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Proceedings Against American pany.

New York, December 9 .- The suit to annul the articles of incorporation of the American Tobacco company, brought in the name of the attorney general of New York on behalf of John R. Miller New York on behalf of Newark, begun before the Vice Chancellor Reed in the Chancry court, Jersey City, today. The suit is brought on the ground that as the American Tobacco company is a monop-dly in the manufacture of cigarettes, its charter has been violated and is for charter has been violated and is for-

The national Republican committee has selected the Glover building on his street, Washington, rear the treasury department as permanent headquarters, which will be established immediately after New Years'. Chairman Hannahad a number of conferences with the members of the national committee Wednesday.

REDUCED TO VASSALAGE.

HAS BEEN REACHED.

has known during the past year as the Concert of Europe. In the place of both,

Christian world. It is not officially announced yet. It may even be discredited in certain quarters for a few hours as premature. Nevertheless I am prepared

consummation was reached. Russia, France and Great Britain arrived at a substantial agreement on a plan of action last week. There remained the necessity of getting the consent of the other three powers which were signatories of the Berlin convention. Italy and Germany agreed without demur. Austria hesitated long, and it was not until after yesterday's emergency cabinet council in London, which discussed and approved the whole plan, that the Austrian ambassador notified Lord Salisbury of the rather unwilling assent of his government that the Russian, French and British fleets shall force the Dardanelles, if necessary, in the execution of the new policy.

It is impossible, at this moment, to furnish the exact details of the solution of the Turkish problem which has been agreed upon. It may, however, be partially defined in a negative way. It provides nothing so radical as a division of the Turkish empire. Such a project has not been for a moment considered. The integrity of Turkey will be substantially maintained.

French influence has been for some time strongly in favor of some form of intervention. Russia eventually yielded in principle, but the discussion of ways and means has occupied nearly three months.

There are two or three versions in diplomatic circles of the policy at last discussion was calculated at 9.30 communion was celebrated at 9.30 communion was celebr

diplomatic circles of the policy at last decided upon. This one:

"That Russia shall occupy the northeastern corner formed by the Bosphorus and the Black Sea and extending to a point about helt way downsthe Bosphorus; that Constantinople and the Dardanelles shall be placed under European protection, but shall remain under the rule of the Sultan, the forts at the Dardanelles being dismantled and the passage becoming entirely free. No further change is suggested in regard to the integrity of the Turkish empira."

This includes also, European supervision of some of the Sultan's appointments. Bot I believe this assumption of virtual Russian domination is somewhat too sweeping. Some such plan as that is

sweeping. Some such plan as that is said to have been advocated by M. Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador at Constantinoile, who, since the death of M. Lobanof, is the ablest man in the service of the Czar with regard to the Eastern execution.

question.
Two things may be confidently assumed regarding the modus vivendi or whatregarding the modus vivendi or what-ever the new agreement between the Powers may be termed. First, that sub-stantial guarantees of good government for all the races in Turkey shall be pro-vided; second, that Russia shall retain her practical mastery of the situation in the Sultan's domain.

The terms of agreement, about which I have positive information, do not seem to indicate an intention to summon any new conference of the Powers for the revision of the Berlin convention Russia, France and England have simply agreed to compel the Sultan to adopt radical reforms under joint supervision of the Powers and they have asked and obtained the consent of the other three powers to the sending of the fleets of the new trumvirate through the straits if necessary to enforce their demands. to indicate an intention to summon any

necessary to enforce their demands.
Orders have already been given to the Orders have already teen given to the British, Russian and French squadrons in the Levant to assemble at the entrance to the Derdanelles, and to the Russian Black Sea fleet to prepare to enter the Bosphorus in the event of the Sultan's failure to yield immediate to the

formal demands.

These demands are in the hands of M. Nelido, who left St. Petersburg today for Constantinople. He will consult with the Brench and British Ambassadors there on his arrival and they will make a joint representation to the Sultan with the lesst possible delay. What the response will be is a matter of pure conjecture. If Abdul Hamid is in a save mood it is to be expected he will submit with the best grace possible. If not, then there may be a final great tragedy at Constantinople, which could not fail to compel a more radical and permanent

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settlement of the Eastern question than is contemplated by the present agree-

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STATUS QUO NOT CHANGED. British Foreign Office Denies Story of

London, December 9.-A representative of the United Associated Presses visited the foreign office today for the purpose of ascertaining the truth or falsity of a dispatch published by a New York newspaper this morning and cabled here, alleging that Russia, France, England, with the assent of German, Austria and Italy, would at once compel the Sultan to adopt the radical reforms under joint supervision of the three powers first named: that the British, French and Russian squadron were under orders to assemble at the entrance to the Dardauelles without delay, and, in short that the Sultan was to be reduced to a state of vassalage.

After reading the dispatch, the foreign office authorities declared the statements contained therein were absolutely unfounded. the foreign office today for the purpose of

has known during the past year as the Concert of Europe. In the place of both, for they both mean the same thing, there has been created a new and living potentiality, which, while it will not undertake to avenge the innocent blood already shed, will speedily strip the guilty of all further power of outrage and massacre.

The Turk is to be coerced. The Sultan is to be reduced in fact if not actually in name to vassalage. His fate will be made known to him probably before the

made known to him probably before the end of the present week.

Russia, France and Great Britain bave decreed it. Should he resist, or fail to bow at once to the inevitable, then the combined fleets of those three powers will enforce their behest.

Such, in brief, is the infinite welcome news which will bring relief and a sense of restored self-respect to the whole Christian world. It is not officially and the difference of the series of solutions of the Turkish false when inquired into.

AMERICAN BESSEMER ASSOCIATION.

The Steel Trust Appears To Be On Its Last

to affirm it without reservation.

It was not until yesterday that the full consummation was reached. Russia, France and Great Britain arrived at a bers of the American Bessener Association of the tion, better known as billet pool, held a meeting in the Carnegie building today. The question of dissolution was considered. Nearly all the firms belong-

considered. Nearly all the firms belonging to the association were represented. The Bellaire Steel Co., the withdrawal of which precipitated the present trouble, was reported. Rumor was abroad today that the Haines Worth Steel Co. of Pittsburg, the Bellaire Steel Co. and the Ohio Steel Co. went into a combine to break the pool, being disastisfied with the action of the larger firms.

The Bellaire Co. was selected as one to withdraw, having least to lose in a monetary way, thus giving the other two firms a chance to get out without loss. It is claimed that one of the largest Pittsburg firms has been repeatedly caught selling below the pool price and in every instance, when Secretary Griscom enforced the agreement the \$5,000 fine, provided in such instances, was paid without protest. The dissolution of the billet pool means the breaking no of an association that controls \$25,000,000 worth of property.

Communion was celebrated at 9.30 o'clock and was followed by a stirring address by the bishop.

The laymen met in the church at 10.30 o'clock and continued in session until near noon. Reports were delivered throughout the forenoon, the various representatives from the warious lepresentatives from the mission districts reporting verbally to the bishop, who presided.

McKinley's Secretary.

Washington, December 9.—Upon authority which is strictly first class it may be stated that Charles Gates Dawes of Illinois, will not be private secretary to Major McKinley. Mr. Dawes is calling upon the President-elect today and will be in Washington tomorrow. He will make his objections to accepting the office so clear the McKinlhey that a formal tender will not be made. This, then will leave the place either to James Boyle or Perry S. Heata.

THE WEATHER.



Boston, December 9.-Local forecast for Thursday: Fair erly winds diminishing in force.

Washington, Decem ber 9.- Forecast for Thursday, for Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, partly cloudy,

with local snows or slight showers, brisk to high westerly winds.

Local Weather Report. Portland, December 9.-The local weather bureau office records as to the weather are the following:

8 a. m.—Barometer, 29.402; thermometer 37.0; dew point, 37.0; humidity, 100.0; wind, NW; velocity, 7; weather, rain. 3 p. m.—Barometer, 29.416; thermometer, 35.0; dew point, 29, humidity, 78.0; wind, SW; velocity, 7; weather, partly cloudy.

Mean daily thermometer, 40.0; maximum thermometer, 44.0; minimum thermometer, 35.0. maximum velocity of wind, 12; total precipitation, 1.15.

Weather Observations. The Agricultural Department weather bureau for yesterday, December 9 taken at 8 p. m., meridan time, the observation for each station being given in

this order: Temperature, direction of

the wind, state of weather: the wind, state of weather:

Boston, 42 degrees, SW, clear; New York, 42 degrees, SW, cloudy; Philadelphia, 44 degrees, SW, clear; Washington, 48 degrees, SW, clear; Albany, 40 degrees, S, cloudy; Buffalo, 42 degrees, W, clear; Chicago, 44 degrees, SW, clear; Chicago, 44 degrees, SW, clear; St. Paul, 34 degrees, SW, clear; St. Paul, 38 degrees, W, p cloudy; Bismarok, 38 degrees, NW, clear; Jacksonville, 64 degrees, NW, cloudy.

THE DINGLEY BILLS.

the Capital.

NOT LIKELY TO BECOME ANYTHING MORE MATERIAL.

Their Status Before the Two House of Congress-The Pension Laws and Pension Roll-Reunion of Columbian University Alumni.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

Washington, December 9.-The ghosts of the Dingley bills continue to haunt the Capital, although there is no prospect that either will become laws, But many business men in the country wish that the Dingley tariff bill might be passed to serve as a stop gap against the the British minister. flood of importations which will flow in after the new tariff bill is formulated at the extra session and before it shall become a law. Importers always take advantage of this time to stock up, with the result that for a time after the new law

they are, will be of interest.

There are two Dingley bills, H R 2749 and H R 2904. The former was entitled ernor Stone of Missouri, and other prom latter was called "a bill to maintain and known.

in a position in the Senate where action so desire.

might be taken on it if that body should As will be seen readily from the parliamentary situation, there is nothing

which the House can do further. The Senate might pass the bill No.27491 out the silver majority undoubtedly wil, not allow it. The bill is on the calendar, and with it a free silver substitute attached by the finance committee. Thus first in order, if the bill is taken up, will be dehate on the silver substitute -that is, a long drawn out and inconclusive talk.

The passage of the pension appropriation bill by the House has practically completed the pension appropriations for the Fifty-fourth Congress. The bill carries \$141,263,880 which is to pay the pensions for 1898, and is about \$60,000 less than the appropriations for the same purpose for 1897.

The number of pensioners upon the roll ually increased from 242,755 in 1879. But

Whitman. It has more than 1000 enrolled Students and about 150 professors and instructors. The graduates for 1896 were 230 in number, which brings the total number of degrees conferred to over 4000. At the alumni meeting a letter was read from Dr. Jesse Ewell of Virginia, aged 95, and a graduate of the first class, that of 1826. He is the oldest living graduate.

The vote of the State of Ohio has been officially received by the United States

Chicago to Washington.

An official blunder has lost every constitutional amendment voted upon at the recent election in South Dakota. All the amendments were carried by big majorities, but it was learned that all were null because not printed upon the ballot as the law provides.

The big steel men at Chicago are adverse to discussing the announcement telegraphed from Cleveland that the Beesemer Steel Association had gone to pleoss. Most of the officials acclared that they knew nothing of the association or any other tariff measure within two weeks."

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Secretary of State. There were cas 1,011,680 votes, and the Republican electors received a majority of 40,302 and a plurality of 51,109. There is no reason to doubt the statement that the national committee were much worried about

HANNA CALLS ON REED.

National Chairman Pays His Respects to the Speaker.

Washington, December 9.-Among the visitors to the House of Representatives was Mark A. Hanna, who called upon Speaker Reed in his private room, and paid his respects.

CLEVELAND ADVISED ACQUIESCENCE.

Letter to President Crespo of Venezuela Republic.

New York, December 9.-A special from Caracas to the Journal says: The letter from President Claveland to Presi-

published and the Venezuelan public has of Cuba were introduced as follows: thus been made aware of the steps that led up to this country's acquiescence in

the arrangement.
In his letter Mr. Cleveland commended

the conference held between William J. Bryan, Senator Jones of Arkansas, Gov-"a bill to temporarily increase revenue inent Democrats, which took place durto meet the expenses of government and ing their recent hunting expedition in provide against a deficiency;" and the the interior of Missouri has been made

protect the coin redemption fund, and The party agreed to carry on an ag-

In Mr. W. J. Bryan has been consulted in every step taken, and has consented to become custodian of the roll of honor. It is the intention of the bureau to have 5,000 speakers in the field within three months and to bean the rithestanding three months and to be a second to b three months and to keep the enthusiasm going till election day.

CALLED TO WATERVILLE.

Favorite Portland Pastor Likely to Leave the City.

Waterville, December 9 .- The official board of the Methodist Episcopal church here has extended a call to Rev. Geo. D. Lindsay, for five years pastor of the Congress street Methodist church of Portland. The call has been accepted. The ratification of this agreement will depend on the action of the bishop at the conference in April.

now is about 970,000. This is a larger the suits is being heard before a master weather, brisk west- number than ever before, it having grad- of the United States Circuit Court. The patentee of Phenacetine seeks an account-to the passage of the bill? Mr. Allen denied having said that he

Senator Jones, chairman of the Demo-cratic National committee will move the headquarters or his committee from Chicago to Washington.

SILVER IN THE SADDLE.

Lively Debate In The Senate Yesterday.

PROPOSED TARIFF LEGISLATION BASIS OF REMARKS.

Mr. Allen Asked Some Very Pertinent Questions Which He Evaded-Silver Men Still Full of Fight-Dingley Goes Over Without Final Action.

Washington, December 9.- In the absence of Vice-President Stevenson, the Senate was presided over today by Mr. government Tuesday published a personal Frye of Maine, the president pro tempore. Mr. Platt of Connecitcut from the dent Orespo in regard to the Guiana joint select committee on the tax on alcoboundary treaty, which has been agreed hol used in manufactures and the arts, upon between Mr. Olney, the American made a partial report and introduced a secretary of state and Lord Salisbury, joint resolution authorizing the committee to continue its work. It was passed. The reply of President Crespo is also Three joint resolutions on the subject

By Mr. Cameron of Pennsylvania, de-claring that "the independence of the republic of Cuba be, and the same is hereby acknowledged by the United States of America; and that the United the arrangement.

In his letter Mr. Cleveland commended is enacted the importations are small, the revenue is reduced and business is disturbed. Therefore many wish that the Dingley revenue bill might be passed merely to prevent this. The wool dealers of the bills, although the Republican Senators yesterday decided at their caucus to see what could be done. But the condition of that caucus were not assuring. Senator Du Bois of Idaho, the section of that caucus were not assuring. Senator Du Bois of Idaho, the section this resignation, which was equivalent to his saying that he had gone if inally over to the silver men, and that the silver men were disposed to be as troublesome as ever.

Nevertheless, as the two bills will be much spoken of for a few days, a short statement of what they are and where they are, will be of interest.

The arrangement. In his letter Mr. Cleveland commended the terms of the treaty to the chief executive of the treaty to the chief executive of Venezuela and with many ex

Mr. Allen, Populist of Nebraska, offered a resolution declaring that "it is the settled doctrine of the United States

of America that no state possesses con-stitutional power to impair the obliga-tions of legal contracts, either by direct legislation or by legislation that with-draws all substantial remedies from their enforcement." Laid on the table tem-

the bill be taken up, notwitistanding the objection.

"Let the bill rest," said Mr. Platt, "so that the Senate may know what it is voting upon." The bill was thereupon read in full with the free silver substitute reported for it last session from the finance committee. After the reading Mr. Aldrich witherew his objection to taking up the bill, and the objection was renewed by Mr. Palmer, Democrat of Illinois. Mr. Allen desired to make a brief statement, but objection was made and the Senate proceeded to vote by yeas and nays on the motion to take up the bill, and resulted, yeas 35, nays 21.

The bill having been taken up, Mr. Aldrich moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on finance with instructions to report it back without

instructions to report it back without amendment. Mr. Alien opposed the mo-PHENACETINE'S TROUBLES.

Patentee Seeks an Accounting from an Infringer.

Boston, December 9.—A case which will undoubtedly involve many druggists in the suits is being heard before a master of the United States Circuit Court. The patentee of Phenacetine seeks an account-to the passage of the bill?

Mr. Chandler, Republican of New Hampshire, reminded Mr. Allen that the people had decided in the recent election that they would not have the free coinage of silver alone, and said if the free silver substitute were voted down, the Senate could go on and act on the Dingley bill proper. He asked whether Mr. Allen would give his vote for the bill without the free silver amendment. Would he help to remove the obstruction to the passage of the bill?

number than ever being gradually noreased from 32,755 in 1879. But
while more old veterans have been growing decrepit every year, many also have
been and still are dying, so that the
pension charge is expected to grow annually less. Indeed the appropriation
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up and considering a tariff measure at an early day."

'Will the Senator and his friends,'

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Mr. Aldrich—"At this precise moment?"

Mr. Aldrich—"Yes, or at any time to be fixed."

"It is idle to ask such a question,"

Mr. Allen replied with an air of contempt. "Does not the Senator understand that the Republican caucus has abanlowed the bill?"

"That is not so," broke in Mr. Gallinger of New Hampshire.

"It is reported in a Republican newspaper of this city," said, Mr. Allen.

"It is not so," Mr. Gallinger replied.

"We can pass this bill in 15 minutes," said Mr. Aldrich, "if the Senator and his friends will allow us to do it."

"Will you present to the Senate and the

"Will you present to the Senate and the country," Mr. Allen asked, "a tariff bill that you will consent to be bound by for the next four years, at this present session of Congress?"

This inquiry elicited laughter among the Republican Senators and shouts of

No."
"My question," Mr. Allen resumed. "'my question," Mr. Allen resumed,
"provokes almost universal laughter on
that side of the chamber. You said to
the country this fall that you would at
the first moment take up the tariff question and settle it. You laugh when your
attention is called to it. What is there
in the tariff question that would require
tongress to spend six or seven mouths
in extraordinary session to consider it? Congress to spend six or seven months in extraordinary session to consider it? Why not introduce the McKinley bill, the panacea for all evils, and have it reported here within the next ten days and passed within the next 60 days? Do you want to threaten the country wifter when you want to sit here 30 days, practically idle, and let the country suffer when you have it within your power to put a tariff bill on its passage and have it discussed intelligently?"

"Let me ask the Senator," Mr. Alarich broke in, "whether he will vote for this bill as it came from the House, or for the McKinley bill, or for any other bill that may be presented by the Republicans now or at any other time?"

"No," said Mr. Alleu, "I will not yote for this bill in its present shape. You can put it in such shape that I can yote for it, and other senators can vote if or it who are not members of your party."

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Then, Mr. Hale went on, we can take up a general tariff bill, and I have no doubt we will. All we ask now is the passage of this Dingley bill, which is a temporary measure—a measure that was intended to end the Democratic adminunwilling assent of his government that the Russian, French and British fleets of the control of the British fleets of the British fleets of the Control of the British fleets of the British f

er.) Mr. Hale reiterated his belief that the Republican Senate would be able to re port a general tariff bill in the next Con

IN THE HOUSE.

A number of private pension bills were considered in the House.

The following measures were passed:

Senate bill providing for location and purchase of public lands for reservoir sites intended to give associations of farmers and stock raisers the right to hold these sites for the purpose named,

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WEYLER MARCHING ON.

But Doesn't Seem To Be Able to Get Anywhere.

CORRESPONDENT AGAIN LOCATES THE CUBAN CAPTAIN GENERAL.

Spaniards Still Rejoicing Over Reported Death of General Maceo-Very Little to Show That Story is True-Rebels At-

Havana, December 9. - A correspondent

for it who are not members of your party. "Does not the Senator see," said Mr. Hale, "that it is an entirely different thing to ask the Republican party, which is in a minority here, as it clearly is, to take and consider and perfect a general bill, when the conditions are expected to be entirely changed in the next Congress? "e Republican party expects to have clute majority in the Senate the:

"I say," repeated Mr. Hale, "that the Republican party expects to have a Republican majority in the Senate next Congress."

"Expects," Mr. Allen echeed with a sneer.

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"Then," Mr. Hale went on, "we can take up a general tariff bill, and I have no doubt we will. All we ask now is the conditions are expected to day at Matanzas for the crime of rebellion.

