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FAULTS OF OUR SAVING SYSTEM.

Timely Article by Ex-Secretary Fairchild on Subject.

on Subject.

Ba'timore, December 30.—Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Cha les Fairchild opened in a morning's session of the third day of the annual meeting of the American Economic Association. "What is the present direction of acquisitive investment. What is the relation of deposi s in savings banks to the general business of the country?" was the subject of his address. The ex-secretary said in part: "The merit of the savings bank system is that it makes it easy to care for savings and inducing saving, which is of itself a benefit to the people who save, both pecuniarily and morally. It is a further benefit to the community in that this saving accumulates capital, which is saving the various European capitals at the various European capitals saving accumulates capital, which is available for general business purposes. It manifestly should be the policy of the government to encourage the habit of saving and make saving easy."

There are certain features connected with this particular form of investment of savings which apparently are not well for the community. The bulk of our savings banks have no capital or stock-holders. The assets all come from de-positors and the accumulation of earn-ings over and above dividends paid. Every depositorlocks upon his deposit, not investment, but something he can iraw at will. In times of financial disturbance this fact generally increases the distress. Soon the depositors in savings banks begin to take alarm and withdraw deposits. Consequently there is a withdrawal of funds from all active business institutions. Securities come on the market when it is not ready to

take them.
"Thus these funds, which have been so meritoriously accumulated and which have been of considerable benefit to the have been of considerable benefit to the community, become at times a menace to all business interests. Many of the depositors being employes of the various business enterprises which are crippled by financial disturbances, the circle is completed, and the fears of the depositors return to injure the depositors themselves by the curtalment or stoppage of their results complexent.

their regular employment.

"Is would seem to be wise for men to consider whether by some device, saving cannot still be made easy, and at the same time some of the dangers of which I have spoken be avoided. The recent I have spoken be avoided. The recent growth of mortgage insurance companies the habit of giving shares in large mortgages opens a way for investment of this character, which would be suitable for all us. Building and loan associations, when properly managed, also afford investment for savings of very good character. A general discussion followed.

Using Second Hand Evidence.

Biddeford, December 30.-Biddeford parties upon whom scire facias writs were recently served on liquor indictments tound at the last term of the Supreme Court, met today and decided to contest their cases at the January term of court. They claim the indictments were found on the same spotter evidence which formed the basis of the previous indictments on which fines have

George B. Young Wants Pardon.

Augusta, December 30 .- A petition for the pardon of George B. Young of Ellsworth, who was sentenced October, 1894, to four years to the state prison for assault with intent to kill, was presented to the governor and council this afternoon. John A. Peters appeared for the petitioners claiming that Young was not guilty of more than mere misdemeanor. County Attorney Clark of Bar Harbor, was present and made no objection to the

## "MACEO IS ALIVE."

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Camp.

WAS WOUNDED BUT RESCUED BY HIS SOLDIERS.

Precise Details of His Injury Are Coming to Havana-Zertucha's Treacher

Havana, via Key West, December 30-"Maceo is alive," is the Cubans' joyful cry. The first rumors, accepted with incredulity, are now gaining ground. Information is coming in to the city daily giving the precise details. It is said that when he fell from his horse, his followers thought him dead, but found he was still living. They spread the news that he was dead in order to carry him to a place of safety.

Under a strong escort they carried him to the Siguara hospital where, under the skilful treatment of Doctors Fermin, Valdez, Domiguez and Panchon Dominguez, the chief is now slowly recuperat-

ing. The acute period has passed. It seems that only one wound is dangerous, that in the stomach. Fortugately the Patented. Carpe's cleansed at all sea- bullet did not touch the intestines. It bullet did not touch the intestines. It was feared that peritonitis might set in, but he escaped it. No bones were fractured. Zertucha's treachery is being confirmed daily. It is said that Maceo's first words when he was able to speak were an order for Zeutucha's capture, but he had already fled to the Spanish lines. Zeutucha wrote the letter found on Gomez's body. Gomez was killed by a bayonet thrust and aid not stab himself as the Spanish say. self as the Spanish say.

ALL IS HAPPINESS IN CUBA.

Much of an Insurrection There Anyway. Patten.

Washington, December 30.-There is authority for the statement that the Spanish government is, generally speaking, entirely satisfied with the attitude Madrid and Washington understand each other thoroughly.

state department today it is learned that ton, and your correspondent could not as soon as that portion of the President's see her regarding the report that she had recent message to Congress relating to begun proceedings for divorce, but her the Cuban situation had been translat- father, Collector Charles W. Larrabee,

Spain in the maintenance of Spanish sovereignty in Cuba, but that Europe wishes to see the establishment of re forms in Cuba. Senor Sagasta further expresses the belief that Premier Canova only awaits a report from Gen. Weyler that Pinar del Rio province is cleared of rebels, when he will grant reforms and later autonomy. The ex-premier is quoted as saying that Gen. Weyler is himself an obstacle to the pacification of Cuba, being incapable of coping with the rebel-

Canovas Talks To a Newspaper.

Madrid, December 30.—The Imparcial publishes a report of an interview with publishes a report of an interview with Senor Canovas, prime minister, in which he declared that the government will not accept any intervention on the part of the United States in Cuba. The Primier also says that the home government will not institute any reforms in Cuba until the revolt in that island is limited to the eastern provinces, but reforms will be undertaken in the island of Porto Rico

General Colby's Army.

Lincoln, Neb., December [30.—Gen. L. W. Colby of Beatrice, who has taken upon himself the task of forming an Ame-

on himself the task of forming an American army to fight for Cuban independence, will start for the east in a few days, stopping at Chicago, Cleveland and New York.

At the latter place he will sail for Cuba in an individual capacity to look over the ground. Gen. Colby says: "The organization is progressing. Companies have been formed and enlisted in many of the states and territories, and there is no question about obtaining from 10,000 to 20,000 able-bodied volunteers. Those desiring to give aid to Cuban liberty and independence should organize into companies in the different localities and write to me at Beatrice, Neb., for and write to me at Beatrice, Neb., for enlistment papers and instructions."



among Spanish soldiers.
At other points in Cuba these diseases have prevailed, but not near the extent as at Havana.

THE BATH SCANDAL.

Editor John O. Patten's Name Connected With That of a Young Society Woman.

Bath, December 30.-Gossip of a lamentable type regarding two of Bath's most prominent families, has at last culminated in action. Within a few days Dr. Percy W. Roberts, a leading hom-

pressible regard, and even this may be activity and prosperity. denied by the parties. It is understood | The expectation of many people that ration.

Mrs. Roberts has returned to her people at Newton, Mass., to await a settlement of the case. Editor Patten has announced that he shall spend the winter outside of Maine.

Dr. Roberts to his friends and his law yer has explicitly and emphatically stated that he will not demand nor does he According to This Despatch There Isn't desire any financial reparation from Mr.

Bath Busily Talking.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

Bath, December 30. -The society scanof the United States with reference to dal in which the names of Editor John the Cuban revolt. The governments at O. Patten and Mrs. Percy W. Roberts are prominently mentioned, is the talk of the town tonight and rumors are flying Through advices which reached the thick and fast. Mrs. Patten is in Bos-

WEYLER AN OBSTACLE TO REFORM.

Ex-Premier Sagasta Says He Is Incapable of Coping With Rebellion.

Madrid, December 80.—A report of an interview with ex-Premier Sagasta, leader of the Spanish liberals, is published in El Liberal, in which he is represented as saying that Europe is in sympatry with Spain in the maintenance of Spanish Spain in the maintenance of Spanish its Manitoba school settlement, even though it was condemned by the church, as it was the best which could be made, Another attempt to coerce Manitoba, he said, might break up the confederation and lead to a civil war. An attempt to re-introduce remedial lagislation in the House of Commons he said, would further fail, as the great proportion, of the conservatives would stand by the government as would the great majority of the people of Canada.

THE WEATHER.



30. - Local forecast for Thursday: Fair, brisk west to northeast winds. Washington.

for Thursday for New England:

England: Partly cloudy, probably showers in the northern portion, winds shifting to northwesterly, with increasing force, probably high on the coast, Thursday evening.

Ex-Congressman Walker Declares that

Financial and Tariff Legislation are
Necessary Before Any Change for the
Better Will Come.

Balitmore, December 50.—About five hundred leading Northern and Western manufacturers and railroad officials, including Presidents Cowen of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad and Ingalls of the Chesapeake and Ohio, Vice Presidents Finley of the Southern railroad and St. John, of the Seaboard Air Line, oepathic physician of this city, has placed dents Finley of the Southern railroad and dents Finley of the Southern railroad and in the hands of his legal adviser, John Scott, Esq., the initiatory allegations in proceedings for a legal separation from his wife.

The name of John O. Patten, editor of the Bath Times is connected with the affair.

There are no allegations that the relations between Editor Patten and Mrs. Roberts was other than a mutual irrepressible regard, and even this may be

that in any legal proceedings that fol- there would be a quick revival after the low, no more serious alegation is to be election, is pointed out as without made. All that is decided upon is sepa- reason. The position is taken that the

Specific Duty Opposed By Importations of Sugar to This Country.

Washington, December 30.-The session Montreal, December 80.—Hon.J. Tarte, minister of public works to the Dominion government, declared today that the Dominion government would stand by dates duties.

Boston, December ing countries.

colder during the and, Neb., Herbert Myrick of Uhicago, vening and night, editor of the American Agriculturalist, camber 30.-Forecast sented by J. D. Hill of New Orleans. No

Thorsday evening.

Local Weather Report.

Portland, December 32.—The local weather bureau office records as to the weather bureau office records as to the weather are the following:

8 a. m.—Barometer, 30.894; thermometer, 30.0; dew point, 24. humidity, 78.0; wind, NW; velocity, 3; weather, clear.

9 p. m.—Barometer, 30.0!4; thermometer, 30.0; dew point, 29. humidity, 75.0; wind, SW; velocity, 12; weather, clear.

10 p. the mometer, 30.0; maximum welocity of the consumers, distributors and refiners of sugar of the United States, rie said there was no just reason, 7by American sugar interest. He said it required every easient of the consumers, distribution, should not be entitled to the same deare of protection.

The agricultural department weather bureau for yesterday, December 30, taken at 8 p.m. meridian time, the observation of or each station being given in this order: Temperature, direction of wind, state of weather:

Boston, 40 degrees, W, clear; Philadei
Total Thorsday evening.

Thorsday evening.

10 of a committee of the sugar trade of New York, and take that, in making the new tariff measure, it should be made as limit to all interests as possible and committee on sugar fair to all interests as possible and to the line of specific duties on sugar. The advalorem system, he said, was unfair to all interests as possible and to the waste of the ways and these on sugar for perblic duties on sugar trade of New York, advanced to the consumers, distributors and refiners of sugar for the United States united to the same derive was no interest. As possible and possible fair to all interest as possible and relation of the

Gen. Colby is confident of receiving encouragement in the east.

A Disease Smitten City.

Washington, December 30.—Sanitary Inspector D. M. Burgess, U. S. M. H. S., in a report to the Marine hospital service on small pox and ysllow fever in Cuba, says that nearly all the spreading diseases have somewhat diminished, except small pox, which has increased. During the week ending December 17, there were 306 deaths in Havana, 55 caused by yellow fever with 150 new cases, 57 small pox with 500 new cases, the remainder by other causes. Fifty-two of the 55 deaths from yellow fever were among Spanish soldiers.

At other points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points in Cuba these diseases have nearly lab to the points on the distributors and refiners have lab to principle of protection. Divested of all illusions, the question presented is whether the work of refining should be done abroad or in the United States. Specific duries are sugar, in which pound values may vary as much as 160 per cent, the principle is manifestly incongruous impracticable. Raw sugar worth two cents a pound, should not pay as impracticable. Raw sugar worth two cents a pound, while a schedule based on granlusted saccharine strength, as defined by the polariscope, might approxi-

mate justice, it would not do so to the cetten which would justify a disturbance of the present basis to which trade has already adjusted itself.

Counsel for the Respondent Very Severe in His Denunciation of Passenger Monkatcher, he said, should not be lost sight of—any differential imposed upon product of any county granting a bounty should only apply to the refined product and not to the raw material required by our refineries.

In reply to Mr. MoMillin, Mr. Thurber said the distribution of sugar by wholesale is now practically on a commission thanks. Sugars are sold with the understanding that a certain commission should 3-16) is paid to a wholesaler as his profit. While the American refining company will sell sugar to any one at the list price, he cannot get the benefit of that 8-16 cent commission unless than the manufacturer's list price; payment of the comission is made in form of a rebate when the sale is made; dealers in those goods have to make a statement before they can get this rehate, that they have not violated their undertaking not to sell below the list price.

Mr. MoMillin—"To refiners who buy raw sugar coming from bounty-paying countries get the benefit of the advised sailing to French Cayenne in the advised sailing to French Cayenne in the form of a rebate when the sale is made; dealers in those goods have to make a statement before they can get this rehate, that they have not violated their undertaking not to sell below the list price.

Mr. MoMillin—"To refiners who buy raw sugar coming from bounty-paying countries get the benefit of the actual of the crime in So. List when the sale is made; dealers in these goods have a wiscend to the countries of the cou

in a gradual but sure return of business activity and prosperity.

The expectation of many people that the election only served to make possible the election only served the election only served to make possible the election only served the election on the served that the served the election only served the election on the served the election only served the election only served the election on the served the election only served the election on the served the election on the served the election of the election on the serve

The question was asked if we could do this. He contended that we could. We had the climate and soil necessary,

The opening was given to the sugar now producing about one-seventh of the The opening was given to the sugar importers, whose views were voiced by John Farr of New York, who said that at a recent meeting of the sugar importers of that city, it was unanimously decided that an advaloram rate of duty was unfair, unreliable and exceedingly difficult in practice; that one cent a pound should be imposed on all sugar below 75 degrees polariscope, and that additional discriminating duties should be levied on all sugars coming from bounty paying countries.

The opening was given to the sugar mow producing about one-seventh of the amount consumed at home. He ducted from consular reports to show what we were paying abroad for sugar, and said the sugar producers of the United States needed fair protection to encourage them to meet the conditions abroad—cheap labor and raw materials, bounties, etc.

Germany was simply forcing the United States to defend the home industry, and within the last three months had sent representatives to visit every beet sugar factory in this country. He referred to the Hawaiian treaty as a failure and one-sided agreement which deprives us of much revenue. It was a fraud upon its face, and presants conditions that deing countries.

The beet sugar interest was represented by Henry T. Oxnard of Grand Island, Neb., Herbert Myrick of Chicago, editor of the American Agriculturalist, and B. Mallen of Ames, Neb., president of the Beet Sugar lassociation. The sugar interests of Louisiana were represented by J. D. Hill of New Orleans. No representative of the sugar refining industry had applied for a hearing, and there was a conspionous absence of the members of the Sugar Trust.

It was a fraud upon its face, and presants conditions that demand its cancellation. It involved sugar, rice and other American products which were struggling for existence. Producers were not here to make or sugast a schedule for the American Refining Company, nor were they here to antique an army of laborers. The protection which would satisfy it would not be requisite for our producers. The protection which would satisfy it would not be requisite for our producers. The protection of them on a plane with foreign competition. Owing to the financial condition, it might not be wise to renew the law of 1890. The suggestion of 1888 seemed members of the Sugar Trust.

Solon Humphreys of New York, said that he had been appointed chairman of a committee of the sugar trade of New York to come before the ways and means committee and ask that, in making the new tariff measure, it should be made on the line of specific duties on sugar. The advalorem system, he said, was unfair to the merchant.

F. B. Thurter of New York, president it might not be wise to renew the law of 1890. The suggestion of 1888 seemed feasible. He favored a duty and a bounty on sugar. Such a schedule, he said, properly adjusted, could be made as nearly fair to all interests as possible and jeopardize none. It could be made to yield more revenue, out of which the bounty could be paid, while it would offer sufficient protection and adequate encouragement to develop domestic industry.

for each station being given in this order:
Temperature, direction of wind, state of weather:
Boston. 40 degrees, SW, clear; New York, 32 degrees, W, clear; Philadeiphia, 38 degrees, W, p.cloudy; Washington 42 degrees, W, p.cloudy; Washington 42 degrees, W, clear; Albany, 38 degrees, SW, clear; Albany, 38 degrees, SW, clear; Albany, 38 degrees, SW, cloudy; Buffalo, 38 degrees, Chicago, 46 degrees, W, cloudy; St. Paul, 28, E, p. clear; Huron, Dak., 20 degrees, E, clear; Jacksonville, 50 degrees, N, cloudy.

Capitalists are making preparation for building an electric railroad from Biddeford to Bsr Mills, alongside Scco river. The company will envisilize stock at \$100,000,000, of which \$5000 has been paid in. It is expected the line will be completed next September.

was conflicting, one saying that it was tradictory testimony in court, in regard ten days distant and another that it was the shooting of a man and being in the insane asylum. Mr. Cotter continuous control of the insane asylum.

ten days distant and another that it was thirty days distant.

No more dramatic incident has characterized the entire Bram trial than that which took place at the opening of the court this morning.

"The position of the district attorney is unprecedented. It would not be tolerated in our state courts, in a case involving the ownership of a cord of wood. We protest against it, we object to it, and we would be unfaithful to the commission given to us by this court, and faithless to the interests of the client whose interests we are here to care for, if we did not ask the court to prevent the district attorney from proceeding further on the line he now proposes to follow."

This was the language used by Mr. Cotter, Bram's senior counsel, the moment the first government witness. I believe the insane asylum. Mr. Cotter and told more than that the insane asylum. Mr. Cotter day in the insane asylum. Mr. Cotter day day in the was not a fair withes. I believe the might have said and told more than he did when on the witness than the insight have said and told more than he did

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This was the language used by Mr. Cotter. Bram's senior counsel, the moment the first government witness was called to the stand this morning. "We have met the case of the government against our client," continued Mr. Cotter, and we protest against the district attorney attempting, or the court permitting him to present another instalment of his case, after the case for the defendant has been closed."

The matter arose over the proposal of the government to call expert testimony to rebut that of the defende, as to the possibility of lashing the wheel of the possibility of lashing the wheel of the the stand to testify on this point. Captain Daniel Lynch, a samman for 48 years, who had experience of barkentines, and of almost every class of vessels. This proposition was what aroused Mr. Cotter and caused him to make his attack on the position of the government. He claimed that the government had no authority under general principles government is under general principles governments and the law to present another installand and Boothbay. A representative of the company is here making arrangements. The people of the towns inauthority under general principles gov-erning the law to present another instal-ment of its case after the defense had terested are favorable to the plan.

widence in rectural.

Mr. French replied briefly for Bram, and said he and his colleague rested their claim entirely on the general principles of law, and did not intend to cite any authorities in support of their idence in rebutal.

position.

The court at ten retired to consider the issue raised by Mr. Cotter, and decided

suspicions about Bram throwing a plank Monk's testimony is not entitled to credence because he had thrown the blame on three different members of the crew. He has had private counsel and all possible has been done to blame Bram

or Brown.

He is apprehensive that a charge of murder will be brought against him. It is peculiar that Monks never testified to knowing more than he has, being in the midst of the killing. However, we don't charge him with the tragedy. The famous theory of murders was composed, written and that there might be no mistake, signed by Monks with his full name. The word I is predominant throughout the statement. Notwithstanding all this, he has not the manhood or strength of character not to come in here and swear away the life of the accused.

criticized Brown's life, especially since the Rotterdam affair. Also as to his con-

We had the climate and soil necessary, and the seven factories now running were producing 75,000,000 pounds of sugar annually. We were about the only civilized country not producing its own spear. In case and best sugar we were about the only civilized country not producing its own spear. In case and best sugar we were about the only civilized country not producing its own spear. In case and best sugar we were about the only civilized country not producing its own spear. In case and the seven factories now running restricted in the project. The steamer will make close connection at Portland with New York steamers. They propose to start the service by May,

Silver Men at Canton

Canton, December 30.—The most notable visitors here today were Senator The court at ten retired to consider the issue raised by Mr. Cotter, and decided in his favor.

Frank Loheac, Oscar Anderson and Lester H. Monks were recalled and examined, after which the case rested and adjournment was taken until 3.30 p. m., when Mr. Cotter began the opening argument for the defeuse.

The final and telling part of the trial tegan at 3.30 when James E Cotter, counsel for the defense began his pleas before the jury. Mr. Cotter first paid a glowing tribute to his associate, Mr. French, and extended his gratitude to the court and the government's counsel. He said the issue was confined to the killing of Captain Nash. He said: "According to the evidence, Thomas Bram is an innocent man. The government has selected its position and we hold them to it. We are not here to prove another man guilty although the evidence would indicate that. There is nothing



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ebrated for its great leavening strength and purity. It makes your cakes, biscuit, bread, etc., healthful, it assures you against alum and all forms of adulteration that go with the cheap brands.



