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LOCAL MATTERS.

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MASONIC ENGAGEMENTS.

February, 1889.

Meetings will be held at Freemasons' Hall, Germain street, during the month of February, at 8 o'clock in the evening, as follows:

Friday, 1st—Albion Lodge, No. 1.
Tuesday, 5th—St. John's Lodge, No. 2.
Thursday, 7th—New Brunswick Royal Arch Chapter.
Tuesday, 12th—Hibernia Lodge, No. 3.
Wednesday, 13th—Encampment of St. John, K. T.
Thursday, 14th—New Brunswick Lodge, No. 22.
Wednesday, 20th—Carleton Royal Arch Chapter.
Thursday, 21st—Union Lodge of Portland, No. 10.
Thursday, 21th—St. John Lodge of Perfection, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite—Annual Meeting.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Miss Rosalie Blanchard, reads at the Congregational Church, Washington's Birthday entertainment this evening, Feb. 22.

THE MINSTRELS

The minstrels had an excellent rehearsal last night, and a full attendance of the members is requested for this evening, promptly at eight o'clock. The full orchestra will be present.

VICTORIA SKATING RINK.

Band and single admission this evening arrangements have been made with Trites of Halifax, to skate a backward race with Gillispie for the championship, at the Tournament which takes place on Tuesday evening next 26th inst.

There will be a Carnival on the evening of Wednesday 27th. inst. which will be attended by those who take part in the drive.

BEARS AT BROCKWAY.

The Vail Brothers of Brockway have added another to the list of triumphs in the bear killining line. They found a large bear in a hollow log and invited him to come forth. The invitation presented was in the form of an axe, then a knife was used, and in short order the bear, or his remains rather, was on the way to Thos. Coburn's en route for New York. He weighted almost two hundred pounds, was very fat and had a beautiful robe of fur.

ST. JOHN LODGE OF PERFECTION.

The tenth annual convocation of St. John Lodge of Perfection, was held at Freemason's hall yesterday afternoon, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—T. Nisbet Robertson, T. P. G. M.; Jas. McNichol, S. G. W.; W. C. Godsoe, J. G. W.; G. Gordon Boyne, G. S.; T. Amos Godsoe, G. T.; Charles Masters, G. O.; W. H. Thorne, G. A.; A. McNichol, G. M. of C.; F. Tufts, G. E.; G. R. Devitt, A. G. E.; F. Sandall, G. C. of H.; D. Scribner, G. T.

THE CARNIVAL DRIVE.

The executive committee on the carnival drive will meet at Berryman's hall this evening at 7.30 and one hour later every person who intends taking part in the turnout is requested to meet at the same hall.

The members of the Navy Island and Darktown fire brigades are requested to meet at the National at 7.30 tonight. The member of the Portland battery are to meet this evening at 8 o'clock at their armory to consider matters in connection with the drive.

PORTLAND NOTES.

To-night a meeting will be held in the old engine house, Portland street., to make preparations for the coming carnival. Everybody interested should attend.

The bell presented by Miss Hamlin to the Church of the Good Shepherd, Fairville, has been hung, and proves to be of fine tone.

PARLOR CONCERT.

The Parlor Concert at the residence of Rev. Dr. Macrae in Wellington Row was held last night and was a great success. The large parlors were filled with an appreciative audience and the amount realized was not inconsiderable. The choir of St. Stephen's Church was assisted by several friends viz: Mrs. Girvan, Miss Massig, Miss Macrae, Miss Young, Mr. Mills, and Mr. Murray, gave a delightful musical programme besides which there were readings by Rev. J. deSoyres, and Mr. Glazebrook. Several of the performers were obliged to respond to encores.

WHOSE ARE THEY?