Twenty-five hundred more reinforcements for the army in Cuba arrived from Spain today. Capt. General Weyler, in view of the scarotty of supplies of meat for the troops and residents of the towns in the Pinar del Rio province, caused by the difficulty of getting eatile to slaughter, issued a decree ordering the troops to assist the cattlemen to get their stock into the fields. The decree prescribes rules for payment to the owners of the value of their cattle.

The newspaper press of Havana remain absolute reserve in regard to the subject.

WILL REPEL OUR ARROGANCE. Spain Doesn't Like the President's Mes-

CAPTAIN IN CUBAN ARMY. Officer Lane Discredits the Story of

port a general tariff bill in the next Congress, but, he said, they were ready to vote at once on the Dingley bill.

While the discussion was in progress the morning hour expired and the whole matter went over without action. If it comes up tomorrow under any rule of the Senate a motion to take up the bill and proceed to its consideration may he made at any time. The immigration bill was then formally taken up as the "unfinished business," but before its reading was finished the Senate proceeded to executive business and at 2.30 adjourned until tomorrow.

Officer Lane Discredits the Story of Macco's Death.

Cambridge, Mass., December 9, —Capt. G. H. Lane of the Cuban army was here to day. He characterized the report of was a Spanish trick to offset the effect of President Cleveland's message. He said it was improbable that the Spaniards would have found Macco at the head of so small a body of men as reported he was leading. He stated that head of so small a body of men as reported he was leading. He stated that Maceo was certainly miles away from where the skirmish is reported to have occurred. Capt. Lane has been absent from Cuba while recoverng from a wound. He left here tonight for that island to resume command of a company of cowboys from this country who are with Macso. Capt. Lane says: "Gen. Weyler will be unable to drive Maceo from the hills Pinar del Rio unless the latter is willing. The camp of Maceo is impregnable. The order of Weyler that all cattle



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BATH WAS EASY.

Victory Last Night.

this position.

BODIES HAD DISAPPEARED.

Finding of Macco's Remains.

leged to have been killed.

The rebels were found in a good posi-

leader, and a son of Gen. Maximo Gomez.
Upon the body of the man alleged to
have been Maceo were found a revolver
and a drinking cup and upon his hand
a ring inscribed "Antonio and Maria."
His clothing was of fine texture and
his shirt bore the initials "A. M."
The man was a mulatto with hair and
moustache slightly tinged with gray.

land's message.

"If Maceo were dead," he added, "I would know of it. A visitor who brought the news to me yesterday has since communicated with friends in Havana, and he now believes the report untrue. What Are They Going To Do About It?

Madrid, December 9.—The Herald says that the cabinet will hold a meeting today, adopted a strong memorial to President Cleveland and the United States Senate, favoring immediate action in the line of the Dingley emergangs of much importance that he will await the receipt of the full text of the document before discussing it. Some of the Spanish newspapers declare that the message provoked Europe not Spain alone.

Filibustering Steamer Held.

Jacksonville, Fla., December 9.—The fillbustering steamer Goodore, which was chartered to carry newspaper correspondents to Cuba, yesterday applied for clearance papers to Truxilo, British Honduras. Collector Bisbee wired to Washinton for instructions. He was ordered to hold the vessel and forward to the Treasury Department affidavits of the latter and charters that they will go to the clearance port direct and not violate neutrality, navigation or maritime laws. He was also instructed to notify the commander of the revenue cutter Boutwelle not to allow the Commodore to go to sea until the Secretary of the Treasury gives permission. The affidavits have been forwarded and the Commodore is now guarded by the Boutwelle.

Students at Madrid Excited.

Mairid, December 9.—The report of the death of Gen. Maceo in the battle between the government troops and in-surgents at San Pedro, December 7, has created the greatest enthusiasm here. Groups of excitel students rushed through the streets making demonstrato is at the government offices and United States legation venting their teelings in cheers for Spain, her army and Major Cirujeda.

Ross Fined for Assault.

Saco, December 9.—George Ross, who was alleged to have committed a felonious assault upon Delia Gendron in the York mills was arraigned in court to lay. The complainant's statement not being fully credited, Ross was released on payment of a fine on a simple charge of assault.

The Populist state chairman has made a statement which has an important bear-ing on the senatorial question in North Carolina. He says: "If the expression ing on the senatorial question in North Carolina. He says. "If the expression of the popular will shall have its proper influence in the legislature in the matter of the election of United States Senator and I doubt not that such influence will prevail, the proprieties will Jemand the election of a silver Republican. I am of the opinion that Populist members will be more than willing to support such a candidate."

SILVER IN THE SADDLE.

ternocn at the Capitol, the Republican senatorial steering committee and Mark Spanish Newspaper Man Tells About A. Hanna held a conference that lasted upwards of two hours. The situation in Madrid, December 9.-The corre spond- North Carolina, South Dakota, Kentucky ent of the Imparcial sends an account of and Washington, with respect to the electhe engagement in which Maceo is al- tion of United States Senators, was discursed, and it was decided that every honorable method should be employed to tion at San Pedro, the Imparcial correspondent says sheltered behind stone walls, possibility of passing the Dingley bill Major Cirujeda charged the rebels with fixed bayonets and desperate fighting at close quarters ensuel, lasting until night. The Spaniards then retired to Punta Brava, having exhausted their ammunition and lost a number of men.

During the reconnoissance upwards of forty dead rebels were found among them two bodies which were undoubtedly those of Antonio Macco, the insurgent leader, and a son of Gen Maximo Gomes.

Morgan and Belmont Refuse to Tell What They Made,

Washington, December 9.-The subcommittee of the Senate committee on dwelling and towards the farm buildings attend to in stopping the hard drives and Imperial The man was a mulatto with hair and moustache slightly tinged with gray. In his coat was found a small diary containing a sketch of the operations covering the period from November 27 to December 7. Some of the entries were as follows:

"December 2. left to explore trocha, and on the 4th passed it, joining forces with Lieutenaut Vasquez on 5th, Cols. Acosta and Artorius on 6th and Sanche on 7th."

The other man was white and training forces were asked what profits they made. finance, engaged in an investigation of of Sheriff Plummer which were on the pretty team work of Manager Burnham's the bond sales, held a brief session today other side of the barn and only a few stars. and agreed to make a partial report to yards from it.

Want Diugley Bill Passed.

Washington, December 9.—Fifty members of the Manufacturers' club of Philadelphia arrived tonight to urge upon the Senate the parsage of the Dingley bill.

Boston, December 9.—The directors of the Home Market club at the quarterly meeting today, adopted a strong members.



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neglect. The woman who neglects to look
after the health of the organs most essential
to her womanhood ignorantly or wilfully
courts death, and death in a slow and agonizing form. Ills of this description render
a woman's life a daily burden, and approaching motherhood a menace of the grave.
An infallible cure for all weakness and disease of the delicate organs that make wifeease of the delicate organs that make wife-hood and motherhood possible is found in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly and only on these organs. It prepares the maid for wifehood and the wife for motherhood. It does away with the usual discomforts of the period preceding motherhood. It insures a healthy baby and makes parturition easy and comparatively painless. Thousands of women have testified to its wonder-working virtues. Get it at the druggists and refuse all substitutes. There is nothing "just the same" or "just as good." The druggist who tells you there is, is either mistaken or dishonest.

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"I am very thankful to you indeed for what Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done for me," writes Mrs. Etta E. Smith, of Grenola, Elk Co., Kansas. "About a month before I was confined I had such pains I could stand up only a little while at a time. I could not rest at night at all, nor at any other time. I could scarcely eat anything at all. I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and after the second dose I felt better. From then until I was sick, I carried nearly all the water that was used up a long hill, and worked in the garden every day, besides my other work, and did not feel at all bad. When the baby was born the doctor and the women who were with me said I had a very easy time. The women said I had an easier time than any one they ever saw for the first time. The baby is very healthy and growing right along. I got up when she was five days old and have been up ever since. After two days I began my own work in the garden, and felt stout and healthy. The baby is now a month old."

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LIVE STOCK HOLOCAUST.

arrow Escape of Sheriff Plummer's Farm | City lads to turn down. His Neighbors' Heroic Work-Fire Be- the Maine polo league and needs much

Kimball on the Portland road in Sear- holds up wonderfully and is increasing boro was burned to the ground together all the time. Last night there were fulls with thirty-five head of cattle, stock, four horses, farming utensils and hay. ferse W. A. Orr walked out into the The loss is estimated by Mr. Kimball to be about \$4,500 and he carried only \$1,000 play. Many of those present were ladies insurance. The farm buildings of Sheriff and almost every reserve seat in the bal-Samuel D. Plummer near by narrowly cony was occupied by the fair ones and escaped destruction and only the good their escorts. For yelling, cheering and work of a hastily organized fire brigade general all round "rooting" there is of neighbors saved them from burning. nothing that can approach a Portland The fire was discovered by Mr. Hatch, audience, especially if the home team is

Mr. Kimball's father-in-law about a quarter past seven o'clock. He was sittheir opponents. ting in the dining room of Mr. Kimball's The "rooting" last evening was of the house alone, the rest of the family having gove to a lecture at the corner, when he noticed the reflection of a bright light on the window curtain of the room. Hastily running to the door Mr. Hatch saw that the southerly end of Mr. Kimball's big barn was all ablaze.

The barn set some distance to the eastward of Mr. Kimball's house and the feet and scappy playing of the Portland goal and the feet and scappy playing of the Portland Bowling League Standing. house alone, the rest of the family having gilt edged sort and perhaps the big

ward of Mr. Kimball's house and the the fast and snappy playing of the Portstrong westerly wind, which was blow- lands kept the visitors guessing, while ing, carried the sparks away from this Scanlon in Bath's cage had all he could Crescents,

So rapidly did the flames spread for the first rush, W. Dawson got the tions. While sitting in New York, through the big barn that by the time ball first and sent it flying towards August Belmont and Morgan, the bank- the neighbors began to arrive on the Bath's cage. The visitors began to ers, who negotiated the greater part of scene it was impossible to save any of hustle to keep the sphere away from their these loans, were summoned before the the animals in the building or to get out goal and worked hard to do this but committee and, among other questions, any of the farming implements which during the entire six minutes Portland were stored there But several brave kept the ball dodging about Bath's cage

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Bath, Chapman, Bath, Brown, Portland, W. Dawson, Portland, W. Dawson, Portland, J. Dawson, Portland, J. Dawson,

J. Dawson, Scanlon. Referee, Crr. Time keeper, P. E. Shirley.

Score-Portland, 11; Bath, 2; Stops in goal Scanlon 39, Allen 38. Rushes, W. Dawson 15, Chapman 2; fouls, Phelan, J. Dawson, Scanlon. Referes, W. A.

Angusta 12: Lewiston 4.

Maine Polo League Standing

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Lost Percent.

Augusta, December 9.-Augusta defeated Lewiston at polo tonight 12 goal

A telephone message from the Lick observatory says: "A new comet was discovered at 11.30 last night in the constellaton of Pisces, by[C. D. Perrine."

Jules Soule, editor of the Biloxi Re view, was shot and mortally wounded Dawson 15 Monday at Bilozi, Miss., by J. H. Miller, editor of the Biloxi Herald. About Crr. Tim 8 o'clock Soule was standing on the street talking with friends when Miller came up and it is said, fired upon Scule without warning. A personal controvers botween the two papers caused the trap blo

The British schooner George & Everett from Shulee, N. S., for Boston, before reported ashore on Steele Harbor Island and supposed to be a total loss, has been floated and is now anchored in Jonesport. A survey will be held on the vessel Thursday when an estimate of the court to rapuir will be made. cost to repair will be made.

Gov. Altgeld has commuted to twenty years, the life centence of Heary Schwartz, convicted in 1886 of the mur-der of Keilog Nichols, an express messen ger on the Pacific road. Chicago, Rock Island and

The civil marriage of Miss Lucy Follett Uhl, daughter of United States Amba-sador Uhl, to Mr. Guy V. Thompson of Tale University took place before the civil registrar in Gethnerstrassee Wednesday. The religious ceremony took place at the residence of Ambassador Uhl in the explina the evening.

The observer at the Oak Island life saving station reports that the British ship Brenda, from Calcutta with a cargo of sugar for New York, stranded at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning about half a mile east of Long Branch life saving station. The vessel is easy on the outer edge of the bar.

At Live Oak, Fla., a crowd of 200 men Tuesday drove four Mormon elders out of that county. They have been preach-ing for two months past, and have been very successful among the women and have broken up several families.

Archbishop Fabre of Nontreal is sink-ing rapidly and cannot last much longer. Cardinal Rampolla, the papal secretary of state, has cabled the Pope's benedicfou to the dying archibshop. The governing committee of the New York Stock Exchange have decided to

close the exchange on Saturday following Christmas. The exchange will be open on Saturday following New Years. Goy. Morton Wednesday took a decided stand in favor of civil service reform in New York. He approved a re-classification of several thousand positions in the state service, sabmitted to him by the state civil service commission.

medicine. It is in fact a truthful resume of my thirty years wonderful success in the curing of these cases by Electric self-treatment, and every young, middle aged or old man suffering the slightest weakness should read it and know just where he stands. It is sent free, sealed, by mail upon receased. Address men now on strike, was sunk Tuesday night.

THE CRESCENTS ON TOP.

Portland Polo Team Won Another Now Hold the State Record for Bowling and Head the Portland League.

Biggest Strings Ever Rolled Up in Port-

The Visitors Were Clearly Outclassed and land Made By the Champion Team Couldn't Seem to Get Into the Game At Against the Tontines Last Night-Cres-All-The Two Goals Secured by Them cents Yet To Be Defeated-Interesting Attributed to Luck-Lewiston Defeated Struggle for Bowling Honors at Wil-The ninth game in the bowling tourna-

Bath might have been able to defeat Portland at polo before the war or even ment at Pine's bowling alley was played a dozen years ago but the the team she sent to this city last night to tackle the last evening between the Crescents and home team was very easy for the Forest Tontines and after much hard work was won by the former team. A big crowd Bath now has the tail and position in of rooters cheered the teams on to victory. The scores made by the teams last evelieved to be of Incendiary Origin—Loss strengthening if she expects to get out of last game made a record of 1368, but last Polo has evidently come to Portland Last evening the big barn of Benjamin to stay. The attendance at every game evening scored 1372, and as above indicate ed this is the largest score yet made. The following is the summary of the

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Portland Bowling League Standing. Won. Lost. Per Ct When Referee Orr sounded his whistle Camp Columbias, THE WILLARD BOWLING LEAGUE.

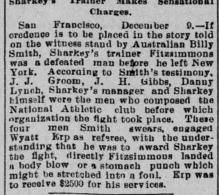
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*Johnson absent. String bowled by other members of team in turn.
On Saturday night at Pine's Alley the Willards of the Willard league will bowl the Crescents of the Portland league. The game had been slated for last Saturday night but for some reason postponed. When these two teams get together there will be blood on the moon.

Tonight the Prebles will play the Brentwoods at Trefethren's Alleys in the Willard tournament,
On Friday night the Superiors will
play the Bayards and as the latter team has not yet won a game, they are out for victory this time.

Sharkey's Trainer Makes Sensational Charges.



PINE TREE PARAGRAPHS.

Funeral services over the remains of Hon. Cyrus A. Packard were held from his late residence in Blanchard, Wednesday afternoon. The friends of Rev. John F. Tilton,

pastor of the Baptist church at Belfast, are extending congratulations to him on his engagement to Miss Katherine Berry, teacher in a grammer school at Houlton. Miss Berry is a graduate of Colby University, class of '93. Another candidate for the Biddeford

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The weather today is likely to be

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Portland, December 10, 1896.

TOU'LL be de-I lighted with the new Sterling silver goods that are just opened today. Plenty of things among

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Lincoln, Neb., December 9.—Hon.

W. J. Bryan will make two Jackson birthday banquet speeches. This was the compromise arrived at this evening after two delegations, one from Omaha and the other from Chicago, labored with the silver champion. The Cook county Democratic clubs decided to change the date of the Chicago banquet to the evening of January 7, and with this arrangement Mr. Bryan accepted the invitation. It is intimated here that in his Chicago address, Bryan may make his first comment on Cleveland's message to Congress.

Hawaiian Minister at Canton.

Canton, Ohio, December 9.—Henry E. Cooper, Hawaiian minister of foreign affairs, and his private secretary had a conference with President-elect Mc-Kinley. The visit of Mr. Cooper, the Hawaiian minister of foreign affairs caused a good deal of comment. Mr. Cooper said that there was no treaty of annexation in process of negotiation at Washington. Major McKinley did not indicate to the minister what his views concerning the relations of the Hawaiian island to this country were.

Another candidate for the Biddeford tostmastership has appeared in the field, in the person of John B. Pare, who is said to have the solid backing of the Canadians of Biddeford. Mr. Pare represented the city in the logislature, two sessions ago, and served two terms as

ressions ago, and served two terms as tax collector. He is a G. A. R. member and a business man of considerable prominence.

The British brigantine Rosebud at St. Johns, N. F., from Glasgow, is almost a total wreck. She encountered a succession of hurricanes on the passage and lost her sails, bulwarks, deck gear, boats and upper spars. Her cabin was flooded. The crew were kept at the pumps continuously for four days.

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100 ladics' close roll silk serge Umbrellas, \$1.39 kind, at only 98c.

100 ladies' twilled silk gloria Umbrellas with steel rods, and cases, at \$1.25 and 1.50. Handles trimmed with met-al and sterling.

50 gent's twilled silk gloria Umbrellas with steel rods, etc., at \$1.25 and 1.50. 100 ladies very fine Union

cases and tassels, and sterling trimmed and neat horn handles, at only \$2.00, 2.25 and 2.50. 200 very fine Umbrellas for

ladies and gents, at \$2.75, 3.00, 3.25, 3.50, 4.00 and up. These have fancy handles of many kinds and styles. 100 children's Umbrellas with different styles of hand-dies, at 48c,69c,98c and \$1.25.

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will be requested to do its part.

and whose presence was always welcome at our meetings. Resolved, That while we rejoice with

loved and served, we extend our heartfelt

Your Newspaper for the Coming Year.

The Portland Sunday Times may be South Portland or Deering.

Lecture by Mrs. Diaz.

m. today. Free invitation to all.

Knights of Malta.

Malta, will work the Malta degree on nine candidates at their hall, 80 Exchange street, this evening, and as arrangements are to be made for the Institution of the Commandery at Deering in ferred itself to the satchel. After she the near future, a full attendance is desired.

Church Fairs.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the St. Lawafternoon and a delightful entertainment will be afforded in the evening composed of music, dialogues 'and read-

The ladies of the First Baptist church are holding their annual Christmas sale at the church vestry and will continue it through today. They have a lot of pretty but the child remained with Mrs.

Colby University.

Prof. A. J. Roberts delivered a lecture in Hallowell, Tuesday evening. C. L. Snow, '97, returned Tuesday from his home in Lynn, Mass.

At a meeting of the foot ball team C. At the meeting of the junior class the following officers were elected: President, J. E. Nelson; vice president, N. K. Tuller; secretary, F. R. Getchell; treasurer, C. M. Woodman; orator, H. S. Allen; poet, H. H. Pratt; bistorian, J. O. Wellman; awarder of rings, B. C.

The meeting of the junior class the folded. Knowing the two witnesses people of the West become interested in the fish and game possibilities of the baum, Smutenski & Greenberg, had been cited to appear as the defendant in a bastardy suit brought against him by Ellzabeth Moscovitch.

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THE MAINE CENTRAL. J. O. Weliman; awarder of rings, B. C. Richardson; marshal, T. R. Pierce; bosstmaster, R. H. Cook; chaplain, E. S. Philbrook; executive committee, H. M. Brown, B. C. Richardson and J. E. Nelson; committee on odes. A. H. Page. Nelson; committee on odes, A. H. Page, and costs. A. E. Linscott, and J. L. Dyer.

Foneral of the Late Jonas M. Hammond. The funeral services over the remains of people from Sidney, and that vicinity, where the deceased was well known and anyway. was highly esteemed. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Stevens of Oakmember. There was a delegation present

Miss Sibley on Constantinople.

and traveler Charlotte Thorndike Sibley. the Golden Horn.

Real Estate Transfers

The following transfers of real estate in this county have been recorded in

Frederick H. Harford to Isabel S. Skiener, both of Portland, for \$1, a lot of land between the ferry land to Portland and Meeting House hill.