Lawiston was defeated by Portland las

evening a polo in City hall by a score of

contest, the game was an interesting one

WON BY.

Forest City, Bennett, 7 So. Portland, Woodbury, 4

So. Pertland, Spear, South Portland, Spear, 1

Score—South Pottland, 3; Forest City, 1. Stops—McGovern, 20; Shaw, 13. Rushes—Sterling, 3. Time Keeper— Wescott. Referee—Johnson.

THE LEAGUE GAME.

playing, and hardly had the ball been

put in play again when Foster, by a

drive from the centre of the hall suc-

ceeded in getting the second goal, much

to W. Broadbent's disgust, as the ball

would have been such an easy one to

The Lewiston's didn't seem to be up to

their work, and two more goals were

scored by Portland with ease. Then the

Lewistons woke up to the fact that they

were dropping the game too quickly, and

room and a doctor summoned from the

audience to attend him. Wilson the sub-

stitute went on to the floor in Conelley's

place and play was again resumed. Hard-

ly a minute later and time was called

again. This was for a three inch splinter

from Foster's stick, which had been

driven into Fitzgerald's leg, and this

man was also taken to the dressing room.

When Fitzgerald was able to get out onto

the floor again to play out the game he

was heartily cheered. J. Dawson scored

Portland's fifth consecutive goal by a

pretty pass play. The Lewiston men then

got their first goal by passing the ball

back and forth across the hall and

driving it into the goal in a very clever

manner. The Portland goal was left en

tirely unprotected during this play, and

this made the Lewiston's first goal are

easy one to win. The period ended with

Portland having seven goals to his credit

In the second period the visitors braced

up a little and put up a remarkably live

ly game. But they were clearly out-

classed and disheartened, and were not

never have been scored, as in both cases

the Portland goal was left unguarded

drives. Four more goals were scored by

Portland in the third period, the last one

being caged just as the gong for the end

Both goal tenders did good work,

especially was this true of Broadbent

who plays his position for all it is worth

The Portlands grew very careless towards

the end of the game, having found the

Fester payed an exceptionally good game

and was well applauded for his work.

and with Lewiston only 1.

GOALS.

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Land Agent's Accounts-The Industrial Commissioner O. B. Whitten Files His

The accounts of Hon, Charles E. Oak. land agent, have been submitted to the governor and council, giving the following: Cash on hand, December 1, 1895, \$882.66; December 1, 1896, \$256.57. This latter balance is about the average, the large amount on hand for 1895, being due to some bills being held over.

There has been received from the state treasurer, \$400 for forestry appropriation; \$11 from French settlers on notes.

The report of the State Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell was presented, showing that institution to be in a most satisfactory condition, financially and otherwise. The report of the retiring superintendent, Mr. E. Rowell, is in part, as follows: Twenty-four girls have been committed to the school during the past year from the following cities and towns: Bath, 3; Portland, 3; Augusta, 2; Westbrook, 2; Rockland, 2; one each from Calais, Rockport, Thomaston, Clinton, Gardiner, Fryeburg, Fairfield, Alfred, Jay, Bangor, Deer Isle and Boothbay, making a total of 463 since the opening of the school in 1875.

The number at the school December, 1875, was 79; average number during 1896, 76; number committed during the year, 24; returned to the school during the year, 110; sent home, 34; married, 6; died at sahool, 1; of age, 12; of positively bad record since leaving the school, 40; whole number married before majority, 92; after majority, 64.

About the same number have been placed in homes as have been committed, leaving the present number in the school 73. The average during the year has been fully up to that number.

The number now in homes is 27; married before reaching majority, 92; reached majority while unmarried, 130: raturned to friends, 56; dismissed as uncorrigible, 7; deceased, 23; escaped and not recovered, 5.

The parentage of girls committed since the organization is as follows: American, 300; Irish, 35; New Brunswick, 17: Nova Scotia, 8; French Canadian, 1; Mulatto, 2; African, 2; Dane, 1; German, 4; Russian Jew, 1; English, 6.

#### STATE BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

#### Annual Report Filed With the Governor and Council,

Augusta, Dec. 30.-The Board of State Assessors, Otis Hayford. George Pottle and William B. Marshall, today submitted their sixth annual report to the for State taxation. They say:-

not so large a percentage of increase ap- 840,587.

pears as in former years.

This may readily be accounted for when it is known that we have endeavored, not so much to increase the State valuation as to more thoroughly equalize present values. We have in addition to this also to meet the depreciated condition of values of all classes of property both real and personal. We find that the late act relative to shipping places the present value at \$2,531,693, as against the value in 1804 of \$6,346,228. a reducthe value in 1894 of \$6,346,228, a reduction of \$3,814,535. We have also been forced to reduce our standard of values on live stock to the extent of over one-half million of dollars, and a total re-

which \$177,207,062 is real estate; \$36,-022,160, real estate non-resident; \$61,056,-1 764, personal estate; \$3,872,668 personal non-resident.

#### The polls returned are 182,186. The Returns by Countles for 1895 and 1896 were as follows:

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	Returns	Returns
Counties	for 1895	for 1896
Androscoggin \$	25,076,432	825,419,835
Aroostook	11,471,026	11,573,653
Cumberland	62,921,830	64,222,390
Franklin	6,416,849	: 6,529,670
Hancock	11,936,956	12,057,255
Kennebec	27,652,407	26,913,202
Khox	13,109,422	12,702.007
Lincoln	6,748,585	6,620,623
Oxford	10,685,156	10,970,753
	27,062,829	27,475,831
Piscataquis	4,544,058	3,650,480
Sagadahoc	10,370,010	9,929,492
Somerset	12,449,885	12.440,855
Waldo	9,112,727	8,890,037
Washington	10,943,288	11,057,107 26,895,462
York	26,775,474	20,000,402
Grand total \$2	76,856,424	\$278,358,654

The falling-off in the

Valuations of Live-Stock returned is to be regretted as it largely represents a loss to our agricultural people. Comparative figures of values given by the local assessors are as fol-

lows by counties.		
Counties	1894	1896
Androscoggin	\$ 817.427	\$ 749,172
Aroostook	1,342,281	1,143,930
Cumberland	1,348,254	1,221,677
Franklin	682,854	680,524
Hancock	611,787	563,561
Kennebec	1,333,927	1,267,869
Knox	525,677	466,248
Lincoln	480,532	447,559
Oxford	1,222,383	1.023,944
Penobscot	1,488,507	1,403,263
Pigcataquis	432,167	495,342
Sagadahoc	319,721	261,497
Somerset	1,097,147	1,042,613
Waldo	777,853	700,772
Washington	603,299	540,336
York	1,136,702	1,037,858
The state of the s		

\$14,129,398 \$12,896,105

The assessors' returns show the following aggregate valuations in the State: Stocks in trade, \$15,148,180; money at interest, \$11,370,382; bank stock, \$8,608,-073; bicycles, \$184,493; carriages, \$1,237,-567; musical instruments, \$1,713,228; shipping, \$2,531,693.

assessors as required by law, subnit the amounts of their assessed valuation of each city, town, plantation and in Maine schools for 1896; 6786 teachers, wild lands. The total valuation of the showing an increase of 150 over 1895. State is fixed at \$328,500,994, divided as follows: Real estate, \$239,869,182; personal estate, \$71,111,947; wild lands, \$17,075,805; timber and grass on public lands, \$443,970. The State assessors have made a thorough investigation of the value of wild lands the past season show a slight decrease in the aggregate. In 1893 the valuation of these lands was \$17,103,317, the loss thus being but \$27-

## RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.

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SEA AND SHAD FISHERIES

Annual Report.

Augusta, December 30 .- Orrin B. Whitteen, commissioner of sea and shad fisheries, submitted his biennial report covering the past year to the Governor and tory of the fisheries on the coast of Maine.

The cod fisheries of Maine are demoradrawal of the bounty of 1869, the enormous expense and uncertainty of this business and the strong competitions of Canadian fisheries. Yet Maine fishermuneration. There are 14,640 persons

with the sardine industry, is of the to be present. first importance of any. During 1896 they have been unusually abundant. Preparatory English be Separated from thoroughly enjoyed the evening The aggregate amounts to more money value than any other fishery on the was discussed by Prof. H. M. Estabrook, coast. From the statistics the commissioner learns that there were taken 21,250 Portland High school, and Princiapl E. barrels for salted herring, valued at L. Sampson, Thornton Academy. / \$530,370, and 1,217,950 bushels of fresh herring, valued at \$197,786.

It is estimated that on the Kennelea river are 394 fishermen engaged in shad fishery with weirs and drift nets, with 181 boats, and that the value of weirs amount received for shad during 1896 was \$30 727

There are 781 persons amployed in the clam fishery who secured 282,981 bushels of clams in the shell, worth \$110.878.

There has been a complete absence of menhaden on the coast the past season. A large amount of smelts are caught, more persons being engaged in this business than for many previous years, but prices have ruled lower. The catch for the year has been 1,326,000 pounds, which sold for \$71,704, principally in Boston and New York.

In the salmon fishery in 1896, 193 per sons were employed, the number of weirs being 175; the value of weirs, \$8,795; number of boats, 107; value of boats, \$2,727; amount of catch, 75,117 pounds, valued at \$12,283.

The alewive fishery is chiefly in Knox Classes?" and Lincoln counties; 11,481 barrels were taken, from which \$16,264 was real-

The sardine business has been de there have been strikes and there is a characteristic interesting way. quantity of inferior goods on the mar-Governor and Council. It is of more ket. Fifty factories have been in operathan ordinary interest as this is the tion, 5,785 employes, with total wages of Teacher." by Hon. F. A. Hill, secretary biennial year when they fix the values \$76,424. The number of boats is 123; of the Massachusetts board of education We are not unmindful of the fact that value of which is \$134,399; cases packed,

> The old fishing grounds for mackerel from the western boundary of the state to Mt. Desert failed this season, but our fishermen get successful catches at the vessels stocked \$60,000. The number of Maine vessels employed in the mackerel ing school, attended the meeting of the fishery is 14; of men, 233; value of ves sels, \$44,200; value of seines, etc.,\$25,200; value of catch, \$84,586. Ten of these vessels are from Portland harbor.

Mr. Whitten gives the history of the sword fisheries and the process of tak- by Miss Sarah M. Taylor. Yesterday duction in values of \$701,902.

The recapitulation shows the total local valuation to be \$278,358,654 of tonnage, 1563; value, \$51,500; number College Preparatory English be Separated in the mouth with a stick and had seven of sword fish caught, 5,203, weighing from the Other English in High teeth knocked down his throat. The in-1,300,750 pounds, and of aggregate value Schools?" Superintendent Lord was to jured man was taken to his dressing \$3,524. Twenty-six of those vessels hail from Portland.

> The salted fish industry is in such poor condition that catching fish for export has almost ceased to be a part of the fisheries of Maine, a fleet of three vessels at the bank cod fishery the past season.

Hancock and Washington county wat- the coming years. It was decided to ers. The fish cured for export and local consumption is 1896, amounted to 9,196,-320 pounds, valued at \$205,530. The total amount of fresh fish industry in the for state in 1896 was 24, 406, 330 pounds, val- Commissioner Beal condemned and had ned at \$504, 294. Of these, 17,820,400 killed five cattle of a herd of nineteen at pounds arrived at Portland.

ed at Kittery Point, 154,000 at York Har- sum sufficient to do effective work. bor and 150,000 at Newcastle, all from the United States Station at Gloucester. Mr. Whitten advises consideration by the legislature of lobster culture. The Bangor, December 30.-Mr. L. A catching equipment, \$435, 157.

lows: Scallops, \$5000; eels, \$772; stur- vency. geon, \$704; bass, \$363; fish oils, \$11,320; scraps, \$20,000; tom cods, \$1366. The the corporation, as is well known, met total money value of the sea fisheries in Portland and agreed to petition for of the period was sounded. product is given as \$4,826,692.

The commission appointed by the Governor and employed in the codification the proposal for further operations at of fish laws is now at work. More liber- the Howland mills.

al appropriations are needed.

Superintendent Stetson's Report. Augusta, December 30 .- The annual report of W. W. Stetson, state superintendent of schools, submitted to the Gov- 50 per cent of their claims then he will ernor and council, shows 134,140 scholars There are 4391 schools with an increase for the assessment an amount of the preof 15 towns having high schools which have 16,868 pupils.

## A Jail Breaker Caught.

Skowhegan, December 30. - Milford J. Adams, who escaped from Norridgewook assessment. All this occurs at the close jail about one year ago and has since of the insolvency proceedings of course. Adams, who escaped from Norridgewook eluded arrest, came into Skowhegan late Tuesday night and gave himself up to Sheriff Vilas. Adams' original offence was criminal assault. He was brought use of this soap, and slight friction, helps into court Wednesday morning and to ward off wrinkles by keeping the facial sentenced to six months in the county muscles toned up and the skin elastic. jail by Judge Wiswell. The court observed leniency on account of Adams'

DISCUSSING SCHOOL TEACHING. second Day's Session of the State Pedagog ical Institution.

Lewiston, December 80.-The acssion of the Maine Penagogical society was continued today. This forenoon the report of the committee on arithmetic by Acting Chairman Frincipal S. I. Graves Council Wednesday. He traces the his- of Augusta was listened to with much interest. It was discussed by Principal Adelaide V. Finch, Lewiston Training School; Superintendent W. H. Winslow, lized, which he attributed to the with- Bath; Superintendent O. M. Lord, Portland; Principal Theodore T. Young, Saco. Arithmetic, by G. I. Aldrich, superintendent of schools, Newton, Mass., 12 to 3. The visitors started in with was another good paper. In the High great energy, but unfortunately met men are following a less hazardous busi- school section of room E, the question, with some severe accidents at the outse ness in local fishing, receiving fair re- "Is the present Preparatory English a and played in a listless manner during Success?" was ably discussed by Presi- the first period. Later they got down to connected with the Maine fisheries and dent George C. Chase of Bates college a better style of work, but the lead of the the total number of vessels employed is and Principal H. E. Cole of the Bath Portlands was then so great that the 512, with an aggregate of 10,125 tonnage. High school. President Nathaniel Butler visitors were unable to catch up. Despite The herring fishery, in connection of Colby was excused, he not being able the fact that it was a rather one sided

The question, "Should the College to witness, and the 1100 people present the other English in High Schools?' State college; Principal Albro E. Chase,

In the hall Wednesday afternoon the following papers were read: "The German Schools," W. H. Hartshorn, professor of English literature, Bates College; "Nature Study and Literature," Sarah L. Arnold, supervisor of schools, nets and boats is \$29,085. The total Boston, Mass.; "Reading," Superintendent A. P. Wagg, Auburn.

The committees on instruction met in the hall. In the Normal school section of room, the following question was ably discussed by Principal A. F. Richardson of the Castine Normal school Should Normal Schools Demand High School Course or Its Equivalent as a Requirement of Admission?"

Principal G. C. Purington of the Farmington Normal school and Miss Mary S. Snow, superintendent of schools of Bangor, also spoke on this subject most interestingly.

A paper by Principal M. Taylor of the Portland Training school was read at 8 p. m., on the subject, "How Shall High school Courses Be Arranged to Meet the Needs of Normal Schools and Training

Miss Adelaide V. Finch of the Lewis ton Training school also spoke on this text and gave some very interesting facts. Principal W. J. Corthell of the Gorham pressed. Low prices have prevailed, Normal school led the discussion in his

At the evening meeting there was an address on "Modern Demands Upon the bushels of sardines taken, 887,820; the before a large audience in City hall. The committee appointed to bring in a list of officers are: Messrs. Jordan, Lewiston; Wagg, Auburn; Keyes, Bar Harbor.

Portland Teachers at Lewiston, Mr. Albro E. Chase of the High school. Georges banks. Four Maine mackerel Dr. D. H. Dole of the Jackson school, and Miss Harriet C. Baker of the Train-Maine Pedagogical society in Lewiston yesterday. Miss Baker read a paper on 'How Shall High School Cougress be Arranged to Meet the Need of Normal Schools and Training Classes?" written ing sword fish. The number of vessels forenoon Mr. Chase was on the protake part in the discussion of the report of the committee on arithmetic.

Cattle Commissioners at Bangor.

Bangor, December 30.-The Maine cattle commissioners held a meeting here Boothbay Harbor, and of three at Bucks- tonight for the purpose of closing up the port being the only vessels engaged in year's business, considering the cases of tuberculosis and taking action regarding The pollock fishery is principally in the appropriation by the legislature for issue certificates of health to sound cattle, the owner to pay a nominal sum for cartificates and the state to pay diseased cattle as before.

Hampden today. Three diseased animals A long chapter is given on the lobster in this city are quarantined. The comfisheries. : 352,000 losbter fry were liberat- missioner will ask the legislature for a

Plan to Reorganize Howland Pulp Company.

men employed in the lobster fishery dur- Sumner of Boston, one of the stockholding the year was 2708; number of lobs- ers of the Howland Pulp and Paper Comter cars, 21,430; of lobster boats, 3353; pany, and one of its heaviest creditors, is pots, 172,856; lobsters taken, 7,825,575; in the city engaged in promoting a plan valued at \$79,266; total value of lobster by which the affairs of the corporation may be conducted on a new basis at the Other fish products are given as fol- close of the present proceedings in insol-

> A few weeks ago the stockholders of insolvency proceedings in their case. A committee was appointed to consider

Meanwhile, Mr. Sumner, one of the

heavy creditors of the company and a Lewistons too easy to worry much about tockholder, began to arrange a plan. Mr. Sumner's plan is said to be this: He will ask the creditors to sign off for assess the present stockholders 20 per cent of their holdings, for funds with which to begin operations again. In exchange ferred stock of the company, equal to the assessment of 20 per cent will be issued to stockholders forwarding the same, and common stock to the amount now held will be issued to those who agree to the

## 'ALTHENE SKIN SOAP."

Superb For Infants. For sale by all druggists and H. H. HAY & Son, Middle St. The summary:
Portland—J. Dawson, first rush;
Whipple, second rush; Foster, centre;
Jordan, half back; Allen, goal.
Lewiston—U. Broadbent, first rush; Jones, second rush; Connelley, centre; Fitzgersld, half back; W. Broadbent, goal; Wilson, substitute. GOALS. WON BY.

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Score-Portland, 12: Lewiston, 8. Stops J. Dawson, 9; C. Broadbent, 82. Rushes— J. Dawson, 9; C. Broadbent, 6. Fouls— Lewiston, 3. Referee—W. A. Orr. Time Keeper—P. E. Shirley. GAME FRIDAY NIGHT.

The Augusta team will play here on Friday night and a great contest may be a very strong game. An amateur game between the Bijous and the Forest Citys will be played during the first of the evening. Reserved seats at Chandler's.

The injured players in last evening' game were taken to the office of Dr. George S. Pitcher, where they were made as comfortable as could be expected under the circumstances.

Maine Polo League Standing. Won. Lost Percent. Clubs. Rockland, Portland, Lewiston Augusta. MEN TELL THEIR STORY.

Reply to President Little's Statemet Regarding West End Strike.

THE AMATEUR GAME. Boston, December 30,-The Supreme Council of Conductors and Motormen's Previous to the game between the Lew istons and Portlands, two amateur teams executive board of the West End Street winter. played a game which for all round railway and the public in reply to that of slugging, smashing and exciting plays President Little given out this afternoon. was more interesting than the league The council admits that mistakes were contest. These amateur teams were the made and that it could not control the Forest Citys and South Portlands, and a actions of the men after "needless and livelier set of players have never been on inexcusable delay on the part of the City half floor than were the young men management of the road' in giving the on these teams. Only two periods were council recognition, because it had not played, and the game resulted, South then time to communicate with them be-Portlands, 3: Forest Citys, 1. Johnson, fore the hour at which the strike had been voted to take effect. The council does not admit it acted in bad faith with formerly of the Portlands was the referee, and he allowed almost any kind of playing to go without question. So warm the road or men and resents President did the game become that in the second Little's inference that it gave the press unreliable statements. Only twenty-five questions are the press of the road or men and resents are the press of the press o period R.T. Sterling was hit with a polo men on the entire system voted against the strike. If he had informed the Su-preme council that he and no power to sign the agreement and the board was not within reach, or if four hours before he did, he had informed the council that the executive board had never discussed stick and had his nose broken. This ac cident to the Forest City's best rush doubtless had a great deal to do with that teams defeat. The summary of this amateur game was as follows: South Portland-Woodbury, first rush; Spear, second rush; Whitney, centre; Flavin, half back; McGovern, goal. Substitutes, Anderson and York.
Forest City—R. T. Sterling, first rush; W. B. Bennet, second rush; R. G. Sterling, centre; C. E. Brackett, centre;

IN THE WOODS OF MAINE.

lang of Counterfeiters Arrested In New York Who are Said To Have Operated in This State.

