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Alcott's Turbine Water Wheel, Elevators, Derricks, Hoisting Engines, and Blanchard's Patent Boiler.
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FOR SALE—One New Portable Engine, 40 horse power, built to order. ap14 tf

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PORTLAND, ME.
J. B. MATHEWS. S. G. DORMAN. JAMES L. FOGG.
ju9 dtf

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The Bates Manufacturing Co.,
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C. I. BARKER, Agent.
oct26 d1m

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To be Let. Or for Sale.

A very pleasantly located House containing twelve rooms, arranged to accommodate two families if required, on line of Railroad few miles from City, three minutes walk from Depot. Rent $250 per year, first class schools in close proximity. Inquire of WM. H. JERRIS, Real Estate Agent.
oct29 d1w

Land on Middle Street

FOR sale. The valuable lot on the southerly corner of Middle and India Streets—containing 6000 square feet. Good location for small storer. Apply to WM. H. JERRIS, Real Estate Agent.
oc28 1w*

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FRANKLIN FOX, or of
UPHAM & GARDINER,
No. 7 Exchange St., Real Estate Agts.
oc23 3w

For Sale.

HOUSE No. 42 Pleasant Street. For particulars apply at the house from 3 to 5 P. M.
an29 dtf

FOR SALE.

A LOT of vacant land, situated on the west side of High, between Pleasant and Danforth, Sts. This lot has a front of about 61 feet and is about 194 feet deep, and plans have been drawn by How, for a block of seven or nine genteel and convenient residences, and adapted for the same. Enquire of
EDWIN CHURCHILL,
No. 4 Portland Pier,
mar28 From 12 to 2 o'clock. P. M.

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A FINE residence one-half mile from the Railroad Depots, Post-office, good Schools and Churches, six miles from Portland; House and Ell two stories thirteen finished rooms, double parlors with marble mantles, Wood-house and Stable connected—all in good repair, painted and blinded, Barn 40 x 60 on the premises; grounds contain 15½ acres, excellent land, well fenced, 50 apple and pear trees, ½ acre choice strawberries, three good wells of water upon the place and good cistern in the cellar, cellar under whole House, fine cement bottom; grounds ornamented with fine shade trees. This is one of the finest residences in the county. Terms easy. Enquire of G. R. Davis & Co., Portland, or Otis Brown, Westbrook.
mar21tf

F. G. Patterson's Real Estate BULLETIN.

Money to Loan.

ON first class Real Estate Security, in Portland, or vicinity—Rents collected, taxes paid, &c., on Commission. Houses bought and sold. Apply to F. G. PATTERSON, Dealer in Real Estate, Office 13 Fluent Block. oc4dtf

COPARTNERSHIP.

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

128 and 130 MIDDLE ST.,

Where the public will find New and Second Hand Furniture, Lounges, Spring Beds, Mattrasses, Looking Glasses, Book Cases, &c.
Repairing of all kinds neatly done.
Baker & Co.
au12

REMOVALS.

REMOVAL.

DR. E. W. BROOKS,
has removed to
365 Congress St., Corner of Pearl,
oc8 former residence of Dr. French. tf

Removal.

WILLIAM ROSS, Treasurer of the Portland, Bangor and Machias Steamboat Co., has removed his Office from 179 Commercial Street to Railroad Wharf at the landing of the Co's Steamer.
mar23 dtf

REMOVAL!

DR. CHARLES A. RING has removed to No. 413 Congress, Corner of Chestnut street.
aug1dtf

REMOVAL,

DR. G A. CLARK
has removed to 536 Congress Street. Office hours from 2 to 4 P. M. jy9dtf

REMOVAL.

RICHARDSON & CROSS
have removed o
Office 1 1-2 Union Wharf.
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A new and most interesting book for
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Full of melodious Songs, Duets, Glees and 4-part Songs, all easy and perfectly adapted to a Singing School Course, but at the same time forming a collection well suited for the use of College and other Choirs, Singing Societies, &c. By H. R. Palmer, assisted by L. O. Emerson.
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One Thousand Cider Barrels
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my28 No. 161 Commercial Street.

WANTS.

Wanted.

A SITUATION as nurse in Respectable Families by an American Widow Lady. Good References given. Address C. C., 77 York St., Portland, Me. oc31tw*

Wanted.

BOARD for Gent and Wife in private family. Address W. F. C. at this Office.
oc31 3t*

WANTED.

A COMPETENT man in every town in New England, to retail from sample, at lowest wholesale prices, strictly first-class, stylish clothing. Address, with stamp enclosed,
N. E. Clothing Consumers Agency,
oc30tw* BOSTON.

Boy Wanted.

AN active, intelligent American boy wanted as a messenger and to take care of an Office. Must have good recommendations. Address in handwriting of applicant, Box 1678. oc29tf

Wanted, Horses to Board.

PERSONS having Horses to board for the winter will please address
JAMES G. MESERVE,
oct28-1m* So. Gorham, Me.

A Situation Wanted.

A YOUNG Swede wishes to obtain a situation as COACHMAN for a gentleman. Understands the care of horses. Can bring the best of references. Address P. O. Box 932, "G. P. S." oc28tw*

Wanted Immediately,

A SITUATION by an experienced Lady as housekeeper or nurse. The care of an invalid preferred. Best of city references give. Apply at 59 High St. oc20tf

Heirs Wanted.

JOHN JAMIESON, eldest son of William Jamieson, of Glasgow, Scotland, merchant and manufacturer, was born 10th Dec., 1793, and emigrated in early life, it is supposed to Canada. If alive, he is entitled to succeed to property in Scotland of considerable value. Information wanted regarding him, or his children and descendants, if any. Address CROSS, DUNN & DAVIDSON, Advocates, Montreal, Canada. oc9d1m

Wanted.

AT Nutter Bros. & Co. A first class tin plate and sheet iron worker. None but first class need apply. 29 MARKET SQUARE, Portland Me. se29tf

LOST AND FOUND.

Lost.

AT the entrance to the Water Company's Office a WALLET, containing a $50 bill, a $5 gold piece and some scrip. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this office. oc30d3t*

Lost.

SUNDAY night, Oct. 25, between Mountford and Oak St., a Lady's PEARL and JET PIN attached to a blue Beau. The finder will please leave same at this office and be rewarded. oc29tw*

Dog Lost.

VERY small black and tan dog, answering to the name of "Midget." The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at No. 9 Lewis Street.
oc29 d1w

BOARD.

Rooms with Board.

GENTLEMAN and wife, or single gentlemen in search of board can find good accommodations at 21½ Free Street. Terms reasonable. Also accommodations for a few Table boarders. oc22tf

Board.

A GENTLEMAN desiring board in a private family can learn where by applying at this office.
oc14dtf

To Let

TWO good rooms, connected, to let, with board, at 203 Cumberland St., corner of Franklin. Also other good rooms, oc7tf

To Let.

WITH BOARD, one suite of rooms and one large room, suitable for families. Also accommodations for a few single gentlemen at 52 Free St.
oc27 d1w*

Boarding.

BOARDING at 223½ CUMBERLAND ST., corner Wilmot, Also table board. oc5

Rooms to Let With Board.

TWO pleasant unfurnished rooms with board, suitable for gentleman and wife. Also two single gentlemen and a few table boarders wanted, at house No. 4 Locust Street. oct1dtf

To Let.

WITH BOARD, a suit of rooms at 37 corner of HIGH & SPRING ST.

Suit of Rooms

with board at 152 PEARL ST. se23dtf

Rooms To Let.

TWO Gentlemen and their wives and two or three single gentlemen can be accommodated with pleasant rooms and board at 75 Free street. oc7tf

Board.

TWO Gentlemen or a Gentleman and his Wife can be accommodated with first class Board and Rooms at No. 20 Brown Street. my19dtf

TO LET.

To Let.

ONE furnished chamber in house No. 48 Spring Street. oc31eod2w

To be Let.

A Lower tenement 140 Oxford St., near Elm all of the modern improvements. Inquire on the premises. oc29 tf

To Let.

HOUSE No. 4 Alder Street, containing 18 rooms arranged for two families. Apply to E. COBURN, No. 8 Dow St. oc29tw*

House to Let.

HOUSE NO. 142 Oxford Street, containing two tenements, of eight rooms each, with modern improvements. For particulars apply to F. H. WIDBER, 220 Commercial St. oc24tf

To Let.

SECOND Story in Store, No. 235 Middle Street Inquire at Shaw's Tea Store.
oc23 tf

To Let.

A TENEMENT of six Rooms Gas and Sebago water, on Spruce Corner of Emery Street. Apply to J. B. FICKETT & Co., 187 Fore Street.
oc12l dtf

TO LET!

Room in the Second Story of the Printers' Exchange, with power if required. Apply to PRESS OFFICE or to B. THURSTON & CO., 111 Exchange Street.
oc12 dtf

To Let

ONE half of a double Brick House, ten rooms Pleasantly situated on Danforth Street. No. 33. Possession given October 1st. Enquire of S. W. ROBINSON, Real Estate Agent, 205 Middle street. Portland, Sept., 30, 1874 dtf

To Let.

A TENEMENT containing 8 rooms, pleasantly located. Rent $250 per year. Also, 5 rooms, about $140 per year. Apply to W. W. CARR,
se29tf 197 Newbury Street.

House to Let.

HOUSE No. 62 Pine Street (Hull Block), recently occupied by Robert I. Hull, long or short lease. Possession given immediately.
Inquire of MATTOCKS & FOX.
sp24 dtf

To Let.

STORE No. 33 Plum Street.
Apply to ST. JOHN SMITH.
se15dtf No. 27 Widgery's Wharf.

To Let.

TO LET, two unfurnished rooms on 2d floor. Also several furnished rooms, at No. 4 Cotton street, wo doors from Free Street. au31dtf

Commissioners' Notice.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Commissioners, by the Judge of Probate for Cumberland County, to receive and decide upon all claims against the estate of Hiram F. Ricker, late of Portland, in said County, deceased, except those of the Administrator, hereby give notice that they have appointed 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the second days of December, February and April next, and the Law Office of William M. Sargent, No. 38 Exchange Street, Portland, as the times and place of our meeting for the aforesaid purpose.
LINDLEY M. WEBB, } Commissioners.
WILLIAM M. SARGENT, }
Oct. 24, 1874 oct28d1aw3wW

CONSULATE OF SPAIN.

To Merchants and Shipmasters.

YOU are hereby notified that on and after the first day of September, 1874, the new regulations prescribed by the Government of the Republic of Spain in regard to Consular fees will take effect.
The fees for clearance of vessels are as follows:

For Vessels with Cargo:

Certifying Manifest $15.00
Bill of Health ..... 4.00—$19.00

For Vessels without Cargo:

Certifying Manifest $7.00
Bill of Health ..... 4.00—$11.00

THOMAS LOZANO,
se2dtf Spanish Consul.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber have been duly appointed Executor of the Will of
RUTH WHITMAN, late of Portland,
in the County of Cumberland, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
THOMAS H. HASKELL, Executor.
Portland, Oct. 6, 1874. oc19d1aw3wM

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Booksellers and Stationers.
HOYT, & FOGG, No. 94 Middle Street.
T. P. McGOWAN, 254 Congress St.

Book Binders.
WM. A. QUINCY, Room 11, Printer's Exchange, No. 111 Exchange St.
SMALL & SHACKFORD, No. 35 Plum Street.