Margaret D Tolfort of Yarmouth to Julia F. Hill of Portland, for \$40, a lot of land on Coushe's island.

stood that Herbert M. Stanley is the Republican includes will be served from 6 to 8. The sale multiple will be held in the spacious vestry down stairs, which is being fitted up for a Sunday school room.

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FOR SHOP LIFTING.

Mrs. Annie E, Spear Fined Ten Dollars

Sometime ago, the Rines Brothers com iliary was held I uesday afternoon with pary had their suspicions aroused by can McAll Association. The Association she was caught in the act of stealing a The following resolutions were passed Spear was seen to take the crash by Mr. in memory of Mrs. E. P. Chase, who Walter B. Marshall, a salesman, who rehad been a member of the Auxiliary ported the matter to the firm and Mrs. since its formation, and for several years Spear was arrested. She appeared in served as Vice President for the Baptist court yesterday morning accompanied by her husband Mrs. Spear is a woman of Resolved, That in the death of Mrs. middle age and seemed overcome by E. P. Chase, our former Vice President, our Auxiliary has lost a valued friend and helper, whose noble Christian character was known to all her associates,

stand, however, she spoke clearly enough. Mr. Marshall testified that he had been instructed to watch Mrs. Spear and was her in her release from suffering and in the happiness which she is enjoying in the presence of the Savior, whom she crash from a pile on the counter, fold it loved and served, we extend our heartfelt love and sympathy to her sorrowing husband and family.

Resolved, That this expression of esteem for our fellow worker, and of sympathy with her family and friends, be spread upon our records and a copy sent to the bereaved husband.

While she was in the act of taking the crash, her eyes were fixed on Mr. Bradbury. the clerk at the counter, who was prized upon our records and a copy sent to the bereaved husband. twice and put it into her handbag. taking the crash and she said she thought it was a piece she had bought. Mr. Henry J. Bradbury the salesman obtained in connection with the PRESS at the counter, testified that he sold for \$7.50 a year in advance, or for 65 Mrs. Spear two pieces of crash, which ents a month, for both papers, by mail, were done up in paper. These she paid or delivered by carrier in Portland for. He then waited upon another cus-

tomer and did not see the woman take the crash from the counter, but when nounced at Mrs. Frye's rooms will be giv- Spear's satchell. Mr. Bradbury identien in the Falmouth Hotel parlors at 3 p. fied the piece of crash produced in court, by means of the price mark on it, as the one he saw in the satchel. Mrs. Spear took the stand in her own Beacon Commandry, No. 98, Knights of behalf and told of the purchase of the two

pieces of crash. Then she explained how the other piece got into her satchel, by accident as it were. This is the way, according to Mrs. Spear, the crash transhad purchased the two pieces described, which were bought at the request of her brother-in-law and consequently taken as a separate purchase, she selected some rence street church will continue their of the crash for herself. This piece was fair at the church this afternoon, and lying on her satchel which was half open evening. Admission will be free in the on the counter by the pile of crash. Mrs. Spear was standing by waiting for Mr. Bradbury to come back, and holding a fifty cent piece in her hand to pay for the crash. She had been accompanied to the store by several ladies and one of these ladies had a little child with her. The mother had left that part of the store, Spear. Then the child began to cry for

Marshal Tricky and Deputy Marshal Sterling testified to statements made to them by Mrs. Spear in regard to the exhibits the New York press notices, crash, statements which varied somewhat it can be said spoke particularly of the from those she made on the stand.

At a meeting of the foot ball team C.

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in the court:

Vacancies in the Legislature.

The resignation of Hon. Oramandal of the late Jonas M. Hammond of Litchfield class, makes the fourth vacan-Bidney, were held Tuesday at the late cy to occur since the election, an unresidence. There was a large attendance usually large number. In fact it is unusual to have one, in so short a time,

The other vacancies have been caused region this fall. by death, or illuess. Judah P. Teague | A large mounted moose known as a and. There were also Masoule services, of Caribou, and Harvey C. Hinckley of mountain moose will be taken in a conducted by Rural Lodge, 53, F. and Bluebill, died; and John O. Patten of special car. A. M., of which Mr. Hammond was a Bath, resigned on account of ill health. In the cases of a second election, the is so large that it will be necessary to from this ledge. The singing was fur- municipal officers of the oldest town in send it through on a special car. ri had by a quartette. The decessed was the class, set the date, this date not to the father of Mr. J. M. Hammond of be within 30 days after the filing of the prepare a set of photograph of the fish

office of Secretary of State. Deputy Secretary of State A. D. Russell, says that the Blue hill election will distributed at this exhibit, setting forth The fourth entertainment in the take place January 1, with John M. the besuties of Maine and the great pos-Deering course will be given at the Merrill, Republican, and Ithamar E. sibilities in its fish and game supply. Woodfords Congregational church this Stanley, Democrat, as nominees, the evening by the charming young lecturer papers having been filed December 4. The Bath election will take place Jan-Her hosts of friends will be glad to hear uary 9, with Bon. Harold M. Sewall, her speak of Constantinople, the city on Republican; Joseph Torrey, Democrat; candidates filed December 5. The elec-

> with the choice of Carl C. King. In the Litchfield class, the nominations termoon and evening. A fine supper, for have not been received, but it is under- which the ladies are particularly noted, stood that Herbert M. Stanley is the Re- will be served from 6 to 8. The sale Mousam river yesterday afternoon and publican nomince. This class includes will be held in the spacious vestry down were drowned.

MARINE ITEMS

Picked Up Along Commercial Street and Along the Wharves.

The schooner Maggie Ellen arrived obstacles. here yesterday afternoon from Boston with clay for the pottery.

The German ship Carl sailed November 8, form Yokohoma for Portland. She is will be completed and then the carpen bringing a cargo of rags. The tugs Mary J. Finn and Ice King

are on their way to Portland with a dragging fleet in tow. The schooner Loring C. Batlard is discharging coal at Randall & McAllister's

wharf. C. Southard are both reported at Demerara, prior to December 5.

The schooner Mattie J. Alles, Capt. Crockett, is due here soon with a cargo of coal from Perth Amboy. The fine schooner Lizzie E. Dennison,

Capt. Ross, is now ready for sea and is only waiting favorable weather to set he had not completed his contract as sail. She will take a general cargo in- soon as he had expected, but that he had cluding 130 tons of hay to Dangueness, pushed the work along with remark-

ing from a badly sprained ankle which was caused recently by stepping on a for years, had greatly interfered with the coil of rope on the deck of one of the En-Mrs. Diaz's address previously an piece of the crash protruding from Mrs. glish steamers. Capt Oliver is still able Than the weather has been bad and to be about but is suffering much pain from his injury. The cargo has been removed from the

sunken schooner Sea Bird, now lying in the channel above. L street bridge in Boston, and she is now being filled with empty barrels to assist in bringing her to the surface. It is expected that the able fact, and one that is worth of novessel will be got off tonight, when she will be taken to East Boston and hauled on the railway for repairs.

The schooner Calvin B. Oroutt is on her way here with a cargo of coal. The five missing members from the crew of the wrecked schooner Willie M. Stevens of Gloucester, have landed safely at Blanche, N. S.

Operations were commenced yesterday in placing the upper work on the Spring Point lighthouse and at last the structure commences to have a finished ap-

The steamer State of Maine of the International line has come to his port for repairs. It is said that the St. Croix will be the only boat on the route during the greater part of the winter. She will

At the exhibit last year over 80,000 and happy life.

MRS. W. H. GILMORE, one from Maine. Miss Crosby is at the Judge Robinson in announcing his present time arranging the exhibit to be

These additional cases were disposed of should have a log cabin which is now being built at Bemis by the Berlin Mills Co. to be used at the exhibit.

There will also be ten guides present from the Aroostook, Moosehead, Mt. Katahdin. Dead River and Rangely re-"We shall also have." said she, "from

the state of Maine the largest mounted Smith as representative-elect of the moose's head ever yet reported to the world.

The Prince of Wales has until recently had the proud distinction of owning the largest moose's head, but the one in question was shot in the Arcostook

This specimen is a handsome one, and

E. B. Starboard of Brunswick is to the firm of Simmons & Hammond, of nominations of the applicants at the and game to be found in Maine and these H. Carter, Lisbon. pictures are to be seen in the exhibit.

There will be over 100,000 circulars

West End Church Fair.

The Ladies' Circle Epworth League and Sunday school of the West End M. E. church will hold a sale of fancy and useful articles for Christmas, together tion at Caribou was held December 7, with other necessaries, such as groceries etc., next Wednesday and Thursday, af-

LAST SPILE DRIVEN.

In the Grand Trunk Elevator Foundation by Contractor Ward.

Yesterday forenoon the last spile was The fish arrivals yesterday were much driven in the foundation for the new the actions of Mrs. Annie E. Spear and larger than they have been before for Grand Trunk elevator by Contractor The President, who has recently visited had reason to believe that she had been New York, brought greetings from Mrs. guilty of shoplifting. They accordingly provided and at good prices which have been hammering New York, brought greetings from Mrs. guilty of shoplifting. They accordingly had the woman watched and Tuesday but the woman watched and Tuesday are all the woman watched and Tuesday they was caucht in the act of stealing a she was caucht in the will try to raise \$3000 more this year than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents and it cost her than last, and the Portland Auxiliary worth twenty-four cents are worth twenty-four cents and it cost her 10,000 halibut and 3,000 cod; Ella M. tion, and in driving this immense num-\$10 and costs in the municial court. Mrs. Doughty. 8,000; Thomas Knight 8,000; ber the contractor's crew has been Mary E. Hagan, 10,000; Emma Jane, obliged to overcome all kinds of difficulties and have encountered all sorts of

> The concrete piers have now all been put is and by next Saturday the contract tors' work on the elevator foundation ters will go to work to erect the super structure. By the middle of next week the foun-

dation for the engine house will also be completed and the foundation for the big chimney will also be finished about that time. This chimney foundation The schooners Luis G. Rabel and Ida will consist of spiling with 17 feet of solid masonry on top of it. On this foundation will be placed the big stack 125 or 180 feet high and with a diameter of 13 feet at the base. This chimney is to be of iron.

Mr. Ward in talking to the represents tive of the PRESS last evening, said that able speed considering the difficulties he Capt. Scott Oliver, the pilot, is suffer - had to overcome. The tides of the pas month, which have been the highest work and had occasioned much delay nature seemed to have conspired to make the construction of the foundation as difficult a job as possible.

The foundation for this big elevator has been put in to stay, and it is understood that the work is in every way satisfactory to the Grand Trunk. A remarktice, is that never a single hour or minute has been lost on this work by waiting for any of the material. Everything has been on hand just when it was wanted, and the management of the big crew of men has been such that not a bit of trouble has been had with the large army of laborers.

STILL ANOTHER LETTER

In Reference to the Gilmore Case Reported Yesterday.

chant received the following letter in re-

through today. They have a lot of pretty things for sale and a capital turkey dinner will be served at noon.

The ladies of St. Stephen's church lave taken Bosworth Post hall, on Free street, and they will present, a number of pretty and useful things just appropriate for gifts for the Christmas season, this afternoon and evening. They will also clock.

The St. Luke's guild will hold their annual Christmas sale at the cattedral parish house, entrance on Park street, this afternoon and evening. Useful and ornameutal articles will be offered in profusion and a fine suppre served.

Colly University.

The thild began to ory for its mother and Mrs. Spear turned from its mother and Mrs. Spear folder in the counter to look for her. It was turned from its mother and Mrs. Spear turned from its mother and Mrs. Spear folder in the closed newspaper clipping. I have known of vigor good heart since I was a girl. The was a girl when I lived in your city years ago. The State's Fish and Game Resources Will Be Shown Up By Fly Rod.

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219 South Ninth Street, Richmond, Indiana.

At 9.20 the report of a pistol run, out in the corridor of the court house. Greenburg had shot himself in the right temple and death was almost instantaneous. The greatest excitement prevailed. The complainant was overcome at the strange ending of her suit.

Maine Pensions.

Washington, December 9 .- The follow ing pensions have been granted Maine

ORIGINAL. John E. Lee, Togus. ADDITIONAL.

Wm. P. Reed, Lewiston; Joseph Adams, North Bradford; Gilbert K. Mc-Laughlin, Halldale. INCREASE. Henry Negravel, Togus; Charles R.

Mosher, Rome. ORIGINAL, WIDOWS, ETC. Aurissa J. Dennison, Auburn; Abbie

Boston, December 9.-Although the Drowned While Skating.

Kennebunk, December 9 .- Fred and broke through the ice while skating on

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS Margaret D Tolfort of Yarmouth to Julia F. Hill of Portland, for \$40, a lot of Iand on Cousin's island.

Phoche B. Lands to Mary Ella Houghton, both of New York, for \$1, a parcel of land in Yarmouth.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggistsr efund the money if it falls to cure. 25c
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To Distressing Kidney and Bladder Sieleved in six hours by the "NEW GREAT to antagonize their road themselves, but South as great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every onn Parish church. This lecture has always given great pleasure when presented by Mr. Hack, The views are good gists, 463 Congress street, Portland.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Gun-Shot Wounds.

Major E. A. Garlington was shot hrough the arm at the battle of 'Wounded Knee," December 29, 1890, the last fight between the Indians and our troops. It is not often that a regular army officer certifies to the value of a proprietary remedy, but this is what Major Garlington says about SALVA-CEA: "WASHINGTON, D. C.,

April 21, 1895. "I have used SALVA-CEA for soreness or rheumatic pains in the

muscles of my arm, which is disabled from a gun-shot wound involving the elbow joint ; relief was quick and complete. E. A. GARLINGTON,

Major and Inspector General,

U. S. A.

Not many people suffer from gun-shot wounds, to be sure, but lots of us do suffer from piles, local skin irritation, chafings, colds and nasal catarrh, and SALVA-CEA is just as efficacious in all of these as in gun-shot wounds.

Two sizes, 25 and 50 cents per box. For deep-seated pain and rheumatism of the Joints use Salva-cea, "Extra Strong." Sold in tins at 75 cents each. THE BRANDRETH Co., 274 Canal Street, N. Y.

WASHINGTONIAN MEETING.

Interesting Reminiscences by Old Wash ingtonians.

A most interesting meeting was held at the Gospel Misssion hall last evening, it being the eighth of the series. The meeting was opened by paper by Rev. S. F. Pearson after which Rev. H. F. Dexter read appropriate selections

of scripture. Geo. H. Blake, Esq., was the first speaker. He said that if people in any state outside of Maine, or in any civit ized country chanced to speak about to subject of temperance in connection with Maine they would talk about prohibition, no other movement being recognized. We propose to change all this. We propose that in the future when men outside of Maine talk about temperance they A well known Commercial street mer- will speak of the great moral Washington movement that is sweeping through the gard to the Gilmore case (surposed to state and of the societies founded on it be a fraud) that will be read with in- that shall everywhere spring up. While our arms are open wide to receive men and women of all ages we are especially

ing account of his recollections of the old movement, Although brought up amidst, drinkers yet he had kept free from it. The old gentleman stepped for ward and signed the pledge again.

Rev. S. F. Pearson gave ore of his unique, enrnest, illustrative speeches very hard to report. He urged the pledge upon everybody and put in rousing words for the success of this movement. The next meeting will be held at Gospel Mission hall next Sunday evening than any place in

Rumor that Joseph H. Manley of August Will Be President.

The Boston Herald had a special de spatch from Portland yesterday, saying that there was a rumor that the next president of the Maine Central road would be Joseph H. Manley of Augusta, because his influence with the legislature of Maine was greater than that of

In conversation with a getleman very

close to the Maine Central and Boston &

any other man in the state.

Maine roads, that gentleman said to a PRESS reporter that Mr. Frank Wilson had just been elected president of the Maine Central and that his term would not expire any way until next October. He further said that it was absurd to say that Mr. Wilson's influence with the business men or with the legislature of Maine was any less than that of Mr. Manley's. Mr. Wilson is the best president the Maine Central has had, and there is no doubt that he can be elected Boston, December 9.—Although the apple export season is only half over, already several hundred thousand more barrels of apples have been shipped abroad than during the whole of the previous season. The total number of barrels shipped last week was 154,655, and the entire number shipped before that since the opening of the season in August, was 806,041 as against 189,166 harrels shipped in the same period last year.

Wilson will have said the gentleman, in Wilson will have said the gentleman. Wilson will have, said the gentleman, in his general manager, Mr. Evans, a thoroughly capable man, and when people Alfred Louisville, aged 18 and 16 years, talk of Boston directors building up Boston or Bangor or Portland at the expense of either one of them, it's all rot. The directors are interested in a plant that is valued at sixteen million of dollars to the extent that they are not going

MISCELLANEOUS.

SPECIAL SALE.

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We put on sale 347 LADIES' and MISSES' JACKETS which have been sent on from our New

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of a style and that is a reason they go at these prices.

LOT NO. 1. 154 Jackets of rough and smooth all wool material, made in the very latest styles, Wholesale Price of them from \$5.00 to \$7.00. at

\$3.67

119 Jackets, every one of them was made in LOT NO. 2. the last three weeks, at cost to manufacture from \$8.00 to 11.50.

\$5.97

LOT NO. 3. 74 Jackets at Have been getting right along \$10.00 to \$15.00 for

\$7.47

We have two reasons for placing these garments on such a cheap sale. One to dispose of broken lots which our salesmen cannot sell on the road, and the other to give Portland ladies the bedefit of it, because they have patronized us well during the entire season.

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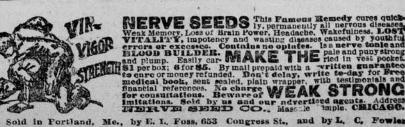
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Defects.

Club.)

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haste to acquire premature facility in

reading and writing and arithmetic is a

"The kinderwarten is the link between

tween the human parent and the heaven-

"Reading, writing, arithmetic and

grammar convey the conventional sym-

bols and instruments by which the child

communicates with the worli beyond his

These numerical and verbal symbols are

indispensable instruments of education.

"The grammar school gives the shell

of learning without its substance. What

wonder that under the influence of such

"The public school must do either le

and A. P. A. fanaticism; who clamor for fiat prices at which to sell labor and their goods, who substitute quackery for medical science, mob violence for law, theosophy for religion, passion for mor-

ality, impulse for reason, crazes and caprices for conscience and the constitu-

"The education that is to give wisdon

must teach not merely formal facility in intellectual gymnastics, but reverent acquaintance with natural phenomena and natural law, loving fellowship with human ideals and human character. In order that these subjects shall be taught in their broad, general features in the elementary school, they must be studied scientifically and systematically throughout the high school course.

nition as a part of the requirement for admission to college. Modern languages, advanced mathematics and physics and chemistry are so recognized aleady. "This correlation of substances with

form in the elementary school will im-

form in the elementary school will impart to pupils the conviction that the world is grounded in reason and ruled by law, and that the life of man is a field where noble ideals may be sought and won. I believe such reverence for natural law and human character will do

more for temperance than special lessons on morbid physiology can ever do.

"Children so trained will not be so eager to fight a foreign nation or persecute the adherents of a different faith,

or resort to general remedies for in definite ailments, or enrich themselves by high axes or cheap money, or prefer the impulse of a mob to the safeguards of the courts.

"To give a child eight years of formal distribution in the symbols of knowledge."

lust and conceit and laziness hold such horrid carnival as in a mind swept and garnished by formal training and at the same time empty of positive contents and that is precisely (the kind of mind the grammar schools which refuse to admit the new subjects into their curricular states to true out.

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THE PRESS.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10.

gaged upon a treaty to annex Hawaii to this country.

Five thousand silver orators to be let loose upon the country! Let the courts issue an injunction. Call out the troops. This is worse than a Chicago moh.

The silver Republican Senators appear to be quite as unreconciled as last winter. The sound thrashing they got from the people does not appear to have done them any good

Bryan is to be invited to be the chief orator at the observance of Saint Jackson's day in Chicago. It is a strange It was Jackson who first established the single gold standard in this country, and he did it knowingly, purposely and deliberately. A friend of silver sounding the praises of Jackson who silver will be an edifying

We think it is pretty safe to say that none of the resolutions introduced into the House and Senate proposing the recognition of Cuban independence will ever amount to more than an excuse for making a long speech, or a lot of them. Until it has forgotten its experience with the Venezuelan business Congress is not

Within a few years the government has been compelled to issue \$200,000,000 of five per cent bonds to maintain the reserve which is the basis of greenback circulation. It can hardly be said therefore that the greenback costs nothing for interest.