New York, December 30-Mary Haason. Wm. Marlin and Patrick Burke, have been arrested at No. 8 Batavia street, this city, on the charge of being counterfeiters. They are said to be members of a gang of the cleverest counterfeiters that suy time.

been extensively circulated throughout the United States, and so eleverly was this done that the government's detectives found it hard to tell it from the genuine. It is said that other arrests of the gang will be made shortly.

Marles Benjamin Stevens, register of deeds for Middlesex county, Mass., died at his residence in Cambridge Wednesday morning, aged 78 years. He was an Odd Fellow, a Grand Army man and a member of the Loyal Legion. Portland after a few minutes of hard

will be made shortly.

Marli, one of the men arrested, has already served a term of twenty years for counterfeiting. He is considered the prize capture. He is over seventy years of age and a clever engraver. The three prisoners were arraigned this afternoon and held in bail in sums ranging from \$5000 to \$10,000.

Lewistons woke up to the fact that they were dropping the game too quickly, and began to play like fiends. A minute or so of rapid work and Conelley was struck in the mouth with a stick and had seven teeth knocked down his throat. The intered man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. He says the larged man was taken to his dressing term and conductors. began to play like flends. A minute or responsible body in not being able to geep their promise made December 24. Honduras syndicate, a company which expects to secure concessions from the their post and says to the employes, who have again entered the service of the land for the operation of several railroad land for the operation of t company, if their subsequent conduct is good, the past will not be remembered, and in no way will any discrimination be shown or allowed against them.

Capt. Patterson Gets a Verdict.

Boston, December 30.—In the second jury session of the superior court today, before Judge Sherman, a verdict of \$500 for the plaintiff was returned in the action brought by Capt. Wm. H. Patterson va. the Kennebec Steamboat Company. The suit was brought to recover 13,000 damages for personal injuries consequent upon an assault upon the plaintiff by a night watchman on board the steamer Sagadahoc, on which the plaintiff was sailing, August 8, 1895, for Bath, Me.

Dividends Might be Worse.

Fall River, Mass., December 30.—The annual statement of the mill dividends for the year 1896 were issued this afternoon. Of thirty-nine corporations, three noon. Of thirty-nine corporations, three failed to pay anything. There is a decrease shown in the average dividend compared with last year when it was a little over eight per cent. There is an increase in the capital stock of about \$\frac{3}{5}\$, 500,000 : \$800,000 of which is represented by the Kerr Thread company not listed last year. Only a few of the corporations have debts worth mentioning. The print cloth market, especially during the last half of the year has been very dull. The average dividend paid this year on a total capital of \$22,933,000 was 5.94 per cent. able to accomplish much. The two goals that Lewiston won in this period should and Allen seemed unable to stop the easy

From Spanish News Bureau.

Havana, December 30.—Col. Seguras reports that his command while reconnoitering on Brazo Nogal, Pinal del Rio, December 25, found a rebel camp and had a skirmish with the rebels. The Spanish forces drove the rebels. Later on they came across the rebels. Later on they came across the rebels who occupied a strong position. A hard fight lasting for tour hours took place. The rebels were eventually dislodged and dispersed suffering heavy loss.

A member of the United States House committee on foreign affairs arrived here committee on foreign affairs arrived here today.

More Thawing O ut Dynamite.

Reading, Pa., December 30.—Mrs. Becker, aged 56, wife of ex-Sheriff Becker, and Mrs. Wm. Seidel, her daughter, aged 30, were killed by an explosion of dynamite at Tuckerin, near this city, this evening. Mr. Becker placed a quantity of explosive in the oven of the kitchen stove to thaw it out. Shertly afterwards he went out doors. Five minutes later there was a terrible crash. The later there was a terrible crash. The dwelling, a handsome stone structure, caught fire and was consumed. Becker

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup takes the lead

HAILED FROM WHITEFIED.

Strange Death of Wealthy Maine Man in Massachusetts.

Sandwich, Mass., December 80.-Joseph F. Ware, aged 28, was found frozen to death in the snow near his cabiu at White island yesterday afternoon. Mr.

Cashier's Office, (Sundays excepted), 7.30 a m. to 7.00 p. m.: Money order department, 9 a m. to 6.00 p. m. Registry department, 9.00 a. m. to 6.00 p. m. looked for, as the Augustas are playing White island yesterday afternoon. Mr. Ware had a large interest in the cranberry bogs at White island and has reberry bogs at White island and has resided there the past six years. He was last seen alive a week ago Monday when he was returning from Ellsworth. He was likely overcome by exhaustion in walking through thick roads and fell dead. His body has lain ever since by the readside and the snow of last week land. covered it almost completely. Ware was not missed until yesterday when a search ing party from Sagamore found his re mains. Ware hailed from Whitefield Me., and has a brother living within a few miles of where he met his death. There are no suspicions of foul play, as a large sum of money and other valuables were found on the dead man.

Contracts for Bath Iron Works Bath, December 30,-The Bath Iron Works have been awarded a contract for two big lightships and one light house tender, to cost \$320,000. The job will Union, tonight issued a statement to the keep the works going at full blast all

BRIEFLY T OLD.

At a meeting of the directors of the Consolidated Traction company, of Pittsburg, held Tuesday, it was decided to increase the wages of the motormen and conductors from 16 2-3 per hour to 18 cents per hour to take effect January 1, 1867. The company controls all of the street oar lines in Pittsburg except one. An Ottawa, Ont., despatch says that a proposal was recently submitted to the Dominion government to bring out Armenians to settle on land in the Canadian Northwest. Yesterday a despatch was sent to Mr. Joseph Chamberlain that the scheme could not be entertained, as the Canadian government had no funds from which the Armenians might be assisted, and that it was con-

block for settlement. Sheriff-elect A. L. McFadden of Water the agreement the strike would not have occurred. The executive committee of the West End company will meet Thursday afternoon.

A THE WOODS OF MAIN! guste, and Nathaniel Jaquith of Clinton,

might be assisted, and that it was con-

sidered imprudent to grant lands in

who are new men. A Louisville special says: The board of councilmen has adopted resolutions calling upon Congress to recognize the Cubans as a free and independent people and to help them gain that freedom if necessary by giving them physical as

well as moral assistance. Mrs. Nettie R. Craven, the to a large portion of the estate of the late Senator Fair, is seriously ill. It is said that her malady is such that she may dis

When the professionals took the field there was considerable applause, for the Lewistons who brought over a good crowd of enthusiasts with them, and who also have many admirers here in Portland. Whipple got the first goal for base in the lamb of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the Maine woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the County books and funds in his possession that the woods, and in the mountain fast current of the gang ware carried on in the county books and funds in his possession that the county of the county books and funds in his possession that the county of the county books and funds in his possession that the county of the county books and funds in his possession to the county books and funds in his possession to the county books and funds in his possession to the county books and funds in his possession to the county books and funds in his possession to the county books and funds in his possession to the county books and funds in his possession to the county books and funds in his possession to the county books a When called upon to surrender the

Burlington, Ia., special says that Dr. Charles Beardsley, at one time editor and owner of "the Burlington Hawkeye," a former state senator, a member of the colnage commission under President Hayes in 1879, and who has been fourth auditor of the treasury, and was promi-nent in educational and church work, died at his home there Tuesday, aged 66.

systems. The company's capital stock is \$500,000. Among the corporators are Chauncey M. Depew, John Jacob Astor and Benjamin F. Tracey. Archbishop Fabre, the head of the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Montreal, died shortly after eleven last night.

A slight improvement is noted in the Dr. Rizal, reported to have been the promoter of the revolt against Spanish authority in the Phillippine Islands, and who was some time since returned t Manilla from Barcelona, at the reques of military judge, was shot on the 28th. The Hen and Chickens lightship, No.

2. has been replaced on the station on Nantucket shoals. Schooner Thomas B. Reed, from Bridge-water, N.S., ashore on Governor's Island flats the past five days, was floated yes-terday morning, apparently unjured.

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was long and interesting. Assistant County Attorney Webb appeared for the state and Dennis Meaher, Esq., for the respondent.

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Warren E. Bailey Held to Answer for Their Theft.

MRS. STEVENS'S STORY OF A COOL PIECE OF ROBBERY.

The Stamps Taken Were Worth \$600-The Respondent Claims He Was in Brockton at the Time-An Interesting Hear-

On the 6th day of last October, Mr. Samuel A. Stevens lost a valuable collection of postage stamps, which were stolen by a young man who claimed to be in Mr. Stevens's employ and thus secured the stamps. Yesterday the story of the theft was told in the police court and it lead to the holding of Warren E. Bailey in \$500 bail on the charge of stealing the stamps. Bailey, who surrendered to the police Monday, as already related in the different color, such as were usually papers, is a slim young man, with a noticeable crop of black hair hanging low over his forehead and ears. The hearing

MR. SAMUEL A. STEVENS was the first witness for the State. He testified that early in October last he had a collection of postage stamps in two volumes, the stamps in the first volume being worth about \$600. Continuing

Mr. Stevens said in answer to questions:

The respondent came to my office about two years ago. That was the first time I saw him. He had postage stamps to sell and I purchased of him twice. I do not remember talking with him about my collection. He must have known arrest. that I had a collection of stamps because he offered to sell me stamps. On ' the 6th day of last October my collection was at my house, [97 Spring street. I have the respondent was the first witness. He not seen it since. I learned that the testified in answer to Mr. Meaher's stamps were lost when Mrs. Stevens telephoned to me at about half past three on the afternoon of October 6.

On cross examination, Mr. Stevens said he had no knowledge of the respondent's whereabouts on October 6.

ARTHUR W. BELL, resident of Portland and shipping clerk in Mr. Stevens's office, testified that he had known the respondent four years and a half and introduced him to Mr. Stevens about two years ago. He had talked with Mr. Bailey about Mr. Stevens's col-

MRS. STEVENS

took the stand and told how she had given one of the volumes containing her husband's stamps to a young man on the this letter on that day, from the post left Brockton between the 8th and 12th 6th day of October; and how Monday she recognized ton with Mrs. Daniel B. Carr. yourg Bailey as the man who had taken the stamps and had followed him for some distance through the streets in an that postal card to my father. No one effort to have him apprehended. She else mailed my letters. positively identified the respondent as stamps. The attorneys asked few ques-

I remember getting to Brockton the the young man who had taken the night before the Brockton fair began, Brockton residence, Bailey had "quite tions, and Mrs. Stevens told her story of October. We stayed there ten days. I did no business in them at that time. in a manner which interested everybody was not in Portland during that time. in the room. Mrs. Stevens said in sub- I did not go to Mr. Stevens's house to clerk and salesman in Fred L. Merrill's I was at home on the 6th of October had a collection because he bought father of the respondent. He testified to about three o'clock. My nurse came that there was a charge against me but response to a request about the 20th of would decide this case by the admissible upstairs and said a gentleman was at the when I came home he said it had all September. His son was away from the evidence before it and not by assurances door and wanted to see me about Mr. blown over. On Monday I went into the first of September to Christmas day. On of what he could furnish if the court re-Stevens's stamps. I was not prepared to police station because it occurred to me the 7th of October, officer Fickett told quested him to do so. In this case there go down stairs and so sent the nurse to on the street to go around to the police the witness that there was some trouble is the direct testimony of Mrs. Stevens isk him about his message. The nurse station and see what the treuble was in which his son was involved. He and she is corroborated in a singular asked him if Mr. Stevens had not given about.

him an order for the stamps and he said no; that Mr. Stevens wanted to show the stamps to a gentleman who was going wore an overcoat and that his trousers carrying stamps about with him. away by train. Even then I did not susdiffered from those he now wore almost pect the man's honesty but I stepped down stairs and asked him if he was an employe of Mr. Stevens and he answered rather abruptly "I am." I said I was surprised that Mr. Stevens had given him no order and he then stepped back that Mrs. Stevens's description of the going to the station. and offered to go and get an order. I told evidences of a moustache which she saw him, however, I would give him the on the man who took the stamps just stamps and he followed me into the

fitted his own case. library. He said Mr. Stevens wanted found the volume which contained the of going to Malden, Cambridge and He said to me that he knew nothing St. Johnsbury by way of Boston. At St. were the ones that Mr. Stevens wanted. a canvasser and typesetter. He adver-Then he said "Can't you do them up?" tised in a St. Johnsbury paper and had and I wrapped the book in a piece of some correspondence about advertising he said not to mind the string. That posed to do considerable advertising. He was the first time he showed any evi- did this in order to get sample copies. dence of haste. I went to the door with He did not intend to advertise. The him and then, when he started away, I letters were thus not strictly true.

realized that I had made a mistake. He Mr. Webb put in a postal card sent by went away harriedly. 'I would not be the respondent to a Minnesota publica-hardly relevant. understood to say that he ran away as tiou. This the respondent signed with a thief wuld run but he certainly went his wife's name, L. A. Bailey, because, faster than any messenger sent by Mr. as he admitted on the stand, his own It was 17 minutes past three and I as a stamp collector.

now on last Monday morning she saw money. A pass and money order were Bailey in front of the store of Haskell sent him to provide for his transportsand Jones and said to herself, "There is tion to St. Johnsbury. He could not my stamp man "She followed him into the store of Loring. Short & Harmon and watched him while he made a Relief IN SIX HOURS

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The could not store of Loring and Fallowed him have afforded to come home even if he had had the money. The witness told says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Cough, Colds and Lung Complaints, having seed it much as had Mrs. Stevens. He denied or other preparations or other preparations." This remedy being applied directly to the seat of diseases as a set of disease at of diseases or change of diseases are common of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every parts of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retenion of water and plain package, by mall plain package, by mall 1.00. Sold only by

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purchase of a bottle of ink. Mrs. Stevens

then asked the clerk if he would tell her

the name of the young man and the clerk

said it was William E. Bailey. Asked if

it was not Warren Bailey, the clerk answered that it was Warren, saying he got

his mind. Mrs. Stevens then followed

Bailey up Congress street and saw him

go into Stockbridge's music store. She

man there to telephone her husband.

street with Mrs. Stevens close behind

bad record among stamp collectors or

On cross examination, Mrs. Stevens

described particularly the appearance of

he wore a blue coat and trousers of a

worn with a cutaway coat. He had on

no overcoat, a thing which was very

noticeable because he seemed to be al-

most shivering with cold. Mrs. Stevens

said that the man had a small moustable

and she created considerable amusement

when Mr. Meaher asked about the size of

that hirsute adornment. Mrs. Stevens

"Should you say it was about a

"Oh, I am not tousorial artist enough

"Well, it was rather stubbly, was it?"

City Marshal Trickey testified that the

espondent told him he had never seen

Mrs. Stevens to know her prior to his

WARREN E. BAILEY,

I have been writing cards and engrav-

ing door plates for the last year. For

two months I have been [working in St.

Johnsbury in the newspaper business. I

am married. On the 6th of October I

was in Brockton, Mass. I had some cor-

spondence with my father at that time.

At this point Mr. Meaher produced an

envelope bearing the Brockton post mark

Continuing, Bailey said:

month's growth?" asked the attorney.

described it as an evidence of an attempt

words to that effect.

to raise a moustache.

"Yes, decidedly."

For the defence,

for that."

questions:

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trouble and that he hoped this was not a and it is needless to say the answers put up job on account of his previous have brought comfort and relief. That sense of dragging in the groin, dull pains in small of back, retention, suppression of menses, bearing-down pains, headache, nervousness, blues, the man who took the stamps. She said etc., are symptoms that require prompt

sheriff's office and he said that he must few months from those afflicted with

have a double who was getting him into the various forms of female diseases,

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JOHN H. CARNEY,

"2 p. m. October 6." Mr. Meaher's a round faced young man who lives or method of putting in the letter lead the Portland street in this city, testified that court to direct him to first [submit this he was associated in business with Bailey and went with him to Brockton. They and other papers to the county attorney. occupied the same room. The witness saw enough of Bailey to know that he I do not remember writing to my father on that day but I always mailed my did not visit Portland during the time letters myself. I know that I mailed they were living in Brockton. Bailey of October. The witness could not tell office stamp. I stayed while in Brockjust what they were doing on the 6th of A postal card was also presented. The October. Bailey had a long black overwitness said: I know I wrote and mailed | coat and wore it most of the time.

On cross examination, the witness testified that he got back to Portland about three weeks ago. During the either the last of September or the first a few" stamps as he always did but he

ALBION BAILEY.

get the stanips. I supposed Mr. Stevens lewelry store, testified that he is the sending his son's overcoat to him in | said that he apprehended that the cour wrote and asked his son if he had done manner by the respondent himself, for The witness described the clothing he anything here which would get him into he testifies that when he does wear a wore early in October saying that he trouble. His son was in the habit of

On cross examination, the witness test tention to the fact that the letter in the ment which he made about his station on Friday, the day he got home, one, was afterwards commented on by him. He thought he mentioned the Mr. Webb in his argument. Bailey said matter again and his son said he was

of Portland, who has known the witness On cross examination, Bailey told of as a stamp collector, was called on the only his United States stamps and I leaving Portland early in September and the witness wearing a moustache. He United States stamps and gave it to him. Brockton. From Brockton he went to the respondent that he looked as if his about stamp but that he presumed those Johnsbury he works for J. E. Harris as were the ones that Mr. Stevens wanted a converse and typesetter. He adver-"Brattleboro" stamp worth \$200 or \$300. The respondent did not show the stamp wrapping paper. I did not tie it up as in stamp journals saying that he pro- but said he had it. Mr. Howe said that wrapping paper. but said he had it. Mr. Howe said that have preferred not to buy it of Bailey. On cross examination, the witness de-Judge Robinson remarked to Mr. Meaher that the evidence was entertaining but committed him to Portland jail.

> This closed the tastimony. MR. MEAHER

Stevens would do. I was not prepared to reputation among stamp collectors was in his argument, laid stress upon the go out or I should have tried to over- not good. He signed another letter the alibi which he claimed had been estabtake him. As soon as possible, I went South Park Stamp Company. He did lished beyond a doubt and assured the to Mr. Goold's drug store and Mr. Goold this because he intended to give writing court that they had other evidence not telephoned to Mr. Stevens for me, I lessons and advertise over his own signa- proper for introduction here but which noticed the time when he left the house. ture and did not also want to appear showed that Batley was in Brockton on the 6th of October. The defence gave thought "He is trying to catch the The witness said he did not come Mrs. Stevens every latitude in telling from Brockton to answer the charge her version of the story. She had told Mrs. Stevens then [described at length against him because he did not have the it as she believed it but, Mrs. Stevens was

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not the first person to be mistaken. This nis innocence. His father did what he could to aid the officers. He afterwards told his son that the affair had blown over, which accounted for Bailey's failure to go at once to the police station. Mr. Meaher claimed that the alibi justifled Bailey's discharge.

MR. WEBB

moustache it is of the kind which Mrs. Stevens describes. Mr. Webb called at as much as black from white. A state- tified that he advised his son to go to the envelope bearing the Brockton postmark was dated October 5. This letter might moustache or rather his attempts to raise and learn what the charge was against have been written on the 5th and mailed on the 6th. Bailey had a friend right there in Brockton who could have mailed it for him.

in announcing his decision said that the respondent was charged with an offence greater than those in which this court could pass judgment as to the guilt or innocence of the accused. The fact that the offence was committed was not denied. Consequently the duty of the court was limited to the question of probable cause. If the defence set up was believed by a jury it would lead to the acquittal of the respondent, but the government having made out a prima facie case, the judge deemed it his duty to hold the respondent. scribed the Brattleboro stamps, until . Mr. Bailey did not succeed in securing

bail yesterday and Deputy Sterling

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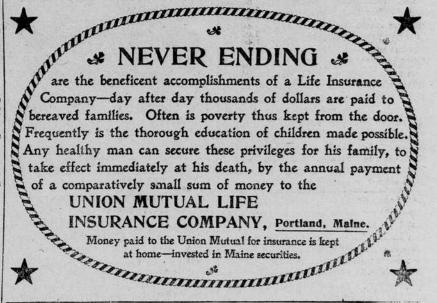
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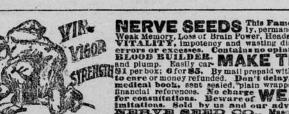
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The bank failures in the West are dis quieting, but there is this redeeming feature, that the assets in every case are large, nearly if not quite equal to the liabilities, and that the trouble has arisen chiefly from difficulty in making collections promptly.