Confectionery.
L. J. PERKINS manufacturer of plain and fancy Candies, 287 Congress St. Portland Me.

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WHITNEY & MEANS, Pearl Street, opposite Park.

Dye-House.
FOSTER'S Dye House, 24 Union Street.*

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L. F. HOYT, No. 11 Preble Street. Upholstering done to order.

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ABNER LOWELL, 155 Middle Street. Agents for Howard Watch Company.

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JOHN C. PROCTER, No. 93 Exchange Street.

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J. N. McCOY & CO., 28 Spring Street.

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S. YOUNG, No. 102 Fore Street. ja31ly

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Importers and Retailers of
MEN'S FINE FURNISHINGS,
47 Temple Place, Boston,
Invite attention to their very large and complete stock of selected goods, imported expressly for their retail trade. The limit of this notice will not allow a detailed statement, but we have endeavored to obtain the best goods of the best manufacturers in England, France, and this country, of
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and to have, also, the best possible assortment of all the minor articles that make a well appointed wardrobe.
Prices will be as low as good articles can be sold. Orders by mail solicited.
Fine Shirts Carefully Made to Order
HEWINS & HOLLIS,
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DOLL'S CRADLES.
Every little girl should have one. Name "Chichester" on every cradle. Beautiful, Cheap and Durable. Chichester Toy Chairs to match. This Cradle cannot be equalled for a present to a little girl for
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It will hold a doll 20 inches long. For sale by all toy and furniture dealers. If your dealer does not have them, ask him to send for catalogue, and take none but the "Chichester."
CHICHESTER PATENT.
SWING CRADLES.
Mothers you should have a Chichester Swing Cradle.
Mothers who try them will have no other.
Mothers save your time by using a Chichester.
Mothers buy no other till you see a Chichester.
THE CRADLE AMONG CRADLES.
No rockers to wear out carpet.
No rockers to tumble over.
No rockers for child to fall upon.
No squeaking treadle to get out of order.
No cradle equal to Chichester Swing Cradle.
Dealers send for catalogue, to
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333 Pearl Street, New York.
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Dry Air Refrigerators
In all Styles, Grades and Sizes.
The Largest and Best Assortment in the State, combining all the latest Improvements, called
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Wholesale and Retail at Manufacturers' Prices. Cheaper than any other. CAN SAVE THE ADVANCE IN ICE IN ONE SEASON, and get a better article by buying of manufacturer or agent. Don't fail of being convinced of this fact before buying.
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M. & A. P. DARLING
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Silks in every Shade, on the Bias,
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Get Ornaments and Fringes, Buttons in every variety, Jet Beads, rich Scarfs, Veils and Ruffles, Ball Fringes, Ladies' Hats and Bonnets, rich Flowers and Wreaths, &c. se30d1wteod4w

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oc6 Box 1514 Portland P. O.

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If you want SECURITY and INDEMNITY it may be had at the old INSURANCE AGENCY of

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Established in 1843,
Representing combined Assets of nearly
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Assets - 85 0,000.
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Assets - $750,000.
ORIENT OF HARTFORD,
Assets - $650.000.
N. Western National OF MILWAUKEE,
Assets - 850.000
HOFFMAN OF NEW YORK,
Assets - $350,000.
ATLANTIC OF PROVIDENCE,
Assets - $300,000.
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Capital - $900,000.

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THE PRESS.

MONDAY MORNING, NOV. 2, '74,

THE FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Muck-Composts and Commercial Manures.

Will the PRESS give a recipe for mixing muck, sulphate of ammonia and nitrate of soda, bone meal &c., giving the quantity of each, with the price and manner of mixing, and any other remarks? L. Y., *Starks.*

Reply by S. L. Goodale.

It is not unusual to see recipes of the sort above indicated going the rounds of the papers, and whoever tries them will very likely find some of them prove efficacious and possibly in rare instances he may find them profitable. But we do not recommend *such* mixtures to be made, for the simple reason that little or no gain would be realized above that from using the same substances without previous mixing; and labor is too valuable to throw away. The farmer should be the last man to permit any wastes about his premises, and the demands upon his muscular powers are so large and so constant that he will do wisely to avoid all unproductive labor. "Mixing" or composting is to to be recommended when improvement or increase of value can be fairly counted upon, greater than the worth of the labor involved in the operation. This occurs only when new and useful combinations take place. It is of great importance here to bear in mind the wide difference between a mere mixture and a combination. The first is a mingling together by mechanical means, as when you mix sand with sugar. It is only sand and sugar still. Gunpowder is an intimate mixture of sulphur, nitre and charcoal. By suitable mechanical means its component parts can be separated but, put fire to it, and its component parts enter into combination. Gunpowder is purposely so composed that a large amount of gases shall be suddenly formed and the larger space which these require gives the explosive force. Neither sulphur, nitre nor charcoal can be directly recovered from these gases—because new and different substances have been formed with entirely different properties. Just as real changes and involving new chemical combinations take place, although much more slowly, whenever a heap of compost is left to ferment, or a fallen log in the woods is left to decay, or a neglected farm implement is left to rust. Such is always the case when *combination* takes place. When a man mixes muck with unleached ashes and allows the heap to lie until the potash from the ashes reacts upon the vegetable matter,

THE PRESS.

MONDAY MORNING, NOV. 2, 1874.

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

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

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

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

BY THE PRESIDENT.

A Proclamation for a Day of Public Thanksgiving and Praise.

We are reminded by the changing seasons that it is time to pause in our daily vocation and offer thanks to Almighty God for the mercies and abundance of the year which is drawing to a close. The blessings of a free government have continued to be vouchsafed to us; the earth has responded to the labor of the husbandman; the land has been free from pestilence; internal order is being maintained; and peace with other powers has prevailed. It is fitting that at stated periods we should cease from our accustomed pursuits, and from the turmoil of our daily lives, and unite in thankfulness for the blessings of the past and the cultivation of kindly feelings towards each other. Now, therefore, recognizing these considerations, I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States, do recommend to all citizens to assemble in their respective places of worship on

Thursday, the 26th Day of Nov. Next,

and express their thanks for the mercy and favor of the Almighty God, and laying aside all political contention and all secular occupations, to observe such day as a day of praise.

In witness whereof I have herewith set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this the 29th day of October, in the year of our Lord, 1874, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-ninth.

U. S. GRANT.

By the President:
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

Encouraging to Emigrants.

Carter Connor, formerly of Ohio but more recently from Louisiana in great haste, insists, unreasonably perhaps, that there are white league outrages in that state and that it is not an agreeable place of residence. Mr. Connor having saved a bit of money by farming took a fancy last year to look up a new home, and after traveling about fixed upon a spot in northwestern Louisiana. There he bought a farm, built a small house and went to making cotton, becoming a citizen of that state. For a time the industrious Ohioan prospered and would have been a prosperous man to-day had not several of his neighbors called upon him a few weeks since in behalf of the Sons of Liberty and made some talk about "protecting life, maintaining order and punishing those offences which the law cannot reach." The talk was so vague at first that Mr. Connor could not fully comprehend its drift, but at last the visitors closed by informing him that he had been making remarks on political topics in opposition to those entertained by the White Leaguers and that he must leave the country within forty-eight hours. He believed that a citizen of the Republic had a right to express his convictions to those he met and could hardly believe that the bland gentlemen before him could be in earnest. He tried at length to agree with them, stating that all his property was about him but to no avail. They were not moved by his arguments and quietly heard his declaration that he would not leave his home until compelled to.

The next afternoon twelve armed and masked men surrounded his house, took Connor, bound him and rode into the woods three miles. What followed we will take from the New York *Post*, which publishes and vouches for this account, though generally discrediting the stories of Southern outrages:

"The leader, from his saddle, asks those present to express their views. One man says: 'Tie him up to a tree and give him twenty-five lashes well laid on.' The leader acquiesces, at the same time asking for other suggestions. 'Duck him in the creek and drag him twice around the mill-pond,' says another Son of Liberty. 'Very well, it shall be done. Anything more, gentlemen?' 'Give him a coat of tar and feathers and ride him on a rail,' advises a third. The chief bows his head in assent and asks, 'What is your further pleasure, gentlemen?' To this oft repeated question an indignant Son of Liberty at last shouts out: 'Oh, cut it short; hang the scoundrel to this tree and let's go home. I'll put the rope around his neck and jerk him off.' But he had counted without his host.

The leader immediately draws out his revolver, the emblem of order and liberty, and flourishes it above his head with the following words: 'This matter must be settled peacably; I protest against all violence, and I will blow out the brains of the first man who attempts to harm the prisoner. We are here to preserve life, not to commit murder. We represent the majesty of the law. Let us keep strictly to the letter and spirit of the laws we have for a wise and good purpose made unto ourselves. The offender shall be ducked, whipped, tarred and feathered, and then ridden on a rail to the neighborhood of his home, after which I must insist that you all return quietly to your respective homes. Carter Connor, you have heard the sentence which has been pronounced upon you by a jury of twelve men composed of the gentlemen of this vicinage. If in four days from now you are still in this parish, the Sons of Liberty will again visit you, when more decided measures will be adopted to rid this community of your presence.

By this time Connor began to believe that his neighbors of the White League were in earnest about this matter and asked to be allowed to leave the country in safety. This was denied and the greater part of the indignities above named were carried into effect. The next day, more dead than alive, he turned his back upon all his earthly possessions to see safety in Ohio. The Post expresses the opinion that Mr. Connor would not vote for a white man's government.

THE correspondent of the Boston Post, who writes the letters from Maine setting forth the alarming prevalence of intemperance in this state, has been drawing upon his imagination for the facts to prove his statements. This may be all well as a campaign story with those who believe that everything is fair in politics, but a people who can well claim to be the most temperate in the nation, have a right to protest against being held up to the world as a notorious example of intemperance.

Current Notes.

The Congress of the Argentine Confederation declares the Republic in a state of siege.

Election takes place to-day in Louisiana for State Treasurer, Legislature and Congressmen.

In New York they are asking Tilden if he is elected Governor whether or not he will pardon Tweed. He fails to reply.

The veteran Thurlow Weed has written a letter in favor of Dix and against Tilden, whose bad record during the war he sets forth with his old time vigor. There seems to be no amnesty for a Northern rebel.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, gives some people a hard hit when he says: "The discarded dependents of old parties cannot become 'independents' by the simple process of so styling themselves."

The Boston Advertiser's special says that the shrewdest Republicans figures show that the Republican majority in the next House cannot fall below five. On the other hand the somewhat elated Democratic organ in Cincinnati claims about fifty Democratic majority.

NOMINATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.—The following nominations have been made by the Governor:

To Solemnize Marriages—Merrit C. Baldwin, Kingfield.

Justices of the Peace and Quorum.—John J. Perry, Oxford, and J. D. Pulsifer, Auburn, for the State; E. W. Mitchell, Freeport, Z. L. Whitney, Raymond; Geo. F. Thurston, Portland; Isaac N. Cole, Brooklyn; L. T. Carleton, Winthrop; J. T. Coombs, North Haven; M. W. Halland, S. W. Hall, Dover; S. D. Atwood Medford; A. G. Emery, Skowhegan; Humphrey Saunders, Ashur B. Getchell, Baring; Chas S. Davis. Perry; James Meserve, Hollis; William L. Briant, Buxton.