The Spanish authorities have complete control of the Havana press and all the ordinary means for the dissemination of news. They can as readily compel the newspapers to publish lies as to suppress truths. It may be that the story of Mabody in Havana would dare to contradict them.

There seems to be reasonable certainty land: Loring, Short & Harmon.) that an extra session of Congress has been determined upon, to be called soon after inauguration, unless the Dingley bill is passed this winter which now drick Bangs. Stuart Harley is a writer to be regretted. A session of Congress,

A Portland despatch to the Boston Herald contains the interesting rumor that the Hon, Joseph H. Manley of Auacquaintance with men in Maine, and it is believed that he would do more to & Brothers; Portland: Loring, Short & influence legislation, if any is needed by Harmon.) the road, than any man in the State." These would seem to be qualifications for the presidency of the Maine Central lobby rather than the Maine Central railroad.

retary of the Board of Health, has done very much to instruct the people in preventive measures. When the State Board of Health was established it was established against much opposition from people who regarded disease as a visitation of the Almighty against which it was no use to struggle, and who figured out that all the money spent by it would

be wasted. But no State board has so The Ship's Company and Other Sea to the people as this one.

Some of the congressmen are talking carrier anywhere within the city limits and at which everybody would be prosperous Pets of Sailor Jack is the title of one impart a knowledge and love of the laws every Thursday, \$2 per year; \$1 for six months; job; and furthermore that after the job limited one is glad to know of his fond- of the home. The province of the public is done there are a good many aching the present time the party that has done the revising, commissioned apparently though it has been by the people to the pleasure of listening to the pleasant words, 'Well done, good and faithful servant"-quite the opposits. Why then any party should start in revising the tariff with a light heart is more than we can see. History shows that it is very solemn business, to be approached with a great deal of caution and deliberation. A season of fasting and prayer might well precede it.

The Powers have so many times been reported to be on the eve of an agreement in regard to Turkey, without actually reaching one, that there is good reason for some skepticism in regard to the latest report that England, France and Russia have now arrived at a definite understanding and are ready to act. Nevertheless this last report seems to be well tiality of detail about it that, it would seem, could hardly have been invented. The plan agreed upon does not contemplate the actual deposal of the Sultan, provided he will yield to the demands of scriptions and advertisements to PORTLAND the three powers, but it makes him to picture is given of Marietta and another all intents and purposes their vassal, He is to continue to be the nominal ruler. but he is to rule according to a formula prepared by England, France and Rus- & Harmon.) sia. His promises of which he has ever been profuse, are not to be relied upon this time, but he is to be compelled to give substantial guarantees of their ful-News must te scarce when a newspaper filiment. If he refuses, then the Powers reports the present administration en- will take matters into their own hands. A refusal, however, is not probable, provided the Powers are in earnest. The condition of vassalage which acquiesence in the demand will reduce him to will on the great rivers and canals of central and man degenerates! The form without be disagreeable to him no doubt, but far less disagreeable than the alternative of losing his throne altogether.

CURRENT COMMENT.

THE NEXT SPEAKERSHIP.

(Kennebee Journal.) Everything indicates that Hon. Thomas B. Reed will be given an unani-Thomas B. Reed will be given an unanimous re-nomination as Speaker of the national House by the Republicans of the Congress-elect. No man in the history of the government has administered the affairs of this position with more distinguished ability or greater fairness. To him must always belong the distinction of having freed the transaction of business in the national House of Representatives from the obstructions that custom and a cumbersome code, based upon wrong interpretations and precedent, had made possible for members disposed to filipuster to put in its way.

MUST BE STRAIGHT POPULISTS.

(Philadelphia Record.) Perhaps there is nothing, not even the sting of defeat, which so much disturbs the sensibilities of the Democrats who de-serted their colors and went over to the the Venezuelan business Congress is not likely to let off any skyrockets.

The Biddeford Journal's statement that the greenback costs nothing for interest is true in letter but not in spirit.

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Within a few rooms the venezueland seems of Brand went over to the support of Bryan and Sewall as the notice served upon them by the Populists that they must hereafter abandon all pretense of Democracy if they wish to continue their filliance with the friends of free silver, free riot, and flat money.

WEARISOME AND MONOTONOUS. (Poston Herald.) Why wouldn't it be a good idea for Col. Henry Watterson to let the world take it for granted that he doesn't love Grover not enamored of him? The colonel's frequent denunciations of the President are waxing somewhat wearisome and

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

published in a handsome quarto edition, ceo's death is true. But all the alleged and with its illustrations by Edmund pleasant rumors of her bushand's confacts concerning it could easily be in- D. Garret', makes a very attractive holi- duct procures a divorce from him. Later vented and put into circulation, and no- day book. Sweet and touching as the on he saves her from a fearful death, story is it can hardly be commended as and she learns from him that the rumors a gift book for young people. (Phila- against his character were false. They delphia: J. R. Lippincott & Co.; Port- confess the love which each had felt for

A Rebellious Heroige, by John Ken-

seems highly improbable. Doubtless the failure of this bill will create a necessity build a story entirely true to life, of which Miss Marguerite Andrews shall be for the extra session, but it is a necessity which Miss Marguerite Andrews shall be Loring, Short & Harmon.) the heroine. The general plot is that whether it be regular or special, is al- she shall be wooed by one man and won ways more or less of a disturbing factor by another. Miss Andrews rebels at the ways more or less of a disturbing factor to business, and the one proposed will be held at a time when business can poorly afford to be disturbed.

A Portland despatch to the Boston

A Portland despatch to the Boston gun. Harvey then lays out another plan by which another suitor is to pay his court at Newport. Here the heroine again refuses to marry a man she does not love, simply for the sake of furnishing chapters for Harley's realistic story, and the tale ends by Harley's marrying his rebellious beroine himself. The very company holds 25,000 city's 6 per cent bonds upon which city refuses to pay but 4 per cent interest which the holders refuse to accept. There is \$90,000 of the natural and \$250,000 in New England.

The Lord Mayor of London invited United States Ambassador Bayard to accept a farewell banquet at the Mansion house. Mr. Bayard accepted the invitable refuse to accept and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and conceit and laziness hold such borried carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and conceit and conceit and conceit and carnival as in a mind swent and conceit and conceit and conceit and conceit and conceit and carni gusta is to be elected President of the ing chapters for Harley's realistic story.

Maine Central Railroad. "It is under- and the tale ends by Harley's marrying copy a farewell banquet at the Mansion."

stood," says the despatch, "shat Mr. his retellious heroine himself. The very house, Manly is wanted on account of his wide effective and charming illustrations are tion and fixed the date of entertainment at March 2.

Captain Chap or The Rolling Stone. By Frank R. Stockton. This story re-lates the adventures of three wide-The vital statistics of Maine gathered and collected by Registrar Young, show that as far as zymotic diseases are concerned this State enjoys greater immunity than any other New England State.

The vital statistics of Maine gathered awake, energetic boys who started out on a tug boat to meet a disabled steamer, expecting to be absent from home two days. The tug boat proved unseaworthy and they were taken on board a Savan-nity than any other New England State.

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thoroughly demonstrated its usefulness People. By J. D. Jerrold Kelley, U. S. N., author of Our Navy, etc. This President Hyde Points out Some of Its book contains eight articles about life on the waterboard, the great Atlantic jauntily about revising the tariff as if it liners, the yachts and the men-of-war; (From a Paper Read before the Clericus were a little affair which could all be all of them giving fascinating descripdone up in a month or two, and after tions of sea life in times of peace. Queer and happy. Past experience has shown, bright chapter. The author tells of the and forms of nature, the thoughts and however, that revising the tariff whether sailor's superstitions, of his duties and deeds of man. Education begins in the up or down is a very long and difficult his pleasures; and as his pleasures are experience, the authority, the affection ness for pets and the enjoyment he gets school is to show the child that the same hearts and kicking legs. Moreover up to from them. 'The isolation of the sailor, reason and law and love that animate the craving during long years of exile for the home also rule the universe. The something that cares for him purely for school is to make the child at home in himself, is a charm to conjute with, and the larger world of men and things, the do what it has done, has never had lucky indeed is the dumb brute whose master of its forces, the minister of its lines fall to him in the pleasant places of laws, the possessor of its treasures, the the forecastle." The chapters on Mid- sharer of its joys. shipmen Old and New are very interesting, as is the entire book for the author to the elemental forms of its larger contrives to lend interest to the most world, peoples it with the creations of prosate details. The book is profusely fancy, makes it alive for him with inillustrated. (New York: Harper & terests and conflicts kindred to his own. Brothers; Portland: Loring, Short & To omit the kindergarten stage in foolish Harmon.)

A Little Girl of Long Ago. By Eliza waste of nervous force; and, even if we Orne White, author of When Mollie Was get the precoclous prodigy at which we Six, etc. With colored cover design and aim, in doing so we sacrifice the natural two other illustrations. Marietta Hamil- interest and imaginative play which are ton, the little girl of the story, lived in the basis of achievement in science and Boston, on Beacon street, seventy years of appreciation of literature and art. ago. There were five little Hamiltons in the family and the house in which they the happiness of home and the gladness lived, the author says "is still un- and glory of the world, the mediator beauthent'exted, and there is a circumstan-changed." Little girls of today will enjoy reading about a little girl of seventy ly father, leading the child not less effecyears ago. They will know about her tively because for the most part unconschool and her studies, her friends, their clously from the love of the one to the dolls and doll parties, and how little girls love of the other. were dressed in those days. A quaint shows her with her sisters and brother. (Boston and New York: Houghton, Mifflin & Co.; Portland: Loring, Short range of vision, and his reach of hand.

> Alone in China and Other Stories. By Yet, the instruments are notithe sub-Julian Ralph. It had been Mr. Ralph's stance. intention to visit the great Kwangtung peninsula and the city of Canton, when he started for China, but the war with Japan caused him to change his plans merely formal education, crime does not somewhat, and to devote the greater diminish! What wonder that morality part of his time to a trip in a house boat | declines, religion languishes, art decays, China. Fully one third of his book is the substance, the instrument without devoted, under the title of Introduction, to an account and description of this extra arithmetic with no substance of sound cursion. In the succeeding pages, Mr. Ralph has set forth a number of his experiences in the less common form of romances, in which he has massed what he saw and learned of the surroundings and the curstoms of the records where the surroundings and the curstoms of the records where the surroundings and the curstoms of the records where the surroundings are dangerous implements to have lying about loose in a democratic cursion. In the succeeding pages, Mr. and the customs of the people where they have lying about loose in a democratic have not yet been affected by foreign influences. The title story is an account of the rather startling result of the mar- a real educator of youth, and an effective riage of an American girl to a Chinese riage of an American girl to a Chinese supporter of the State.
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> "The traditional grammar school has fed children on mere husks—valuable interesting volume were first published husks to be sure, as all busks are in their interesting volume were first published in Harper's Mouthly. The charming descriptions of life and scenery are beautifully illustrated by Mr. C. D. Weldon, who was with Mr. Ralph in China. The book is bound in yellow with a panel of white chrysanthemums. (New York: Harper & Brothers; Portland: Loring, Short & Harmon.)
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> Jane. A Social Incident. By Marie Corelli, author of The Sorrows of Satan, etc. This is a very bright and attractive little story, though some of the characters seem rather exaggerated. It represents society in London and the author

society and at certain "fads" of the day. The book is prettily illustrated and the cover is of yellow buckram with a de- tio sign of lotus leaves. (Lotus Library; Clevelant, and that Grover Cleveland is Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott Co.; to scholars and security to the community must teach not metely formal facility not enamored of him? The colonels Partial Lippincott Co.; must teach not metely formal facility colonel's Portland: Loring, Short & Harmon.)

A Golden Autumn. By Mrs. Alexander, author of A Fight with Fate, etc. A Golden Autumn is the story of a young couple who marry and gradu-Ouita's Two Little Wooden Shoes is ally drift away from each other and out the high school course.

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Lucal Union then introduced the Rev. matter will be carried through. Jas. L. Hill of Salem, Mast, who spoke on the sujbect: "The Endeavor Spirit." formed, is Cophetus, or the Land of the

throughout the evening.

points in his address.

The speaker encouraged his hearers to exhibit at all times a spirit of earnest- which is justly and graciously ruled by ness, confidence and truth, and to stand the original King Cophuta, is represented firm for their principles for which they by the king himself, assisted by his

in a social way

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The Tornado, The dissecting room scene in Lincoln tence, the court is invaded by Mistress J. Carter's play, "The Tornado," which Charity Sweet, an able representative of comes to Portland theatre Friday and Sunday popular charities, by Mistress Saturday evening and Saturday matinee Molly Mellow, a representative of the is one of the most attractive scenes of World's Woman's Prison Reform Associthe performance, perfect in its detail. ation, by Mistress Polly Peaceful, a re-The action of the story during the scene presentative of the World's Woman's is the very essence of quiet and refined Peace and Arbitration Society, and last, intensity. At its close, as the curtain but not least, by Alethea, the Goddess of slowly falls, the young husband and Truth, who hopes to find the Land of the surgeon, alone with his great joy, a storm Great Horn Spoon, a peaceful retreat of appreciative and sympathetic applause from the worry of her ardnous duties, invariably comes from the audience. It such as the sanctity of the oath commonwas this feature of the new play which ly associated with the name of that land, was awaited by Mr. Carter's admirers, would seem to justify her expecting. with a possible doubt as to his ability to The situations of the opera depend

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Ladies' Aid Course.

St. Lawrence street course, at City hall.

The Rochester, N. Y. Democrat said: audience was not satisfied, but continued to applaud until the next performers appeared upon the stage. The late Eugene Field was lovingly recalled by that familiar sketch, 'Just Before Christmas,' and Miss Couthoul's delineation of the mischievous but polite boy was perfection, even to the voice and facial expression. 'No. 5 Collect Street,' was also very amusing. It de, icts the predicament of a Frenchman in this country with little knowledge of the language, who forgets the address of his hotel and the method he employed to suggest the name.'

Union Veteran Legion.

and resulted in the following choice:

Colonel—F. C. Johnston.

Liteutenant Colonel—Hiram Ellis.

Major—J. W. King.
Chaplain—B. F. Strickland,
Surgeon—A. D. Morse.
Quartermaster—George O. D. Soule.
Officer of Day—A. A. Nickerson.

The officers will be installed the second Wednesday evening in January, and it is expected that W. H. Motley of Deer-be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock ing, an aid-de-camp of the state commander, will be the installing officer.

A Food-Tonic. A Nerve Soother,

Liebig COMPANY'S Extract of Beef

COPHETUA.

Or the Land of the Great Horn Spoon

Last season Mr. Lerov L. Hight, wh had written a most attractive little opera bers of the Local Union of the Y. P. S. that he had named "Pistol," produced ance upon the second rally of the season has ever been gathered at an entertainment in Portland. The witty dialogue, A praise service was held for fifteen the bright and taking music and the minutes by A. B. Watson of the St. good acting, all combined to make the opera a pronounced success.

The scriptures were read by the Rev. The First Parish Unity club are con-H. McGilroy the pastor of the Park St. sidering the production of an opera, the society and prayer was then offered by libretto by Mr. Leroy L. Hight, to the the Rev T. S. Samson the paster of music by Mr. Harry McLellan of Bath. The arrangements have not been com Rev. E. R. Purdy, the president of the pleted and it is not yet assured that the

The Rev. Mr. Hill is a trustee of the Great Horn Spoon. It is in two acts United Society of the Endeavor societies and its scenes are laid in the court of and in opening his remarks extended the King Cophetua, monarch of the land of greetings of good wishes of the board of the Great Horn Spoon. The incidents trustees which body has just held its relate to the complications that arise in the life of not only the common people, Mr. Hill is an enteraining speaker and but men and women of high degree in held the closest attention of his hearers conducting the business of life wherein a reasonable regard for one's personal The address abounded in bright and interest is coupled with desire for chariwitty anecdotes illustrating the telling ties and reform as the latter are popul larly prosecuted.

The Court of the Great Horn Spoon prime minister, William; the general At the close of the address the members of the armies Sir Demorius Dagg, the lord of the Union enjoyed a brief time spent high keeper of the royal jail Sir Wigglesby Wink, the lord high chancellor Sir Jeffries Dogberry, and in a more humble capacity, Mr. Caligraph Smith, the chief scribe and Pharises. As these dignataries are enjoying their peaceful exis-

keep it free from gruesome shades, but the reception accorded the scene at the first production settled beyond a doubt the complete triumph of the feature.

The situations of the opera depend largely upon the contrast in ideas that are representative of the various char-acters and the fact that even in the Land of the Great Horn Spoon mendacity sometimes appears.

The music is said to be exceedingly bright and original. The quartette at the entrance of the king and his chief officers, is said to be a delightful morceau

neld Wednesday afternoon at Fraternity ble Night-gowns. He made these. became so undeniable that the people's favorite gave way and sang an Ave Maria as encore with violin accompaniment by Mis Beatrice Langley. The rich dress which she were was ornamented with diamonds on the corsare, the shoulders and the cuffs, and a diamond necklace was also worn."

The trade-mark name this manufacturer gives to his gowns is "UNIVER-turer gives to his gowns is "UNIVER-tu Training of Children." The idea of it Tomorrow afternoon and evening, at all, is the carrying out, and the perfect They will be one of the greatest laws of the uni- THE STOCKINGS. Mrs. Diaz spoke beautifully of the com-

ing of a little child into a home of the responsibilities of the parents in regard to it, and of how strange it was that so er afternoon or evening; so that a so clock tin the evening nor an so clock in the afternoon. Prices are the same for each. taught mechanical obedience and later The Couthout entertainment will be will come heart obedience, when it has given December 17th in the Ladies' Aid learned to respect its parents. The child should be taught habits of regularity by doing some simple thing at a certain hour each day, so that it should grow "Of that lady's interpretations of different selections, combt and pathetic, it is hardly necessary to speak, as she is a too well-known favorite in this city. Miss Couthoul was down for three numbers, but so great was the enthusiasm of the well-known favorite in the city. Human nature raturally responds to the the audience that to each she was obliged to respond with another, and then the audience was not satisfied, but continued to applied until the next performers and the things of the say that human weakness, can be

************************************* the power of the inner voice. All this comes into the scope of character building and character making, which is the The annual election of the officers of main issue, and must have the right of Portland Encampment, No. 127, Union way, for conduct, is character coming to Veteran Legion was held last evening the surface, and ultimately will bring

about results yet undreamed of. A little informal talk among the listeners followed the lecture and Mrs. Diaz distributed some circulars, giving an account of the "Aims of Her Talks," and something of her books at the "The Religious Training of Children," and "Domestic Problems."

The meeting of the Beecher club will at the Falmouth hotel parlors, and Mrs. Diaz will speak on "Women's Clubs," what they are accomplishing and so on. Saturday evening Mrs. Diaz will again speak at the Fraternity house, showing how the education of the spiritual in us is the only sure basis of all human endeavor.

Broke Her Wrist.

MPANY'S

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. A. D. P. arson, while ascending the first In Baine. Nov. 26, Charles W. Nelson of Portland. In Baine. Nov. 26, Charles W. Nelson of On Quinoy street had nearly reached the top of the flight when she called out to her daughter that she felt dizzy and fell delicate nourishment.

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In Somerville. Nov. 26, Charles W. Nelson of Presque Isle and Miss Bertne I. Paterson of Saco. In East Lebanon, Nov. 26, Bert Emerson and delicate nourishment.

In this city, Dec. 9, Patrick J., youngest son of Patrick H. and Bannah M. Donough, aged 2 years.

In Annersy, Nov. 27, Luther T. Pike, aged 2 years.

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In North Anson, Nov. 24, Menry J. Mrs. Mary J. M

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For Bilious and Nervous disorders such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Sick Headache, G1d diness, Fullness and Swelling after meals, Dizziness and Drowsiness, Cold Chills, Flushings of Heat, Loss of Appetite, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness, Blotches on the Skin, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations, &c., when these symptoms are caused by constipation, as most of them are. THE FIRST DOSE WILL GIVE RELIEF IN TWENTY MINUTES. This is no fiction. Every sufferer is earnestly invited to try one box of these TY MINUTES. This is no fiction. Every suns

A WONDERFUL MEDICINE.