The official figures reduce the popular majority for McKinley considerably felow what it was expected it would be immediately after election. Over all other candidates his majority is but 274,597. The vote for Palmer and Buckher was only 132, 507.

The New York Evening Post, which is hot an admirer of Mr. Platt, save he will be elected Senator by a practically unanimous vote. The campaign for Choate seems to be waged with no shope or expectation of electing him, but simply as a convenient cover for an [assault upon Platt.

A city charter is a public affair and reasons for supporting it or opposing it ought to be given to the public. For that reason we are inclined to view with iavor the suggestion of a public meeting at which everybody who cares to may express his sentiments in regard to the proposed charter.

Both the Spanish and Cuban news mills seem to have shut down. No great battles, no dynamite explosions, no assassinations for almost a week. The factories are not permanently shut down however. They will start up soon, we may be certain, and grind out their accustomed grist of fables.

Tammany Hall has split in two, Henry D. Purroy having revolted against the dictatorship of Sheehan, and with a large number of followers set up a new Tammany Hall. The people can look with great complacency on rebellion in this body, for the more it breaks to pieces the less potent it will be for mischief.

The story that Spain had been sounding the European government with a view of finding out what their attitude would be in case of interference by the United States in Cuba seems to have been the product of somebody's imagination. Spain is said to be perfectly satisfied with the attitude of Mr. Cleveland. and believes that there will be no interference while he is President.

Spain has often promised the Cubans reforms as an inducement to keep the peace. But these reforms have never been forthcoming after the purpose in offering them had been accomplished. It is not to be expected therefore that the Cubans will take much stock in the latest reported intention of Spain to introduce reforms in Pinar del Rio and Matanzas that will give the Cubans control of their local affairs, especially of their tariff. They will look at it as another promise made only to be broken when it has accomplished its purpose of pacifying the island and will reject it unless it has behind it the guarantee of some nation whose honor is a good deal more sacred than Spain's.

One change in the tariff which the ways and means committee will certainly make is to substitute specific for advalorem duties. There is no question but the present tariff law would yield a far better results today were it not for the fact that the ad valorem instead of the specific system prevails in it. Undoubtedly the government has lost a great many thousands of dollars in revenue owing to gross undervaluations, and that the American manufacturer has not received the protection which he would have received had specific duties been provided for, The Republican members of Congress contended, when the ad valorem system was adopted, that the change would result in gross fraud and the cheating of the government, DR. A. T. SANDEN, 826 Broadway, New York.

under way. Spain's last loan is about used up, and the prospect of getting any nore money is decidedly gloomy unless

Probably the province of Quebec is on of the most priest ridden localities in the world, but there are abundant signs that there is a limit to church dictation there even. The clergy of Quebec almost solid ly opposed the Liberals in the last election, yet the Liberals made their most notable gains in this province; and now the attempts of the Bishops to forbid the reading of a French newspaper because it has stirred up a revolt which may be far miles south of Jerusalem. supremacy of the state in state affairs reaching in the results.

Lewiston is discussing the advisability of revising its city charter and introducing modern business methods. The Board of Trade has been considering the matter and the trend of its discussion, according to the Journal "was towards a consolidation of the two branches of the city government, the amplification of the power of the Mayor and the uprooting of the spoils system in municipal er first insertion, and fifty cents per square for Portland's proposed charter, and goes to the drift of the most modern thought was toward less machinery in municipal affairs, and more concentration of power and consequently of responsibility. But old systems die hard, and to accomplish the improvement of municipal methods entire in Portland or in Lewiston will

require earnest work and continued agitation. The people generally go right when they are thoroughly awakened but frequently it is hard to rouse them.

IN THE OCEAN'S DEPTHS.

The Enormous Pressure Exerted by the Water in the Deepest Places.

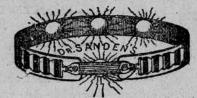
(From the Nineteenth Century.)

The temperature at the bottom of the cosan is nearly down to freezing point, and sometimes actually below it. There is a total absence of light, as far as sunlight is concerned, and there is an enormous pressure, reckoned at about one ton to the square inch in every 1,000 fathoms which is 160 times greater than that of the atmosphere we live [in. At 2,500 I fathoms the pressure is thirty times more powerful than the steam pressure of a locomotive when drawing a train. As late as 1850 a leading zoologist explained the existence of deep-sea animals at such depths by assuming that their bodies were composed of solids and liquids of the composed of solids and liqui were composed of solids and liquids of great density, and contained no air. This, however, is not the case with deepsea fish, which are provided with air-in flated swimming bladders. If one of these fish, in full chase after its prey, happens to ascend beyond a certain level, its bladder becomes distended with the decreased pressure, and carried in spite

its bladder becomes distended with the decreased pressure, and carried in spite of all its efforts, still higher in its contes. In fact, members of this unfortunate class are liable to become victims to the unusual accident of falling upward, and no doubt meet with a violent death soon after leaving their accustomed level, and long before their hodies reach the surface in a distorted and unnatural state. Even ground sharks, brought up from a depth of no more than 500 fathoms, expire before they gain the surface. The fauns of the deep see—with a few exceptions hitherto only known as lossils—are new and specially modified forms of families and general inhabiting shallow waters in modern times, and have been driven down to the depths of the battle of life, much as the ancient Britons were compelled fto withdraw to the barren and inaccessible fastnesses of Wales. Some of their organs have undergone considerable modification in correspondence to the changed conditions of their her hands to be a support of their her hands and the surface there. After 1,000 fathoms their eyes have generally become enlarged, to make the best-for the faint light which may possibly penetrate there. After 1,000 fathoms there exceed they disappear sitogether and are replaced by enormously long feelers. The only light at great depths which would enable large eyes to be of any service is the phosphorescence of deep-sea animals.

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and experience has shown the correctness of their position.

There is probably some truth in the rumor that Spain is seeking some agreement with us concerning Cuba, though the danger that the hot headed Spanish populace might make it very uncomfortable for the ministry if they found it out, has compelled Senor Canovas to carry on his negotiations with great secrecy, and to deny even that any are under way. Spain's last loan is about

CHRISTMAS IN BETHLEHEM.

in some way the rebels can be pacified. | How the Anniversary of the Birth is Cele brated At the Birthplace

(Chicago News.) There is not one person in 10,000 who knows how the Christmas holiday is kept in Bethlehem, the city most closely connected with the day, Bethlehem of this time has 8,000 inhabitants and is not at tractive in appearance, as the streets are too narrow for vehicles. Only donkeys has published an article upholding the the narrow allers. The town is but five and camels and foot passengers traverse

There is a splendid road between Jerusalem and Bethlehem and the drivers take one over the ground at a furious speed. Of course, the city is larger and better built than in the time of Christ, but otherwise has not changed very es sentially. The great Church of Nativity and some of the larger buildings doubtless stood at the time of hi birth. At Christmas every one visits the Field of the Shepherds, a mile away from the church, which is reputed to be the office." This is directly in line with place where the shepherds tended their flocks. Back at the pig church a process corroborate what we said yesterday that ion of bishops, priests and people, forms in the square before the edifice, each man dressed in his most gorgeous robes. Turkish soldiers line both sides of the streets to clear the way for the procession. The Latin patriarch of Jerusalem arrives, is met by the procession carrying banners and immense candles and all go into the Latin chapel through the mair require earnest work and continued

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#### The Nordica Concert.

Portland theatre has not held a more musical or more critical audience for a long time than that which assembled there last evening. It was an audience by no means confined to our own citizens, but included many from other appreciative audience as well.

was not applicable. What a command- table many a cheerless home for the New ing and attractive stage presence she has. Year. Her superb costume of white brocade, fica was in excellent voice. She sang pleasingly rendered: with great fervor, and she was exceed-ingly generous in the matter of encores. Selection, A Although she was down on the programme for only three numbers, she sang Selection, s half dozen times. She afforded an opportunity to hear her in almost all styles of music from Wagner to the simple balSelection, lad. Her first number was the brilliant Reading, aria from Franz Eikel's opera "St. Erzebeth," that she sang at the Worcester fostival last September and which has rarely been heard in this country. It is a remarkable dramatic composition, and displays the voice most effectively. It is tinged with the folk music of Hungary and its wild, irregular melody is Fricks," and "When Love Is Kind."

have found it worth many dollars to summary: them if they had heard her magnificent rendering of "Ah Rendini," a song of Rossi's, in which the wondrous power Merry. and volume, and technical skill of the great singer's voice were thoroughly displayed. And so with the great aria from the Bugnenots, "Nobill Signor." Not only was the page's song given perfectly, but the skill of the actress, was plainly shown all through it. She responded to the hearty encores of both her num-

Barron Berthold has a robust tenor voice and a great deal of musical expression. He is better in dramatic music than in lyric. Those who have beard Brignoli in the air from "La Forza de Destine." or Rayette in the Duke's song from "Rigoletto," will never forget those silvery tones that will haunt their memory to the last. But Mr. Berthold sings with so much life that he captivates his audience. And this same vim, if we may use the word, the baritone, Mr. voice is of excellent compass and flexibility. He gave Handel's "Honor and Arms," in true oratorio style, and Menhistonheles's song from "Faust" with nower and intelligence. Perhaps. however, his randeirng of "Off for Philadelpia in the Morning" pleased as much as anything for the admirable coloring perials and Crescents. he gave to the popular ballad.

The concert closed with a brilliant rendering of the great quartette from "Rigolatto." and the audience reluctantly left the hall. Mr. Isadore Luckstone. who is an admirable pianist, and who was warmly applauded from his capital performance of Liszt's "Sixth Rhapsody." played the accompainments of the evening most satisfactorily.

After the concert Mme. | Nordica re ceived many of those in the audience who called to pay the rrespects. Thos. Q. Seabrooke.

Mr. Broadhurst has written many happy expressions for Thomas Q. Seabrooke in the play of "The Speculator." None are more apropos of the character of the men than when he exclaims, "I'm short on grammar, but long on earth." During his youth his time was occupied in earning a living which left but little chance for attending school, but still the kindliness of heart and love for his family are all there, and it is in the portray al of these qualities that Mr. Seabrooke rises to the most convincing and moving heights, and is genuine beyond expres sion. Not even in the comedy situations of the piece is he ever artificial, and he gives to the role a finish and cleverness in light and shade that renders it most interesting. At Portland Theatre, January 1st and 2rd this fine attraction will

be enjoyed.

#### SANTA ON WHEELS.

St. Nick Reaches Williston Church on a Bike.

He Said It Was on Account of Lack of

cities, who had availed themselves of last night, by riding boldly down the were too strong to be resisted, and they

the great musical centres such prizes are more apt to pertain to opera than concert. If the managers had made an admission of \$1—and we do not recall an instance before when the managers of Mme. Nordica, Mme. Melba, Mme. St. 50 with an admission of \$1.50 with a people of \$1.50 with a people of \$1.50 with an admission of \$1.50 with a people of \$1.50 wit asked more than \$1.50, with an admis- for the poor, and they have been making legal mill grind out "justice for two" sion of a dollar—they would doubtless to this end for sometime, and last evehave had a crowded house and a most ning witnessed the happy fruits of their labors. After a most entertaining pro-But what a delightful concert it was. gramme, the classes came forward at the The audience greeted Mms. Nordica most call of Superintendent Morton and deenthusiastically; they called her out posited their gifts on the platform. again and again; they presented her Many of the classes were in unique cossuperb bouquet, and in a most demon- tume and the effect as they passed their strative manner showed their delight gifts up to Santa Ciaus, who was waitand pleasure at seeing and listening to ing to receive them was beautiful. When her ence again. It has been said that the 24 classes had all been called the "a prophet is without honor in his own plaftorm was fairly groaning with the country." In the case of Mme. Nordica good things of food and raiment that and her audience last night, the old saw will go far to make bright and comfor-

Rev. Mr. Pratt in his brief remaks at with tulips embroidered thereon, and the close of the service alluded feelingly lids Home and Home for Friendless Doig, wife of Dr. John Doig of Bathyate turned out with cherry, was exceedingly to the real joy of such a tree. Christ- Boys. The party numbered over 200 modish, and she were a wealth of dia- mas spirit and the radiant faces of the and there were forty-eight tables of On her head was the magnifi- children showed that they had caught cent tiara presented by a number of New the real inspiration of the Chirstmastide. the Falmouth were specially decorated paper published in Victoria, Australia. York friends the last season. Mme. Nor- The following programme was most

> Mandolin and Guitar Club Winslow Hutchinson Miss Plummer Mandelin and Guitar Club Recitation Vira Peters Mrs. Sparrow Miss Haves Mandolin and Guitar Club Mrs. Sparrow Song,

PORTLAND BOWLING LEAGUE.

Camp Columbia Won Its Second Consecu tive Game, Defeating the Waverleys.

Last night's game at Pine's alleys was quaint and impressive. The opera was duly celebrated by the team of Camp first produced in Pesth in 1857, and Columbia, which won its second confounded on the story of St. Erzebeth of secutive game in the bowling tourna-Bungary, 1207-1231, canonized by Gregment. A big figure two, large erough ory I., for the charitable deeds that she to express the team's jubilation of its performed. The aria is in two parts, the victory adorns the board on which the first representing Erzebeth as mourn- league games are scheduled and such ing for her children from whom she has yelling and defening applause as greetbeen separated, and the second rejoicing ed Camp Columbia's players when the at the prospect of being reunited to result of the contest was made known, them. The cloring of the aria, as given was the best of evidence of this team's by the magnificent voice of Mme, Nor- popularity. As a matter of fact Camp dica, was simply grand. For her second Columbia has improved wonderfully in number the prima donna sang the great bowling lately and although they now aira "Dich theure halle," from Tann- bring up in the tail end of the proceshauser, in fine style. For encores she sion, they are determined to end up near charmed with Becker's "Spring Song." the top when the tournament is over. a delightful cradlo son, "Where the Bee As an example of their improvement the score of Merry last night is pointed out i There is evidently no small jealonsy with pride. Merry's total in three strings in Mme. Nordica's disposition, for she of 812 is the best made so far in the brought with her the great contralto tournament, and Camp Columbia feels Sophia Scalchi. Musical students would justly proud of the achievement. The

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The highest string ever made in Pine's Dempsy displayed in great degree. His alleys and so far as known the state record with candle pins was rolled on December 29, by Driscoll, a memter of the Catholic Literary Society's team. The score was 144 and will probably remain untouched for some time.

The next game in the tournament will be played on January 2 between the Im-

Portland Council, No. 1, A. P. A.

The Portland council had a clam supper at their council chamber last evening. There was a large attendance. The installation of officers will occur at the next meeting when there will be another

supper free to all members. The action of the Roman Catholic bishops in Montreal as reported in the press despatches of Wednesday was the subject of remark. The question was asked when will the people resent with indignation the same kind of proscription now constantly practiced in the United

## The Sheridan's Ball.

City Hall should be crowded on the evening of Jan. 5th, the date of the concert, drill and ball of the Sheridan Rifles. They are a most deserving company and should be well patronized by our dance

States?

STOLE A LAUNDRY BUNDLE.

Durance Vile.

Edward O. Plowman and William S. Prof. W. R. Chapman of the Mai Christmas eve and saw a bundle of laun- ning and called on Mme. Nordica. Snow-The Blessedness of Giving the dry on the steps of Z. F. Little's house at 96 Park streat. Visions of Christmas following letter which will be read wit Old St. Nicholas defied all tradition presents apparently thrust upon them interest by Maine people; cities. who had availed themselves of the opportunity afforded them to hear Maine's great singer. It was not as large as it would have been if the tickets had been less expensive, for \$2.50 and \$2 for admission to a concert are prices that Maine people cannot afford. Even in the great musical centres such prizes are than concert. If the managers had made an advanced them to hear advanced them to hear asile of Williston church on a bike. He explained the innovation by saying there was too little snow for his sleigh and reindeers.

The occasion was the "Gift Christmas," of the Sunday school. Acting on the dectrine that "it is more blessed to give than receive," the people of Williston explained the innovation by saying there was too "good a thing" to keep. One of the culpirts told "another feller" and the culpirts told another of feller," "another feller" told still another, he told a fellow boarder who told the driver of a laundry wagon, who told the driver of the dectrine that "it is more blessed to give than receive," the people of Williston explained the innovation by saying there was too "good a thing" to keep. One of the culpirts told "another feller" another feller" told still another, he told a fellow boarder who told the driver of a laundry wagon, who told the driver of the Globe laundry team, who told the deputy which time I shall not sing again in my native state.

Mr. Little is recovering his laundry in sections.

FOR SWEET CHARITY.

Brilliant Whist Party nt the Falmouth Last Evening.

Progressive whist for sweet charity's sake was the order of the evening at the Falmouth Hotel, last evening, when one of the most brilliant company's of the season assembled to play whist for charity, each player paying for the priveledge and the proceeds going players. The handsome parlors of flowers and plants and the brilliant costractive scene. There were eight prizes in all; 4 each, for ladies and gentlemen.

The announcement of the solution of the mystery that the unknown was one of Portland's popular young ladies who had taken the part of a gentleman, to make up an even number.

The committee are under great obligation to Mr. J. K. Martin of the Falnoute, who put the house and attaches at their service free of expense. A handsome sum will be realized for the charities and the first "Charity Whist Party" held in Portland must be recorded a distinct success

FLOATING ABOUT THE HARBOR.

Items of Interest and Otherwise Picked Up Along Shore.

The schooner William Cobb has finished repairs and is now ready for sea. The Cobb came in here a week or more ago, having carried away her mizzenmast.

The United States government buoy steamer Lilac was at work in the harbor yesterday taking up the buoys and replacing them with winter spar buoys. The bell buoy off the Bug Light, and the fair way buoy in the ship channel were taken up.

The only lobster arrival vesterday was the Hermann Reesing with 4200 lobsters. There were no fish arrivals.

The Laurentian will sail tomorrow with a big cargo and will take along a good sized passenger list.

The schooner Northern Light, bound ver. Ingalls has since di his bidy has been sent to Harrington.

The steamer St. Croix of the International line, recently made the trip from Portland to Quebec in twelve hours and fifty-six minutes, taking a big cargo and a large passenger list.

The schooner William Jones is discharging coal at Randall & McAllister's wharf.

The schooner Melissa A. Willey is discharging a cargo of hard pine at the Grand Trunk wharf.

The brig Henry B. Cleaves is discharging coal at Sargent & Dennison's. The schooner Nellie F. Sawver w!ll

discharge her cargo of coal at Spear's wharf. South Portland. The schooner Alice Morgan while off the Cane the same morning that the

Carter vessel went ashore, lost her fore topmast. She sighted the Carter. The time consumed in the voyage the four masted schooner William R. Palmer from Hampton Roads to

Autwerp, Belgium was twenty-seven days. The Palmer left Portland November 3rd for Baltimore to receive her cargo. The famous Sewall ship Solitaire of

of her predecessors From now hence the Solitaire will be utilized as a coal barge by her owner, Lewis Luckenbach, of 129 Broad street, New York.

The schooner Modoc, Lindsey, arrived at New Haven yesterday in a badly crippled condition. She left Bangor early in December with a cargo of lumber for Stonington and New Haven. After leaving to Stonington she was obliged to return three times on account of head winds and heavy seas, losing forerigging, head care and many seas and heavy seas, losing forerigging, head care and many seas and head seas and heavy seas, losing forerigging, head care and many a fail.

The football games between the Texas and Missouri University elevens, which took place Sunday and Tuesday were well attended. Yesterday's game resulted in a draw. The Mexican papers say that football is too rough and brutal a game to come in favor in the City of Mexico.

NORDICA ON MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

And As a Consequence Are Now in Great Singer Gives It Her Cordial Endorse- Well Known and Aged People Who Have ment.

Conley were going down Park street on Musical Festival was in the city last eve-Before leaving the lady gave him th Portland, December 80, 1896.

pressed with the importance of this great movement by the fact that you are will-ing to give your valuable time thereto in the great hope of rousing them to a sense of their musical duty. With cordial hopes of your success in this great undertaking. LILLIAN NORDICA DOME.

USED TO LIVE IN PORTLAND.

Looking for Heirs of John Baird Who Left 90,000 Pounds.

John Marshall, solicitor of No. 7 Union street, Boness, Sootland, has written a letter to "The Town Clerk, Portland, Me., U. S. A." Mr. Marshall says he worthy charities, The Inva. has been consulted by Mrs. Margaret in the county of Linlithgon with reference to a paragraph that appeared in the Kyneton Guardian of September 12th, a for the occassion with a profusion of In reference to this paragraph Mr. Marshall says Mrs. Doig stands in the same tumes of the guests presented a most at- relation to Baird as Alexander Hardei, Baird was a grand-uncle, not uncle, as stated in the paragraph of both Alexander Hardie and Mrs. Doig.