Trial Justices.—Robert A. Friend, Brooklin; Cyrus A. Packard, Blanchard; George Comstock, Lubec; Andrew P. Wiswell, Ellsworth.

Inspector of Lime and Lime Casks.—Job W. Ingraham, Camden, in place of J. C. Jordan, declined appointment.

Notaries Public.—Percival Bonney, Portland; T. C. Woodman, Bucksport; Enoch Cousens, Kennebunkport.

Commissioners of Deeds.—L. W. Kelley, Salem, Mass.; Nathaniel E. Monroe, New York; Edward Chattin, San Francisco, Cal.; Wm. Augustus Holman, Pittsburg, Pa.; Albert W. Bailey, Brooklyn, New York.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MATTERS IN MAINE

EXCITEMENT IN BIDDEFORD.

Mayor Warren Resists the Sheriff.

[Special to the Press.]

BIDDEFORD, Nov. 1.—There was quite an excitement and a large crowd on the streets last night, occasioned by the attempt of a posse of Sheriff Warren's to search the store of Mayor Warren for liquors, which are sold in violation of law. The Mayor was apprised of the plans of the officers, and had his store barred when the officers called. He refused to open the doors and threatened to shoot any one who should attempt to enter without his permission. Officers attempting to enter were nearly suffocated with a vessel of ammonia which he threw upon them. The sheriffs for several hours besieged the mayor's store to no avail. There will be more of this matter. The affair causes no little comment, as an alleged rum selling Mayor who violates laws which he should enforce, resisting the lawful officers, is a novelty for this city.

Doings of the Governor's Council—The Congressional Vote, Pardon Cases, &c.

AUGUSTA, Oct. 31.—The Council to-day reported on Representatives to Legislature for all except two districts, which cases, owing to imperfections in returns, they were unable to decide, viz.: In the district composed of Springfield, Mattawamkeag and other towns in Penobscot county, and the district comprising Benton, Clinton and Winslow, Kennebec county. With these exceptions the list of Representatives will be as heretofore announced. On account of a supposed error in the returns of Westbrook the name of Samuel A. Holbrook is omitted in the list of Senators elect, and the case will be further considered at the next session.

Report on election returns for county officers will be made at the next session.

The following is the official Congressional vote:

FIRST DISTRICT.

John H. Burleigh	12,275
Bion Bradbury	10,805
Scattering	10

SECOND DISTRICT.

Wm. P. Frye	8,088
Philo Clark	6,673
Scattering	32

THIRD DISTRICT.

James G. Blaine	11,524
Edward K. O'Brion	8,694
Scattering	47

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Samuel F. Hersey	9,658
Gorham L. Boynton	6,705
Scattering	38

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Eugene Hale	10,690
Charles A. Spofford	8,226
C. A. Spofford	272
Charles Spofford	28
Scattering	9

Hon. Joshua Nye, Insurance Commissioner, presented his annual account, of which the following is a summary:

Total receipts	$4,181 00
Expenditures and salary	2,758 56
Balance paid into the treasury	$1,422 44

The report disapproving the action of the Trustees of Insane Hospital in appointing Dr. E. C. Neal of Illinois, assistant physician, was reconsidered, and a report approving the action of the Trustees accepted.

Leave to withdraw was granted on the petitions for pardon of Ida May Bell of Portland; Charles H. Brett of Augusta; Sewall Packard, Sidney; John Madden, Lewiston; Edward A. Wright, Eben Dodge and William E. Cunningham, Lincoln county; Michael Smith, Augusta; all convicts in the State Prison at Thomaston.

The Council adjourned to the first day of December next.

[By Associated Press.]

Fire in Eastport.

EASTPORT, Oct. 31.—A fire here last night destroyed a small dwelling house owned by D. N. Clark. Insured in the Eastport Mutual for $600.

Fire at Newcastle.

BATH, Oct. 31.—A barn and currier's shop owned by William Davidson were burned, with their contens, in Newcastle last night. Loss about $1500; no insurance. Probably the work of an incendiary.

Postal.

The following is the only postal change announced from Washington, as taking place in Maine the past week: Postmaster appointed, I. Hampton Page, Fort Kent, Aroostook county.

Discharged.

PORTSMOUTH, Nov. 1.—A large number of workmen were discharged from the navy yard Saturday night, work in the construction department being suspended.

MASSACHUSETTS.

The Centennial.

BOSTON, Nov. 1.—The deputation from the Centennial Board of Finance, consisting of Hon. John Welch, Fred Tially, Secretary, Hon. William Digler, Financial Agent, and N. P. Shortridge and Arthur S. Little, Esq., of Philadelphia, were guests of the Commercial Club of Boston, Saturday evening. Hon. Alex. H. Rice, from the chair, eloquently commended the Centennial Celebration, Gov. Bigler, Mr. Tially, Mr. Welch and Mr. Thomas Webster with great clearness and ability explained the features of the exhibition and the progress that has been made in preparations for it. They were followed by several eminent Boston merchants, who severally urged the active co-operation of New England. Much enthusiasm was manifested and resolutions passed unanimously as follows:

Resolved, That we, as citizens of Boston, do heartily endorse the object of the Centennial Exhibition.

Resolved, That a general appeal be made to our fellow citizens to aid by their subscriptions to the extent of their abilities, the Centennial Board of Finance in carrying out in a proper manner the programme which has been so nobly inaugurated.

Probable Murder.

Early Sunday morning Catherine Harris, aged 50, was found dead on a bed saturated with blood, in a house at South Boston. Her husband, Michael, is under arrest and an inquest ordered.

NEW YORK.

Interesting Case.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The case of the United States against Polhamus & Jackson, brokers, was concluded in the United States Court yesterday. In this suit the United States sought to recover some $500,000 which had been lost by Paymaster Hodge in speculations in stocks and gold from Polhamus & Jackson, through whom he operated in Wall street. The arguments of counsel were concluded at a late hour, and Judge Shipman charged the jury at considerable length. After an absence of about twenty minutes the jury returned with a verdict for the defendants.

Various Matters.

James M. Clark, a well known Sandy Hook pilot, was drowned yesterday while bringing a vessel into port.

David Hartigan, foreman of Woodruff & Robinson's warehouse, Brooklyn, discharged a couple of workmen yesterday, named O'Neill and Scanlan, for which they beat Hartigan so badly that he died after reaching home. The murderers escaped.

Martin Groves, a dissipated brute, was hanged by miners at a small village, near Port Jervis, one day this week, for outraging a 13 year old daughter of a widow. He was believed to have been guilty of two other similar crimes with murder added to it.

A great fire swept over the meadows last night between Newark and Hackensack river, carrying everything before it. It required considerable effort on the part of the employes of the railroad to save a number of freight cars on a side track near the car shops. The grass caught fire from locomotive sparks.

WASHINGTON.

Sale of the Arsenals Advised.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—This Chief of Ordinance in his report recommends the sale of the arsenal at Augusta, Me. An army board has also made the same recommendation, including several other arsenals.

The Burglary Case.

In the safe burglary to-day lawyer Davidge in cross-examining a witness named Hayes, threated him with the terrors of the court, when Judge Humphreys called on Davidge to cease badgering the witness, and finally ordered him to sit down or he would make him. He sat down, subsequently, the Judge again had to call Davidge's attention to the style of examination, to which the Judge objected.

Hayes stated that Steinberge offered him $3000 to leave the country so that he should not testify in this case.

Albert Cunz of New York, was bailed in $5,000 for his appearance at the next term. The court adjourned till Monday.

An Explanation.

The letter of Attorney General Williams, in reply to one from the marshal for Delaware were explanatory of the enforcement of the election laws, and saying that the government expects of its officers firm, earnest and resolute action in the performance of the duty they enjoin, was designed to answer some remarks of Senator Bayard in a recent speech.

Reduction of the Army.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The War Department in accordance with the law is reducing the personel of the army to 25,000, there now being about 27,000 in the service. The reduction will leave off officers commissioned and non-commissioned to every eleven men, the law having made no provision for a reduction. According to an order of the War Department, non-commissioned officers and other meritorious privates may re-enlist at posts where they may be stationed. This saves expense of transportation.

Southern Claims.

The commissioners of the southern claims are now engaged in taking testimony. The entire number of claims presented to the commissioners is over 22,000, only 5,254 of which have been adjudicated. The number to be reported to Congress next winter will not be so large as heretofore.

Various Matters.

The Secretary of the Treasury has directed the Assistant Treasurer at New York to sell half a million dollars in gold each Thursday during November. The aggregate sales will be $2,000,000.

The Internal revenue receipts to-day were $321,839; for the month ending to day, $9,204,871; fiscal year, $36,682,498.

POLITICAL.

Speaker Blaine at Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov. 1.—Speaker Blaine addressed a large audience of Republicans at City Hall last night, urging the claims of the Republican party on the ground that the Democrats do not heartily support the constitutional amendments. Mr. Blaine having been reported as saying in a speech at Worcester that "there has never been in any convention of the Democratic party, national, state, county or district, a single declaration agreeing to abide by that (the 14th) amendment," the Springfield Republican of yesterday called his attention to the fact that the last Democratic National Convention, by a vote of 662 to 70 adopted a platform containing this plank: "We pledge ourselves to maintain the union of these States, emancipation and enfranchisement, and to oppose any re-opening of the questions settled by the 13th, 14th and 15th amendments of the constitutions."

Mr. Blaine said with reference to this: "I have said that no Democratic convention that was a true exponent of the party and speaking its spirit, has by a single declaration agreed to stand by the 14th amendment. I am reminded by the Springfield Republican that that the Baltimore convention of 1872 did so. I say that that convention was not an exponent of the Democratic party at all. They agreed to take Mr. Greeley, the nominee of the Cincinnati convention, on his own confession of faith. He was committed to support that amendment and they took him as a man takes a farm with the incumbrances. He was disastrously defeated, and the moment the Greeley restriction was taken off they went back to their old principles. Show me any Democratic platform of 1873 or 1874 that supports the principles of the 14th amendment. I repeat that no Democratic convention, pure and simple, has expressed an intention to abide by these amendments."

Mr. Blaine closed by again declaring that he could mention ten Democrats in the North who might, if they rise equal to the occasion, speak peace to the South and peace to the nation on this question.

A Desperate Fight.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—A Wilmington, Delaware, despatch states that the negroes in attendance at a Republican meeting there, Thursday night, were assaulted on their way home. There was quite a desperate street fight, in which guns, pistols, bludgeons, bricks and knives were used. One was fatally, and a large number of others seriously wounded. There was a similar row in Trenton last night.

Senator Conkling on the Western Elections.

Senator Roscoe Conkling delivered an address to the Republican mass meeting in the Brooklyn Academy of Music last night. In the course of his remarks he said that the elections in Ohio and Indiana were recently carried by the rant and din and roar of suspicion against the authorities, and the uneasy distrust which carps and sighs for a change. These two states have been made to declare not only for watering and debasing the currency, but for repudiating the nation's obligations and dishonoring the nation's plighted faith, cheating the public creditors out and out.

This has gone over to Europe, to every money centre on the globe, as the real purpose of a great body of the American people; and this, too, at a time when we are borrowers in the markets of the world, seeking to negotiate our obligations at a lower rate of interest so as to refund our debt. Such is the base and brazen message which the men in Ohio and Indiana sent greeting to the east. What does the Democracy of New York say to it? Cannon thunder their applause. A hundred guns have been fired for this inglorious achievement wherever Democrats could get trusted for the powder. The country is to pay an increased rate of interest for these victories, as we have paid heretofore for the evangel of repudiation, declared in Democratic conventions.