WEAK STOMACH, IMPAIRED DIGESTION, DISORDERED LIVER they act like magic—a few doses will work wonders upon the Vital Organs; strengthening the muscular System, restoring the long-lost complexion, bringing back the keen edge of appetite, and arousing with the Rosebud of Health the whole physical energy of the human frame. These are facts admitted by thousands, in all classes of society, and one of the best guarantees to the Nervous and Debilitated is that Beecham's Pills have the largest Sale of any Patent Medicine in the World.

WITHOUT A RIVAL. Annual Sales over 6,000,000 Boxes. 25c. at Drug Stores, or will be sent by U. S. Agents, B. F. ALLEN CO., 365 Canal St., New York, post paid, upon receipt of price. Book free upon application





THE GOWNS.

orders from dealers.

ON FRIDAY.

TWO CORNER-STORE SALES.

Night Gowns--89c, \$1.19, 1.79.

Women's Cashmere Hose---25c.

We divide the Night-gowns in to three price-lots.

These are the sample Night-gowns that we have promised to so Off at 89c each. Most of these many of you. Three hundred and are \$1.25 quality. thirty-four of them altogether and hard-

10 One hundred and two ly two alike. All perfect, all new n styles, having been made this season 1 1 Gowns at \$1.19 each and been used as samples in taking A few of these are such as we have had at \$1.50, but most of them \$1.75 One manufacturer in New York and \$2.00 qualities. makes nothing but Night-gowns. He

is a man of great business ability and 70 Forty-eight gowns at he directs it all along this one line. \$1.79. In this lot Gowns The result is he makes the best possi- that seil usually at from \$2.50 to 3.50.

Three hundred pair of Women's all wool Black Cashmere Hose-an little in our higher education had to do assorted lot, the regular prices, 38c. with teaching us how to understand an 50c and 63c—for this sale all at the one price of 25c.

> these Stockings are so cheap. It is as good as any Stockings, and if you because they are what the manufac- don't think they are worth 25 cts. we turers call "seconds."

> pair in a box is of exactly the same all sizes in good assortment, so we weight and quality. In this lot there think it will not take long to sell them

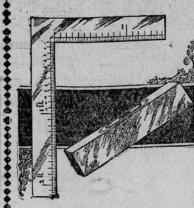
| are different weights and qualities, although all are heavy enough. In an occasional pair one leg will be half an inch longer than the other, a very few have darned places or slight imperfections in weaving. None of the Stockings have holes in them.

We have told you every reason Of course there's a reason why there is why these Stockings are not surely don't want you to buy them.

When we buy regular goods every It's a small lot for a Sale, there are

Both Sales Friday Morning, commencing at half past eight. As usual-money back if you want it.

EASTMAN BROS. & BANGROFT



A SQUARE AND PLAIN TALK.

Most everybody has some particular ambition in life. Ambition is what keeps progress alive. If a man saw nothing ahead but the same, monotonous round of work, work, work, he would be likely to throw up his hands and quit,

A man will work away year after year ac-quiring property. He hopes to have enough some day to quit his labors, and spend the balance of his life in ease. In order to gratify his wishes, he must in-sure his property against fire. If he does, he is safe. If he does not, he is likely to wake up penniless some morning.

He ought to insure everything-houses, stores, barns, and the contents of each. He ought to buy certain insurance. We sell that kind. Some agents do not. Investigate your companies,

DOW & PINKHAM, 35 Exchange St.

MARRIAGES.

In Calais, Dec 1, Charles Noble and Miss He ietta M. Burton.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Thursday SECOND FLOOR.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

RINES BROS. COMPANY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Perhaps some customers do not know we have a new Muslin Underwear Dept, on our second floor, stocked with all the new undergarments made up for the season of 1897.

RINES BROS. COMPANY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



25c.

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This style Gown for today, For today this style of Gown. One of our sellers,

Only 2 to each customer.

Similar styles,

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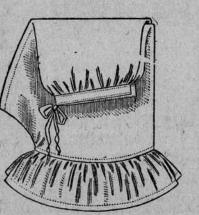
This style Corset Cover, Tor- This style French Corset

It sells to one and all who want a 98c, \$1.25 or \$2.50 Gown

We show the finer grades in Gowns up to \$5.00.

Flannelette Night Robes for Ladies, 89c.

Flannelette Night Robes for Children, 59c.



For today, Drawers this style for

50c. Same style with Lonsdale

Worth 50c.

25c.

ELEVATOR

Thursday price,

39c.

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chon Lace Trimmed,

Cover, lace trimmed,

Hundreds of them to show you at 19c, \$25c, 33c, 35c. 50c, 62c, 75c up to \$1.25. Our leaders ar 25c Aprons and 50c Aprons. Every Apron we offer for sale is new fresh goods just received for Christmas trade. Sold from Muslin Underwear Department, second floor.

Separate Dress Skirt sale, \$1.98, 2.98, 3.98. \$6.75 Skirts for \$5.00. \$7.50 Boucle Skirt for \$5.00. Made from imported material that has been selling at \$1.25 per yard.

Ladies' Capes that sell them-selves at \$5.00, 6,75, 8.75, 10.00, 12.00 and 15.00, Good length, heavy and warm. Made from Boucle effects, Persian Cloths and Astrachan. All the above fur trimmed.

We bought Jackets of N. Y. manufacturers to close out lots and sell \$18 Jackets for \$12; \$10 Jackets for \$6.98; \$8.00 Jackets for \$5.00.

PORTLAND NATIONAL BANK.

The anual meeting of the stockholders of the Portland National bank of Potland for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business that may legally be presented will be held at ther banking house on Tuesday the 12th day of January, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES G. ALLEN, Cashier,
Portland, December 10, 1896. deci0dtd

CUMBERLAND NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cumberland National Bank of Portland will be held at their banking rooms on Tuesday the 12th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the choice of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

W. H. SOULE Cashter.

Portland Dec 19,1895.

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Notice of Co-partnership.

Notice is hereby given that Lewis T. Soule has this day been admitted to equal partnership to the firm of George E. Allen and that the business will hereafter be conducted under the firm name of Allen & Soule.

dec10d1w* GEORGE E. ALLEN. In Norridgewock, Dr. Benj. F. Tappan, aged

orn, aged 57 years. In Kumford Point, Nov. 27, Mrs. Harrlet Abbott, aged 62 years. In Bethel, Nov. 26, Mrs. Betsey Cross Scrib-



The Home Made Cake known **WOMAN'S EXCHANGE CAKE,** and formerly sold by Geo. C. Shaw & Co., may

584 Congress Street. MORRILL & ROSS, 671 Congress Street. Out of town orders filled and delivered promptly. Discount on larger orders. Each loat bears the above trade-mark. declo



These Good Things 'Cream Cheese-Luncheon Da -Huntley & Palmer's, English B Jersey Cream from the Baxter Farm worths-All Fruits in their Seasonsmade Bread, Biscuits, Rolls, Pastry; Ca and Candies.

were we obliged to place this card in our window yesterday afternoon.

Those Rolled Oat Muffins are all sold out. Will try and bake enough

WM. MILLIKEN & CO., WHY THIS DEMAND ? THEY ARE NICE.

Have your order entered early to-day. per dozen. Price 12 cents

From Our Pastry Kitchen today. Fig Sandwiches—A layer of pure fig paste from finest new Smyrna fruit in flaky home made pastry, 15 cts. per dozen. Cracker Opening still in progress-last day.

XX Ginger Snaps, 8 cts. per pound. Golf Biscuit-a new creation in the cracker line and an excellent one, 15 cts. per pound.

Mrs. Earle will make, bake and serve Border Cake today.

He Knew Dr. Crosby and Tried which will be used by him for a grocery

Mr. R. S. Syms, who lives at 42 Boylston Street, Springfield, Mass., is the proprietor of the barber shop at 174 Main Street. He is widely acquainted in Springfield, as he has made it his home for several years. He fought in a New Hampshire regiment, until discharged on account of sickness, and since the war has frequently changed his line of business as wick. well as his residence, in a vain search for health. He has made the following state-

"When I came out of the army I was a wreck from fever and ague and rheumatism, so that I only weighed ninety pounds. At that time I lived in New Hampshire, and was successfully treated by Dr. Dixi Crosby's nephew. But during all these years I never regained rugged health, and some months ago was in a very serious condition. My liver was bloated so that it protruded from my side, and my eyes were affected so that a blur would come over my sight. I had also severe headaches, and indigestion, with gulping up of wind from my stomach. All the food I ate, no matter what it was, seemed to lie upon my stomach in a solid lump. I had at this time been laid up with the grip for two weeks.

As I had known the Crosby doctors, I ecided to take Puritana, and my wife, was troubled with indigestion, took th with me. The result has been all that e could ask. I am fifty per cent. better: in fact, better than I have been in five The swelling of my liver has entirely gone; I have no more indigestion or headaches, and my sight is very much improved. The rheumati,m which laid me up all last winter has left me since I began taking Puritana. I have also recommended Puritana to others, who report great benefit from its use, and I shall continue to recommend it because I know from these tests how much good it will do. Puritana has saved me from more suffering than I can tell. (Signed) "R. S. SYMS.

"Springfield, Mass., Nov. 12, 1896."

CATARRH

NASAL CATARRH

LOCAL DISEARE nd is the result of cold and sudden climatic

ELY'S CREAM BALM COLD IN HEAD Opens and cleans the Nasal Inflammation, Heals and Protects the Membrane from Colds, Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Is quickly absorbed. Gives relief at once. 50 dents at Druggists or by mails samples 10d, by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

August 11 six inches fell. He saw three sincking mountains and experienced such an earthquake that men could not remain standing. He found large coal lettes, but the coal was so soft that it could be whittled with a knife.

Frofesser Dyche said: "The country is one half made. It will be a good country when it is finished. The glaciers are slowly doing their work, the moundains are smoking and the rivers are vomiting out quantities of quicksand. It is a new country. Let it alone and some day it will be a good country.

Professor Dyche met Princess Tom, a

day it will be a good country.'

Professor Dyche met Princess Tom, a famous Yakutet princess, wealthy beyond all other Alaska Indians. She has \$15,000 in gold \$20 pieces on her right arm, she wears five bracelets, each hammered out of gold twenties and on her left arm she wears ten bracelets, each made from \$10 gold pieces. She has hundreds of blankots, sea other skins, etc., and she owns a schooner and two sloops. She is 65 years old and has just obtained her fifth husband, a young man 20 years old. for whom she paid 500 obtained her fifth husband, a young man 20 years old, for whom she paid 500 blarkets. The Thillingit women manage the households and hold the purse. The relationships are traced back through the mother's side. It is, in fact, almost a savage realization of Lytton's "Coming Race."

WIT AND WISDOM.

Catching a Tartar.

"To catch a Tartar" recalls a story, told at least two centuries ago, of an Irish exile in the service of the Austrian government who was captured by a Tartar herseman and who shouted back to his captain that he had caught a Tartar, but that the fellow refused to be brought into camp.

The Fact that Doctors frequently advise change of air and climate to those suffering from catarrh is proof that catarrh is a local and climatic disease. There fore unless you can leave home and business

TOWNS. MAINE

which will be used by him for a grocery store with tenement overhead.

The Bowdoin Paper Manufacturing Company lost a valuable team horse Sunday, of pneumonia. He weighed 1500 pounds and was one of a pair that cost \$500. This is the first horse the company has lost since the efficient manager, Mr. George E. Whitehouse, assumed charge of this department eight years ago.

Alfred Smith has sold his residence on Main street and has moved to Bruns-

BROWNFIELD.

East Brownfield, Dec. 8. Mr. A. J. Dalot and wife, of Portland, have spent a few days in town, the guests of W. H.

BOOTHBAY.

Boothbay, Dec. 9. John, the youngest son of Frank Woodward, was drowned Saturday last, while skating on Adams's pond. His body was recovered shortly

after.

Capt. John A. Welch and Byron Giles are contestants for Boothbay postoffice.

Willard F. Dodge has put in a new shingle machine at his mill at Adams Pond, and will scon be ready for sawing. Schools throughout the town began Monday, Nov. 30th.

Morse Brothers & Haggett are repairing the lee Works at Haggett's Cove. East Bnothbay, preparatory to winter shipping.

Smelts are reported scarce in the Sheep-soot river. Our fishermen lament they cannot catch them in the Damariacotta river, as in years past.

Rev. Mr. Filield, pastor of the Free Will Baptist church, who has been confined to his house by sickness, is, we are glad to announce, able to be about his place.

S. B. warren & Co. have pested a normal place of their bridge while the iron bridge at Cumberland street is being put in place.

NORTH YARMOUTH.

aerious injuries.

Mrs. Lucy Lutkin is visiting her son,
Mr. Chas. Allen of Portland.
Mrs. N. S. Shurtleff and Mrs. F. D.
Morrill are visiting friends in New The Ladies' Aid will have a sociable at the vestry, Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th. The members of Wesoustogo Grange are preparing a dramatic entertainment to be given in the near future.

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North Baldwin, Dec. 9—Some of the farmers are shipping their apples. They net fifty-six cents a barrel for those sent

The school in district No. 11 is discontinued for this winter and the pupils attend in district No. 4, where they are instructed by Miss Etta Sanbern, of

TOPSHAM.

Topsham, Dec. 9—Wm. McFadden has purchased the lot of land corner of Main and Thompson streets and has the frame up for a large two story building which will be used by him for a grocery

PARSONSFIELD.

East Parsonsfield, Dec. 9—Last Friday evening Mr. Marshal Towle took a party of young people from this village and carried them to his mill pond where a large surface of ice was in fine condition for the skaters. Mr. Towle showed great kindness and forethought in preparing a nice warm fire and plenty of light and did all in his power to make the evening pass pleasantly and to assist the younger ones who are not yet experts at skating. The occasion was one long to be remembered by them all. L. A. Bradbury has completed the extensive stone work on his dam, and will soon have his mill running.

C. E. Hill has started his steam mill, and expacts to have work enough to last the mile steam of the started by them all.

Mr. Daniel Berry has gone to Boston on a business true.

through the winter.

Miss Theo Morse, of Kent's Hill, and Miss Edith Clay, of Halloweli, who have been visiting friends in this place, have returned to their homes.

The funeral services of the late Mrs.

Jacob Swan were held Sunday morning.

Mr. Daniel Berry has gone to Boston on a business trip.

Miss Allie Hurnell visited friends in Baldwin last Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Day passed last Tuesday very pleasantly with her friend, Miss Emily Brackett.

OGUNQUIT.

Ogunquit Dec. 9—Some seven weeks ago John Adams, a fisherman of this place, became insane so that he had to be taken to the Insane hospital at Augusta and remained, there until November 25th. He then came home well, as was supposed, and took up his old occupation of fishing again. Monday he started to go out fishing later than usual and has not been heard of since. Search has been 'made in different places, to Boone Island and all along the shore but no clue whatever has been found of him. He has a wife and five children.

WESTBROOK.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Leighton and Mr. and North Yarmouth. Dec. 9-Mr. John Fletcher, who has lived in this place for the past two years, died very suddenly on Saturday, December 5th, while at work in the woods. The cause was heart trouble. He was taken to Lynn, Maez, his former home, for burisl.

Miss Bessle Vannah, who attends school at Greeley Institute, met with quite a severe accident on Monday morning. Her horse stumbled and fell, throwing Miss Vannah out, and inflicting several bruises about the bead, but no serious injuries.

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Senior Warden—E. A. Bodge.
Junior Warden—Geo. Knowlton.
Treasurer—Arthur Ricker..
Secretary—O. A. Cobb.
Trustees—A. H. Burrough, E. H.
Brooks, F. H. Snow.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Webb, entertained company of friends at whist at their me on Main street last evening. Cloudman Post, G. A. R. elected the following officers last evening:

Commander—James W. Morris. Senior Vice Commander—W. K. Dana. Junior Vice Commander—E. New

Raymond, Dec. 9—Mr. Fred Harmon and Mrs. Nellis Harmon have returned from Portland.

Miss Amy (Goodwin, of Poland, has been the gnest of Missiangle, Chipman.

Mr. Joe Mains entertained the Hall club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Plummer, Friday evening. There were about fifty present. A general good time was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Henry L. Forhan has returned from Canso, N. S.

Misses Susie had "Nellie Proctor, of Naples, are the guests of Misses Lizzie D. Kuight and Dosa Morton.

Mr. Frank and Miss Percie Leavitt, of East Raymond, gave a party to their friends Saturday evening. A number from the village attended. Danoing and games were features of the evening's entertainment. A party at the home of the syoung people always means a fine tenjoyable for their guests. Some from the village regret their inability to be present, but retain thanks for invitations received.

Misses Lillie M. Harmon and Angle N. Plummer have returned from their visit to Portland.

BALDWIN.

Anti Salcon League.

Washington, December 9.—At today's sentiative Morse of Massachusetts made a shert address in which he asked for the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the regulation of the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the requisition of the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the requisition of the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the requisition of the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the requisition of the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the co-operation of all Christians in passing two bills now on the House calendar. Ope prevides for; the co-operation of all Christi

Argo Dragging Anchor.

Nantucket, December 9.-A two-mastthe first of November.

Miss Marcia Murch had a few days vacation last week.

Miss Ernestine Sanborn has returned to her school at Pigeon Brook.

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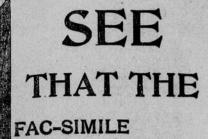
Will Move From England.

attend in district No. 4, where they are instructed by Miss Etta Sanborn, of Sebago.

Mt. Etna Grange had its annual election of officers last Thursday.

There was a donation at the hall recently for Rev. Robert Leard. It was a pleasant gathering and received \$14.50.

Cumberland Centre. Dec. 2—The win.



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CHAS SHERRY'S new hair cutting room, 453
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is fully equiped with the electric hair brush.
No danger of taking cold after cutting, when
this brush is used. (Free with every hair cutt.) IF WE WANTED A CLOCK

W E Would go to McKenney's because he has more up-to-date Clocks than all the other stores combined. His 95c alarm clock is waking up the town. Clocks, 95c to \$50.00, McKENNEY, The Jeweler, Monument Square. NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—Now is your chance to save money. I am making a \$25 business suit for \$20. A fit guaranteed. Pressing and repairing at short notice. W. S. DUNHAM, Fine Tailoring, 502 Congress 4-1

THE annual meeting of the Associated Charities, for the election of officers, and the transaction of other business, will be held in 1:00m 9, City Building, Friday, December 11th, at 4 p. m. O. M. BECKERT, Clerk. dec5dtd

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MONEY TO LOAN—On first or second mortgages on real estate, stocks, bonds, life insurance policies, or any good securities; notes discounted at low rate of interest, I. P. BUTLER, 48½ Exchange street, up one flight.

Wanted—All persons in want of trunks and bags to call on E. D. REYNOLDS, 593 Congress street, one door above Shaw's grocery store, as we manufacture our goods and can therefore give bottom prices. Trunks repaired. Open evenings. We frame pictures.

MECHANICAL MASSAGE is for rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous prostration, dyspepsia, constipation and other chronic diseases, for palsied and withered limbs and stiff joints. To retain or regain health you should get particulars at 642 CONGRESS ST. Ladies a. m., gentlemen p. m. nov19-4 NOTICE-E, M. Watkins, custom tallor, Morrills Corner, Deering, is selling strictly All Wool Business Suits from \$12 to \$25. Black Worsted Cutaway Suits from \$18 to \$30. Overcoats from \$12 to \$20. Pants from \$3 to \$9.

WANTED-SITUATIONS.

WANTED—I have on hand one hundred St. Johns, American, Irish, Scotch and Montreal girls waiting for employment in hotels or private families. Women for cooking, cleaning paint, or washing by the day or week. Apply at 399½ Congress St., MRS. PALMER'S office. 9-1

WANTED—Position as book keeper or cashier, by young woman who has had five years' experience. Best of references. Address C. B. P., Fress Office.

Wanted-Situation as salesman or clerk in wholesale house. Address, FRANK PITCHER, 37 Lincoln street, City. 8-1

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WANTED-Young lady wants a situation to do sewing in first class dressmaker's shop; can eo any and all kinds of sewing; will come on trial. Address DRESSMAKER, this office.