The father of Baird, John Baird distiller, was born at Muirhouse farm, parish of Boness, Scotland, about the end of the last century, left that country for America and settled in Portland. He died March 6th, 1848, survived by the son John, who is the one probably to who the fortune was left. John Baird, the son, wrote a letter from Gorham, near Whist Portland, to his aunt-his father''s sister-in-law-at Boness, March 28rd, 1848, intimating the death of his father. In his letter John Pard, the son, states he has three in his family and it will therefore appear that they all predeceased him. Besides Mrs. Doig, Mr. John Pard, inspector of the poor at Boness, is in the same relation to John Baird as Alexander Hardie. Mr. Marshall asks of our Portland city clerk all the information he car give him.

The paragraph in the Australian paper says that Mr. Alexander Hardie of Cheny, near Vynetor, has received from his brother, Mr. Peter Hardie of Geelong, a communication directing his attention to a notice of a next to kin which was published in 1893, requiring claimants of a fortune of 90,000 pounds left in America by a man named Baird, who appears to be identical with an uncle on his mother's side of Mr. Alexander Hardie Baird was a distiller in Scotland, but left for America many years ago. He had two sisters, both of whom are dead, from Boston for Harrington put into and as Baird has died intestate his Bar Harbor last week and landed Lincoln property, if full claim is established will Ingalls, a passenger who was ill with accrue to the Hardie family of whom and there are three, Peter, Alexander and a sister. If necessary, one of the brothers. Hardie, will proceed to America to sustain the claim.

## BRIEFLY TOLD.

The North German Gazette, a semi-official journal, confirms the statement that Germany refuses to accept the new-ly appointed Chinese ambassador. The refusal, the Gazette says, is based upon personal and essential reasons.

A despatch from Alexandria says a vessel flying the Franch flag which recently passed that port, ostensibly for China, did not go through the Suez canal, but turned northward, inducing the belief that the intention of those on board was to smuggle arms into the island of Orete for use of the Cretan insurgents. surgents.

A reconciliation between King Alexander of Servia and his father, ex-King Milan, has been effected and ex-King Milan, has been effected and ex-King Milan will shortly return to Belgrade to reside. The coming of Milan to Belgrade to reside. The coming of Milan to Belgrade will cause ex-Queen Natalie, the wife of the ex-king and mother of King Alexander, to depart from the capital, the relations of the royal couple not being of a friendly nature.

He recovered from his terrible agonies and since the war has always received a pension from the government in recognition of his valuable services.

Mr. Tibbetts left a wife and one son and a host of friends to mourn his death.

New Year's Reception. ing of a friendly nature.

Herring are abundant in Placentia and along the west coast of New Foundland. Bath, was dismasted a few months ago on the coast, while on her way to San Francisco. She was brought back to New York and has now met the fate of many of the west coast of New Foundament. Thirty American schoolers are loading of Placentia and eleven have sailed for Gloucester with full loads. The oold weather of the past fortnight aids greatly in freezing the herring.

James G. Mullins, captain of the Jackson Light Infantry, Co. E, fourth Virginia regiment, was found dead beneath the window of his room in the back yard of the Gladstone hotel in Norfolk, Va., Tuesday. A coroner's jury returned a verdict that the deceased came to his death by a fall.

headgear and mainmast; she will repair at New Haven.

The new steamer John Englis is in New York and will sail for Portland in a day or two.

The schooner Seth M. Todd, Captain

William A. Roberts is out of town. The paper was issued as part of the city of Mexico.

Five compositors in the Biddeford Times office left work Wednesday afternoon, their grievance being that four and a half weeks' wages are due them. They have retained counsel and will place an attachment on the plant. Proprietor william A. Roberts is out of town. The

The schooner Seth M. Todd, Captain Johnson, came in late Monday night with jib and mainsail torn.

Captain Johnson reported that he encountered very bad weather. After eav.

PORTLAND NECROLOGY.

Died During the Past Year.

Following is a list of well known and aged Portland people who have died during the year 1896:

Age.

5, Henry Dyer. 9, Wm. Sylvester. 0, John Hellier, Benj. A. Legrow.
Timothy J. Looney,
John Bradford,
Nancy Howard Freeman,
W. H. H. Hatch, 68 85 94 83 Charles M. Tobie, Charles H. Dyer, Elizabeth S. Ingraham, Rufus Deering, Isaac H. McDontld, 77 70 Clarissa Howard French, Elizabeth Ludwig, 90 79 74 84 7, Benj. S. True, 8, Lydia Libby, 12, John V. Bradley, 13, Oren Ring, 17, Gardner Ludwig, 71 79 83 63 46 Wm. M. Hanson, Wm. Sweat, Edward H. Thomas 83 George W. Patch, John Q. Twitchell 57 41 67 86 March, 3, V. Richard Foss, George S. Hunt, Wm. J. Jones, Andrew Mulnix, Joshua Thornton. Benj. T. Holden, Kervin W. Starbird,

20, George W. True, 21, William A. Goodwin, 23, George Hall, 25, Mark L. Hill, 29, Zilphar W. Barker, April, 2, Jermiah B. Johnson, Charles G. Snell, Andrew W. Thompson, James Hawley, Hannah M. Bradford, Eben H. Small. Madison W. Ripley, William F. Spear, Margaret W. Moses, John F. Kelsey, Francis K. Swan, Nathan C. Cummings, George P. Barrett, Darius Dinsmore, Mary C. Fox, John M. Richardson,

Joseph B. Adie, John Brook, Benjamin F. Whidden, Marshall McDonald. John E. Jacobs, Joseph G. Colley, David B. Johnson, Levi A. Gray, Willam C. How, 3, Micajah C. Strout. 77
5, William Morton, 76
6, Charles H. Pike, 76
15, Daniel Pettingill, 86
18, Fredrick Nicholls Crouch, 88 Joseph B. Lang, Annah M. Bacon, Charles D. Barrett. 60, Joseph Thompson, 4, Mary W. Bateman, 3, Zenas R. Farrington,

66 75

97 15, James K. Whiting, 16, Bethiah S. Staples, 19, Chas. H. Skillings, 22. Richard W. Underwood, 41 Joseph J. Harris, Jane Winslow Webber, Joseph T. Emery, Fredrick O. Tukey, Jonathan F. Wheeler, 82 84 86 84 88 63 64 58 74 93 69 80 59 82 64 Samuel Butterfield. Jane Thornton Burns, Marv K. Hooper, Lydia H. B. Coe, Wm. A. Libby, Nov. 10, Henry Chase, 12, Royal R. Burnham, 14, Julia A. Chase, Thomas A. Foster, Edwin Sawyer, Joseph H. Littlejohn, 2I. Wm. Bartlett, 28, Thaddeus B. Hawley,

## Death of Sace Veteran.

Saco, Dec. 30.-Shaldron Tibbetts. aged 48, a prominent citizen of this city and a veteran of the late war died here tonight. He was a private in the 16th Maine Regiment and distinguished himself by gallant service at the battle of Gettysburg. During the second day in this engagement Mr. Tibbetts volunteered to drive an ammunition wagon across a field which was exposed to a heavy fire, to supply a battery. The service was so dangerous that few men would have cared to have undertaken it. When half way across the field a shell exploded under the ammunition wagon and Mr. Tibbetts was blown 75 feet in the air and rendered totally deaf.

The Y. M. C. A. will hold "open house" New Year's afternoon and evening. A general invitation is extended to all citizeus, both ladies and gentlemen, to attend. A musical programme has been arranged and refreshments will be served.

Bishop and Mrs. Neely entertained the members of St. Luke's choir at their residence last night. A most delightful evening was enjoyed by all present.

Mt. Vernon Man Lost.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., December 30. --Arthur H. Darling, aged 35, one of the largest builders in this city, disappeared from home here December 21st. Nothing has been heard of him since. He had many heavy contracts under way in many heavy contracts under way it Westohester, Wakefield and this city. I is said that his liabilities on these wil reach a million dollars. His assets wil not average five per cent on that amount. Darling came here from Boston about a year ago.

MARRIAGES.

Captain Johnson reported that he encountered very bad weather. After eaving New York the wind was favorable at first but soon veered about, and the weather was very rough. The schooner ter building will be opened for the inspection of the public today from 2 p. m. to 10 p. m.

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Wm. S. Robinson company of East Pearl Street, Fairhaven, Conn. Loss \$30,000.

Washington special to the New York Mashington special to the New York Miss Maud J. Naugler, aged 35, living at 7 Madison street, Somerville, was street with Miss Maud J. Naugler, ag

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And announces that it will open the Business Year 1897 by a Friday and Saturday Sale of Manufacturer's Samples Saranae Buck Gloves and Mittens.

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Five hundred and thirty-four pair. The Samples (and so the best) that the travelling salesmen have been selling this year's product by. Some have the price marked in ink on the inside of the thumb, and

Fine dress Dog Skin Gloves patent clasp. Reinder and Mocha Gloves. Jack Buck (grain taken off). Saranac Buck Mittens. Cloth tops and

O YOU KNOW THE TEX- 79c. TURE and make of the "Saranac Gloves"? Longfellow did, for listen.

"He killed the noble Mudiokevis,
Of the skin made Gloves and Mittens;
Made them with the fur side inside,
Made them with the grain side, outside.
He, to make the warm side, inside:
Put the inside, flesh side, outside,
He to make the cold side, outside,
He to make the cold side, outside,
That's why he made the cold side, outside.
Why he made the fur side, inside,
Why he turned them inside, outside.
'Saranac' he called the mittens.
Best of all, these Gloves and Mittens."

See them in the corner window.

WENTY STYLES, maybe thirty in this Five hundred pair lot. Gloves (and mittens) for Teamsters, for motormen, for Gentlemen's driving, for Street and for Dress. See them in the corner window.

Calf skin, Saranac Buck Gloves and Mittens. Some of the Gloves have T wool wrists. Some are all leather. Some of the Mittens have cloth backs, others are all leather. Also Shrunk Wool Mittens.

Regular price 50c and 59c. Spec-25c al Sale price See windowful of them,

Dress Kid Gloves, Patent Snap-clap. Saranae Buck Glove and Mitten. Some have wool wrists. 59c. \$1.00 and 75c kind. Special Sale

Window show of them.

Finest Reindeer skin and mocha. handsomely dressed, patent fastening, Fine'glace surface Gloves. extra grade Buck Gloves and Mittens, lined and unlined Gauntlets. The Porter fastening on the heavier kind. Patent snaps on the lighter. \$1.75 and \$1.50 quality.

\$1.25 and \$1.00 goods. Special

See them in our Congress St. window.

Sale price

Special Sale Price, \$1.00 Corner window show of these Gloves. \$2.00 Saranae Buck. Jack Buck, Dog skin Gloves and Mit-tens. Same have Spanish wool linings, Fur Tops, Porter fasten-ings or elastics.

\$3.00 and \$3.25 kind. Special Sale Price,

This is the Bargainest Glove Sale we have ever held.

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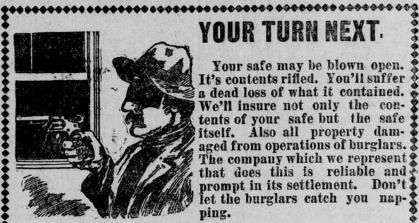
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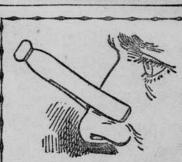
low. In Waterville, Dec. 24, John R. Pollard of Winslow and Miss Mattle A. Davis of Skow-

In Brunswick, Dec. 6, Simeon E. Brigham and Miss Caroline F. Hanson, both of Harpswell.

In New Gloucester, Dec. 25, Eugene M. Haskell and Miss Annie M. Traey.

In Waterville, Dec. 24, Geo. H. Woodman of Cornville and Miss Victoria A. Byers of Winslew. aged 74 years.
In Cranberry Isles, Capt. Joseph Bunker.
In Lovell Centre, Dec. 19, Hosea H. Sawyer

aged 66 years. In Arrowsic, Dec. 10, Mrs. Juliette McKinney aged 50 years.
In Norway, Dec. 21, Mrs. Helen C. Stone; aged 76 years 6 months.
In South Paris, Dec. 22, Mrs. Esther Howe Putnam, of South Bristol, aged 64 years and 6 months. In Jay Dec. 7, Moses F. Knowles, aged 71 In Brooklin, Dec. 17, Mrs. Dorothy Parker, aged 83 years.
In Kennebunk, Dec. 19, George F. Water-house, aged 66 years.
In Canaan, Dec. 20, Charles Lewis, aged 49 years. In Parkman, Dec. 20, Mrs. Lizzie Briggs, aged 70 years.



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upon to make payment to CLARENCE W. PEABODY, Adm'r. Pertland, Dec. 15, 1896.

MAINE TOWNS.

Items of Interest Gathered by PRESS Correspondents.

PARSONSFIELD.

Parsonsfield, Dec. 80. Miss Etta Burnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Burnell, of East Parsonfield, and Mr. Fred Henderson of Gorham, Maine, were married at the home of the bride, Sunday, Dec. 27. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. L. Howard of Limerick, Maine. The couple were the recipients of many costly presents from friends in New York, and also from friends in Maine. After the wedding dinner was served to a large number of friends, the couple left for their home in Gorham. They have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Mrs. Jennie Saddler, of Cornish, who is in very poor health, is passing the winter in the family of Rev. Silas Cart-

and. Mr. Fred Burnell, of Chatham, N. H., passed a few days at home last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bur-

Mr. Albert C. Nason, a native of East Baldwin, is in this place in search of

The funeral of Mrs. Marshall Towle, The funeral of Mrs. Marshall Towle, which occurred at her home in this village Wednesday, Dec. 23, was largely attended. The services were conducted by Elder Howard, of Limerick. The music furnished by the Limetick choir was both fine and appropriate. Mrs. Towle was a lady highly respected by all who knew her, and will be greatly missed, more especially by the husband and two small children, whom she leaves to mourn their great loss.

Springvale, Dec. 29. Christmas passed here very pleasantly. There were about the usual number of Christmas trees, if not the usual number of costly presents. The Baptist Sunday school had theirs Thursday evening, and the Free Baptists

Thursday evening, and the Free Baptists theirs Friday evening.

Last hursday afternoon, as Dr. I. C. Sawyer was returning home from Sanford village, one of his carriage wheels struck in a hole with such force as to break the fastenings from the shaft, and throw him out on the frazen ground, bruising his head and face badly. He managed to get to the nearest house, where his wounds were dressed, and he was carried home. He is now doing well. public are cordially invited.

well.

Rev. Mr. Willand, pastor of the Advent church, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday, and will go to Somersworth this week, where he has recently bought a house. His removal will be not only a loss to the church, but to the community. He has done a good work during the months he has been here. He was an able and effective preacher, and he and his wife endeared themselves to all who made their acquaintence.

Our people are feeling encouraged by the prospect of a revival of business here. It seems now that the Meade Shoe Factory, which has so long been idle, is to

It seems now that the Meade Shoe Factory, which has so long been idle, is to start up again in the near future.

A barn belonging to the Baptist parsonage near Shapleigh Corner was burned, with all its contents, last Thursday evening. Rev. G. A. Chapman, the resident pastor, drove home with his team about dark and put it in the barn and saw no signs of fire; but at haif past five, while they were at supper, one of the nelghbors saw fire breaking through the roof. The alarm was given, but the the roof. The alarm was given, but the fire had made such progress that nothing could be saved A valuable horse, harnesses, top buggy, sleigh and robes, several tons of hay, three cords of wood and numerous other articles were hunned. It is not have the fire and numerous other articles were burned.. It is not known how the fire

Bristol, Dec. 30. Miss E. U. Yates is spending the holidays at her home at Round Pond on her vacation from studies at Hadeliffe College.

Mr. Arad Hatch, one of the oldest business men in town, died last week. He had carried on the business of undertaker or many years.

Bristol, Dec. 30. Miss E. U. Yates is single;
Prophet—C. P. Sawyer.
Sachem—J. W. McCubrey.
Junior Sagamora—F. B. Spear.
Junior Sagamora—F. B. Smith.
C. of R.—F. C. Barding.
K. of W.—A. B. Winslow.
Representative to Great Council.

health. gMr. Arad Fossett, at Pemaquid Fails, is having imporved machinery put in his mill for sawing long and short lumber.

## LIMERICK.

Limerick, Dee, 30. Both of our conurches had very interesting Christmas exercises, the Congregational on Thursday, and the Free Bapitst on Friday night. The pasters of both were pleasantly remembered, the Rev. Mr. Howard, of the latter church, receiving a purse of \$18.

Gapt. J. C. Thestrup left for Boston Monday morning to take command of his vessel, which is loading for the west coast of Africa, and will sail in about a week. His wife accompanied him to Hoston. He expects to be gone about a year.

Incis affairs have dropped into a rut and are running along without particular incident.

Over \$100,000 was paid out to depositors at the former bank yesterday, or through the National of America on its account.

At the Dime savings bank there was scarcely a ripple of excitement all day and its affairs appeared to have settled down to the ordinary plan. There were few rumors around town and the financial atmosphere cleared materially.

The Van Nortwick collapse has no disturbing influence on the local situation.

Casco, Dec. 30. Mr. Howard Elwell, of Mechanic Falls, was in town Tuesday and exchanged horses with S. H. Mann. Geo. L. Curtis and Son, our blacksmiths, have been driven with work the past week, owing to the joy roads. Dana Hamlin, the now stage driver, is making himself popular by his courteous treatment of the patrons of his route.

## A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Consti prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle. 2625 Cottage Grove Ave.. Chicago, was all run down, sould not eat nor digest food, had a backache which nor digest food, had a backsone which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her stregth. Prices 50 cents and \$1.90. Get a Bottle at H. S. Goold's, Drug store, 577 Congress street, under Congress Square

Miss Blanche Leach, of the Gorham Normal School, spent Christmas with

Normal School, spent Christmas with her parents,
Mrs. Nellie Currier, of Bangor, who has been visiting friends here for several weeks, started Monday morning for Burnside, Conn., where she will spend the winter with her nephew, Dr. F. H. Mayberry. Miss Gerirude Cook accompanied her for a two weeks visit.

Edward W. Jepson commenced cutting ice last Monday to fill the ice houses at the Corn Factory and the Casco Creamery. The ice is taken from Pleasant Pond, and is 12 inches thick and of very nice quality. WEDDING IN EAST PARSONSFIELD

nice quality.

Last Sunday at 7 a. m. the thermome ter registered eight degrees below zero-the coldest for the winter. Miss Rilla Curtis has gone to Boston

#### DEERING.

to spend the winter.

A jolly family party of sixteen spent Christmas day with Mrs. S. S. Lowe, Central avenue. Many useful and beaupleasure enjoyed by all.

Mr. L. W. Sylvester of Beverly, Mass. Lowe, Central avenue, left Saturday for Pittsfield, Me.

Mrs. Knight from the Cape is passing the holidays with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Clark street.

Earnest Macloon from the State college with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turner, Smith street.

Mr. Walker from Vermont is home on a vacation. He will return after the holidavs. Miss Ida Dill. Clark street, will

winter with her aunt. The Deering Centre Whist club meets at Mrs. J. A. Lidback, Central avenue, next Saturday evening.

Frank Knight has returned to his business in Boston. There will be a boxing party at Good Templars' hall, Deering Centre next

The

## WESTBROOK.

Tuesday evening, January 5th.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Circle of Westbrook Commandery, U. O. G. C., was held at Mrs. Charles H. Leighton's, Tuesday afternoon, and the following officers were elected:

President-Mrs. Charles W. Carll. Vice-President-Mrs. Lucy B. Leigh-Secretary and Treasurer-Mrs. Wm. P.

Varnum.
Supper Committee—Mrs. Jane McClellan and Maude Pride.
Collector—Mrs. Etta Rome.
The first supper will be given in Golden Cross hall, January 14.
The following officers were elected by Cumberland Star lodge, No.366, L.O. I.:

W. M.—Rev. C. C. Phelan.
D. M.—Frank E. Maxwell.
F. of C. on L.—John Jess.
R. S.—Charles Madson.
Chap.—Thomas McAloney.
F. S.—Alton Achorn.
I. T.—Daniel Gray.
O. 1.—Fred S. Godfrey.
Trustee for three years—E.

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Mr. Frank G. Penney, owner of the summer property at Pemaquid Harbor called "D'Iberville," is having the wood and lumber out off the western portion, thus opening up a beautiful section.