FIRE RECORD.

Numerous and Destructive Conflagrations.

The Fires in Ohio.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—A Cincinnati special has acounts of fires in the western forests. On Thursday at Crestine, Ohio, great alarm was felt lest the fire from the woods on the west would cross the corporation line and communicate with the town. The citizens remained up all night and fought the flames, which they at last got under control by felling immense quantities of timber. Great excitement prevails in Logan, Ohio, for fear that the forest fires would destroy that place.

At New Lexington, Ohio, camp meeting buildings were destroyed by fires that almost enveloped the place, but fortunately could not approach nearer than two miles for want of fuel, but at last accounts several habitations scattered through the country were threatened. At Cambridge, Ohio, the woods are burning fiercely in four different places, and threaten to destroy the trestlework. At Dodson, Ohio, sparks from a passenger train ignited a pile of wood, and the wind drove the flames through the woods and fields, destroying a large quantity of cord wood, many fences, and an enormous quantity of harvested corn. The region of Kenton, Ohio, was also swept by a forest fire, that destroyed large quantities of corn, fences and farm buildings.

At Ironton, Ohio, forest fires destroyed immense quantities of valuable timber. This is the iron region of Southern Ohio, and the loss is serious, on account of cutting short the timber intended for making charcoal for the manufacture of iron. At Belle Fontaine, Ohio, the farm-house, out-buildings and the entire crop of wheat of John Horn were destroyed, the forest fires having communicated by beds of fallen leaves, which the winds had swept along the ground like a train of gunpowder. His loss $40,000,

The citizens of Geneva, Ohio, near Cleveland, turned out en masse to fight the forest fires. Some residences were consummed but no loss of life is recorded.

In Kentucky.

Accounts from Russell, Ky., are serious. The forest is on fire around Lake Russell and Amanda iron furnaces for an area of four miles, and it is feared that extensive damage will be sustained unless the wind should change or a heavy rain ensue.

In Indiana.

A reign of terror is reported from Muncie, Ind., and Fort Wayne, Ind., on account of forest fires raging two days. The woods have been on fire in places for several weeks past, but the high winds have fanned the flames into a fierceness that caused the largest timbers to fall before them like dried cornstalks. Nearly 2,000 acres of fine forest timber are already consumed and the flames are still progressing through dense woods with a stiff breeze stimulating them into destructive action. Alarm is felt that Rushville, Ind., will be consumed by the fire from the surrounding woods.

Other Fires.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 31.—Dumont's foundry and machine shops were burned this morning. Loss $50,000

The residence of Lewis Miller at Akron, Ohio, was burned yesterday. Loss $30,000.

A fire at Youngstown, Ohio, yesterday, destroyed three business blocks and a hotel. Loss $10,000.

NEW LONDON, Ct., Oct 31.—A fire occured at 10.30 this morning in 58 state street, extending to 56, 54 and 52, known as the Goddard block, which was burned out. Loss $16,500; insured.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 31.—To-night a four-story brick building 11 and 12 Edward street, occupied by Gunther & Fink as a furniture manufactory. Between thirty and forty workmen are out of employment and loose their tools. The total loss is estimated at $15,000; insurance $5000.

A fire at Selimo Grove, Pa., Friday night started in a stable. A heavy wind prevailed, and over two squares in the central part of the town were burned, including the Keystone and National hotels, Central schoolhouse, Methodist church and the Times printing office. About sixty buildings in all were burned. Loss 120,000.

The residence of Jacob Thompson in Memphis was set on fire and partially destroyed Saturday morning. It is believed that the house was first robbed and then fired. Loss $15,000.

Aid for Nebraska.

OMAHA, Oct. 31.—The officers and branch societies of the Nebraska Relief and Aid Society in behalf of the sufferers by the grasshopper plague are receiving contributions to meet immediate demands. It is proposed to send a car load per week of provisions and clothing to each of the principal stations in western counties, where the crops were destroyed, if the liberal contributions now arriving continue. Nine car loads have been already forwarded. Precautions are taken to see they go only to the needy and are fairly distributed. Care is also taken to obtain such facts as will prevent the circulation of extravagant rumors. The executive committee in Omaha and the authorized officers of the branch associations (where such are formed) are alone empowered to receive contributions. There is already much want and suffering.

Race Troubles.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 31.—The warlike demonstrations at Armstrong mines, near Buena Vista, between the Italians and discharged miners are causing considerable excitement among the people in that vicinity. A number of citizens of Buena Vista and Ellsworth township have called upon the sheriff for aid to suppress the trouble. They state that the firing is kept up across the river during the night, the balls striking houses and endangering the lives of the people in that neighborhood. The sheriff has telegraphed the Governor, asking that measures be taken to suppress the rioters' proceedings.

The Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce ask the government to give the clothing in store at Jeffersonville, Ind., to the Nebraska sufferers.

MYSTERY.

A Man Arrested by Bismarck's Order.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 31.—On Wednesday evening last a young German whose name cannot be learned was taken in charge by Thomas Lanergan, manager of the detective association of this city. The order for his capture came by cable from Bismarck in Berlin. He was an under secretary to Count Von Arnim when that nobleman was officiating as Minister at Paris.

At the time the letters of Bismarck to the Count were abstracted from the archives of the Paris legation, a portion of them were confided to the care of the under secretary, with instructions to keep himself out of the way. He remained concealed till Von Arnim's arrest, and about six weeks ago started for New York and proceeded thence to Kansas City, Mo., where he remained two weeks. At the expiration of that time he came to St. Louis, where he arrived ten days ago. He took lodgings in the aristocratic portion of the city, under an assumed name. Money seemed plentiful with him, and he made no effort to secure employment.

When Von Arnim was admitted to bail, he pledged himself to secure the return of the under secretary, and also of the papers in his possession, and furnish Bismarck with a clue to his whereabouts.

Bismarck's despatch was to the German officials at Washington and they communicated with Lanergan here. He immediately put himself in communication with the under secretary, who only demanded that the request for his return should come from Von Arnim. Upon being satisfied it was his master's wish, he consented to go back to Berlin. He had left the letters and papers in charge of a German merchant in New York.

On Wednesday night he left St. Louis for the East via the Vandalia route, arriving in New York Friday night, receiving his papers and setting sail to-day for Europe.

There has been an effort on the part of the detectives to conceal the affair, but it has leaked out through a friend of the under secretary, who also refuses to give the man's name. The detectives upon being questioned admit they sent such a man to Europe upon advices from Berlin, but declined to give his name or tell how far he was connected with Von Arnim of the abstracted state documents, though they admit he was wanted for political reasons.

SPORTING.

Race in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—The great race between Occident and Judge Fullerton for $3500 came off here to day. Fullerton was made the favorite, but the friends of Occident were confident of success and backed their opinions freely. The pool selling was begun on the course at half past one o'clock and became quite brisk.

When the horses came to the hitching post between five and six thousand people were present. Occident was driven by Budd Doble and never made a skip in any of the heats. Fullerton, who was driven by Hickox, broke badly after the start in the last heat, losing about seven lengths which he could not regain. The first heat was won by Fullerton, and the second and third heats and the race by Occident. Time 2.19, 2.18, 2.22 3-4.

Probably $50,000 changed hands on the result, which caused great excitement.

LOUISIANA AFFAIRS.

Troops at Election.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 31.—A general order issued from headquarters of the Department of the Army of the Gulf, contains the following in relation to the disposition of troops on Monday: Troops are in this city to preserve peace and order and to prevent the conflict between armed bodies of men, and for no other purpose. They will continue to abstain from political discussions and any interference with the election. All the officers and men are requested to remain in their quarters during the day of election unless called out to prevent a conflict between armed bodies, only by orders from superior military authority.

It turns out that act 44 of 1865 has been in operation since 1868, when the laws of the state were codified.

The Herald's New Orleans special says that many of the people frightened away to the swamps by the cavalry on the line of the Red river are now returning and mean to vote.

INDIANS.

Further Punishment of the Hostile Savages.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—A Fort Sill letter of the 24th says that the Indian troubles have been provoked by poor and insufficient food and swindling contractors. The last victory by Major Schofield, on Elk creek, resulted in the capture of 96 warriors and all their families and the outfit belonging to the Noconoe, Kiowa and Zamperica Comanche tribes, with from 1300 to 2000 ponies. Their arms were taken from them, and with all their property contraband of war destroyed. The bucks are held closely guarded.

Bloody Riot.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Nov. 1.—Last night several stables were burned at Mahoney City, and after the fire was subdued a dispute arose between the members of the fire companies which ended in a riot. Pistols, billies and all kinds of available weapons were used. George Major, the chief burgess, was shot, and is now lying at home in a critical condition, the ball entering near his heart. Daniel Doherty, who shot Major, was shot in the neck by William Major. Dougherty was arrested on a charge of shooting George Major, and William Major was arrested for shooting Dougherty. Others were wounded, and the excitement throughout the town runs high.

Bad Affair.

DETROIT, Oct. 31.—The coroner's inquest over Stoddard, first engineer of the exploded steamer Brooklyn, was concluded to-day. The verdict declared that the steamer was racing at the time of the disaster, that the safety valve had been tampered with, that she was carrying more steam than was allowed, and that Capt. Brown, Master Hillyard and the engineer killed by the explosion, and Dr. Ryder, who were on duty at the time, were responsible for the disaster.

Snow Storm.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 31.—Trains arriving from the East to-day are covered with snow two inches deep. The storm is between Buffalo and Erie.

METEOROLOGICAL

PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

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

For New England,

partly cloudy weather, continued low temperature, west or south winds, rising barometer and light snow north of Massachusetts.

FOREIGN.

Spanish News.

MADRID, Nov. 1.—It is asserted that several leading Carlists have waited on Don Carlos at Tolosa, to represent to him that it is useless to continue the war. The Iberia has intelligence that Don Carlos intends to hold an important conference on French territory and expresses the hope that the French authorities will prevent it.

The detachments under Gen. Estaban, stationed at Gravalter's, mutinied last week. The Captain General of Barcelona sent a strong detachment to restore order there and several mutineers were shot. The cantonalists are accused of tampering with the army.

Gen. Despuyol has defeated the Carlists under Cucola, near Maestrazzo. The insurgents lost 120 men in the fight.

Bonapartist Victory.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—The second election for a member of the assembly in the Pos De Calais was held to-day. Returns nearly complete give M. Delisse Engraud, Bonapartist, 7,700 votes and M. Brasive, Republican, 67,000.

Henri Rochefort has established the publishing office of the Lauterne in Berne, Switzerland.

Various Matters.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A despatch from Hong Kong says the latest advices from Pekin and Yeddo are of a pacific nature. It is the general belief a war will be avoided. The Japanese government has intimated that Chinese residents in Japan will not be molested if war is declared.

The Pall Mall Gazette prints a rumor that the Carlist war department is negotiating with the Madrid government for an armistice.

QUEBEC, Oct. 31.—The Gazette has passed into the hands of the proprietor of the Morning Chronicle, and will be incorporated with that paper. The Gazette was 110 years old.

Cuban Affairs.

HAVANA, Oct. 29.—The village of Abino, near Cienfuegos, was attacked on the night of the 21st and sacked by a band of 40 men. The barracks and a store and house adjoining were burned and three of the inhabitants wounded. The plunderers were pursued, overtaken and routed.

