wm Lindsey	3076	"	24 87
Mrs Mary Merrill	2020	"	16 33
John Neal	2010	"	16 25
Thos Noonan	2000	"	16 17
John Brangdon	2025	"	16 37
C M Bean	2000	"	16 17
Heirs of Thos Barker	1990	"	16 09
Heirs of Thos Barker	2000	"	16 17
J T Libby	1925	"	15 56
Mrs Mary Merrill	2225	"	17 99
J L Winchenbach	1725	"	13 95
Rice Carter & others	9935	"	80 32
Wm Lindsey	3180	"	25 71
Wm Lindsey	2292	"	18 53
Wm Lindsey	3182	"	25 73
Sweetsir, F O Bailey Agent	1125	"	9 10
W W Thomas	1323	"	10 70
Wm Lindsey	1942	"	15 70
Neal Dow	2734	"