Mr. Everett W. Garnage, one of the proprietors of the Summit House at South Bristol, was united in marriage one day last week to Miss Elizabeth S. Poole, of Pemaquid Falls.

Poole, of Pemaquid Falls.

Senator-elect Chamberlain and Representative to Great Council—Fair-field Grant, C. P. Sawyer.

Trustees—W. W. Cutler, H. H. B. Hawes.

A party of young ladies of this city took advantage of the closing days of this the last leap year for eight years, to entertain a company of young gentlemen. They entertained at the home of A party of young ladies of this city Fales. men. They entertained at the home of K. C. have elected and installed the fol-Miss Carrie M. Pratt, Church street. A lowing officers:

Poole, of Pemaquid Falls.

Senator-elect Chamberlain and Representative-elect Nason leave Monday to assume their duties at Augusta.

The question of a permanent High School in this town is being agitated. We learn that the school officers are all in favor of the project, and also reasy leading citizens. The school, if established, would be at the Town Hall, Bristol Mills, which could very easily be fitted for the purpose.

Mrs. D. R. Merton, who is so well known as the owner of the Morton House at Round Pond, is in very poor health.

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The Van Nortwick collapse has no disturbing influence on the local situation.

A Superior Wis., special says, that out of the 13 banks which were doing business at the present time.

In view of this fact the officials of the various banks are said to be interested in a plan to recognize and consolidate in one large institution with a capital stock of \$1,500,000, which will be able to command the business of the flour mills and elevators which now goes to Duluth. The city of Superior during the last 15 months lost unwards of \$200,000 in the failure of the city bank.

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Sofia, December 30. -The trial of Tufektchiefe, Atzoff and Georgieff, the alleged assassins of ex-Premier Stambuloff, which tchiefe, Atzoff and Georgieff, the alleged assassins of ex-Premier Stambuloff, which has been in progress here for several days, was ended today by the conviction of Tufektchiefe and Atzoff, and the acquittal of Georgieff. The convicted men were sentenced to three years' imprisonment each. The light sentences imposed upon the convicted men have caused no surprise in view of the unconcealed bias of the court in their favor.

by Ivanhoe lodge, R. of P.:

C. C.—E. P. Getchell.

W. of W.—J. F. Crockett.

K. R. S.—J. E. Warren.

M. of F.—J. P. Rockwell.

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M. at A.—Herbert Flies.

GI. G.—J. T. F. Rooney.

O. G.—S. H. Benson.

Wrecked by Tramps Raleigh, N. C., December 30.-An in-Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Baleigh, N. C., December 30.—An incoming freight train on the Sea Board Air Line was wrecked two miles west of here at 1.30 this morning. Four tramps here at 1.30 this morning. The second here at 1.30 this morning that Line was vecked two miles west of the transported here at 1.30 this morning transported here at 1.30 this morning transp



THRITY-FIVE MILES BY ELEC-TRICS.

A hearing was held in Bangor Tuesday by the railroad commissioners on the projected electric railroad from Bangor to Charleston and Exeter.

The Hon. Herbert M. Heath of Augusta represented Messrs. Libby, Gerald and Beal, who propose to build the trolley line. His only question was whether or not the company's application for a charter was proper, and whether the commissioners could grant such a tiful presents were exchanged and much charter. The company has paid in 5 per cent of the capital stock, in accordance with the law. He also spoke of the inwho has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. adequacy of the laws of Maine regarding the matter. According to the law, the two organizations now in the field could both place applications before the commissioners and locations could be granted to both of them. The length of the line is spending Christmas and New Years The capital stock is \$250,000. The name will be the Penobscot Central railroad.

There was a controversy over the terminal point, and the application was amended to state that the road would run from Banger through Glenburn, Kenduskeag, East Corinth, Charleston to Saturday to Massachusetts to spent the Exeter and Garland.

Gen. Henry L. Mitchell of Bangor opposed the granting of the application as his company, the Bangor, Hampden & Winterport Railway company, proposes to build to the same towns. The commissioners will decide the matter later. DEXTER AND NEWPORT STOCK.

The amounts as excise tax due cities and towns where stock of the Newport & Dexter railroad is owned is given below. For a number of years the stock was returned as valueless by the governor and council. It being found to be of value, the rate for distribution, according to a law passed at the last session of the legislature, is as follows, at 75 cents a share during the years 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890 and 1891: Augusts, \$84,075; Bath, \$564; Brunwsick, \$37.50; Corinna, \$142.50; Dexter, \$512.25; Fairfield, \$97.50; Jonesport, \$146.25; St. Albans, \$3.75; Dover, \$30; Bangor, \$581.25; Blanchard, \$00.75; Brooklin, \$675; Corinth, \$375; Exeter, \$246.75; New Gloncester, \$18.00; Portland, \$44; Waterville, \$30. The total amount paid is \$4,005.75, the appropriation having been \$5700.

Your Newspaper for the Coming Year The Portland Sunday Times may be obtained in connection with the PRESS for \$7.50 a year in advance, or for 65 ents a month, for both papers, by mail, or delivered by carrier in Portland South Portland or Deering.

Munjoy Lodge, K. of P. Munjoy Lodge, No. 6, K. of P., has lected the following officers:

C. C.-John C. Sherman. V. C.-Chas. M. Lawrence, V. C.—Chas. M. Lawrence,
P.—Chas. H. Flummer.
M. of W.—Ches. H. Freeman.
K. of K. and S.—Edward E. Crocker.
M. of E.—Geo. P. Morris.
M. at A.—Arthur I. Hamilton.
I. G.—Wm. H. Dwyer.
O. G.—David Y. Harris.
Rep. to P. H. A.—Henry S. Thrasher.
Trustee for 3 years—Arthur M. Sawyer.

Pers. to G. L.—A. M. Sawyer and P. H. Higgins. Alternates-G. W. Jones and M.

Pine Cone Division, No. 67, L, A. to O.

Pres.—Mrs. Geo. West.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. T. Jewell.
Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. W. Edgerly.
Sen. Sister—Mrs. L. Gould.
Jun. Sister—Mrs. F. King.
Guard—Mrs. C. Pratt.
Chairman Ex. Com.—Mrs. C. Quint.
Planist—Mrs. W. Hodgkin.

Longfellew Lodge Election. The following officers were elected at Longfellow lodge, No. 43, K. of P., for the ensuing term:

the ensuing term:

C. C.—Uriah Duncan.
V. C.—Fred B. Thompson.
P.—Wilbur Quint,
M. W.—George M. Hathaway.
K. of R. and S.—Charles E. Manter.
M. of F.—M. A. Floyd.
M. of E.—Frank L. Howe.
M. at A.—A. J. Canary.
I. G.—R. P. Hanson.
O. G.—W. B. Clark.
Representatives to Grand Lodge—W. G.
Chapman, C. E. Manter,
Alternates—Forest E. Libby, J. H.
Hutchins.

Ivanhoe Lodge, K. of P.

The following officers have been elected by Ivanhoe lodge, K. of P. :

It cures from head to foot.

Makes the Stomach Right.

WIT AND WISDOM



The Boy on the Ice—Say, Willie (boo hoo!), it's too bad yer broke in! But (boo hoo!) if yer don't git out kin I hev yer sled?-New York Journal.

That Catarrh Is a Local Affection

Odd Fellows in Farrington Block; possession given Jan. 1. Apply to H. T. WHIPPLE, 176 I-2 Middle street. decloeed2w of the nasal passages, is a fact established by physicians, and this authority should carry more weight than assertions of incompeten parties, that catarrh is a blood affection. Ely' Cream Balm is a local remedy, composed of harmless medicants and free of mercury or any injurious drug. It will cure catarrh was stated at 35 miles, standard gauge. Applied directly to the inflamed membrane it restores it to its healthy condition.

#### Pointing a Moral.

'I don't know," remarked Senator Sorghum, "when I was more impressed with the fact that there is frequently a valuable lesson to be drawn from the most trivial of committees on the drawn from the most trivial of the dollars. Apply at 160 Middle St., or of committees than I was at dinner the other day. One of the children got the wishbone."
"Oh, yes. One takes one end and anoth-

er takes the opposite, and the one who gets the longest is supposed to get his wish." "Exactly. And I took occasion then and there to impress upon their youthful minds how much in this life depends on having a good pull."-Washington Star.



The Home Made Cake known

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE CAKE,

and formerly sold by Geo. C. Shaw & Co., may

WM. MILLIKEN & CO., 584 Congress Street. MORRILL & ROSS,

671 Congress Street. Out of town orders filled and delivered orders. Each loaf bears the above trade-mark. decio



STREET. Opp. Baxter Block, Portland. Me.

Gold fillings, \$1.00 and up. Silver fillings, 50c to \$1.00. Cement, 50c to 75c.

Painless extracting by Ether, Gas and Local Anesthetics. Gold Crowns, \$5.00 house. Must be quick at figures and fair penman. Address, BOX 1587, Portland, Me. 29-1 Crown and Bridge work. Artificial Sets. \$5.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00. Thorough ad, skillful treatment of all dental diseases. Examinations and advice free. Office hours, 8 a. m to 12; 1 p. m. to 5. Appointments solicited by mail.

## HAIR CUTTING AND SINGEING, SHAMPOOING

MONEY TO LOAN—On personal property.
All communications confidential. JULIAN J. STEVENS, Attorney-at-Law, 88 1-2 Exchange St., Portland, Maine. Overdue claims
collected. 31-1 Treatment of the Hair a specialty. Private and Theatrical Wig Making at

AND DRESSING.

457 Congress Street. MONUMENT SQ. J. F. SHERRY.

#### F. B. GAGE. M.D. V., Veterinary Surgeon.

(Graduate of Harvard University.) Office-Whitman Sawyer Stable Co. Residence—United States Hotel. TELEPHONE 645-4.

Messenger's Notice.

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Office of the Sheriff of Cumberland County State of Maine Cumberland, ss. Dec. 23d. A. D. 1896.

THIS is to give notice, that on the 19th day of Dec. A. D. 1896, a warrant in Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of

ALEXANDER B. SPRAGUE, of Portland, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on petition of said Debtor, which petition was filed on the 19th day of Dec. A. D. 1896, to which date interest on claims is to be computed.

That the payment of any debts to or by said Debtor, and the transfer and delivery of any property by him are forbidden by law.

That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at Probate Court room in said Fortland, in said county of Cumberland, on the 4th day of Jany, A.D., 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

C. L. BUCKNAM.

Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of

## written. C. L. BUCKNAM. Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland., dec24&31 NOTICE OF LEGISLATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the United InN durated Fibre Company of New Jersey
will apply to the next Legislature for authority
to transmit compressed air or electrical power
by proper underground conduits or overhead
appliances, from its point of generation at its
water privilege at Great Falls, on the Presumpsectriver, in the county of Cumberland, through
Gorham, Westbrook and Deering, to and into
the City of Portland, with the right to generate,
sell, distribute and supply such power in the
territory aforesaid, for manufacturing and other
lawful purposes.

UNITED INDUBATED FIBRE CO. By Jesse Peterson, President. dec25d2w MISCELLANEOUS.

TO LET.

Forty words juscreed under this head ne week for 25 cents cash in advance.

TO LET.

Rooms now occupied by the

To LET—At 106 Green street an upper and lower tenement, there are seven rooms to each rent, beside pantries, water closets and wood sheds. These are very desirable rents for the money, \$15 and \$16, and anyone that wants a snug, cosy rent will do well to look at them. Apply to A. E. FREEMAN, 16 Exchange street.

TO LET—Sunny front room on Pine St., heat ed, and lighted by gas; bath room adjoin ing with hot and cold water. References requir ed. Address Box 1387. 28-1

STORES TO RENT

LOST AND FOUND.

Forty words inserted under this head ne week for 25 cents, cash in advance.

L OST-While coming from Portland Theatre Christmas eve. a lady's fine Thibbett boa. Finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office. B. 29-1

WANTED-MALE HELP.

MONEY TO LOAN-On first or second

mortgages on real estate, persona property, stocks, bonds or any good collateral security. Inquire of A. C. LIBBY & CO., 42 1-2 Exchange street.

WANTED-SITUATIONS.

Forty words inserted under this head one week for 25 cents, cash in advance.

WANTED—An American would like a situation as night watchman, can give best or references, and has no use for spirit or tobacco in any form. Address NIGHT WATCH, Press Office.

WANTED-AGENTS.

Forty words inserted under this head

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

WANTED-FEMALE HELP.

Forty words inserted under this head one week for 25 cents, cash in advance.

WANTED-A good cook and laundress.
Apply to MRS. DEERING, Deering St.
Deering. 31-1

WANTED-Capable girl for general house work. References required, 58 DEER-ING ST. 29-1

WANTED-Woman to go to the country to do general house work, Address R., this office. 23-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

## ABNER W. LOWELL

STATIONER AND ENGRAVER,

Has removed to

## 515 CONGRESS ST.

(NEXT DOOR TO OLD STAND.)

The largest and choicest line of Fashionable Stationery in the

WANTED. Forty words inserted under this head the week for 25 cents, cash in advance.

WANTED—Agents and customers to know that I have perfected my Hose Supporter and built a factory for the especial purpose of manufacturing them on a large scale. The only perfect Hose Supporter on the market. Does away with safety pins, button and loops. Send for samples, terms, etc. F. D. HARDING, West Baldwin.

CHOICE MORTGAGES WANTED-At5 or 6 per cent. Also 3 rents in a new house No. 35 Morning St. All improvements up to date. J. C. LEIGHTON, 413 Congress St.

TO LET—A detatched house in new brick block corner of Spring and Park streets; entrance No. 122 Park street; this rent is first-class in every respect; cantains 8 rooms, bath room, laundry with set tubs and dry closets; first-class plumbing throughout; steam plant that will heat house in zero weather; decorations up to-date; will lease to a small family. Apply to M. H. FOSTER, on the premises 31-1

WANTED.

SITUATION to learn the Undertaking Business, will purchase interest and act as partner if desired. Address, A. P. B, 1023 Middle St. Bath, Me-dec28d2w

BICYCLES—I want to buy from \$5000 to \$10,000 worth of bicycles, new, old, damaged. Pay highest eash price. Call or send postal to call on you. Also bicycles exchanged. A big line for sale. No business done on Saturday. BOSTON STORE, 411 Forestreet.

WANTED—To buy second carriage and fixtures for saw mill. Address, giving particulars, E. K., Press Office. 3-tf

Forty words inserted under this head ne week for 25 cents, cash in advance.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—In the central part
of the city, south of Congress street and
west of High St., a brick residence with all
the modern appointments. Well suited for a
professional man. BENJAMIN F. HARRIS,
Chambers, corner Exchange and Middle Sts.
31-1

FOR RENT—A very pleasant sunny rent of seven rooms, five of which are all on one floor. In a detached house, with good sized yard, in central part of city. Apply to Real Estate Office. First Natianal Bank Building, FRED'K S. VAILL. L OST—Dec. 3d, near Clark's Pond or in city between Park and Oxford streets, by way of Congress and Myrtie, ladies' silver hunting case watch. Finder please return to 155 Oxford street and receive reward. 31-1

LOST-Will the young man who pleked up a pair of opera-glasses at the junction of Brackett and Arsenal street, please return the same to H. L. STARBIRD, 1124 Congress street, city, and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Air-tight weather strips to doors and windows. Now is your time to order them. It keeps out the cold in the winter, dust in summer. These strips are atongue and groove, no rubber to pull off. Al orders left 67 Cross street will be attended to L. C. BLAISDELL. 29-4

WANTED-1000 Customers for Horse Brush es, regular price 35cts., our price 15cta Street Blankets-80X84. regular price \$2.25, now 1.50. Fur Robes, Warranted-5X6 feet plush lined, Jonly \$6.00; price has been \$8.00. ZENAS THOMPSON & BRO., Elm Street

WANTED-A few first-class men for the woods. Apply at once, at office of the BERLIN MILLL CO., 404 Commercial St., FOR SALE—A valuable wood working plant and good business, (with or without stock), consisting of saw, planing and shingle mills and general wood working together with well equipped box shop. All in first class condition, Ample steam power. Location unsurpassed, Valid reasons for seiling, Terms easy. Apply to D. T., this office. Forty words or less inserted under this lead for one week for 25 cts. in advance.

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—Musical instruments. Dull times, but Hawes has such bargains in elegant musical instruments that customers will patronize him tor pianos, music boxes, violins, banjos, guitars, mandolins, barmonicas, cornets, claronets, superior violin and banjo strings, popular music, music books, music rolls and everything in the music line. Please call. HAWES, No. 614 Congress street.

POR SALE—Tickets are now ready and fo sale at BAWES' music store for the new term of dancing school for beginners, com-mencing at Thatcher Post Hall, Friday night, January 1st and Saturday afternoon, January 2nd, taught by MANCHESTER. 19-2

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

## Apples for Export.

Manchester is the finest market in Great Britain, having a population of 7,000,000 within a 30 mile radius. Advances made on consignments. Correspondence solicited. Quotations wanted for No. 1 stock.

JOHN MILLS, Smithfield Market, Manchester, Eng. Address in the United States, JOHN MILLS, United States Hotel, Portland, Me.

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STEPHEN BERRY,

Book, Job and Card Printer, No. 37 Plum Street.

WANTED-Ladies to call and see our \$1,00 Boot in Button and Lace. Men to call and see our \$1.25 Lace Boot. Best in the city. 199 MIDDLE ST. 30-1\*

WANTED—In western part of the city, near Longfellow Square, two sunny rooms, well heated, or one with alcove, and table board of the best quality. Address, I, Press office, stating terms.

WANTED—Many persons who take wriskey, morphine, opium and tobacco say they want to get cured of the disease it has brought upon them. If you are really in earnest why don't you go to the Keeley Institute, Deering, Me., and be redeemed from such bondage.

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FOR SALE.

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.

LOST—A gold locket, with stone set in front of it. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office and calling for BRADFORD.

30-1 MORTGAGEE'S Sale of Household Furniture and effects, consisting of black walnut, oak and painted chamber sets, parlor furniture, carpets, extension tables and chairs, stoves, range, at rooms of F. O. BAILEY & CO., 46 Exchange streets, at 10 a.m. 30-1

FOR SALE—Building lot for sale in western part of city, within two blocks of Prome nade, size 50x100 feet. For particulars apply to Real Estate Office, First National Bank Building, FRED'K S. VAILL. 29-1

Forty words inserted under this head ne week for 25 cents, cash in advance. FOR SALE—Horse Biankets, Robes, Whips and everything needed for stable use; cheaper than any other place in the city. Yellow Blankets, all wool, 9 lbs., now \$5.50. regular 6.75. Stable Blankets worth \$1.50 now 1.00 with two sircingles, ZENAS THOMPSON & BRO., Elm Street.

FOR SALE—Hotel at Brownfield, Me., known as the "Central House;" also one of the best stores in Oxford county one mile from railroad station. In the second story of store are five large nice rooms for a family. Water in building. Terms low and favorable. ELI B. BEAN.

Wanted-All persons in want of trunks and bags to call on E. D. REYNOLDS, 568 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. NOTICE-E, M. Watkins, custom tailor, 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. \$3 to \$9.

\$17,000 to loan on first and second mortgages on real estate in Portland and vicinity; also money to loan on life insurance policies, bonds, notes and any good collateral security. Terms reasonable. W. P. CARR, Room 6, 185 Middle St. 16-4

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL Quotations of Staple Products in the

Leading Markets. New York Stock and Money Markst.

(By.Telegraph.) NEW YCRK, Dec. 30.
Money easy 11/2@2 per cent: last loan 2. per cent, closing 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 31/2014 pr cent. Sterling Exchange weak, Opening...... with actual business in bankers bills 4 831/2 @4184 for 60-day bills and 48614@4861/2 Bar silveri65. Mexican dollars 50% @51%.

Silver at the board was dull.

At London to-day par silver was quoted At London to day ball 29% d P oz., uncertain.

Railroad Receipts.

PORTLAND, Dec. |30

Receipts by Maine Central R. R.—For Portand, 154 cars miscellaneous merchandise; for connecting roads 95 cars.

Retail Grocers' Sugar Rates.

Portland market—cut loaf 8; confectioners at 6c; pulverised 7c; powered, 7c; granulated 6c; confectioner sugar for the first sugar forms of t

Fortland Wholesaie Market,
FORTLAND, Dec. 30, 1896,
The lolfowing are to-day's wholesaie prices of Provisions, Groceries: cc
Suerin Flour.

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Corn agrain.

Cheese. Chestnut... &6 25
1. terry 1 1/2 @12
erment ... 11/2 @12
12 /2 @13
Pea. ... 400

Grain Quotations. CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE Tuesday's quotations CORN

PORK

Wednesday's quotations.