Double Track.

MONTREAL, Nov. 1.—The Grand Trunk Railway Co. have commenced doubling their track between Bonaventure depot and Point St. Charles, via Tanneres Junction..

MINOR TELEGRAMS.

Martin Gordon of Suncook, N. H., 37 years old, fell from the railroad bridge near Hooksett Friday night, and was drowned. He leaves a widow and two children.

James Hish was stoned to death at Fishback, Pa., Thursday. A man named Fisher is missing, and several superintendents of coal mines in that vicinity have been notified to leave by a gang of robbers and murderers who infest that region.

A man named Henry Broadbent, who last March boarded with negroes in South Oyster Bay, where Jones was killed, has not been seen since the latter part of March, and it is believed that he was murdered by the gang of negroes with whom Jarvis and Jackson were connected.

Friday forenoon, Cordelia Lessoxle, a French girl 11 years old, had her left arm torn from the socket by being caught in a belt in the Massachusetts corporation weave room, in Lowell. She died in a few minutes.

Rev. John O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's church, Lowell, died at the tea-table last night of apoplexy. Aged 74.

About 600 Department clerks and others will go home from Washington to vote.

The city of New Orleans owes its fire department $100,000. The men don't propose to work after the 15th inst. if not paid.

Base ball—Bostons 13, Hartfords 5.

Halifax received 10,000 barrels of flour last week.

Hon. H. Y. Hackett of Portsmouth, N. H., has been appointed to take testimony in the Alabama claims in that district.

The Franklin telegraph wires have been laid to Strau's Point, Rye Beach.

A London despatch says that it is reported that 150 persons are sick with typhoid fever in the town of Dawrenover, county of Lancaster, being more than a sixteenth of the population.

Mobile business men telegraph that there is no authenticated case of yellow fever in the city.

Two men lost their lives by the fire in the Belcher mine, Nevada. Loss $50,000.

Ex-Gov. Enos Throop died in Auburn, N. Y., Sunday afternoon.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Foreign Exports.

Portland Wholesale Markets

SATURDAY, Oct. 31.—The markets have been rather quiet to-day. Corn is firm at 1 00 @ 1 03, in scant supply and active demand; meal at 98c. Flour shows a little more activity, there being considerable inquiry for low grades. Groceries are firm. Sugars are very steady.

HALIFAX, NS. Steamer Chase—1300 bbls flour, 101 do peas, 1594 bags wheat, 110 do malt, 77 sewing machines, 108 cases boots and shoes, 107 pkgs paper, 75 bbls beef, 10 pkgs leather, 27 cases liquor, 27 pkgs cordage, 219 do merchandise.

HALIFAX, NS. Br Schr Champion—1100 bbls of flour.

HALIFAX, NS. Br Schr Ocean Belle—1100 bbls flour, 1230 galls refined oil.

Daily Domestic Receipts.

Grand Trunk Railroad—Josselyn & Co 200 bbls of flour, King & Gilman 100 do do and 6 cars corn, Messrs. Milliken 200 do do, David Keazer 200 do do, D W Coolidge 300 do, I T Burbridge 100 do do, I C Towle 200 do do, Empire Mills Co 300 do do, J B Fisk 200 do do, Davies Wood & Co 4 cars peas in bulk, Blake & Jones 1 car corn, Stevens & Co 2 cars corn, G W True 1 car corn, W Cluxton 1 car peas, Waldron & True 1 car bran, J F Libby 2 cars potatoes, Kensell & Tabor 2 cars corn.

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

Rockland Lime Market.

ROCKLAND, Oct. 30—Market very firm; common 90c @ 1 00; Lump $1 40; Casks, 25c.

Wood—Firm at $5 for best.

Boston Stock List.

[Sales at the Broker's Board, Oct. 31.]

Boston & Maine Railroad	111½
Eastern Railroad	52

Sales at Auction.

Eastern Railroad	—@ 52½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth R.	—@ 111
Boston & Maine Railroad	—@ 111½
Maine State Sixes 1889	—@ 101½
Eastern Railroad 7s. 1883	—@ 93
Eastern Railroad	—@ 52½
Boston & Maine Railroad	—@ 111½
Eastern Railroad 7's, 1882	91½ @ 91½
do do 1883	90½
Eastern Railroad 6s. 1885	75

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Stocks opened active and strong. Governments dull and strong. Money 2 per cent. Gold at 110. Sterling Exchange, long, 482½; do short, 488.

The following were the closing quotations of Government securities:

United States coupon 6's, 1881	118½
United States 5-20's, 1862	113½
United States 5-20's 1864	116½
United States 5-20's, 1865, old	117½
United States 5-20's, 1865, new	116½
United States 5-20's, 1867	117½
United States 5-20's, 1868	117½
United States new 5's	112½
United States 10-40 coupon	112
Currency 6's	117½

The following were the closing quotations of Stocks:

Western Union Telegraph Co	79¾
Pacific Mail	45½
N Y Central and Hudson River consolidated	102½
Erie	28¾
Erie preferred	45
Union Pacific stock	33¾
Michigan Central	72
Lake Shore	80
Illinois Central	91½
Chicago & Northwestern	36¾
Chicago & Northwestern preferred	82
Chicago & Rock Island	97¾

The following were the quotations for Pacific Railroad securities:

Central Pacific bonds	92½
Union Pacific	87½
Union Pacific land grants	85½
Union Pacific incomes	89½

Gold closed at 110¼. Imports of the week—dry goods, $1,090,354; merchandise, $3,635,765. The sub-Treasurer paid $608,000 as interest and $6900 for called bonds. The specie shipments for the week were $400,120, principally silver bars. Custom receipts $234,000; for the week $2,097,000.

Domestic Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—Evening.—Flour—receipts 13,845 bbls; exports 6832 bbls; sales 6565 bbls; market dull, business limited to small lots for trade wants at shaded prices; No 2 best 3 50; superfine best 4 25; extra State 4 75 @ 5 00; sales at 4 95; Southern flour slow; Western Winter quiet; Minnesota in moderate inquiry. Buckwheat flour easier at 3 25 @ 3 40 for State; 3 50 @ 3 75 for Penn. per 100 lbs. There was more than usual Saturday's dullness; export inquiry limited; local demand small. Wheat—receipts 150,904 bush; exports 88,739 bush; sales 96,000 bush; stock on New York canals 1,469,930; market opened quiet and steadily held, buyers holding off; later sales were at 1 02 for No 2 Chicago Spring; 1 04½ @ 1 05 for No 2 Milwaukee Spring; 1 00 for No 3 Spring; 1 35 for extra White Winter; 1 12 @ 1 18 for red Winter; 21 @ 1 23 for Amber Winter; 1 25 @ 1 36 as the range for common to extra choice White Winter. Corn—receipts 55,147 bush; exports 17,592 bush; stock 679,000 bush; sales 68,000 bush at 92 @ 92½ for Western Mixed on spot; same figures for last half Nov; 95c for rowed State; 85c for Yellow; old and new Mixed Western White scarce and nominal; market closed quiet and firm. Oats—receipts 66,427 bush; exports 1250 bush; stock 311,000 bush; sales 32,500 bush at 60 @ 61c for White; chiefly at 60c; 60 @ 61c for Western Mixed 58 @ 60c for State Mixed; closed quiet and buyers holding off. Barley—receipts 49,508; stock 322,313 bush; sales 24,000

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CITY AND VICINITY.

New Advertisements To-Day.

SPECIAL NOTICES

I. A. R. A.

Hawbord, Womanhood and Nervous Diseases.
To Let—House.
Opening—Enos Gray.
The Aldine.
Official Postal Guide.
Norfolk, &c., Steamship Line.
AUCTION COLUMN.
Plants, Hanging Baskets—F. G. Bailey & Co.

Superior Court.

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

SATURDAY.—Bridget Moles vs Richard Roberts. Assumpsit upon an account annexed to recover balance of twenty-eight dollars alleged to be due for board and fuel. Defendant claimed that a deduction of twelve dollars should be made for absent time in accordance with an agreement with the plaintiff. Decision for the plaintiff for seventeen dollars.

J. C. Woodman for plaintiff.
Bradburys for defendant.

The October term was then adjourned finally.—There have been about one hundred and twenty cases on the trial list finally disposed of at this term and the continued docket for the November term will be about seventy-five less than at the October term.

The November term will commence Tuesday morning next at ten o'clock.

Judge Symonds will have a hearing at chambers Monday afternoon.

Municipal Court.

JUDGE MORRIS PRESIDING.

SATURDAY.—Thomas Haley, John H. Durgin and Simeon Howard. Intoxication. Fined $5 each with costs.

Brief Jottings.

October came to grief Saturday, and stepped down and out, leaving its trace, however, on "autumn's brown and withered scroll."

But twenty-three people went "over to the majority" in this city during the month of October.

Forty-one intentions of marriage were entered on the city clerk's books last month.

That was rather a chilly farewell that October paid us Saturday.

The Real Estate Register for November will not be issued until to-morrow morning.

Squirrel hunts are the popular amusements now. Every old gun in town is in use.

It is proposed to run a tri-weekly line between Boothbay and Portland during the fall and winter, by the steamer Grace Darling, Capt. Boynton. The steamer will go up one day and back the next, carrying both freight and passengers.

The jig is up. The warm weather has come to an end.

November came in yesterday in character, cold and gray.

Mr. G. C. Tyler, of the firm of Tyler & Cox, had the misfortune to break his shoulder while hunting on the Megalloway.

The yacht Ethel has been sold to a Georgia purchaser.

The Dramatic Mirror is the title of the new play bill at the Museum. It is very neatly gotten up, and is richly perfumed with Florida water from Hinds' establishment under the Preble.

The deputies are on the war path once more. Saturday evening they made a seizure of ale and whiskey at Hafey's on Washington street.

Three members of the Sophomore class of Bowdoin College, one of them from Portland, were suspended for hazing, Saturday.

Cumberland Mills is putting in hydrants, &c., making connection with the water works.

The author of "Ginx's Baby" was at the Preble Saturday, en route to Canada.

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

Lot of land in Casco Bay, known as Little Chebeague Island, from Mary C. Osgood to Nathan Cleaves and Henry B. Cleaves. Consideration $9000.

Lot of land with buildings thereon, on southerly side of Portland street, from George Loring to Agnes Loring. Consideration $1.

Lot of land with buildings thereon, on northerly corner of York and Tate streets, from Kate McArthur to Geo. R. Davis. Consideration $50.

Lot of land with brick dwelling house thereon, on northerly side of Deering street, from Emily L. G Ayres to Sarah A. Flood. Consideration $8300.

Lot of land on westerly side of Oak street, from Mary A. Brigham to Rufus Deering and others. Consideration $1800.

Lot of land on westerly corner of Vesper street, from S. B. Beckett to Nathaniel S. Hazeltine. Consideration $950.

Lot of land on northerly side of Cumberland street, from Mary L. Deering and others to Edward H. Merrill. Consideration $1800.

Parcel of land with buildings thereon, on Congress street, from Ira P. Farrington to Nehemiah Curtis. Consideration $2600.

TEMPERANCE.—The recent temperance movement is still increasing in interest. Meetings have been held every evening for ten evenings in succession. At Allen Mission Chapel Saturday, a very interesting meeting was participated in by several gentlemen, and last evening the chapel was crowded to overflowing. Old temperance stagers and men but recently entered into the work, as well as several reformed men, occupied the time. Several signed the pledge, some of them were very hard drinkers.