WANTED-FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—For general housework in family of man and wife, neat, trustworthy American woman who is a good cook and all round competent housekeeper. Good home and fair pay to the right party. Box 461, Portland, Me. 8-1

WANTED—A young woman, experienced with children, to assist in the care of and to teach two boys ages four and seven. A pleasant home in Portland and good salary to the right person. Apply with age, experience and references to Mrs. B., P. O. Box 1635, Portland, Me. 8-1

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YOUNG MAN with \$250 wanted in sales-room in Boston, show cases, store and office fixtures and furniture specialties. Sal-ary and half interest. Apply by mail to JAMES SHAY, purchasing Agent, 75 Kilby street, Boston.

WANTED—Two or three first class bridge riveters. Apply at NEW BRIDGE, Cum berland Mills, Westbrook, Me. 9-1

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Por SALE—Great Diamond Island, new cottage with 12 rooms, nicely arranged, one of the most sightly locations, handy to either landing, greatest bargain ever oftered. Must be sold at once. W. H. WALDRON & CO., 180 Middle street. George F. Junkins.

Real Estate Bulletin.

TO LET—Three choice rents at 370, 372 and 446 Cumberland street, 7 rooms each, with modern improvements, pleasant and convenient. Apply to GEO. F. JUNKINS, under U. S. Hotel, Monument Square. 5-1

TO LET-Lower rent, 5 rooms, 46 Stone street, \$8.50; upper rent 5 rooms, 48 Chestnut street, \$12; upper rent 68 Spring street, Woodfords, \$8. GEO. F. JUNKINS, under U. S. Hotel, Monument Square. 5-1

FOR RENT—A conveniently arranged up-per rent pleasantly located near High and Deering streets, containing 7 rooms and bath, with modern improvements at a mod-bath, with modern improvements.

rate rental. For particulars apply to real state office of FREDERICK S. VAILL, 10-1

OFFICES TO RENT—In the new Baxter Block on Congress street; single or en suite: thoroughly fire proof; good light and ventilation; electric light; steam heat: janitor service, etc., etc. For full particulars apply to Real Estate Office of FRED K.S. VALLL. 7-1

FOR RENT—A pleasant lower rent on Spring St. near State. Price only \$12.00. Also several desirable rents on the following streets, Cumberland, High, Spruce, Congress, Brackett, etc., etc. Apply to Real Estate office, 1st Nat. Bk. Bid'g. FREDK. S. VAILL. 9-1

IF YOUR WATCH KICK

WE will take the kick out of it and make it keep good time. Mainsprings 750, cleaning \$1.00; mainspring and cleaning combined \$1.50; all work firstolass. McKENNEY, The Jeweler, Monument Square.

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FOUND-The place to buy christmas goods for the children. The newest get up's in toys-low prices, C. L. LUFKIN. Woodfords.

L OST—On Pullman train from Boston Friday evening. Nov. 27, a lady's brown leather pocketbook containing money, ticket, etc. Reward is offered by owner. Please communicate with LEWIS E. STAPLES. Portsmouth, N. H. 2-2.

WANTED-AGENTS.

WANTED-Agents in every town and city to sell the Pillow Mattress ventilator. Our ventilator is appreciated by every house wife. Send stamp for terms and commission. F. H HURLBURT, Supt. of Agencies, No. 525 N. 34th street, Philadelphia, Penn. nov26-6

MAIN SPRINGS 75c.

Genuine Waitham Resilient Mainsprings only 75c, warranted for one year. M'KENNEY the Jeweler, Monument square. je26dtf

WANTED—The people of Portland to know that there is no better cure for a cough or cold than Way's Compound Syrup of Lungwort. For sale at WAY'S DRUG STORE. 4-1

HORSE TIMERS.

All the good ones in silver, gold filled and silver cases. Single and split seconds. McKEN-NEY the Jeweler.

FOR SALE—A silver plated Messenharter B flat cornet with case. Has been used very little. Will sell for \$20 cash if sold at once. Inquire at 15 Spruce street. 10-1

TO LET—Pleasantly located lower rent of 7 rooms at 219 New High street; separate cellar, furnace shed and back door, will be let low to small desirable family. Apply to GEO. F. JUNKINS, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, under U. S. Hotel, Monument Square.

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FOR SALE-Great Diamond Island, new

FOR SALE—Boarding and lodging house, 16 rooms, well furnished, fine dining room, has had 70 boarders, near Castle Square theater, sold only on account of sickness. Price \$850. Easy terms. Investigate and find bargain. G. W. JACOBS, 1139 Washington street, Boston, Mass., Room 10. 10-1

FEED the hungry by buying broken bread of Goudy & Kent. Lots of 5 or 10 bar-rels, \$1.25 per barrel. Single barrel, \$1.50 per TO LET—Three desirable rents, 97, 99 and 113 Lincoln street, 6 rooms each, convenient and pleasant. GEO, F. JUNKINS, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, under U. S. Hotel, Monument Square.

FOR SALE—About 7 tons 3-4 inch round.

Soft steel, will be sold at a bargain. J. H.
BAILEY, 5 Exchange St. Portland.

FOR SALE—At Oakdale; new house on Pitt street: containing 7 rooms and a bath, hot and cold water, cemented cellar, large lot; will be sold on easy terms. Apply to DEERING LAND CO., Charles C. Adams, Treasurer, 31 Exchange street.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A detached cottage containing 8 rooms, etc., etc., in central part of city. Has large, sunny lot, several fruit trees, Price only \$1600. Apply at once to Real Estate Office, First National Bank Building, FREDERICK S. VAILL. 4-1

FOR SALE—If you get there before I do tell 'em Hawes has just received the largest variety of violins, mandolins, guitars, banjos, clarinets, flutes and musical merchandise for the holidays ever seen in Portland; after trying my superior strings I am confident your trade will continue at this emporum of music, HAWES, 414 Congress St. 28-1m TOR RENT—Detached house No. 28 Carletton street, pleasantly located between West and Pine streets, containing ten rooms and bath. It has recently been put in thorough repair. For particulars apply to BYRON D. VERRII.L, or to Real Estate Office, First National Bank Building, FREDERICK S. VAILL.

FOR SALE—Christmas goods, the latest variety of low priced articles to be found in the three cities. C. L. LUFKIN, Woodfords.

FOR SALE—One large oak and birdseye maple sideboard, cost \$100; price \$25.
Must be sold at once. F. O. BAILEY & CO.

FOR SALE—One-half double house too. Winter street, containing eight room in good repair; has cemented cellar, gas, Sebago and furnace; lot contains 2165 square feet, same to be sold to close an estate. Inquire of A. C. LIBBY & CO., 42 1-2 Exchange 28-2

FOR SALE—A second hand furnace in good condition, suitable for heating one flat or small house. Apply 74 HIGH ST.

WANTED—Boys and girls to get orders for our teas and coffees and get a nice Christmas present free. Gold rings, watches, parlor lamps, silverware, and other premiums too numerous to mention. Send for catalogue, mailed free. WM. SCOTT & CO., 551 Congrss street. 8-2

WANTED-Liebig's Burnham Brand Beet Extract in jars. For quality and flavor tne best. Try it and you will use no other. For sale by druggists and grocers. Trade supplied by jobbers. In stock at THOMP-SON & HALL.

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FOR SALE--A full line of saw mill mar chinery including engines, boiler water wheels. Also shavings fans and

POR SALE OR TO LET—Rouse No. 46 Danforth street, containing ten rooms, etc.; could easily be made into a two family house. Frice and rent very moderate. Apply Real Estate Office, First National Bank Building. FREDERICK S. VAILL. 5-1 FOR SALE—You touch the button and I'll do the rest. Please call and examine popular songs, music books, instruction books for all instruments, music bindes, music rolls, music boxes just recived for the holidays. Everybody sings "Mother was a Lady" or play Connie Hawes' "Electric Schottisch," for sale by HAWES, 414 Congress street. 28-1m

To LET—Very pleasant furnished room in fine location, near Spring street cars, steam heat, gas and set bowl; also large sunny alcove room, furnished or unfurnished; 15 GRAY street, between Park and State.

5-1 FOR SALE—Do you play on the flute, with test toolet, tootie, toot, or a violin, cornet, clarinet, mandolin, guitar, banjo, accordian, drug, etc.? If not, why not? By all means buy one. Everybody will want you for a neighbor. HAWES, 414 Congress street, sells 'um. 28-1m

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FOR RENT—A very pleasant upper rent of 7 rooms and bath, heated by steam, etc., corner of Congress and Carleton Sts. For particulars apply to Edw. M. Rand, or to Real Estate Office. First National Bank Building. FREDERICK S. VAILL.

100 LET—Very comfortable, winter

COR SALE—I give you the straight tip, dear friends, the Fairbanks Banjos are 'par excellence' and 'Great Scott' how hey sell, examine them for a holiday present, also the elegant Mandolins, Guitars, 'Jolins and other musical instruments just eccived by HAWES, 414 Congerss St. 28-1m TO LET-Very comfortable winter rooms with board at 74 Spring St. no26-4w STORES TO RENT.

Stores Nos. 1 to 4 Central wharf recently occupied by C. A. Weston & Co., suitable for grocery or other business, in fine order and have an electric elevator and heated with hot water; have good railroad track and dock facilities. Enquire at No. 10 Central Wharf. WM, R. WOOD.

FOR SALE—Driving horse; weighs about 1000 pounds; good driver, double or single, not afraid of anything; will sell cheap as we have no use for him. SOULE & ROBINSON, 201 Commercial street.

L OST—A silk work bag containing a gold thimble marked "Alice from Philena, Grace and Mabel," between High and it Deering Streets, leave at 14 Deering St., and be rewarded.

WANTED-Horses to board for the winter; have room for two more; good accommoda-tion and terms reasonable. Inquire HENRY NELSON, Cumberland, Me. 7-1

WANTED—Everyone to investigate the merits of the wonderful health agent, Mechanical Massage. It cures chronic diseases without medicine. It cultivates, develops and strengthens every nerve and muscle by action. Call and investigate at 642 CONGRESS SY.

ROOMS TO LET—Sunny furnished room with gas. Also pleasant furnished front room on second floor with alcove; steam and gas, bath room on same floor. Apply 169 Neal street.

OFFICES TO RENT—In the new Baxter Block on Congress street; single or en

FOR SALE—Two story, new house, corner of Central avenue and Best street, Deering Center, every modern convenience, for \$2300, worth \$2800. Six room new house, Alba street, Deering Center, \$1500, worth \$1800. Terms easy. Investigate this, DALTON & CO., 478 1-2 Congress street, opp. Preble. 7-1

FOR SALE OAKDALE—2 1-2 storied house; 9 rooms and bath; 3 bay windows; hot and cold water; furnace; cemented cellar; nice garden, with fruit; 6000 feet land; one minute from electric cars; home of owner cost \$4000. Price \$3000. W. H. WALDRON & CO., 180 Middle street.

L OST—Between Owen & Moore's and the foot of High St., a bundle with the name of M. F. Maxwell on the wrapper. Will the finder please leave it with MISS MAXWELL at the lewelry counter at Owen & Moore's and receive reward.

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POR SALE—Musical instrumen's. Dull times, but Hawes has such bargains in elegant muscial instruments that customers will patronize him for planos, music boxes, violins, banjos, guitars, mandolins, harmonicas, cornets, claronets, superior violin and banjo strings, popular music, music books, music rolls and everything in the music line. Please call, HAWES', No. 414 Congress street, L OST—Retween Loring, Short & Harmon's

L and the Union station Friday afternoon,
Dec. 5th, a pair of Gold Bowed Eye Glasses.
The finder will please leave them at A. A.

LANE'S Shoe Store, Congress St., Portland.
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Quotations of Staple Products in the Leading Markets.

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Receipts by Maine Central R. R.—For Port and 228 cars miscellaneous merchandise; for empecting roads 103 cars.

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Spring, clear and straight, 3 75@4 60.
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Extra and Seconds 00.
Fine and Supers.
Jobbing price 25c higher. Pork, long and short cut, P barrel, 10 25.
Pork, light and byy backs \$9 50.
Pork, lean lends 12 00.
Tongues pork \$0 00: do beef \$23 P bbl.
Beer, pickled, \$7 00 29 00.

Snoulders, corned and fresh 6c.

NEV YORK. Dec. 9. 1896 .- The following

Boston Pronuce Market.

to-day's quotations of Provisions, etc.:

BOSTON, Dec. 9, 1896.—The following are

Turkeys, Western, iced 12@14c. Chickens, North, fresh, 10@14c. Chickens, Western, 8 a 10., fancy higher. Fowls, Northern, @12c. Fowls, Western, iced 8@10s.

Fowls, Western, iced 8210.

PRODUCE.

Butter, Northern cream, choice, 23&245,
Butter, crm, Western choice 21&226.
Butter, Dairy, North, best, 18&190,
Butter, do good, 15&17e.
Butter, do good, 15&17e.
Butter, do common, 11&13.
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Ladle packed 10&11.
Cheese, new Northern choice 10&104c; West choice 84&34c.
Eggs, hennery choice, 33&35; East 26&27c.
Eggs, Mich. choice, 25c.,
Western fresh 24&256.
Jobs, 4&20 in higher,
Beans, North, small pea, 130&135.
Pea, marrow, 105&10.
Med. New York and Vt 105&115.
Beans, yel, eyes, 13&24 dered kid.140&155.
California, 140&155.
Hay—New, fancy, \$1650&\$1700.
New, good \$15&\$16.
New, Lower grades \$12&\$14.
Rye straw=3100&22000.
Out straw \$00.\$900.
Potatoes, New York White 35c 40c.
Sweets, Norfolk \$\psi\$ bid 75c&100.
Apples, Baldwins \$\psi\$ 1 bi 75c&\$1.

Chicago Live Stock Market. PRODUCE.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

Tuesday's quotations.

PORK

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Portland Stock Lits

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Chicago Live Stock Market.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

(By Telegraph)

Chicago, Dec. 9, 1896.—Cattle — receipts
17,000; steady for choice, 10e lower for other;
common to extra steers 350@590; stockers
and feeders at 280@400; cows and bulls 1:50
@390; caives 350@575, Texans at 265@440.
Hogs—receipts 30,000; firm, 5c higher early,
closing with advance lost; heavy packing and
shipping lots at 315@340; common to choice
mixed at 320@345; choice assorted at 350@
340; light 320@355; lambs 325@520.

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Shipments-Flour 3.800 bbls; when 21,100 bush; corn 39,200 bush; oats 7,500 bush, rye DBTROIT—Wheat—No 2 Red at 90½; No 1
White at 90½ c. Corn—No 2 at 21½ c. Oats
—No 2 White 21c. Rye—No 2 at 38½ c.

tomen Markets By Telegraph.

DECEMBER 9, 1896.

NEW YORK—The Cotton market to-day was quiet, and steady; sales 55 bales; midding uplands 77-16c; gulf do 711-16c. NEW ORLEANS-The Coton market to-day was steady middling 7 7-16c. CHARLESTON-The Cotton market to-day was steady; Middling 6% c.

SAVANNAH—The Cotton market to-day was quiet; middling 6 13-16; MOBILE—The Cotton market to-day was quiet; mindling 6 15-16c. MEMPHIS—The Cotton market to-day was teads; middlings 6 15-16c.

European Markets. By Telegraph.

LONDON, Dec. 9, 1896.—Consols closed at for money 111 5-16 and 111 % for account.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 9, 1896.—Cotton market easier, American middling at 4 7-32d; sales 10,000 bales, speculation and export 000

OCEAN STEAMER MOVEMENT

Finance New York Hull
Edam New York Rotterdam
Delcomyn New York Montevideol
Umbria New York Liverpoot
Talisman New York St Kitts, &c
Mississippi New York London
Champagne New York Havre
Venezueik New York Rotterdam
New York Rotterdam Spree New York Bremen Dec 15
St. Louis New York So'ampton Dec 15
St. Louis New York So'ampton Dec 16
Majestie New York Liverpool Dec 16
Noordland New York Antwerp Dec 16
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Bellaura New York Montevideo Dec 17
Santiago New York Montevideo Dec 17
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Trinidad New York Bermuda Dec 17
Hevelius New York Bermuda Dec 17
Hevelius New York Liverpool Dec 19
Lucania New York Liverpool Dec 19
Circassia New York Glasgow Dec 19
Bourgoyne New York Glasgow Dec 19
Bourgoyne New York Havre Dec 19
Spaarndam New York Rotterdam Dec 19
Patria New York Hamburg Dec 19
Lahn New York Bremen, Dec 22
Alps New York Honduras Dec 22
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Parls New York So'ampton Dec 23
Friesland New York Liverpool Dec 24
Curacoa. New York Maracaibo Dec 28 NRF YORK. Dec. 9. 1896.—The following are to day's closing quotations of mining stocks:

Col. Coal.
Howeing Coal.
Homestake, 34
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Quicksilver 1½
do pid 10½
Univical.
Portland.

MINI ATURE ALMANAC DEC. 10.

PORT OF PORTLAND.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9. CHECK BOOKS A SPECIALTY. Arrived.

Steamship Manhattan, Harding, New York—
passengers and mdse to J B Coyle.
Seh Maggie Ellen, Littlejohn, Amboy—clay to
Portland Stoneware Co. Cortland Stoneware Co.
Sch James R Talbot, Averill, New York via 184: MIDDLE: ST. Soston, bound east.
Sch Rienzi, Chatto, Brooksville.
Schs Lucy W Dyer, fishing: Robert & Carr, TELEPHONE 536-2.

do, 16,000 lbs fish; Amy Wixob, do, 12,000 do; Martha D McLain, do 10,000 do.

Cleared. Sch Contest, McIntare, Pensacola-W S Jordan & Co. Sch Radiant, Hardy, Rockland—Paris Flour-ing Co. ing Co.
SAILED-Steamer Merrimac; schs Contest, and Thos H Lawrence. FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

JONESPORT, Dec 7—Ar, schs Nettie B Dobbin, Woodward, Boston: Highland Queen, Dobbin, Machins for Boston.
Sid, sch. D J Sawyer, Kelley, Hillsboro, NB, for Newark; Clara E Bogers, Calor, for New York. for Newark; Clara E Bogers, Calor, 101
York.
Sch George & Everett, of St John, NB, from
Shulee, NS, for Saiem, stranded on Steel's Harbor Island, at 10,30 A M, Sunday, and is badly
damaged, her bottom being chafed nearly the
entire length. She left the "Cow Yard" on Sanday horning and misstayed while beating out.
Dec 9—Sch George & Everett has neen floated
and is now at anchor for this harbor. A survey
will be held 10th.

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BOOTHEAY HARBOR, Dec. 9th—Ar, sehs Wentworth, New York for Hillsboro, NB. Veto Boston; Wawbeek, Salem for Hillsboro; Napoleon, Boston for Prospect; AB Perry, do for Calais; Avis, St John, NB, for Boston; Heather Belle, do for do.

ROCKPORT, Dec 9—Ar, schs E G Willard, Gibert, New York.

Returned 8th, schs W C Norcross, Hannah F Kimball, Chester R Lawrence, and Mazurka.

PORT CLYDE, Dec 8—In port, Br schs Onward, and Harry H Hayden, from 8t John, NB, for Boston; Valetta, C J Colwell, and Frank L P do for do.

EXCHANGE DISPATCHES. Passed Anjer Nov 10th, ship Abner Coburn, Butman, from Yokohanaa for New York, or Portland. Sid im Hong Kong Dec 4, ship St Mark, Dud-ley New York

New York.
Sid 7th. sch Charlie & Willie, Post, Rockland.
PROVIDENCE—Ar 8th, sch E C Allen, Meady, Philadelphia; A Richardson, Bangor.
PORTSMOUTH—Ar 8th, sch John Stroup, Sld 8th, schs Stephen J Watts, for Jonesport;

Sid 8th, schs Stephen J Watta, for Jonesport; Rabonni, New York via Baugor.
ROCKLAND—Ar 8th, schs Empress, Johnson, Boston; Tim Field, Joy, Bangor for New York; Marcelius, Herrick, and Charity, McGee, Bangor for Boston.
In the stream, schs Charley Woolsey, Ginn, and Addie Schaffer, Aylward, for New York.
SALEM—Ar 7th, sch Mail, Martin, Sullivan for Providence. SALEM—Ar 7th, sch Mail, Marth, Sunivar for Providence. VINEYARD-HAVEN— Ar 7th, sch Kate J H-yt, Bangor for Westerly, and sid 8th. VINEYARD-HAVEN— Ar 8th, schs Leora M Thurlow, Elizabethport for Portland; Julia & Martha, Hoboken for Eastport; Elbridge Gerry, New York for Boston; Samos, do for Somes-ville. ville.
WILMINGTON, NC — Ar 7th, sch Winnegange, Manson, New York.
WASHINGTON—Ar 8th, sch Daylight, Nick-

Foreign Ports.