CORN

OATS.

Portland Daily Press Stock Quotations.

STOCKS.

| New 45, Feg. | 11978 | do coup. | 11978 | New 45 | Feg. | 110 | New 45 | Coup. | 60 | Central | Pacific 1sts. | 10276 | Deuver & R. G. | 1st. | 110 | Erio 2ds. | 65 | Kausas Pacific | Consols | 66 | Oregon Nav. 1sts. | 11276 | Union | P. | 1sts of 1896 | 103 | Northern Pacificcons 5s | 5476 | Clesting quotations of stocks

Closing quotations of stocks

Corrected by Swan & Barrett, Brokers, 186

WHEAT.

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Middle street.

Butter, Northern cream.choice, 22@23c,
Butter, crm, Western choice 21@22c.
Butter, do pood, 15@17c.
Butter, do common, 11@13.
Butter, do common, 11@13.
Butter, imit, crm 14@15.
Ladie packed 11@12.
Choese, new Northern choice 10@10½c; West choice 8½@9½c.
Eggs. Mich. choice, 28@3c, East 25c.
Eggs. Mich. choice, 22@23c,
Western, good 21@22c.
Jobs, ½@1c higher,
Beans, North, small pea, 1 20@130.
Pea, marrow, 1 c0@1 05.
Med. New York and Vt 1 00@1 10.
Beans, yel. eyes, 1 35@140:red kid.1 40@145.

Med. New York and Vt 100@110.

Beans, yel. eyes, 135@140:red kid.140@145.
California, 135@145.

Hay—New. faney, \$1650@\$1700.

New, good \$15@\$16.

New, Lower grades \$12@\$14.

Rye straw—\$1900&2000.

Potatoes—Ar Co Hebrons, choice, bush 40@45.

Potatoes, choice rose 40@45c.

Sweets, Norfolk \$\psi\$ bbl 100.

Jersey, 125@150.

Apples, Baldwins \$\psi\$ 1575c@\$1.

Tolman sweets 125@150.

Kings \$1@150.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

(By Telegraph)

Chicago, Dec. 30, 1898.—Cattle — receipts 9,500; firm, 10@15c higher; common to extra steers at 3 50@5 40; stockers and feeders 3 00 @4 00; cows and bulls at 1 60@4 00; calves at 3 50@5 65, Texans 3 50@4 25.

Hogs—receipts 33,000; stronger: heavy packing and shipping lots at 3 10@3 40; common to choice mixed 3 20@3 40; choice assorted at 3 35@3 45;light 3 20@3 46; pigs 2 90@3 45.

Sheep—receipts 12,000: steady; inferior to choice 2 50@3 75; lambs 3 25@5 10. (By Telegraph)

Domestic Markets.

DETROIT—Wheat—No 2 Red cash at 934c nominal; No 1 White 93c. Corn—No 2 at 21½. Oats—No 2 White 20c. Rye—No 2 at 37½.

Cotton Markess (By Telegraph.) NEW YORK—The Cotton market to-day wa-quiet; sales 200 bales; middling uplands at 7 1-16c; gulf do 7 5-16c.

MEMPHIS-The Cotton market to-day was steady; middlings 6 11-1sc. European Markets. (By Telegraph. LONDON, Dec. 30, 1896.—Consels closed at for money 111 7-16 and 111½ for account. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 30, 1896.—Cotton market moderate demand, American middling 4 13-32d; sales 10,000 bales, speculation and export 000

OCEAN STEAMER MOVEMENT.

Prussia New York Hamburg Dec 26
Curacoa New York Bremen Dec 29
Fulda New York Genoa Dec 30
New York New York Genoa Dec 30
New York New York So'ampton Dec 30
Teutonic New York Liverpool Dec 30
City Washingtn New York Liverpool Dec 31
Niagara New York Cienfuegos Dec 31
Zaandam New York Amsterdam Dec 31
Laurentian Portland Liverpool Noy 31
Massachusetts, New York London Jan 2
Campania New York London Jan 2
Campania New York Glasgow; Jan 2
Ethiopia New York Glasgow; Jan 2
Bretagne New York Havre Jan 2
Obdam New York Rotterdam Jan 2
Veendam New York Rotterdam Jan 2
Andes New York Bremen Jan 5
Caracas New York Bremen Jan 5
Caracas New York Genoa Jan 5
St. Louis New York Genoa Jan 6
Golumbia New York Genoa Jan 6
Britannic New York Liverpool Jan 6
Britannic New York Liverpool Jan 6
Britannic New York Liverpool Jan 6
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Amsterdam New York Liverpool Jan 9
Normandie New York Liverpool Jan 9
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Rew York Bremen Jan 1
Portland Liverpool Jan 1
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New York Liverpool Jan 1

MINIATURE ALMANAC..... DEC. 31 Sun rises...... 7 14 | High water { .... 8 00 Sun sets ...... 4 22 | High water { .... 8 45 Moon rises.... 4 43 | Height..... 9 6 8 1

PORT OF PORTLAND.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 30. Arrived. Steamer Manhattan, Harding, New York— passengers and midse to J is Coyle. Sch Vineyard, Cummings, New York, Sch Abner Taylor, Young, New York for Talats.

Sch E Waterman, Huntley, New York fo Sen Lucy, Hooper, New Vork for Calais.

Sch Carrie E Pickering, New York for Cam Cleared.
Seh Eldorado, Small, Millbridge—J H Blake.
Sch Leading. Breeze, Pinkham, Calais—Paris
Flouring Co.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.
SOMES SOUND, Dec 28th—Ar, sch Julia 8
Bailey, Sprague, Boston.

EXCHANGE DISPATCHES. Ar at Hamburg Dec 31, steamer Merrimac, Portland.
Sid fm Cardiff Dec 29, sch Augustus Paimer,
Haskell, Port Spain.
Ar at \*\*t Jago Dec 28, sch George M Adams,
Wright, Noriolk.

Notice to Mariners. OFFICE U.S. LIGHT HOUSE INSPECTOR, FIRST DISTRICT, Portland, Me., Dec 30, 1896. [Moosabec Reach Reacon Light, Maine.]

Notice is hereby given that the fixed red lens lantern shown from a spindle in Moosabec Reach, Maine, has been discontinued for the winter season. er season.
By order of the L. H. Board.
N. M. DYER,
Commander, U. S. N.
Inspector 1st L.H. Dist

Memorands

Boston, Dec 29—Sch Thos B Reed, Crowley, rom Bridgewater, NS, which stranded at Governor's Islaud 24th, is still ashore there, in an pright position and has sustained no damage, she has a cargo of 138,000 ft lumber shipped by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

Sch Annie M Alleu, Norton, from Elizabethport for Boston, carried away mizzmast 29th,
in a heavy blow off Minot Light. She was assisted into Gloucester by a pilot boat.
Vineyard Haven, Dec 29—Sch Chas E Sears,
ashore at this port, is being discharged into
lighters.

New York via Boston; Addie E Smith, Pinkham, New York.

SALEM—Ar 29th, seh Clifford I White. Falkingham, Port Reading.

VINEYARD-HAVEN—Ar 30th, schs Hamburg, Weehawken for Gloucester: Freddie WAlton, New York for Bucksport; Maggie Hurley, Rocklaua for New York.

WILMINGTON, NC—Cld 29th, sch Mary IA Hall, Haskell, Union Island, Ga.

Foreign Ports. Foreign Ports.

NEW ORLEANS—The Coton market to-day was steady: middling 6% c.

CHARLESTON—The Cotton market to-day was firm; Middling 6% c.

SAVANNAH—The Cotton market to-day was quiet; middling 6% c.

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VIA WASHINGTON & RICHMOND MEMORY ST. BOSTON.

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Ar at Port au Prince prior to Dec 21st, sch Caroline C Foss, Murphy, New York. Sid fm Kingston, Ja, Dec 19, schs A D Lam-son. Adams, Pascagouia: Lena R Storer, Bruce for do. Dec 6, lat 28 N. lon 31 W, ship Kenilworth, Baker, from New York for San Francisco.
Dec 27, lat 29 32 N, lon 79 20 W, seh Carrie A Lane, Quick, from Bunta Gorda lor Richmond, Va.

HOT WATER BOTTLES

3 Qt.,

MARINE NEWS GEO. C. FRYE

APOTHECARY,

320 CONCRESS ST.

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Casco National Bank. THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Caseo National Bank of Portiand will be held at the office of said bank, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business which may legally come before that meeting.

MARSHALL R. GODING, dec29dtd

The Annual Meeting of the Cumberland County Agricultural and Horticultural Society will be held at Harding's Hall, Gorham, Metricultural Society will be held at Harding's Hall, Gorham, Metroscopy of the Event of the Cumberland of the Purpose of electing a President, a Secretary, a Treasurer, six Directors or Vice Presidents for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other legal business.

C. H. LEIGHTON, Sec'y, dec29diw

PORTLAND NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Portland National bank of Portland 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 their banking house on Tuesday the 12th day of January, 1897, at 110 clock a. m. CHARLES G. ALLEN, Cashier, declotd

The anual meeting of the stockholders of the Portland National bank of Portland 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 their banking house on Tuesday the 12th day of January, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES G. ALLEN, Cashier,
Portland, December 10, 1896. dec10dtd

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 hem.

W. H. SOULE Cashier.
Portland Dec 10,1896. dec10dtd

days, leave Portland, 2.00 p. m. ISAIAH DANIELS, Gen't Manager. dtf



In Effect October 4, 1896. WESTERN DIVISION.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Trains leave Portland, Union Station, for Scarboro Crossing, 10,00 a. m., 5.15. 6.20 p. m.; Scarboro Beach, 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, 3.30, 5.15 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, 3.30, 5.15 p. m.; Kennebunkport, Somersworth, Dover, 7.00, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 3.30, 5.15 p. m.; Exchester, Farmington, Alton Bay, 8.40 a. m., 12.45, 3.30 p. m., Lakeport, Laconia, Plymouth, 8.40 a. m., 12.45 p. m.; Wolfboro, 3.30 p. m.; Worcester, (via Somersworth and Rochester), 7.00 a. m., 3.30 p. m.; Kockingham Juuction, 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.

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, 12.00, †9.00, a. m., §1.00, †6.00 p. m. Arrive in Boston, 5.58 a. m., 12.51, 4.15, 9.20 p. m. Leave Boston, 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 Beston for Portland, \*9,00 a. m., 7,00 p. m.

‡Does not run Mondays.

†Connects with Rail Lines for New York,
South and West.

§Connects with Sound Lines for New York.

\*Western Division from No. Berwick Sunday:

D. J. FLANDERS, G. P. & T. A., Boston.

MISS A. L. SAWYER'S SCHOOL OF SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING Also, Headquarters for Shorthand Work and Typewriting. CENTENNIAL BLOCK, 93 EXCHANGE ST STEAMERS.

ALLAN LINE

ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS. Liverpool, Halifax and Portland. Calling at Londonderry.

From From From Liverpool Steamship Portland Halifax | 10 Nov. | Mongolian | 3 Dec. | 5 Dec. |
26 Nov.	Numidian	17 Dec.	19 Dec.
12 Dec.	Laurentian	31 Dec.	2 Jan.
24 Dec.	Mongolian	14 Jan.	16 Jan.
7 Jan	Numidian	28 Jan.	30 Jau.

MAINE COAST NAVIGATION CO For Bath, Boothbay Harbor and

Wiscassett. STEAMER SALACIA.

12th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock a.m., dec11

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Poland Paper Company will be held at the company's office, Portland, on Tuesday, January 5, 1897 at 3 p. m., for the choice of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

C. H. MILLIKEN, Clerk.
Portland, Me, Dec. 28, 1896, dec24dtd

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First Cabin. \$52.50 to \$70.00. Return \$100 to \$130, according to steamer and berth.
Second Cabin. To Liverpool, London and Londonderry, \$34 to \$36.25. Return, \$66.25 to \$69, according to steamer and Giasgow, \$24.50 to \$25.50, according to steamer.

Apply to J. B. Keating. 51 1-2 Exchange street, J. W. Peterson, 2 Exchange street, J. W. Peterson, 2 Exchange street, J. Stre

REEPORT AND FALMOUTH FORESIDE,

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

For Freeport, and Bustins Island 2.00 p. m. Return—Leave So. Freepor 7 a. m., Bustin's 7.15 a. m.,

For Chebeague, Cousins and Littlejohns, 2.00 p. m. p. m.
Return—Leave above landings, 7.45 a. m.
For Falmouth, 2.00 p. m. 1-8.15 a. m., 7tf R. E. NORTON, Manager,



THE NEW AND PALATIAL STEAMERS
BAY STATE AND PORTLAND.

State and Portland, the state of the stat beyond.
Through tickets for Providence, Lowell,
Worcester, New York, etc.
Returning, leave INDIA WHARF, Boston,
overy Evening at 7 o'clock.
J. F. LISCOMB, Gen. Agt.
Oct 1, 1895.

CASCO BAY STEAMBOAT CO.

IN EFFECT Nov. 29, 1896. For Forest City Landing, Peaks' Island at 5.45, 6.40, 8.00, A. M., 2.15, 6.10 P. M. For Ponce's Landing, Long Island, Trefethen' Landing, Peaks Island, Little and Great Diamond Islands, 8.00, A. M., 2.15

C. W. T. GODING, General Manager.

BOSTON AND PHILADELPHIA. DIRECT STEAMSHIP LINE. From Boston every Wednesday and Saturday.

From Philadelphia every Wednesday and Saturday. From Central Wharf, Boston, 3 p. m. From Pine Street Wharf, Philadelphia, at 3 p. m. resurance one-half the rate of salling vessel, Freights for the West by the Penn. R. R., and South by connecting lines, forwarded free of promy stop.

Dommi'-sion.

Passage \$10.00. Round Trip \$18.00.

Meals and room included.

For freight or passage apply to F, P. WING, Agent, Central Wharf, Boston.

E. B. SAMPSON. Treasurer and General Manager, \$9 State St., Fiske Building, Boston. Mass.

International Steamship Co. Eastport, Lubeo, Calais, St. John, N.S., Hallfax, N.S.

and all parts of New Brunswick, Nova Sco-tia, Prince Edward Island, and Cape Bret-on. The favorite route to Campobello and St. Andrews. N. B. Winter Arrangement.

On and after Monday, Dec. 7th, steamer will leave Portland on Mondays at 5 p. m.
Returning leave St. John and Eastport Thurs days.

Through tickets issued and baggage checked to destination. Freight received up to 4.00 for destination. For respirators of the p.m. For Tickets and Staterooms, apply at the Pine Tree Ticket Office, Monument Square or for other infermation at Company's Office. Railroad Wharf foot of State street.

J. B. COYLE, Gen. Man. je25dt' H. P. C. HERSEY, Agent.

MAINE STEAMSHIP CO. New York Direct Line. LONG ISLAND SOUND BY DAYLIGHT

EAILROADS.

Railway System. On and after MONDAY, September 21th, 1896 trains will run as follows.

LEAVE. For Auburn and Lewisco 7.05, 8,00 a. m.; 1.30, 4.00 and 6.00 p. m.
For Gorham and Berlin 8.00 a. m., 1.30 and 6.00 p. m.
For Island Pond 8.00 a. m.; and 1.30 and 6.00 p. m.
For Montreal and Chicago 8.00 a. m.; and 6.00 p. m.
For Quebec 6.00 p. m.
For Guebec 6.00 p. m.
For Eerlin Sundays only, 7.30 a. m.

From Lewiston and Auburn 8.25, and 11.30 a. m.; 3.15, 5.40 and 6.40 p. m.
From Berlin and Gorham 8.25 and 11.30 a. m.; and 5.40 p. m.
From Chicago and Montreal 11.30 a. m.; and 5.40 p. m.
From Quebec 11.30 a. m.

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.

TICKET OFFICE NO. 177 MIDDLE STREET, AND DEPOT AT FOOT OF INDIA STREET.

CHAS. M. HAYS, Gen'l Manager.

Portland. Sept. 7th, 1895. je22tf

MAINE CENTRAL R. R. In Effect Oct. 4th, 1893.

Trains seave Portland, Unior. Station, Railway Square, for stations named below and inter-mediate points as follows: STEAMER SALACIA.

ANNUAL MEETING.

COMMENCING MONDAY, Oct. 12th, until Commentation of the Stockholders of the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may legally be presented, will be held at its Banking Rooms on Tuesday the 12th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock a m.

The Cliapman National Bank.

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The Cliapman National Bank of Portland and points east.

O. C. OLIVER, President. O. C. OLIVER, President. The Chapman National Bank of Portland, Maine, will be held at its Banking Rooms on Tuesday the 12th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock a m.

The Cliapman National Bank.

Chas. R. Lewis, Treasurer.

STEAMER SALACIA.

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Square, for stations and below and intermediate points as follows: 7.00 a. m. For Brunswick, Bank, Rockland, Augusta, Waterville, Skowhegan, List on Falls, Lewiston via Brunswick, Bank, Lowiston, Waterville, Skowhegan, List on Falls, Lewiston via Brunswick, Bank, Lowiston, Waterville, Stowhegan, List on Falls, Lewiston via Brunswick, Bank, Rockland, Augusta, Waterville, Skowhegan, List on Falls, Lewiston via Brunswick, Bank, Rockland, Augusta, Waterville, Skowhegan, List on Falls, Lewiston via Brunswick, Bank, Rockland, Augusta, Waterville, Skowhegan, List on Falls, Lewiston via Brunswick, Bank, Rockland, Bank of Ortland Brunswick Wiscasset about 3 p. m.

Bath 11.15 a. m. Boothbay Harbor with steamer Silver Star, leaving Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Portland Ship, Port Clyde, Tenant's Harbor, Rockland Ship, Port Clyde, Tenant's Harbor,

DOMINION LINE.

Royal Mail Steamers—Liverpool Service via Londonderry.

From Steamers. From Portiand Portiand Portiand Nov. 19, Labrador, Dec. 10 Dec. 22 Dec. 23, Vancouver, Dec. 24 Dec. 17, Sectsman, Jan. 7 Jan. 9 Steamers sail on Thursday after arrival of all trains due in Portland at noon.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

Bingham, Water ille, Skowhegan and Mattawawakeag.
1,20 p. m. For Freeport, Brunswick, Augusta, Bath, Rockland and all stations on Knox & Lincoln division, Waterville, Skowhegan, Belfast, Dover and Foxcroft, Greenville, Bargor, Gldtown and Mattawawakeag.

8,05 p. m. For Freeport, Brunswick, Augusta, Bath, Rockland and all stations on Mattawawakeag.

8,05 p. m. For Brunswick, Bath, Lisbon Falls, Augusta and Waterville, Bath, Augusta and Waterville, Bath, Rockland and all stations on the Falls, Augusta and Waterville, Bath, Rockland and all stations on the Falls, Augusta and Waterville, Bath, Rockland and all stations on the falls, Rockland and all stations on the falls, Rockland and all stations on the fall trains due in Portiand at noon.

Batter of the fall trains due in Portland at noon.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First Cabin. \$52.50 to \$70.00. Return \$100.

White Mountain Division 8.45 a. 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, Comish, Bridgton, Fryeburg, North Conway, and Bartett, Fabyans, Lancaster, Lime Ridge, St. Johnsbury, Montreal, Quebec and Toronto.

SUNDAY TRAINS.
7.20 a. m., paper train for Branswick 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.

From Montreal and Fabyans, Partlett and Bridgton, 8.25 a. m.; Lewiston and Mechanics Falls, 8.30 a. m.; Waterville, and Augusta, 8.35 a. m.; Kkowhegan, Lewiston, Kiegñeid, Phillips, Farmington, Bemis, and Rumford Falls, 12.30 p. m.; Mattawamkeag, Bangor and Rockland 12.25 p. m. mixed from North Conway, 4.40; Skowhegan, Waterville, Rockland, 5.25 p. m. Sk, John, Bar Harber, Caribou, Ashland and Moosehead Lake viaB. & A., Bangor, 5.35 p. m.; Rangeley, Farmington, Rumford Falls, Lewiston, 5.45 p. m.; Chicago and Montreal and all White Mountain points, 8.10 p. m.; Mattawamkeag, Bar Harbor, Rockland, 1,40 a. m.; daily express, Halitay, St, John, Vanceboro, Bar Harbor, Waterville and Augusta, 3.50 a. m. daily except Monday. except Monday.

GEORGE F. EVANS, General Manager.

F. E. BOOTHBY, G. P. & T. &

dif

sept30 Portland & Rumford Falls R'y.