A meeting was also held at Preble Chapel, where a lively and interesting discussion was participated in, in regard to the merits of legal suasion and moral suasion.

The meeting will be at Allen Mission this evening, at Chestnut street vestry Thuesday evening and at State street church Wednesday evening.

TEMPERANCE AT STROUDWATER.—Last evening a large and earnest temperance meeting was held at Stroudwater. The address, which was attentively listened to and frequently applauded, was delivered by Mr. J. R. McKelvey. It was followed by brief remarks from Dr. True, Mr. A. J. Chase and others. At the conclusion of the speaking the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we view with profound sorrow the open and unrestrained sale of intoxicating liquors in our midst, particularly on Sunday, and hereby call on the municipal authorities of the town, the sheriff, the church, the avowed friends of temperance and prohibition to co-operate in immediately suppressing the same.

THE MUSEUM.—This evening Miss Isadora Cameron appears at the Portland Museum for the first time since her serious indisposition. The play selected is "The Lady of Lyons," in which Miss Cameron made so favorable an impression two weeks ago. There was a general desire expressed to see her once more in this drama, and it is a wise step in the management to reproduce it. She deserves a hearty welcome and a big house. The caste of the play has undergone some changes, Mrs. Grattan assuming the character of Madame Deschappelles, and Mr. Bascomb that of the evil genius of the plot. The "Octoroon" is underlined for Thursday.

WARD'S OPERA HOUSE.—New attractions will be brought out at Ward's Opera House this week, nine new actors being announced. The Yeaman sisters will appear in new and pleasing character sketches; the Grinnell children, Hattie and Bennie, are booked for music and dance; Sergeant Burke gives his wonderful Zouave drill; Lulu Delmar, said to be a serio-comic vocalist of more than ordinary ability, is announced; Albert and Jennie Lamont, gymnasts, and D. L. Morris, Dutch comedian, complete the list. Burton Stanley is retained for another week.

COMPETITION AND LOW PRICES.—The result of competition is seen in the recent action of the Portland Steam Packet Company in cutting down the price of a passage from this city to Boston to fifty cents. This commendable action looks like a return to low prices all round, and it is intimated that the railroads are thinking of a reduction of fares.

SUNDAY WORK.—The Boston & Maine railroad had a force of men on all day yesterday raising the tracks under the High street bridge. The road bed, before the raising, was over two feet above the drainage line of the culvert that takes off the surplus water. It is now about 2 feet 9 inches above the drain.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

INDIA ST. UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Last evening, Rev. Geo. W. Bicknell, pastor, gave the fourth lecture in the Practical Course, which he is delivering to large audiences at his church, taking for his theme, "Clean Hands." He announced two lectures upon this subject, the first being given last evening. He said that the Bible made several references to the necessity of clean hands, and hence he deemed it an appropriate subject for the pulpit, especially as that necessity was as great to-day as it ever was in the past. The Pharisees were very exact in this particular respecting the fleshy hand, though in their dealings with men it mattered but little what hands they employed, whether of meanness, fraud or hypocrisy. So many now regard very rigidly the outward, and pay but little heed to the spirit which moves it. This latter we must regard. If we ever expect happiness—to ascend into the "hill of the Lord"—the outward and the internal must be pure and holy. It is not enough to keep clean physical hands, but the spiritual ones must be the same. Keeping clean hands means discharging all obligations fulfilling all duties, rising above all evils—so that disobedience, neglect or inactivity will not cling to them.

In making material offerings, man wants clean hands. So in making the offerings of love, friendship, and their kindred, which we are to make in our associations with men, we require pure spiritual hands, with no taint of selfishness—no corruption clinging to them. If there is a corruption within; if the spirit which moves men's hands is wrong—even though one may seek to hide it—it will, in some unguarded moment, betray itself. Hence man needs inward as well as outward purity if he would not stand forth a hypocrite.

It is becoming an established truth that unclean hands, moved by corrupt spirits, are disreputable. People are beginning to regard the hypocrite, whether it is the low vagabond, the "brilliant journalist," or the "greatest preacher in America," with that contempt which each deserves. Let them purify themselves if they desire to stand well. He believed that the church, if it does not desire to contaminate itself by professing purity, yet winking at wrong when it happens among its own members, must frown upon all unclean hands, and not attempt to whitewash instead of remove the corruption.

The speaker then passed on to notice the necessity of clean hands in several special relations, speaking first of benevolence. He was specially severe upon that species of so-called benevolence, which is offered that praise from men may be elicited; which is given to aid on good causes, that the world may land; which gives and then regrets—such is given with unclean hands, soiled with selfishness and impurities. The true way is to cultivate pure love for higher things a love which will enable men to cheerfully consecrate a portion of their blessings, to aid on reforms and enterprises having the advancement of man in view, and to feel that sympathy for the poor and suffering, which will cause one to act not for praise, but from love.

The activities of life call for clean hands. The world is alive to-day, and with its demand for active hands, is coupled a demand for pure ones. It was one of the grandest blessings inaugarated for man, when Father Adam was set to work; and one of the instructions always to be given to the rising generation, is, that labor is honorable, and more, that their hands should be kept clean from indolence. Moreover, too many stand aloof from the reformatory movements, and thereby keep unclean hands by endeavoring to believe that it is nothing to them. Our duties reach out beyond ourselves. There are obligations we owe to the general good; and if not faithful, we must fear impurity. As long as intemperance, the social evil, intrigues, general corruptions reign, we are to work, labor, have duties resting upon us, and a command to act. As we obey, we grow stronger. As we fail, weakness must be ours.

A third point was the necessity of clean hands from crime. He would not touch upon the great crimes, but alluded to some relations, where men and women do not feel that their acts are specially wrong. Crime is the violation of natural or divine law. To have clean hands, we must abandon all wrong. God has given us bodies to care for. If by indulgence in wrong directions, we bring suffering or weakness, we are criminals in the sight of heaven. The man who employs night in feverish excitements, the woman of fashion, the person who wrongs his neighbor, who slanders and gossips, who breaks any of the laws which should govern his physical, moral or affectional natures is, while thus doing the possessor of unclean hands.

Besides the consequences of a man's criminality, reach, in accordance with the expression of the Infinite, unto the third and fourth generations. Our ancestry may have been strong and vigorous, but their intense overwork gave us weaker men and women; and he believed that the intense strain which many place upon themselves, the excitement in which parents indulge in the fashionable world, and in business strained to its utmost, was giving to the world a generation of still weaker beings than ever. God will never permit a violation of his law without the consequences following. He urged greater adherence to the laws and principles of health. Let each and every one, as he or she has strength, be faithful to duty in each relation of life, and thereby possess clean hands, and consequently become happier here and better fitted for happiness hereafter.

CHESTNUT STREET CHURCH.

In the afternoon the pastor, Rev. S. F. Jones, preached an excellent sermon on the parable of the Prodigal Son. This was one of the group of the parables of Jesus Christ, among which were those of the shepherd leaving the ninety and nine sheep and going in search of the one that was lost, and the woman losing one of her ten coins and lighting her candle to find it, and then bidding her friends come and rejoice with her. These parables of Jesus were perfect. In all of them the point of application was too plain to be mistaken. The preacher went on to say that folly was bound up in the heart of the prodigal. He was bent upon leaving his home, where he had enjoyed all the comforts and blessings of life. A touching tribute was paid to home—the home of early childhood, and the young were enjoined to properly prize it as the dearest spot on earth. Home is not home without the spirit of love, that humbly prays, "Give me this day my daily bread." The demand of rights is the prodigal's claim, "Give me the portion of goods that falleth to me." The preacher observed that he would not have less call for personal rights, but a clearer apprehension of personal obligations. Does woman claim the right to vote? Then she must be educated up to the right standard. The sense of obligation and responsibility should be equal with the sense of right. The estranged heart and alienated affections of the prodigal were impressively dwelt upon. Herein is a lesson of family government. Your child is yours so long as love prevails. When he ceases to love he is lost. Parental authority should be judiciously exercised. The atmosphere of home should be that of love. Love should be the all and in all of the household. Harsh, hasty, passionate chastisement is to be reprehended.

The first stage of the prodigal was extreme alienation. The second stage was extreme apostasy. With all it is either "Nearer my God, to Thee," or the prodigal's wandering to to a far country. The third stage was extreme degradation, where he found his true level in feeding the swine. There are, said the preacher, many to-day who hold their heads high, who, by reason of their profligate lives, if they found their true level would herd swine and feed on husks.

At last there was an awakening on the part of the degraded wanderer. His past life appeared to him in its true colors—a life as dismal as the valley of the shadow of death. The fourth stage was extreme remorse, a feeling that could not be long endured. The fifth stage was extreme humiliation. It is only those who have had the bitter experience that know how hard it is to break away from evil habits. It may be compared to a field of battle, where the contending forces alternately gain the advantage. There is no battle waged so fierce and fearful as that which goes on in many a human soul between right and wrong. The sixth stage in the prodigal's career was when he resolved to return to his father, and the parable relates how he was received by the forgiving parent, whose memory leaped over the hideous gulf of his son's depravity to the the period of his innocent childhood. The seventh stage was the prodigal's joyous reception.

The preacher's application was that we stand in the same relation to our Heavenly Father as did the prodigal to his earthly parent. The door ever stands open and our Father is there with outstretched arms ready to welcome the wanderer, with only words of joy and gladness. He sends his heralds fourth into the world, urging, pleading, constraining the lost and wayward to return to the all-Father's house, where is peace and joy and safety forever.

THE SACRED CONCERT.—There was a good audience at City Hall last evening on occasion of the sacred concert, and an audience which seemed, as it had reason to be, greatly pleased. In addition to the original programme, which embraced Chandler's full brass band, the Amphions, Mrs. C. R. Hawes, Miss Hattie Weeks, Miss Leafy Chandler, and Mr. Morgan, a duett by Messrs. Arnold and Tilla of the English opera troupe, and solos by these two gentlemen were given. These were of course great additions to an already fine entertainment and added much to the pleasure of the audience.

COLLISION.—Saturday afternoon, as the schooner Hope On of Boston, was lying at anchor in the harbor, she was run into by the brig Reporter, bound east, and suffered the loss of her jibboom and damage to her head gear. The brig proceeded without stopping to ascertain what damage had been done.

Four children were lately born at a birth—two of them alive—in the parish of Cusop, Herefordshire, England. The curate writes that the father, a toll-keeper in poor circumstances, and who has already four children to provide for, "though naturally confused, seems grateful."

The Aroostook Valley.

Our Growing County—Blunders of Diplomats—Shall the Dominion Get the Aroostook?—The Growth of the Country—Better than the West.

The diplomats and treaty-makers have made such a mess of it in reference to our eastern boundary that our most fertile county of Aroostook is rather separated geographically from the rest of the state. Possibly Nature may be censured, for if she had devoted her energies to powdering the hundreds of acres of granite boulders into arable land which lie between Oldtown and Houlton, railroads would connect that region with the rest of the state. But the belt of boulders and the treaty makers have played the mischief. The fact is that when John Bull was in the mode of it in 1789, our people should have convinced him that it would be much better for him to quit this part of the continent, or at least retire to the St. John as the natural boundary between the nations from source to sea.