Foreign Ports.

Ar at Trapani Dec 2, barque Haydn Brown, Claxton, Triesto, to load for Gloucester.

Ar at Teneriffe Nov 26, sch Jennie S Butler, Butler, Las Palmas.

Ar at St Louis du Rhone Dec 2, sch Lucy H Russell, Bishop, Philadelphia.

Ar at Demerara Nov 13, sch Albert L Butler, Leiand, Berbiee; 21st, Grace Davis, Dodge, Barbaboes; 24th, J C Hamlen, Jr. Weif, Barbados. Sld im Demarara Nov 14, schs Tofa, Wilson, New York: 20th, Sadie Wilcott, Peters, Jacksonville; 21st, sch Jos W Hawthorne, Wade, Florida.

In port Nov 25, sch Madalene Cooney, Wade, for New York.

Ar at Port Spain Nov 12, schs Eliza J Pendieton, Fiether, New York; 18th, Jenule Hall, Leighton, Martinique.

Sid Nov 12, sch Nantas2et, Guptill, Buenos Ayres.

Ar at Savanna-la-Mar Dec 8, sch Thomas N Stone, Newcomb, St Kitts.

Ar at Mayaguez Dec 8, sch Carrie A Buckuam, New York.

Sid im Havana Nov 29, sch S P Hitchcock, Sorensen, Sablne Pass.

Ar at St John, NB, 8th, sch Hattle E King, Johnson, Eastport.

Spoken.
Nov 18, lat 3 N, lon 20 W, ship Vigilant, Balley, from New York for Cape Town.

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Jacksonville, Dec 8—Sch Lois V Choples, fm Santa Cruz via Southport, NC, for New York, was towed in here to-day with loss of mainmast and otherwise damaged. She was found off New Smyrna by tug Datutless.

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Carriers' Distreries, (Sundays excepted)—In
business section of the city between High and India streets at 7.00 and 9.15 a. m. 1.00, 1.45
and 5.15 p. m.; in other sections at 8.00
a. m., 1.30 p. m. Sunday delivery at
Office window, 9.00 to 10.00 a. m. Collections
from street boxes at 11.00 a. m. 4.00
and 8.00 p. m. From Atlantic to Grove on
Congress, 6. a. m. Sunday, 6.00 p. m. ouly.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS. Boston, Southern and Western, intermediate offices and connections via Boston & Maine railroad (Eastern division). Arrive at 12.30, 6, and 11.00 p. m.; close 8 a. m., 12 m., 5.00 and 9.00 p. m.; Sunday, arrive 1.00 p. m.; close 3.30 and 9.00 p. m. Boston, Southern and Western, and intermediate offices and connections, via Boston and Maine railroad (Western division)—Arrive at 12.30, 5.30 and 8.30 p. m.; close 6 and 8.00 a. m., and 2.30 p. m.

Eastern, via Maine Central Railroad—Arrive 2 and 4 a. m. and 1.00 6.00 p. m.; close 12.00 m. and 3.00 p. m.

m. and 9.00 p. m.

Augusta, intermediate offices and connections via Maine Central railroad—Arrive at 2.00 and 9.00 a. m. 1.00 and 6.00 p. m.; close at 6.00 a. m., 12.30 p. m., 4.15 and 9.00 p. m.

Farmington, intermediate offices and connections, via Maine Central Railroad—Arrive at 1.00 m. and 6.00 p. m.; close at 8.00 a. m., and 12.30 p. m.

Rockland, intermediate offices and connections via Knox and Lincoln railroad—Arrive 1.00 and 6 p. m.; close at 6.00 a. m. and 12.30 p. m.

Skoukegan, intermediate offices and connections via Knox and Lincoln railroad—Arrive 1.00 and 6 p. m.; close at 6.00 a. m. and 12.30 p. m.

Skowhegan, intermediate offices and connections, via Maine Central railroad—Arrive at 1.00 p. m.; close at 12.30 p. m.

Island Pond, Vt., intermediate offices and connections, via Grand Trunk Railway—Ar rive at 12.00 m.; close at 12.30 p. m.

Gorham, N. H., intermediate offices and connections, via Grand Trunk railroad—Arrive a. 8.40 a. m. and 12.00 m.; close at 7.30 a. m. 12.30 and 5.00 p. m. Montreal—Arrive at 12.00 m. and 600 p. m close at 7.30 a. m. 5.00 p. m.

close at 7.30 a. m. 5.00 p. m.

Swanton, Ft., intermediate offices and connections, via Mountain Division M. C. R. R.—Arrive at 8.45 p. m.; close at 8.00 a. m.

Bartlett, N. H., intermediate offices and connections via Mountain Division M. C. R. R.—Arrive at 9.00 a. m. and 8.45 p. m.; close at 8.00 a. m. and 2.30 p. m.

Rochester, N. H., intermediate offices and connections, via Portland & Rochester railroad—Arrive at 1.45 and 6.00 p. m.; close at 6.30 and 11.30 a. m. 11.30 a. m. 1.35 and 0.30 p. m. 1.45 and 1.30 a. m. 1.45 and 6.00 p.m.; closs 6.30 and 11.30 a. m. and 5.30

p. m. South Portland and Willard—Arrive at 7.30, 11.00 a. m., 8.00 p. m.; close 7.00 a. m., and 6.00 p. n. Pleosandale and Cash Corner—Arrive 7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.; close 7.30 a. m. and 1.00 Pleasantdale (additional)—Arrive at 11.15 a. m., close at 6.00 p. m.

STAGE MAILS. Bowery Beach-Arrive at 5.30 p. m.; crose at 2.00 p. m. 2.00 p. m.

Cape Elizabeth and Krightville—Arrive at 7.30 a. m. and 5.30 p. m.; close at 6.00 a. m. and 2.00 p. m.

Duck Pond, Prile's Corner, Windham, No. Windham, Raymond and South Casco—Arrive at 10.30 a. m.; close at 2.00 p. m.

ISLAND MAILS. Peak's Island -- Arrive at 10.00 a. m. and Long and Chebeaque Island-Arrive at 9.00 a. m.; close at 1.30 p. m. Coustn's Island-Arrive at 9.30 a. m.; close Kastport via Steamer-Arrive 6.00 a. m. Tues. and Fri.; close 4.15 p. m., Mondays and Thurdays.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

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THE undersigned, having been appointed by the Hon. Judge of Probate in the County of Cumberland, on the first Tuesday of December, A. D., 1896, commissioners to receive and examine the claims of creditors against the estate of Samuel A. Holbrook, late of Freeport, in said county, deceased, represented insolvent, hereby give notice that six months from the date of said appointment are allowed to said creditors in which to present and prove their claims, and that they will be in session at the following places and times for the purpose of receiving the same, viz.; at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of December 19, 1896, January 2 and 16, February 6, March 6 and 20, April 3, May 1 and 15, and June 1, 1897, at the office of the late Samuel A. Holbrook in Freeport, and at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of February 20 and April 17, 1897, at the office of Albert E. Neal, 98 Exchange street, Portland.

Dated this second day of December, A. D., 1896.

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NOTICEL.

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The Salcous and Staterooms are in the central part, where least motion is felt. Electricity is used for lighting the ships throughout the light of t

THE partnership heretofore existing under the name of Sterling & Allen is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons indebted to said firm are requested to settle with Mr. George E. Allen, who is authorized to collect all bills due the firm and to pay all claims against the firm. Mr. George E. Allen will continue the business under the firm name of George E. Allen,

WESTERN DIVISION.

Trains leave Portland, Union Station, for Scarboro Crossing, 10.00 a, m., 5.15, 6.20 p. m.; Scarboro Reach, Pine Point, 7.00, 10.00 a. m., 3.30, 5.15, 6.20 p. m.; Old Orchard, Saco, Biddeford, 7.00, 8.40, 10.00 a. m., 12.45, 3.30, 5.15, 6.20 p. m.; Kennebunk, 7.00, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 8.30, 5.15, 6.20 p. m.; Wells Beach, 7.00, 8.40 a. m., 3.30, 5.15 p. m.; North Berwick, 14.05, 7.00, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 3.80, 5.15 p. m.; Kennebunkport, Somersworth, Dover, 7.00, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 3.30, 5.15 p. m.; Kennebunkport, Somersworth, Dover, 7.00, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 3.30, 5.15 p. m.; Rochester, Farmington, Alton Bay, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 3.30 p. m.; Lakeport, Lacomia, Plymouth, 8.40 a. m., 12.45 p. m.; Wolfboro, 3.30 p. m.; Worcester, via Somersworth and Rochester), 7.00 a. m.; Manchester, Concord, 7.00 a. m., 3.30 p. m.; Mockingham Junction, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lowell, 7.00, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 3.30 p. m.; Exeter, Boston, 14.05, 17.00, 18.40 a. m., §12.45, 3.30 p. m. Arrive in Boston, 17.25, 10.16 a. m., 12.50, 4.22, 7.20 p. m., Leave Boston for Portland, 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1.00, 4.15 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS. For Boston, express, 4.05, a. m. Boston and way stations, 12.55, 4.30 p. m. Arrive in Boston 7.25 a. m., 5.25, 8.45 p. m. Boston for Portland, 3.45 a. m.

EASTERN DIVISION. From Union Station for Saco, Conway Junction, Wolfboro, 9.00 a. m.; Biddeford, Portsmouth, Amesbury, Newburyport, Salem, Lvnn, Boston, 42.00, 49.00, a. m., §1.00, 46.00 p. m. Artive in Boston, 5.58 a. m., 12.51, 4.15, 9.20 p. m. Leave Beston, for Portland, 7.30, 9.00 a. m., 12.30, 7.00, 7.45 p. m. SUNDAY TRAINS.

For Biddeford, Partsmouth. Newbury-port, Salem, Lynn, Boston, 2,00 a. m., 1.00 p. m. Arrive in Boston, 5,58 a. m., 4.15 p. m. Leave Boston for Portland, *9.00 a. m., 7.00 . m.
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Thursdays will leave Pernaguid at 7 a. m. for East Boothbay Harbor, South Bristol.

Fridays will leave East Boothbay at 7.15 a. m. for Portland, touching at Boothbay Harbor, South Bristol.

Fridays will leave Fortland at 7 a. m. for Fast Boothbay, touching at Boothbay Harbor, Saturdays will leave Portland at 7 a. m. for Fast Boothbay, touching at Boothbay Harbor, Saturdays will leave Portland at 7 a. m. for Fast Boothbay, touching at Boothbay Harbor, Saturdays will leave Portland at 7 a. m. for Fast Boothbay, touching at Boothbay Harbor, Saturdays will leave Portland at 7 a. m. for Fast Boothbay, touching at Boothbay Harbor, Saturdays will leave Portland at 7 a. m. for Berlin Sundays only, 7.30 a. m.

From Lewiston and Auburn 8.25, and 11.30 a. m.; and 5.40 p. m.
From Berlin and Gorham 8.25 and 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Lewiston and Auburn 8.25, and 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m. from Cheago a

FREEPORT AND FALMOUTH FORESIDE

Steamers on and after Thursday, Nov. 19, will leave Portland.

For Freeport, and Bustins Island 2,00 p. m., Return—Leave Freeport, (Porters), 6,50 a. m., So. Freeport, 7a. m., Bustin's 7,15 a. m., For Chebeague, Cousins and Little Johns, 2,00 p. m. For Chebeague, Courne, p. m.
p. m.
Return—Leave above landings, 7.45 a. m.
For Falmouth, 2.00 p. m.
Return—8.15 a. m.
oet17tf E. R. NORTON, Manager.

HARPSWELL STEAMBOAT CO.

Beginning October 5th, 7896, the steamer MERRYCO EAG will leave Portland Pier, Portland, daily, Sunday excepted, as follows: For Long Is., Chebengue, Harpswell, Batley's and Orr's Is., 2.00 p. m. Return for Portland, leave Orr's Island via. all landings, 7.00 a.m. Arrive Portland, 9.30 a.m. alt landings, 7-50 a.m.

a. m.

For Cliff Island, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, leave Portland, 2.00 p.m.

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THE NEW AND PALATTLE STRANGERS
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Very evening at 7 o'clock, arriving in season
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overy Evening at 7 o'clock.
J. B. COYLE, Manager.
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Oct. 1, 1895.

ALLAN LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

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vice via Londonderry. From Steamers. From Portland Nov. 19, Labrador, Dec. 10 Dec. 3, Vancouver, Dec. 24 Dec. 17, Scotsman, Jan. 7 Steamers sail on Thursday after arrival of all trains due in Portland at noon.

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For Tickets and Staterooms, apply at the
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RAILROADS.

Railway System. Steamer Enterprise on and after MONDAY, September 21th, 1896

From Quebec 11.30 a.m.

The 6.00 p. m. train runs through to Montreal daily, Sundays included, Attached to this train is a Pullman for Montreal.

Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on Night trains and parlor cars on day trains.

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CHAS. M. HAYS, Gen'l Manager.

Portland, Sept. 7th, 1895. je22tf

MAINE CENTRAL R. R.

Trains leave Portland, Unior Station, Railway Square, for stations named below and inter-mediate points as follows:

Square, for stations hamed below and intermediate points as follows:

7.00 a. m. For Brunswick, Bath, Rockland, Augusta, Waterville. Skowhegan, List on Fails, Iewiston via Brunswick, Bangor, Bucksport, Vaneebore, St. Stephen, Houlton, Woodspeck and St. John.

8.30 a. m. For Danville Jc. (Poland Springs) Mechanic. Falis, Remford Falls, Bemis, Lewiston, Winthrop. Waterville, Livermore Falls, Farmington, Phillips and Rangeley.

10.30 a. m. For Brunswick, Bath, Lisbon Falls, Lewiston, Augusta and Waterville.

12.50 p. m. Express for Brunswick, Lisbon Falls, Lewiston, Augusta and Waterville.

12.50 p. m. Express for Brunswick, Lisbon Falls, Augusta, Waterville, Moosenlead Lake via. Oldtown, Bangor, Bucksport, Bar Harbo and Oldtown, Bangor, Bucksport, Bar Harbo and Oldtown, Bangor, Bucksport, Bar Harbo and Bangoley, Winthrop, Oakland, Bingham, Waterville, Skowhegan and Mattawamkeag.

1,20 p. m. For Preport, Brunswick, Augusta, Bath, Rockland and all stations on Knox & Lincoln division, Waterville, Bangor, Oldtown and Mattawamkeag.

5.05 p. m. For Freeport, Brunswick, Bkowhegan, Beifast, Dover and Foxoroft, Greenville, Bangor, Oldtown and Mattawamkeag.

5.05 p. m. For Rrunswick, Bath, Lisbon Falls, Augusta and Waterville,

5.10 p. m., For New Gioucester, Danville Junction, Poland Springs station, Mechanic Falls, Augusta and Waterville, Bangor, Batharbor, Bucksport, Vanceboro, St. Stephens, St. John and all Aroostook County, Hal'tax and the Provinces. The Saturday night train does not run to Beifast, Dexter, Dover and Foxoroft or beyond Bangor.

White Mountain Division. 8.45 s. m. For Bridgton, Fabyans, Burlington, Lancaster, St. Johnsbury, Sherbrooke, Montreal, Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis and all points west.

3.30 p. m. For Sebago Lake, Cornish, Bridgton, Fryeburg, North Conway, and Bartott, Fabyans, Lancaster, Lime Ridge, St. Johnsbury, Montreal, Quebec and Toronto. SUNDAY TRAINS.

7.20 a. m., paper train Brunswick Augusta, Waterville and Bangor.
12.50 p. m. For Brunswick, Lisbon Falls,
Lewiston, Bath, Augusta, Waterville, Bangor,
11.00 p. m., Night Express to Bath, Lewiston, Bangor and points east with sleeping
cars for St. John. ARRIVALS IN PORTLAND. ARRIVALS IN FORTLAND.

From Montreal and Fabyans, Bartlett and Bridgton, 3.25 a. m.; Lewiston and Mechanics Fails, 8.30 a. m.; Waterville, 2nd Augusta, 8.35 a. m.; Skowhegan, Lewiston, Kingfield, Phillips, Farmington, Bemis, and Rumford Fails, 12.30 p. m.; Mattawanikeag, Bangor and Rockland 12.25 p. m. mixed from North Conway, 4.40; Skowhegan, Wa'erville, Rockland, 5.25 p. m. St. John, Bar Harbor, Caribou, Ashiand and Moosehead Lake viab. & A., Bangor, 5.35 p. m.; Rangeley, Farmingron, Rumford Falls, Lewiston, 5.45 p. m.; Chicago and Montreal and all White Mountain points, 8.10 p. m.; Mattawamkag, Ear Harbor, Rockland, 1.40 a. m.; daily express, Halifay, St. John, Vanceboro, Bar Harbor, Waterville and Augusta, 3.50 a. m., daily except Monday.

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In Effect Oct. 5, 1838. 8.30 A. M. & 1.15 P. M. From Union Station for Poland, Mechanic Falls, Buckfield, Canton. Dixited and Rumford Falls. Also for Roxbury, Byron, Houghton and Bemis via R. F. and R. L. R. R. 8.30 a. m., 1.15 and 5.10 p. m., From Union Station for Mechanic Falls and intermediate stations.

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On and after Funday, October 4, 1896
Passenger trains will Leave Portland:
For Worcester, Clinton, Ayer Jonction,
Nashuk, Windham and Epping at 7,30 a
m. and 17,30 p. m.
For Manchester, Concord, and points North
at 7,30 a. m. and 12,36 p. m.
For Rochester, Springvale, Alfred, Waterbore and Sace River at 7,30 a. m. 12,30 and
5,30 p. m.
For Gorham at 7,30 and 9,45 a. m., 12,30,
3,00,5,30, and 6,20 p. fa.
For Westbrook, Cumberiand Mills, Westbrook Junction and Woodford's at 7,30,
9,45 a. m., 12,30, 3,00, 5,30 and
6,20 p. m.
The 12,30 p. m. train from Portland connects
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Routs" for the West and at Union Station,
Worcester, for Providence and New York,
via "Providence Line," for Norwich and
New York, via "Norwich Line," with Boston
& Albany R. R. for the West, and with the
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Trains arrive at Fortland from Worcester
at 1,30 p. m.; from Rochester at 8,30 a. m.,
1,30 and 5,45 p. m.; from Gorham
at 6,40, 8,30 and 10,50 a. m., 1,30,
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STEAMER SALACIA.

COMMENCING MONDAY, Oct. 12th, until Untrher notice, will leave Franklin Wharf, Portland, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 7.30 a.m. Popham Beach 9.45 a.m. Bath 11.15 a.m. Boothbay Harbor 1.30 p.m. Arriving at Wiscasset about 3 p.m. Returning, leave Wiscasset on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 a.m. Boothbay Harbor 8.30 a.m. Bath 10.30 a.m. Popham Beach 11.30 a.m. Arriving at Portland about 2 p.m. Connecting at Boothbay Harbor with steamer Silver Star, leaving Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for New Earbor, Round Pond, Friendship, Port Clyfie, Tenant Harbor, Rockland and points east.

CHAS. E. LEWIS, Treasurer. OctSdt

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New Wants, To Let, For Sale, Lost, Found and Similar advertisements will be found und beir appropriate heads on Page 6.

for the least money is what is puzzling. There are many, however, who know from experience that we sell reliable clothing of our own manufacture, strong, stylish and up-to-date, at prices the wholsale district, only one minute's walk om post office, but it will pay you to take the textra time to examine our styles and prices LEWIS, HALL & CO., Wholesale Clothiers, 2d LEWIS, HALL & CO., Wholesale College door below Post Office, Middle street. novtu, the sat, tf

BRIEF JOTTINGS.