In Effect Oct. 5, 1338. DEPARTURES. 8.30 A. M. & 1.15 P. M. From Union Station for Poland, Mechanic Falls, Buckfield, Capton. Dixfield and Rumford Falls. 8.30 a. m., 1.15 and 5.10 p. m. From Union Stations for Mechanic Falls and intermediate stations.

1.15 p. m. train connects at Rumford Falls for Bemis and all stations on R. F. and R. L. R. R.

Through passenger coaches between Union Station, Portland and Rumford Falls. Through tickets on sale for all points

on P. & R. F. R'y. R. C. BRADFORD, Traffic Mgr. Portland, Maine. E. L. LOVEJOY, Superintendent, jun12 dft Rumford Falls. Maine

Portland & Worcester Line PORTLAND & ROUHESTER R. R. STATION FOOT OF PHEBLE STREET.

On and after Sunday, October 4, 1398
Passenger trains will Leave Portland:
For Worcester, Clinton, Ayer Junctica,
Nasnus, Windham and Epping at 7,30 a.
m. and 12,30 p. m.

Names, Windham and Epping at 7.30 a. m. and 12.30 p. m.

For Manchester, Concord, and points North at 7.30 a. m. and 12.36 p. m.

For Rechester, 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 and 5.30 p. m.

For Westbrook, Cumbersand Mills, Westbrook Junction and Woodford's at 7.30, 9.45 a. m., 12.30, 8.00, 5.30 and 6.20 p. m.

The 12.30 p. m. train from Portland connects at Ayer Junction with "Hootze Tunnel Route" for the West and at Union Station, Wereester, 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 New York All Rail via "Springfield."

Trains arrive at Portland from Worcester at 1.30 p. m.; from Rochester at 8.30 a. m., 1.20 and 5.45 p. m.: from Gorham at 6.40, 8.30 and 10.50 a. m., 1.30, 4.15, 5.45 p. m.

For through Tickets to all points West and Scuth, apply to F. H. COLLINS. Ticket Ageut, Portland, Mo. te21

Portland and Boothbay Steamboat Co UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Steamer Enterprise

Will leave East Boothbay every Monday at 1,15 a. m. for Portland, tourning at South Bristoi, Boothbay Harber. Tuesdays will leave Franklin Wharf, Portland, at 7 a. m. for Pemaquid, touching at Boothbay Harbor, South Bristol and East Boothbay. Wednesdays will leave Pemaquid at 6 a. m. for Portland and above landings.

Thursdays will leave Portland at 7 a. m. for East Boothbay touching at Boothbay Harbor. South Bristol. Delightful and invigorating Sea Trip.

The Steamships Manhattan and Cottage City leave Franklin wharf Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 p. m. Returning, leave Pier 38. East River, same days at 5. p. m.
Fare to New York, one way, \$4.00; Round trip \$7.00.

J. B. COYLE Manager.

J. F. LISCOMB. General Ager.

Jordan Bristol.

Fridays will leave East Boothbay at 7.15
Boothbay Harbor.
Saturdays will leave Portland at 7 a. m. for feast Boothbay, touching at Boothbay Harbor, with STEAMER SILVER STAR for New Harbor, Round Pond, Friendship, Port Clyde, Tannant's Harbor, Spruce Head. Rockland, Alered Harbor, Alered Harbor, A

AMUSEMENTS.

New Wants, To Let, For Sale, Lost, Found and Similar advertisements will be found under heir appropriate neads on Page 6.

#### The Handsomest Yet

The most beautiful Calendar for 1897 come contains reproductions from cabinet size photo graphs of Mary Hampton, May Irwin and Maud Adams, the popular actresses. Its prominen colors are enamel, blue and brown enriched by gold, elaborately embossed, producing an ele gant and artistic creation. One of these calendars will be sent to any address if you mention this paper, and send ten cents in coin or stamp covering cost of packing and postage to the blishers. THE X-ZALIA COMPANY, 3 Beacon St., Boston, Mass.

YARMOUTH ELECTRIC ROAD.

What the Builders of the Rood Must Do the Coming Year.

Mr. Louis B. Wheildon, of Boston, constructor and engineer for the Yarmouth electric read, was in Portland on Tuesday. He arrived at 1 p. m., and returned at 3.30 p. m. The county commissioners showed Mr. Wheildon the details of the manner in which the road was to cross Martin's Point bridge. The plan is for the road to pross the bridge on the northwesterly side, and to lay flat rails on the bridge part, which is 1300 feet in length, and on the fill, which is 400 feet long, the T rail must be used. The commissioners will formulate the specifications and agreements immediately, and the company propose to make the changes this winter. Mr. Wheildon thought only a part of the road would be built this coming year, and, as it is necessary for the road to build five miles from Portland, the road will doubtless be constructed to Underwood Springs, on the Cumberland line.

#### BRIEF JOTTINGS.

The annual smoker of the Portland Yacht Club will take place tonight. The annual meeting of the Martha

Washington Society will be held in rooms 1 and 2 Congress Square hotel this after-

Yesterday afternoon the Rossini Club were entertained at the Casino at Riverton and held a musicale in the hall over the cafe.

A man went through the city Tuesday en route for Caribou from the west on a novel vehicle. It had little wheels, no larger than those on a safety, and runners attached but above, so that in case he struck snow he could drive along with the same outfit.

A proposition is on foot to add an extra permanent man to engine companies 1. 4 and 5.

One of the social events of the week will be the "at home" of Mr. and Mrs. George Sefton McKenney, which will occur January 1, from 3 until 5 and from 8 until 10 o'clock at 16 Prospect street.

First shad of the season at the Congress Square fish market, Sargent & Co., proprietors.

A well-known New York business man a relief it is after spending the last two weeks trying to get around and do busi- | Tor the rope, ness by means of the congested electric and cable car system of New York and Boston to come to Portland and enjoy the comforts of your splendid street car lines. In all my travels I never have seen a finer equipped or better running road. Yesterday was fine in the morning,

then mild and damp. Thomas Dwyer of New York, who has

the contract for building the new light house in the harbor, is in town, stopping at the Falmouth.

The Y. P. C. U. and ladies' aid of the Church of the Messiah, will give a reception to the pastor and his wife on New Year's evening in the vestry. Members of the parish and friends are cordial-

At a meeting of citizens held in Springvale Tuesday evening, it was voted not to accept the proposition made by Shaw, Goding & Co., of Portland. This will put a stop to any shoe factory scheme in Springvale for some time.

Arthur L. Farnst orth, Harry R. Leach and George L. Norton have been drawn for traverse jurors in the Supreme Ju-

W. I. Houston of the Church of Christ will preach in Oasis hall, Knightville, giving much pain and requiring absolute on Friday evening. Subject, "The perfection of the Christian System." Seryioes begin at 7.45. All are cordially in-

vited to attend. Mystic lodge, I. O. G. 1., will have their annual Christmas tree on Friday, New Year's evening. Members and friends are invited to bring presents and put them on the tree. A short entertainment will be given.

The Y. P. C. U. and ladies' aid of reception to the pastor and his wife, on New Year's evening in the vestry. Members of the parish and friends are cordial-

R. H. Farnham of Boston, the electrical engineer of the telephone company, is in the city making some improve-

ments in the central office. A lady fainted in the balcony of Portland theatre last evening.

A T. O. P. dancing party will be held at Gilbert's hall, Tuesday evening, January 26, for which invitations have been

## Ladies' Aid, S. of V.

The Ladies' Aid of Shepley Camp, S. of V., will hold a public installation of officers and entertainment at their hall, tation to be present on this occasion.

FROM THE JAWS OF DEATH.

Capt. McLean, of Schooner Jones, Narrow Escape.

Was Washed Overboard During a Storm Off Fire Island Last Week and Saved His Life by Grasping a Rope EndWhich

Captain William McLean of the schooner William Jones, which is now discharging coal at Randall & McAllister's, has went ashore about 12,000 tons of hard good reason to be thankful that he is coal. Yesterday there was a perfect from Boston. It is eleven by fif een inches and alive and well today. On his trip here swarm of small boats about the wreck enfrom New York, Capt. McLean had gaged in taking off coal. Every fisherabout as close a call as a man ever had man along the Cape shore, every coasting and came as near going to Davy Jones's locker as a man could and not go. I craft, have been looting the wreck, and happened in this way: The William fully 200 tons of coal have so far been Jones loaded with coal at New York and removed. Many men along the Cape sailed for Portland from that place a shore have already obtained enough coal week ago yesterday. Hardly had the to last them a year orimore, and as coal schooner stuck her nose outside the Hook now is selling at nearly \$6 a ton, a when it began to blow great guns, and very profitable day's work can be done by nightfall the sea was running very on Alden's rock. high and the schooner, heavily laden as she was, had her decks washed about all the time. To make matters worse, a full of water all the time now, even at flerce, blinding snow storm set in and low water, and it is a little difficult to it was impossible to see a vessel's length get at the coal. But the wreckers are

About 11 o'clock at night, when the schooner was off Fire Island, all hands out of the wreck all that man can save. excepting the steward, were on deck, and had their hands full in keeping the vessel on her course and a bit of sail on her. At about noon this time the fore staysail was badly torn and Capt. Mc- little donkey engine of her own, and Lean sent the mate and all hands forward to furl the sail. The captain took the wheel himselt and after waiting sometime without hearing anything from | bor yesterday. If the weather continues the men in the forecastle, he feared that good these towboats will visit the wreck they might have been washed overboard. Capt. McLean secured the wheel a moment and ran forward as far as the foremast to see what had become of the men. He saw that they were all right and at work securing the sail and started to run back to the wheel again.

Just as Capt. McLeau reached the main rigging a big wave boarded the schooner and before he had time to realize what had happened, washed him over the low rail and into the sea. Capt. McLean had on heavy sea boots, a pair of mittens and two big overcoats. These weighed Capt. McLean down like a piece of lead, but by vigorous kicking succeeded in getting head above water very quickly. When he came up Capt. McLean saw looming above him the black hulk of the schooner. She was to the windward of the man in the water, and Capt. Mc-Lean believed his last minute on earth had come. Just at that second Capt. McLean felt something touch his hand. With the dispair of a drowning man he grabbed it and found it to be a rope. In another second the rope was jerked shortly and Capt. McLean still hanging on to it like grim death, was swung in by the C. L. Sleeper, W. F. Sawyer, F. L. Cobb, schooner's side. A big wave lifted him C. W. Swetland, Boston; Mrs. F. Staples, upwards at just the right time. Capt. McLean threw his arm over the vessel's rail and swung himself onto the vessel's deck. The whole transaction had not taken half as much time as it will take to read this, and Capt. McLean's escape was a most miraculous one. The coil of Tuesday, for 44 years had been in the rope which saved Capt. McLean's life was Capt. McLean and had possibly become ing association and an active member of entangled around him in the water.

said yesterday: "I can't tell you what knew that their captain had been F., for years, and was a past grand. He washed overboard, and had it not been was a member of the legislature in 1879 gone down without an effort being made to save him by the men on the schooner.

This evening George Washington Council No. 30, Order of United American Mechanics will hold their stated meeting in Sons of Veternas' hall on Plum street at 8 o'clock. The election of officers will take place, after which lunch will be served and a "smoke-talk" indulged in, while the closing hours of the old year be carried out at Congress street church: are rolling out.

Mr. Latham Confined to His Bed.

We regret to learn that Mr. W. W. Latham is not likely to so soon recover from the effect of the recent Grand Trunk railway accident, as was expected. 230 pounds, and the fearful flight that he took across the seats of the car and its plunge down the embankment, left a bad bruise and strain upon him. His physician, indicates that Mr. Latham may have to remain in his bed for some time, and while no doubts of his recovery are entertained, it must come from quiet and care. The trouble is in the tearing away of nerves and muscles at the spine.

## Fire Department Ball,

Tonight the Relief Association of the Portland Fire Department will give their night or two ago one of his neighbors by the home might become permanently ninth annual entertainment and ball at and his wife went away from home, leav- a "Whittier memorial," so they could City Hall, and the indications are that there will be a crowd present. The evening's exercises will begin with an entertainment from 8 to 8.30 o'clock, given by but were too frightened to investigate Brnns and Ninon, assisted by Robert the Church of the Messiah will give a and Neilie Bruns, direct from Tony Pastor's Theatre, New York, who are illustrators of popular songs by the stereopticon, which will include original scenes from late conflagrations in Portland. The grand march will begin at half past rine o'clock, and a fine order of left unfastened and made an attempt to dances will be offered. The Relief Association is a noble charity, and the receipts should be something handsome.

## The Bachelder Case,

The Sheriff, Deputy Dresser, and Dr. Alfred King have returned from Sebago. Dr. King made an autopsy. He found no fracture of Bachelder's skull. The officials at present have nothing to say in regard to the matter, as the inquest will be held at the County Attorney' room in this city tomorrow. From out-Monday evening, Jan. 4th. The officers side sources we hear that the impression tongue, sick headache, will be installed by a Past President of still prevails among those who have the Society. The officers and members given the subject the most attention that of Shepley Camp have accepted an invi- Bachelder's death was the result of

LOOTING THE WRECK.

Tow Boats and Fishermen Reaping a Har vest on Algen's Rock.

Yesterday forencon the marine under writers abandoned the wreck of the Robert I. Carter on Alden's rock and turned her over as a prize to the wreckers. There are no hopes of saving the Went Overboard With Him-A Thrill- vessel and everything of value that could be saved, has been shipped from the

The Carter had on board when she schooner and all manner and kinds of

Only one difficulty is in the way of the wreckers, however. The vessel's hold is very persevering fellows and if the good weather continues they will soon get

The most elaborate attempt to get coal of this wreck was made by the tow boats Demarest and Belknap, and the scow Ribber. This scow has on board a with this and the aid of a large crew of men about 45 tons of fine coal was loaded on to the scow and towed into the haragain today with a crew of men and try to get out more coal. The first heavy sea, however, will put an end to all ventures of this kind and destroy what little remains of the Robert I. Carter.

#### PERSONAL

confined to the house with muscular

George E. Fickett, formerly with the Consolidated Electric Light Company of this city, has accepted a position with the Baltimore Electric Power Company. Judge E. Foster of Bethel, is registered

at the Falmouth. Mr. D. B. Harrell of Cambridge, Mass., is spending the holidays with H. W. Eastman, 58 Boyd street.

Rev. A. K. P. Small of Biddeford, will attend the roll call meeting of the First Baptist church this evening. He was pastor of this church for nearly seven

The following were among the arrivals at the Preble house yesterday: Henry D. Sturtevant, New York; A. E. Slean, Old Orchard; Wm. H. Ward, Lowell; Ralph Washburn, Bangor.

## OBITUARY.

## Walter L. Abbott.

M. L. Abbott, who died in Dexter, counting room of Amos Abbott and Co. the main peak halliards, which had been He was a director of the First National washed overboard at the same time as bank, president of the Loan and Buildthe Universalist society. He had been None of the crew of the William Jones a member of Plymouth lodge, I. O. O. and Corinna.

He is survived by a wife and two children, Miss Winnie and Dr. E. S. Abbott of Bridgton. His wife was Miss Julia Sewall, daughter of Rev. Daniel Sewall, and grand-daughter of Rev. Jotham Sewall, one of the founders of the Bangor Theological seminary.

## Watch Night Services.

Tonight the following programme will At 7.30 a praise service; 8, address by the Rev. D. M. Pratt; 8.45, intermission; 9, song service; 9.15, sermon by the Rev. Thomas S. Samson; 10, intermission 10.15, song service; 10.80 address by Rev. E. R. Purdy; 11.15, testimonies and exhortations; 12, midnight consecration

ning when the following will be the pro- week. gramme: 7.45 o'clock, concert by the children of the Sunday school; 9.30, poet willed it, with the contents and Bible reading; 10.30, Washingtonian other property, has been at work for temperance meeting: 11.45, consecration

## Queer Case on Waterville Street.

A queer story was told a PRESS reporter yesterday by a gentleman who lives on Waterville street. He said that a any changes which might be made whereing three young daughters alone in the house. During the night the girls occupancy. The library has not been heard some one moving about the house, disturbed, only replaced as the books it or to see who it was. At daylight detail as the poet left it. Mrs. Pickard they crept down stairs and found charred will vigilantly care for the property and paper on the hall way and also in the attic of the house and the wood work in the hall had been badly burned. It is thought that some one entered the house through the back door which was

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## OF REMNANTS AND ODD LOTS.

WEEK.

The Thirty-second Annual Sale--same kind we have had for years---remnants and odd lots in all departments half price or less.

Sale begins Tuesday and continues four days.

Here is the programme of the entire sale by days and departments.

NEXT WEEK.

TUESDAY,

NEXT

Women's Woolen Underwear. Women's Hosiery. Mr. Geo. B. Bagley of the Telegram is Corsets---Outing Flannels. Blankets---Spreads.

Woolens--. Cottons.

Prints---Ginghams.

Black Dress Goods. Colored Dress Goods.

Dress Trimmings.

Embroideries.

Laces. White Goods,

Jan. 5th. WEDNESDAY, Jan. 6th. THURSDAY, Jan. 7th. FRIDAY,

Silks---Velvets. Table Linens. Towels---Crashes.

Muslin Underwear.

Men's Furnishings.

Women's Gloves. Handkerchiefs. Linings --- Buttons. Notions .-- Small Wares.

## Bros. & Bancroft.

The weather today is likely to be

Portland, December 81, 1896.

HE Great Special Sale of Housekeeping Linens continues today and the rest of this week. To fill the great gaps made in the stock by Wednesday morning's selling several fresh lots will be added.

Remember this is our regular annual January Lineas Sale, the only one of the year. You can hardly afford to miss

OWEN, MOORE & CO.

## The Whittier Homestead,

The home of the poet Whittier in Amesbury, Mass., which has been unoccupied since Judge Cate's family vacet-The annual watch night services will ed it, has been let to Mr. George Ellis, be held at the Gospel Mission, this eve- who will occupy it during the present

Mrs. Pickard of Portland, to whom the some time directing the removal of the service; 12.05, happy new year. All are Whittier portraits and a portion of the furnishings to her home in Besten, where they can be cared for.

Before removing anything the location of portraits, pictures and furniture was carefully indexed for the benefit of be restored as in Mr. Whittier's days of were catalogued, and will remain in its have it kept in the best of condition, considering it a very pleasant privilege to keep the premises in good state of preservation and no signs of neglect will ever be seen. Mr. Pickard found in an out of the way corner a brass knocker, and [this will be placed on the front door as in the days of olden time.

## Portland Society of Art.

At the monthly meeting of the Portland Society of art last evening a committee was appointed to bring in a list of officers to be elected at the annual meeting the last Wednesday in January. Preparations are not yet completed for the exhibition by the artist members. Mr. Walter Griffin is expected to make a display of some of his works done

# JACKETS

## Sold At Loss.

The 1-2 Price Sale on all Jackets will be offered today "Thursday" as we take stock Friday and wish to convert every garment possible into cash.

Come to-day and make your selection.

## RINES - BROTHERS - CO.

Real Estate Transfers

The following transfers of real estate in this county have been recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

Robert L. Littlefield of Portland to Benjamin F. Hamilton of Chebeague island, for \$1000, a lot of land on Great Chebeague island.

Albion P. Snow of Winthrop to Harry S. Parsons of Brunswick, for \$1, a lot of land in Brunswick.

George W. Call of Perkins to George W. Parsons of Medford, for \$1, a lot of land in Harrswell.

in Harpswell.

Roy C. Smith to Fred H. Johnson for \$1,a lot of land with the buildings thereon at the northwesterly corner of the intersection of Everett and Greenleaf

## Muscongus Island Again.

The statement of yesterday morning was not quite clear. There were about abroad on his return to the city the middle of January.

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Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure

was not quite the fift of the preciation presented to Captain Allan. The
list of names signed was, if possible,
more grateful to the captain than the
gift. He expects to visit Portland shortly after the New Year. Messenger's Notice.

Office of the Sheriff of Cumberland County,
State of Maine, Cumberland ss, Dec.
30th. A. D., 1896.

THIS is to give notice, that on the 29th day
of Dec. A. D., 1896, a Warrant in
Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland,
against the estate of

FRED P. PRESTON, of Portland,

FRED P. PRESTON, of Portland, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the 29th day of Dec. A.D. 1896 to which date interest on claims is to be computed.

That the payment of any debts to or by said Debtor, and the transfer and delivery of any property by him are forbidden by law.

That a meeting of the creditors of said Dettor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate. will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at Probate Court Room, in said Portland, in said County of Cumberland, on the 18th day of January, A. D., 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

C.L. BUCKNAM,

written. C.L. BUCKNAM,
Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of
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