But even now that we have a railroad to Houlton, the outlet of Aroostook, the builders have found the boulder swamp belt enchanted land; for, entering it at Mattawamkeag, they run the whole length of it in Maine, plunge into it in New Brunswick to find their way to Aroostook through fifty miles of foreign desert, to say nothing of opening our back door to every stranger who travels over the E. & N. A. Railway that he may see how wretched a tract Maine has. Had the railroad been pushed direct from Mattawamkeag or Danforth to Houlton, and thence to Presque Isle, we should now have been the most fertile section of New England a hundred miles nearer us, see its population increasing fifty per cent. faster than it is now, and its hardy people would be forgetting to speak of the rest of the state and the nation generally as outside.

The Maine man who visits that region won't be satisfied with the situation. As he looks upon the block house at Fort Kent and the redoubt at Fort Fairfield and passes over that romantic territory, made historic by the capture of our zealous land agent by the Bluenose officials, concerning which some stay-at-home wag of a Whig rhymed:

"Run, Strickland, run! Fire Stover, fire!
Were the last words of McIntire,"

he will wish for power to undo history and so write it that any territory west of the St. John river would have been a disagreeable location for a British colony. In a general way we have nothing against John Bull, but don't want anybody in the way on this continent. "Them's our sentiments."

But the round-about railway, the European & North American, is doing a most important work in connection with that running from St. Andrews or Calais to Houlton for the development of Aroostook. Products are now moved which, ten years ago, were dead. Twenty years since the people were fortunate if they could get thirty-five cents a bushel for oats in cash. Indeed, it was rare that any other product would bring cash, except in the best lumbering seasons. Now that railway has multiplied market products to more than a score in number. Hay and oats that would have no market this season of no lumbering, and but for the road would be nearly worthless, find an outside market. A dealer informed us that over 100,000 bushels of oats would be shipped from Houlton the present season to Bangor, Portland and Boston, with thousands of tons of hay. Potatoes, which otherwise would not be worth ten cents a bushel in cash, command forty now, and find a ready means of transportation to Boston via St. Andrews while the season is open.

The Dominion government has, as our readers know, embarked in the businesss of building railroads. It is a reckless policy, and in time our neighbors will find it out. But just now they are building a railway along the east bank of the St. John, which is to be extended to the upper provinces, called the Inter-Colonial, which should awaken some apprehension among our own people; for running up the St. John, at Tobique it is within six miles of Fort Fairfield, and above is only across the river. To Tobique this road will be opened this fall, and already the wide awake people of Fort Fairfield, Caribou and elsewhere are taking measures to secure a road to Caribou, seventeen miles, with the narrow gauge. When this is accomplished, the most fertile section of our state, and that which during the next fifty years is to gain most rapidly in wealth and population, has been tapped by a foreign interest. It is claimed that a part of this business will yet be saved, as the New Brunswick & Canada Railway, by its Woodstock branch, will tap the Inter-Colonial at Woodstock, and thus bring the business via Calais by the former or westward over the E. & N. A. Railway.

It is frequently asked: What of this fertile region of our state—is its population increasing and are its people generally gaining in wealth? The reply must be in the affirmative. During the past fifteen or twenty years, in no section of New England have the people generally improved their condition so much. In all of the towns and settlements of the county, those who have attended to farming, as a general thing, have more than doubled their property in the period named, while hundreds can show ten dollars where they had one twenty years ago. We do not mean to say they can show an increase in money, but in houses, barns, improved farms, stock, and all those things which civilization recognizes as essential to the comfort and real welfare of a people. In that period the census will show the increase in population, but it bears a small ratio to the solid growth in wealth. In all of the best towns there are just lots of men who went into the unbroken forest twenty years ago with an axe, a wife and a few dollars, who now have farms, with good houses, mammoth barns crowded full, large stocks of cattle, worth from two to five thousand dollars. To be sure it was a hard struggle at first, and often it puzzled the heads of families to provide the plainest food for the thrifty and increasing group which in a few years began to crowd the log house. Better days at length came. The log house and black stumps have given place to the neat cottage and plough, and a rather scanty subsistence to a lavish plenty. At first the pioneer had no team, or if any, an indifferent pair of steers. Now the majority of them can hitch a span of horses to your carriage, and nearly every farmer has a good single carriage, while those better to-do are begining to get fine covered carriages, (Portland make.) Of course the man is practical. He is proud of the fact he has accomplished, and is in earnest about everything. He extends his hospitalities in the same way, and woe to the owner of a soft, dainty hand when he has confided it to the vice-like grasp of the hand that hath laid the forest low. Then the good mothers who have helped make these homes are prodigies considered from our city stand point. Many of them have worked in the fields, but they don't look the worse for it. They can make homespun cloth but the woolen mill pays so good a price for wool and makes so good an article of cloth that most of them, unless they have an incredible amount of energy, have given up this industry. They have reared large families, given sons to the country, and may yet be known by their works if one has occasion to visit their pantry or eat their butter and cheese. The dyspeptic had better keep away from their jars of preserves unless he is eager to suffer the gripes of the very wicked. His class don't grow there.

A few days since we saw a farmer who has won a competence in Aroostook, and in the course of our conversation allusion was made to several relatives and neighbors who went West fifteen years ago. He visited them last year and said that none of them were any better to do than when they left Aroostook, and several were not so well off. Judging from others who remained, he expressed the opinion that those who went West would have been worth double the property they now are had they remained in Aroostook. Several other residents having friends there made the same general statements. A very few who went from Aroostook to the West are better off, the many are worse for the change.

Crops the present season of all kinds are excellent. Wheat, which has done well for several years, was a great crop, forty bushels to the acre being harvested frequently. Oats constitute the principal grain crop, the lumber business usually making a market for them. Potatoes are abundant, tens of thousands of bushels being converted into starch and for thousands more there is no market value, owing to remoteness from railroads.

The Bangor jail workshop has been leased by Messrs. Blake & Dole, proprietors of the Harlow street planing and moulding mill. The prices to be paid the county by the lessees of the laborers is fifty cents a day for short terms of imprisonment and eighty cents a day for long terms. The county is to furnish a general overseer, whose duty it will be to exercise a general supervision, to prevent escapes and keep proper surveillance over the workmen. The work to be done is the manufacture of gutters, mouldings, doors, sashes, blinds, &c.

Business Notes.

The Iron Works at Pemb oke are receiving a full stock of coal and iron.

Mr. Hemenway of Machias, has shipped more than one million of lumber per month the past three months.

At Lubec and its vicinity the catch of smoke herring, compared with that of last year, shows a falling off in that locality of 150,000 boxes. The stock on hand Oct. 15, 1873, was 130,000 boxes, against 17,000 boxes the same date this year.

A vessel is loading with porgie chum at Pemaquid for Europe. This probably the first instance of a vessel loading in Bristol for Europe since the days of ancient Pemaquid.

The Union Oil Works at South Bristol are to be sold by the stock-holders at public auction, unless previously disposed of at private sale, Thursday, Nov. 19. Owing to great expense, the works have never paid, and the stock-holders are determined to sell at almost any price.

The Camden Grist Mill Co. dispose annually of 40,000 bushels of corn. Another mill on the Megunticook, owned by Rudolphus Barnes, grinds about 20,500 bushels of corn.

Mr. G. P. Whitney, at Norway, usues about 30,000 bushels of corn in his corn and flour mill, and sells 6,000 barrels of flour annually. There are four run of stones in the mill, and the business amounts to $80,000 per year.

At Caribou 7,000 pounds of starch were manufactured last year, and an increase of 25 per cent. is anticipated the present season. From eight to eleven pounds are made from a bushel, and nine pounds can usually be depended upon.

B. G. Green & Co., of Hiram, are running their clothing manufactory on full time. This speaks well for their productions, as nearly all similar establishments are short of orders owing to the dullness prevailing in the clothing business.

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

Augusta.—Kaler Bros., f'cy goods, dis; now E. P. Kaler.

Bangor.—Blood & Rowe, drugs, dis; now Frank M. Rowe.

Belfast.—S. S. Hersey, stoves, &c., sold to R. F. Clark.

Josiah N. White, Phœnix House, sold to R. H. Mitchell.

Biddeford.—W. H. Field, clothing, now Field & Donnell.

Ellsworth.—Rodney Forsaith, livery, sold to Silas N. Mitchell.

Farmington.—G. M. Currier, gro., now Wheeler & Currier.

Hallowell.—Frank Allen, fancy goods, sold out.

Houlton.—Wm. S. Van Wart, furniture, sold to J. M. Rice & Co.

Lewiston.—Hardy & Woodbury, brushes, dis; now H. H. Hardy.

Lisbon Falls.—Shea & Maines, gro., dis; now Wm. Maines.

Oldtown.—Brawn & Atwell, lumber, dis; now Brawn & Stevens.

STATE NEWS.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY.

On Friday, the 23d, Mr. Elmer J. Tarbox of Perham, had his barn burned, and also fifteen tons of hay, eighty bushels of wheat with other grain, and his farming tools. The fire originated by the children playing with matches in the barn yard.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

A sad case of mortality in a family in Otisfield has recently occurred. Mr. David L. Holden's wife, aged 28 years, two children 5 and 8 years, and a brother 18 years of age, have all died of diphtheria within ten days of each other.

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

A patient at the Insane Hospital named Brookings, belonging in Boothbay, died on Thursday night in an epileptic fit. There were two other patients in the room, but they did not know of his death until morning.

Mr. Geo. Cox of Farmingdale, while splitting wood a few days since, had one of his hands badly cut, the axe which he was using striking the ceiling and glancing.

Mr. Alphonzo Clark's store in Pittston was entered Wednesday night and a small amount of scrip stolen.

KNOX COUNTY.

A. R. Dunton, an expert in the matter of hand-writing, is disgusted with trials by jury. He was recently called in a case where the genuineness of a note was in controversy and and testified that the note was a forgery and had been traced from another note. The jury however found that the note was genuine and gave a verdict accordingly.

OXFORD COUNTY.

The dwelling house of Mr. Henry Hobbs in Norway, was robbed one day week before last, of a quantity of bedding, &c., while the family were absent for a short time. The same week thieves visited the premises of Mr. George E. Gibson of Norway and stole from his bee-house the two best hives, valued at $60.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

Mr. Warren Hawthorne of Bangor, was thrown from his carriage Friday afternoon and had his collar bone broken. He is in a critical condition.

Adoniran Stanley, a horse jockey, has been bound over in Bangor, charged with cheating Mr. Daniel D. Sullivan in the sale of a horse, whereby Stanley became the possessor of an animal worth $150 in exchange for a worthless beast that had the glanders.

At East Bradford, Thursday evening, during a husking at Alvah Strout's, his son fell some fifteen feet from a beam to the floor of the stable. The injury proved less than it was at first thought to be, although the lad is still in a critical condition.

Frank Lawry of Bangor, aged 13 years, stole $50 from his mother the other day and after purchasing two guns, two revolvers, shot-belts, powder flasks and a large quantity of ammunition, left for the woods in company with a boy named Billington. There they proceeded to indulge in a little practice with their armament. Lawry held up a board with one hand and having his revolver in the other, proceeded to fire at it. He succeeded in hitting the board but the ball passed through it and struck the Billington boy in the thigh.

PISCATAQUIS COUNTY.