A meeting of the committee on the formal opening of the armory, consisting of the company commanders, is called for this evening in the rooms of Major Collins, who is chairman of the com-

Capt. Conley went to Yarmouth last evening to complete all the arrangements, etc., for the reception of the drill squad upon their arrival next Tuesday

There was a brisk rain yesterday morning, but during the afternoon the weather cleared and the evening was much

Patrolman Frank Haggett has returned f om a two weeks' hunting trip in the vicinity of the Katahdin Iron Works. He brought home a fine buck. The commissioners of pharmacy were

in session in the Common Council room

yesterday. Ten candidates presented themselves for examination. Steamer State of Maine arrived here yesterday afternoon to [hau! up for the The St. Croix will take her nd make one trip a week, com-

ing from Boston Mondays and returning Fire alarm box 831 at the Maine Cen-

tral shop, Thomson's Point, has been changed to box 9 as it used to be. The Social Circle and Guild of State street church will continue their Christ-

mas sale at the church parlors this after

PERSONAL

noon between the hours of 2 and 6.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Neely arrived in Banwill be the guest of Rev. John McGaw Foster of St. John's church.

Gen. George W. Randall, formerly a last. partner with Mr. B. H. Fassett of this 21, Mr. Roffey locked after the shipping city, now of Richmond, Va., & visiting of 48,000 cattle and 29,000 sheep from his old home in Freeport, and was in Montreal. The Concordia, which is gotown yesterday. Gen. Randall was a nt of Portland before and just after the great fre, and then moved to where he had a government position. He has an elegant residence

Among the arrivals at the Proble house yesterday were: John G. King. F G. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Cushing, W. F. Sawyer, Charles D. Palmer, J. L. Stagg, Boston; C. H. Warden, Belfast; D. Rothschild, Hartford; W. C. Emery, F. L. Mark, Fryelurg; A. H. Woodcock, Calais; S. W. McLoon, Rockland; J. P. Pennell, Thomas O'Hern, Yonkers, N.

The following were among those registered at the Falmouth yesterday: F. R. Biddeford; Hon. F. O. Beal. Bangor; J. W. Wilson, Port Huron; W. J. Bray, Pittsfield; Mr. and Mrs. E. Marshall, York: S. K. Cohen, J. E. Dingley, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fisher, A. B. Saunders, Elisworth; S. H. Thompson, New Orleans; W. C. McEntee, Fall River; S. E. Rawlin, New Gloucester; L. F. Johnson, New Bedford.

The friends of Mr. Libby, deputy clerk of courts, will be glad to learn that he

The following were among the arrivals at the Congress square hotel yesterday: be a total loss, has been floated and is C. W. Perkins, Concord; J. J. Brigham, Springfield; P. P. Withington, Buckfield; N. H. Dyer, U. S. navy; W. I. Stimson, Hopedale; D.C. Clark, Bangor; C. H. Field, Belfast; W. Cushing, A. H. Cushing, A. H. Peaks, Dover; C. H. Hazen, Lebanon; T. C. Ham, Berrington; F. R. Partridge, Augusta; J. F. Libby, Gorham; F. H. Twitchell and wife, Bath; L. J. Harris, C. H. Seymore, W. H. Nye, Boston; C. H. Wilkins, W. P. Little, New York.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary H. Clark. Mrs. Mary H. Clark, widow of the late Freeman S. Clark, died in this city yesterday after a short illness. The funeral services will be private.

It was rumored Tuesday night that George Allen, one of the men who trained I'cm Sharkey for his fight with Bob Fitzsimmons, has made a confession to the effect that Fitzsimmons was deprived of his victory through a con-

Condensed Testimony.

Cons. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent. Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a Cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop., St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a Cough of two years standing, caused by La Grippe, by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinsville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always lave it than any doctor, because it always

lieves. Free Trials Bottles at H. P. S. Goola's Drug Store, 577 Congerss St. under Congress Square Hotel.

ware, opera glasses, diamonds, etc., for sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

GRAND TRUNK AND STEAMERS

The Merrimac Sails With One of the Big gest Cargos Ever Taken Out of Portland.

The steamer Vancouver of th Dominion line did not sail from Liverpoo until almost midnight on Monday and consequently will not arrive at this port much before December 18.

The steamer Merrimac of the Domin ion (Elder-Dempster line)sailed for Bristol at shortly after 11 o'clock yesterday morning. She carried a large cargo, about 6000 tons in all, including 64 head of cattle and 65,287 bushels of grain. Her pargo as one of the largest ever taken out of this port by any vessel That portion of the cargo which came from the United States consisted of 2,906,400 pounds of four, 160,120 pounds peas, 2525 cases canned meats, 513 boxes provisions, 2000 sacks bran, 48,860 pounds cheese, 31,960 oushels wheat, 16,968 bushels corn, 17,360 bushels pens, 20,061 pounds bacon, 140 barrels apples, 540 kegs butter, 84 barrels dross, 80,300 pounds beans.

The Merrimac is one of the largest ves els in the freight trade that has ever ome to Portland. She has almost too great a capacity and at present low freight rates could not procure a large enough cargo to make the voyage a pay ing one. She probably will not be seen here again this winter.

The steamer Manitoba, Capt Steward, sailed last Friday for Portland, and on Saturday the steamer Lake Winnepeg sailed form Liverpool for this port.

This promises to be an ususually busy eason for the shipment of cattle from this port by the various lines, and the \$10,000 stock yards out in East Deering will prove of great benefit in simplifying the method of shipping. Late yesterday afternoon the Hibernian sailed with 800 head of cattle for Glasgow. The Merrinac, which sailed yesterday, had but 64 ead on board, bound for Bristol.

The reason for this small consignment vas that she had all the merchandise she could carry and of course that is more rofitable than to take cattle, the rates eing low on the latter at this time of the

The Iona, which is expected to go out Friday will be a banner live stock carrying ship. She will carry 466 head of cattle, 269 sheep and 100 horses, the greater part of which are now cut at the new tock yard living on the fat of the laud, i. e., Uncle Sam's bounty, distributed by Inspector Huntington.

Thus it will be seen at the end of this week there will be shipped 1200 head of ive stock and the business in that line is nowhere near its usual run.

The shipment of cattle from St. John an innovation this year is very birsk. One firm this week will ship 475 north restern ranch cattle to Liverpool in the Lake Huron. The cattle arrived at that gor on Tuesday and during his stay there port Wednesday in 27 cars. The firm will ship a great many more cattle through St. John this year than they did From May 1 last until November ing to Glasgow, will take 8008 cattle for

Messra Aikens, Snell and McIntosh. Thus it can be seen that Portland ship many more cattle than are shipped from

BRITISH SCHOONER WRECKED.

And IIts Crewlare on Their Way to Port land[from Rockland.

A telegram was received from the depu ty collector of customs at Jonesport ves terday morning by Mr. J. B. Keating, British vice-cousul, stating that the crew of the British schooner George and Everett were at that port and asking what should be done with them. The telegram gave no particulars of the wreck. Mr. Kenting telegraphed to have the crew sent to this city at once. They will leave Jonesport on the steamer Frank Jones today for Rockland, from Abrahams, Boston; J. Reardon, D. whence they will come to Portland by Behrend, W. K. Meyer, New York; H. rail. The wrecked schooner was built at Newcastle, N. B., in 1890, and was owned by George W. Green of that place. Her burden is registered at 87 tons. The crew of the schooner will probably reach

here tomorrow. A later despatch from Jonesport says that the British schooner George and Everett for Boston, previously reported ashore on Steel island and supposed to now at anchor in the harbor here. A survey will be made Friday when an estimate of the repairs will be made.

Railway Conductors' Ball.

The following is the programme to be rendered by Chandler's band at the Railway Conductors' ball at City hall, Thursday evening, December 10th:

Wedding March, Mendelssohn
Overture—Light Cavalry, Suppe
Concert Waltz—Blue Danube, Strauss
Traumbilder (Dream Pictures) Lumbye
Eplsode Militaire—The March Past,
Dodworth Meyerbeer Collins Grand Selection-Huguenot,

The Light Cavalry overture has never been played by any band in Portland; also Blue Danube waltz. Traumbilder is entirely new and will be played in Portland for the first time.

The hall will be tastefully decorated by Capt. George E. Brown. The refreshment room will be under the personal supervision of F. J. Palmer, the popular proprietor of the Wentworth.

General Superintendent McGuigan and Superintendent Cotter of the Grand tornoon for an inspection of the work Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medinow going on at the elevator and the cine ever contained so great curative power in

W. W. Mansfield & Co., wholesale jew-Mrs. Kemming, 222 E. 25th St, Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of Croup, because it instantly relieves. Free Trials Bottles at H. P. S. ware, opera glasses, diamonds, etc., for stock of watches, clocks, jewelry. silver- or fever, cure all liver ills,

FEW INCHES FROM DEATH.

Conductor Charles S. Anderson of the Spring Street Line Had a Close Call

Charles S. Anderson, a conductor on the Spring street line of the Portland Street Railroad, narrowly escaped being severe ly injured on the last trip of his car last night. Anderson's car left the Post office at 10.10 o'clock for Spring street, but Several Women out of Eight to Middle street, instead of taking the track around by the United States hotel as it should have done, it continued or the straight track towards the Preble house. The motor man saw that his car was on the wrong track and at a signal from Anderson, commenced to run the car back over the switch. In doing so the trolley slipped off the wire and Anderson, grasping the trolley rope jumped off the rear platform, and standing on the track behind the car, endeavored to replace the trolley on the wire. There is a very strong spring on the top of all cars to keep the trolley in position on the wire and Anderson in trying to put the wheel back on the wire had to use his whole strength and weight to pull down the trolley arm. While pulling downward on the trolley in this way, the rope broke and Anderson fell backward, striking his head on the pavement between the rails. There is quite a down grade at the head of Middle street, and the car, only a few feet from Anderson when he fell, continued to run back towards the prostrate conductor at quite a fast rate. Anderson was evidently stunned by the fall and the car wheels would have surely have passed over the man's body had not some of the passersby and passengers on the car seen conductor's danger, and yelled to the motor man to stop the car. The motor man ground down the brakes for all he was worth and brought the car to a standstill not an instant too soon, for Anderson was lying under the tail end of the car, still unconscious, with his legs only a few inches from the cruel wheels. The whole transaction did not occupy two minutes of time, but in that \$3.50. two minutes Anderson had a very close

shave from death or a terrible injury. The unconscious conductor was picked up by the passengers of his car and carried inside and the car then continued on its way. Anderson shortly recovered and is but little the worse for his narroy escape and bad fall,

KILLED BY A FALL.

A Little Son of Patrick McDonough's the Victim.

Tuesday afternoon a little boy about two years old, a son of Patrick H. Mo-Donough, who has a rent on the third floor of Dumphy's block, No. 2 Dumphy's lane, was playing about his father's apartment when he took a freak, while left alone, to climb on the window sill and lost his balance, falling some twen ty-five feet to the bricks below. His fall was broken somewhat by his striking against a clothes line. Drs. Bray and Connellan were called but the little fellow died yesterday morning.

WEDDINGS.

Macy-Sayward.

A fashionable wedding took place a the Williston church, Wednesday noon The bride was Miss Rose M. Sayward, a popular young lady in Portland socie ty, and the groom, Mr. James F. Macy of the Williams Manufacturing Company. Rev. D. M. Pratt, ton, was the officiating clergyman.

Mr. Macy was formerly of New Bedford festivities are residents of Massachusetts Miss Mary A. Sayward of Boston, plece of the bride, was maid of honor The best man was Mr. Alton B. Paul of Fairbaven, and the bridesmaids were Miss Mattie Bensells and Miss Myra A. Williams of Fairhaven, Miss Lillian Hopkins of Waterville and Mrs. H. H. Haskell of Boston. The following served as ushers: Messrs, Charles T. Flagg and Sterling Dow of Portland, Elias Howland and Dr. Pierce of New Bedford. The bride was attired in white satin, ried a bouquet of bridal roses. Prof. your humble servants. with duchess lace and a veil. She car-James D. Comey of Fall River was orga-

nist of the occasion. The wedding breakfast was prepare by Caterer Robinson. The bridal pair left on the 3.30 train for a three weeks trip. They will be at home at 67 Emery street after February 1.

Merry-Hollis

A quiet wedding took place on the 26th ult, at the residence of Mr. Robert D. Hollis, 161 Brighton street, Deering. The contracting parties were Mr. Miles M. Merry, shib-builder of Bath, and Miss \$5.00. Nellie M. Hollis of Deering. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. A. Leitch of Portland. The young couple will reside in Bath.

The semi-annual meeting of the Eclectic Medical Society, was called to meet at the Preble house, in this city, yesterday. Whether owing to the storm or other cause, unknown, only three physicians put in an attendance. They were Johnson of Farmington and C. K. Donnell of Livermore Falls, As these gentlemen did not make a quorum the meeting was adjourned.

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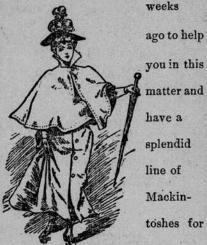
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Ladies' Mackintoshes.

This a double texture, blue or black Mackintosh, having a full cape, fancy lin ng, warranted water proof.

This is our leader, blue or black, double detachable cape, which is extra full. The skirt too is full. Inlaid Velvet Collar, fancy plaid lining. Worth \$7.00, our price, \$5.00

Heavy Serge Mackintoshes for ladies. Fancy satine linings, velvet Drs. Algernon Fossett of Portland, E. S. collar, double cape, full skirt, sizes ribboned. Beautiful Cut Work from

> Price, \$7.00 Higher grades, \$8.50, 9.00, 18.50.

Men's Mackintoshes.

Just received for Holiday trade a full I ine of Men's Mackintoshes.

Prices from Misses' from

\$1.95 to 3.50 J. R. LIBBY.

In advertising shoes one

her at Christmas into

Wouldn't it be well to give

her the SHOES instead of

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Umbrella Presents for next to

On "Bargain-apolis" today, one hundred and twenty-five good, rain-proof English Gloria Umbrellas. Fast black, steel and paragon frames, imported Congo and Waxel handles, just the same handles as you see on \$1.50 Umbrellas.

Regular 89 cent and \$1.00 goods. Bargain-apolis" price Thursday, 49c

Limit—Only one sold to a customer. This mit is in justice to those who cannot come at core opening, there being only 125 Umbrellas Umbrellas in Umbrella department.



Gents', Fine English Gloria, blue and black, steel rods, paragon frames natural, silver trimmed and China handles.

Also ranging up from \$1.39 to 12.00. you in this They've been buying these Um-

brella Elegances in New York and Boston now they can buy them right here in Portland at considerable less than the fancy prices of the metropolis. \$12.00.

\$11.00. \$9.00. \$6.00. See the Umbrella window show.



Table Linens Window No. 2, for Christmas. Congress Street front, runs up its

curtain this morning, showing an Sets of Cloth and Napkins, daintily Artistic Switzerland.

king's palace. The prices all lean your way.

J. R. LIBBY

P. S. Books at half.

It rained yesterday and we did not sell half the 200 lot of Standard Books we expected to. Therefore they will be sold today at the same \$5.00 to 10.00 price.

10 cent Standard books at 5 cts. See list of titles in last evening's papers

BOSTON STORE.

Bargain Week!

The entire balance of the Larrabee Bankrupt Stock to be placed on our counters this week, along with large quantities of other merchandize, all marked at prices that will transform it quickly into Cash.

The daily arrival of large consignments of Holiday Goods demand the Will turn the money given room now occupied by the more staple lines.

"OUR LOSS IS YOUR GAIN,"

READ! READ! READ!

50c per pair.

69c, 79c, 98c.

19c per pair.

the Blanket that created the excitement at our Blanket counter last week. This

BED PUFFS.

100 full size colored Puffs in 3 grades

Glove Department.

Children's Black and colored wool

Boys' Heavy Double Mittens special for this week,

Ladies Haudsome Double Mittens, open worked backs well worth 42 cents,

INFANTS' DEPARTMENT.

(50c on the Dollar.)

CLOAK BARGAINS.

Great values in Ladies outside Garments for this work. Choice of all our High Grade Tailor made Kersey and Boucle Coats, worth from \$12.00 to \$20.00.

For Only \$8.98 each.

This Week 10c per pair.

This Week 25c per pair.

veek again while they last,

at special prices for this week,

DRESS GOODS.

10 pieces Double width Plaid Dress Goods in a pretty style and color assort-

This Week 10c per yard Lot New Plaids regularly sold at 39c This Week 25c per yard. 8 Styles 38 inch Silk and Wool Plaids

This Week just half 37 1-2c yd. Lot 45 inch Silk and Wool Plaids for

This Week 50c per yard. 3 pieces 50 inch Navy Storm Serge (strictly all wool) and good value at 69c. As a special leader for our Dress Goods this week we make the price 39c per yard.

BLACK GOODS.

8 pieces 46 inch Black All Wool Henrietta in Blue and Jet Black. Our regular 75c grade,

This Week 49c per yard.

Novelty brocaded Black Goods in a number of different styles, goods that have sold at 75c and 87c,

This Week Only 50c and 87c,

This Week Only 59c per yard. Our Entire stock of odd lengths Black Goods in plain and novelty effects will be placed on our counter this week at prices that will sell them quick

BLANKETS.

1 Case Extra quality 10-4 colored Blankets, All perfect goods, at less price than others get for the seconds,

Namely, 48c per pair. Another Lot of 100 of these 10-4 White

MACKINTOSH SPECIAL

for this week.

Ladies 2 Cape Navy Plaid lined Mack-intoshes with Velvet Collar,

This Week \$3.69 each.

For Dry and Fancy Goods, &c., &c., Come to Our Store This Week.

488-490

completing your holiday purchases without com-

We have a magnificent stock of fine FURNI-TURE that is worthy of your consideration.

All New . . IN PRICE FROM

\$5 to \$48

niture, made simply for a child to play with, but is a Full Grown Desk thoroughly made, nicely fin- 25e quality. ished and well worth

We have it in Solid Oak and Imt. Mahogany. exquisite array of Holiday Dining We consider it the biggest value in the market room stuffs, Germany made Table this season. Shall be pleased to show it to you.

4 & 6 Free Steet.

made extremely low, and you will not find a better time to buy than just now while the assortment is unbroken and the store is not over-

Our New Victor Sewing Machine at \$19.00 makes an ideal Christmas present.

Men's Best Quality Outing Flannel, Shirts, every garment cut full, with yoke back. Always sold at 50c. This Week 39c each.

Immense line of New Pat-

terns in Ladies' White Em-

broidered Handkerchiefs

CHRISTMAS

NOVELTIES.

Low Prices to Induce Early

Buying.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10th

We Offer as a Special Value

30 Imported Jardinieres at less than usual wholesale price,

38c each.

10 dozen White Metal Picture Frames, cabinet size, real value 38c

25c each.

8 dozen White Metal Picture Frames

19c each.

5 dozen Dressed Dolls, that are con-idered a genuine bargain, at

25c each.

3 dozen Dressed Dolls, such as usually sell at 75c, at only

59c each.

Prices on the entire line have been

LADIES' WAISTS.

Ladies' All Wool Waists. Plain colors

Boys' Suit Department.

This stock to be closed regardless of

At this sale you can buy 2 suits for the price of 1. Boys' 2 pieces Suit worth from \$2.50 to \$5.00.

Only 12 left. Boys' 3 pieces Suits with Short Pants, ages 12 to 16, strictly fine wool goods, regular price \$9.00 to \$12.00.

25 Boys' Heavy All Wool Cape Ulsters,

ages 4 to 8 years. Former Prices \$5.00 and \$6.00

MEN'S FURNISHINGS,

2 Lots Men's Underwear, including Satin trimmed Heavy Weight Jersey and Scotch mixed goods, both staple 50c

Another Case of those Men's Heavy Wool Fleeced Shirts and Drawers. \$1.00 worth of wear and comfort in every

This week price 39c each.

Again this week 50c each.

This Week \$1.39 and \$2.48,

While they last \$4.98 oach.

Choice this week for \$2.98.

This Week 98c each.

This Week \$1.19 each.

Ladies' Plaid Waists,

12 1-2c each.

ing to our store.

ESKS.

Our \$5.00 Desk is not a cheap piece of fur-

\$7.50.

Towels handsome enough for a FRANK P. TIBBETTS & CO

True's Pin Worm Elixir

Is the best Worm Remedy made. It is likewise the best Remedy for all the complaints of children, such as Feverishness, Costiveness, Indigestion, Sour Stomach, etc. It has been a household remedy for 45 years. Its efficacy in such troubles has never been equalled. Purely vegetable and harmless. Price 35 cents. At all bles has never been equalled. Purely vegetable and harmless. Price 35 cents. At all bles has never been equalled. Purely vegetable and harmless.