The railroad extension from Guilford to Abbott will probably be completed about the middle of December.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

THE United States Official Postal Guide is a new and valuable publication intended to be the official organ of the Postoffice Department at Washington, with the general public, as well as with postmasters. It is prepared at the department and contains rates of postage at home on various classes of mail matter, and rates to foreign countries. It gives full directions about the registry of letters; a list of all the money order offices in the country, with directions how to obtain an order, with rates, and the names of all offices that give orders on Great Britain, Germany and Switzerland. It contains a complete alphabetical list of all the postoffices in the United States, and a list of all the offices arranged by counties in the several states. It has, besides, the chief regulations of the Postoffice Department and minute instructions and suggestions to the public. In short, it answers all the questions which one is constantly compelled to ask at the postoffice, and is indispensable to business and professional men. The "Guide" is published quarterly, under contract with the Postoffice Department at Washington, by H. O. Houghton & Co., Boston; Hurd & Houghton, New York.

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Maiden, while thy fairy fingers
Free those prisoned harmonies,
While thy left hand gravely lingers,
And thy right skims o'er the keys,
Darting as hussars manœuvre,
Skirmishing in mazy drill,
Swift to scatter and recover
Order, at their leader's will;

Dreamily I hear two voices:
One in fervent tones of prayer,
One that sparkles and rejoices
As a skylark in the air,
With so wild a jubilation
That its carol seems a taunt,
Till a sterner modulation
Drops it to the dominant.

Then a dialogue more tender,
'Twixt the wooer and the wooed,
Where the latter vows to mend her
Wayward petulance of mood;
And the manly voice, responding,
Breathes a rapture of content,
As through chords with joy resounding,
Both in unison are blent.

Through the moonlit fir-trees, playing
Murmurously, the roving breeze
Kisses the white finger swaying
Pensively the ivory keys;
Cools my brow and soothes the beating
Of this scarred and crippled heart,
Still, despite experience, cheating
Me, with fond delusion's art.

Me it cheats with phantoms thronging
Dimly up from days of yore,
Shapes of loveliness and longing,
Dead and gone forever more;
And, as wizards, from the ashes
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PROBATE NOTICES.

To all Persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

AT a Court of Probate held at Portland, within and for the County of Cumberland, on the Third Tuesday of October, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventy-four, the following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED,

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Maine State Press and Eastern Argus, papers printed at Portland aforesaid, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Portland on the Third Tuesday of November next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon, and object if they see cause.

AMANDA E. CLARK & AL, minor children and heirs of George H. Clark, late of Conway, in the State of New Hampshire, deceased. Petition for license to sell and convey Real Estate, presented by Stephen Locke, Guardian.

WILLIAM P. SEWALL, late of Kennebunk in the County of York, deceased. First Account presented for allowance by Edward E. Bourne, Jr., Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed.

OTIS CARTER, late of Naples, deceased. First account presented for allowance, by Lydia Carter, Executrix.

SARAH L. MERRY, late of Brunswick, deceased. First account presented for allowance, by Mary F. Curtis, Executrix.

ADDIE C. LONGLEY, minor child and heir of Silas B. Longley, late of Raymond, deceased. First and Final account and resignation of Guardianship, presented by Luther Longley, Guardian.

GEORGE W. LONGLEY, late of Raymond, deceased. Will and petition for the probate thereof, presented by Luther Longley, the Executor therein named.

MINERVA L. KILBY and DANIEL H. KILBY, minor children and heirs of Albert Kilby, late of Freeport, deceased. Accounts and petition for license to sell and convey real estate of said Daniel H. Kilby, presented by William Gore, Guardian.

JAMES WESTON, late of Freeport, deceased. Petition that Enoch Talbot may be appointed Administrator, presented by Greenfield Weston, a nephew of said deceased.

SIMEON ESTES, late of Pownal, deceased. Final account presented for allowance, by Cyrus Libby, Administrator, with the Will annexed.

RUFUS SOULE, late of Windham, deceased. Will and petition for the probate thereof, presented by Louisa J. Soule, the Executrix therein named.

WILLIAM H. WHITE, late of Windham, deceased. Third and final account presented for allowance by Charles Jones, Administrator.

JAMES C. BLAKE, late of Gorham, deceased. Petition for Administration, presented by Robie Blake, a son of said deceased.

MERCY MOULTON, late of Scarborough, deceased. First and final account and private claim against said estate, presented for allowance by Samuel R. Snow, Executor.

THOMAS LEONARD, late of Deering, deceased. Account presented for allowance by William H. Fessenden, Administrator.

ABAGAIL CHASE, late of Portland, deceased. Account presented for allowance by Samuel Chase, Administrator.

JAMES E. FERNALD, late of Portland, deceased. Petition for license to sell and convey real estate, presented by Benjamin Kingsbury, Jr., Administrator.

CHASE, CRAM, and STURTEVANT, of Portland, Insolvents. Petition that Byron D. Verrill may be appointed Assignee of said insolvent firm, in place of Henry P. Deane, deceased Assignee, presented by Josiah H. Percy and Emery & Waterhouse, parties to the assignment of said firm.

JOSEPH HARDING, late of Portland, deceased. First and final account, presented for allowance by Elizabeth Harding, Administratrix.

JOHN A. WATERMAN Judge.

A true copy of the original order.

Attest, WILLIAM K. NEAL, Register.

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Defamation OF NON-BOARD Companies!

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 prompt 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 neighbors will do to remember it.—*Western Insurance Review.*

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Non-Resident Taxes in the Town of Casco, in the County of Cumberland, for the year 1873.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Casco, for the year 1873, in bills committed to N. C. Pinkham, Collector of said town, on the twenty-ninth day of August, 1873, has been returned by him to me as remaining unpaid on the eighteenth day of August, 1874, notice is hereby given that if the said taxes, and interest and charges are not paid in the treasury of the said town, within eighteen months from the date of the commitment of the said bills, so much of the real estate taxed as will be sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will without further notice, be sold at public auction, at the Town Treasurer's Office, in said town, on the first Saturday in March, 1875, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

	Lot.	Range.	No. Acres	Tax.
Edwards, Sophia, homestead of late Dani. Edwards			47	$7.00
Edwards, Johnson, Thomas Davis' pasture				8.00
Edwards, Johnson, homestead of late Eben Davis	13	14	40	10.00
Edwards, Martha B. and heirs, house and lot at Casco village				10.00
Bryant, Joshua, homestead in Casco				10.00
Holden, Mary			25	10.00
Hill, Charles. James Sand's land				6.00
Heirs of Clark Stone	17	8	4	1.00
McLellan, Charles, house and lot				8.50
Plummer & Jordan				1.30
Fulton, Elijah, carriage factory, Webb's Mills				20.00
Spillen, Amos, & Tripp, Edward, saw mill, Webb's Mills				20.00
Dunn, R. B. & J. P. Webb lot				1.50
Winslow, John B., Bald mountain lot				9.12
Perkins, Luther, & J. A., Winslow, part of the Webb estate			2	6.00
and a piece of Hog Meadow			20	2.00
also piece known as J. A. Winslow land			12	40
Perkins, Winslow & Mayberry, part of Webb estate			12	8.00
Staples, Nathaniel, meadow			20	4.00
Plummer & Jordan	8	6	70	4.00
Shaw, Samuel, part of Shaw place			12	1.00

WILLIAM F. COOK,
Treasurer of Casco.

Casco, Oct. 26th, 1874. w3w44

Sheriff's Sale.

CUMBERLAND, SS:

TAKEN on execution, and will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, on TUESDAY, the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Sheriff's office in Portland, in said county, all the right in equity which Michael Lorden, of Portland, in the County of Cumberland, has or had on the twenty-second (22) day of December, A. D. 1873, at 5 o'clock and forty-five minutes in the afternoon, when the same was attached on the original writ in the action on which said execution was obtained, to redeem the following described mortgaged real estate, to wit:—A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the Northwesterly side of West Commercial street, in Portland, in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine, and bounded, beginning on said street at the Easterly corner of land which said Loden (other wise Lorden) conveyed to Jeremiah Carroll by deed dated April 3d, 1867; thence Northwesterly by said Carroll's land sixty-three and one-half (63½) feet to a stone wall; thence Northeasterly by said wall thirty-seven and three-fourths (37¾) feet, more or less, to land then of Hiram Brooks; thence Southeasterly by said Brooks' line sixty (60) feet to Commercial Street; thence Southwesterly by said street thirty-seven and three-fourths (37¾) feet to the first bounds, the same being the Northeasterly part of a lot of land conveyed by said Brooks to said Carroll and Loden by deed dated October 18th, A. D. 1874, recorded in the Cumberland Registry, Book 329, page 324, and the same conveyed to said Loden by said Carroll by deed dated April 3d, A. D. 1867, and recorded in Cumberland Registry, Book 351, page 325, to which deeds and the deeds therein referred to reference is made for a more particular description.

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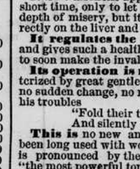

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67,541 People Dead and Dying.

Consumption

CAUSED BY

CATARRH.

Killed more than **Sixty Thousand People** last year in the United States alone. And more than

SIXTY THOUSAND YAWNING GRAVES

Will be opened this year to receive the

VICTIMS

Who will die from

CATARRH

And its results. For CATARRH uncured

SURE DEATH.

Pure air drawn as breath through the nasal organs affected with CATARRH becomes FOUL, and

Taints and Rots

— THE —

LUNGS.

By direct sympathy, the

LIVER,

That great housekeeper of the body, becomes affected and refuses to perform its office. The system becomes deranged and falls into decay. The mind becomes despondent, and the sufferer wholly unfit for business or society, and finally the whole body becomes as foul as a sepulcher full of

DEAD MEN'S BONES

CONSUMPTION steps in, and DEATH and the GRAVE is the result.

TO SUM UP ALL,

A simple cold in the head leads to CATARRH, Catarrh to CONSUMPTION, and Consumption to the GRAVE.

AND YET,

Awful as the statement may seem, there are thousands and tens of thousands rushing by the CERTAIN MEANS of cure to their sad end. Now he great remedy and certain cure for

Colds in the Head

— AND —

CATARRH

In all its different stages s

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THOUSANDS

—OF—

LIVING WITNESSES,

RAISED, AS IT WERE,

From the Dead,

Testify to its wonderful curative powers, the like of which is not known on the face of the Globe.

AND NOW

LET OLD AND YOUNG

Who have a cold in the head, with mucous moisture of the nasal organs, and dripping or dropping outside or inside.

REMEMBER THAT THE MONSTER CATARRH

Is clutching for your vitals, and that in a short time unless *cured,* the

COLD SWEAT OF DEATH

Will ooze from every pore, and your name be recorded on the scroll of the dead.

THEN REMEMBER THAT

RÆDER'S GERMAN SNUFF

is the sure and certain cure; that there is no uncertainty or waiting for it to act; that it gives instant relief and a speedy return to perfect health.

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REMEMBER THAT

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PARENTS

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ANDREW HAWES, } Commissioners.
GEORGE JOHNSON, }

October 15th, 1874. d3w

TIMELY WARNING.

IF the person who, a few years since, took from a letter directed to a certain post office in Maine a fifty dollar greenback, with the *tell tale* letters J. H. in red ink on the back of it, will now return to the writer of that letter the fifty dollars with interest to this time, there will be no questions asked, no suit commenced, nor any exposure made. If you cannot send all at once, send as much as you can, and say when the balance will come. This notice is given to save the offender the shame and disgrace of exposure. Don't wait! DETECTIVE.

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