Frequently peculiar objects are unearthed by the vigilance of the custom house officers. This morning, Inspector Lowry, in going through a trunk which had come in on the western train, was somewhat astonished, not to say excited, at the discovery of a collection of human bones. Each bone was wrapped in paper and was entirely stripped of the flesh. A number of I. C. R. officials at once put in an appearance, and various theories concerning the trunk and contents were advanced. Some thought that "Jack the Ripper" must be in town, while others believed that the fiend could only be that redoubtable Braintree man, John Thompson, en route for Sussex with another victim. However, a number of medical works which occupied a place beside the bones lends a weight to the assertion that the owner of these curiosities might be a medical man.

Probate Court.

The will of the late S. Z. Earle, M. D., has been admitted to probate by Judge Skinner. The estate is valued at $3,000, of which the real estate is $2,500 and personal $500. His widow is sole executrix and sole devisee; Mr. T. Gray Merritt is the proctor.

This afternoon in the Probate Court the matter of the distribution of the Price estate comes on, but will probably be again adjourned until to-morrow afternoon owing to the counsel for some of the parties being absent from the city.

This afternoon also the accounts of the estate of the late Jane Raymond will be passed.

Brevities.

The opening of the Keewaydin toboggan slide takes place this evening.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Provincial Building Society will be held on the 5th prox.

The funeral of the late Richard Kane was attended by the members of the I. L. & B. Society and a large number of the friends of the deceased.

Rev. J. N. Parker has declined a call to the Aphaqui circuit and Rev. W. J. Kirby has declined a call to P. E. I.

The police have captured a large sled which if rumor be correct will be presented to the next new sergeant.

Arthur C. Fairweather has been appointed referee in equity for Kings county, in place of John H. Cother, resigned.

Personal.

H. G. C. Ketchum of the Ship Railway and Allan Ritchie New Castle are at the Royal.

Judge Palmer has returned from Fredericton.

City Police Court.

There was no business before the City Police Court this morning.

Portland Police Court.

The Portland cells were empty last evening.

CAPITAL NOTES.

the Work of Parliament Yesterday.

OTTAWA, Feb. 21.—The speaker took the chair at three o'clock.

Sir John Thompson introduced a bill to enable judges of the superior courts of Canada to make rules to regulate the practice in quasi criminal matters.

Mr. Edgar introduced a bill to provide for placing on the free list articles of merchandise, the production of which may be controlled by trusts or combinations.

Sir John Macdonald said this being a matter of trade, it would seem that it should be commenced by resolution. However this could be considered afterwards.

Hon. Peter Mitchell asked what steps if any, the government have taken to establish communication between Indiantown and the Blackville station of the Northern and Northwestern railway.

Sir John Macdonald replied that the president of the Northern and Northwestern is perfectly aware that the Intercolonial is ready to give freight to it and receive freight also.

Mr. Kirkpatrick moved the second reading of his bill to permit foreign vessels to aid vessels wrecked or disabled in Canadian waters.

After discussion the bill was read the second time and referred to the select committee named.

Mr. Jamieson's prohibition resolution and amendments thereto were taken up. After speeches by Messrs. Jamieson and McDonald of Huron, the house divided on Taylor's amendment proposing a plebiscite on the question of total prohibition which was rejected by 85 to 58.

Hon Mr. Mills (Bothwell) moved a sub-amendment proposing that the question of prohibition be submitted to the people at the next general election.

The house divided on Mr. Mills' amendment which was defeated by 127 to 35.

An amendment moved by Mr. Moncrieff in favor of permitting the sale of wine and beer in Scott act counties was ruled out of order. The house divided on the amendment moved by Mr. Wood of Brockville, to the effect that a prohibitory law should be passed whenever the country was ready for it. The amendment was carried by 99 to 58. The house then adjourned.

A deputation, consisting of Messrs. Wood (Westmoreland), Landry (Kent), and Hanington, of St. John, waited on Sir Hector Langevin to urge the appropriation for harbor improvements at Shediac and Souris.

A ministerial caucus was held, Sir Adams Archibald presiding. The greatest unanimity prevailed. Sir John, in his speech, said the finance minister was anxious to keep down the expenditure and the government concurred in his views. Members therefore must not expect much in the way of railway subsidies this session.

The minister of customs has given notice that he will move the following resolution:

That is expedient to amend customs act and acts amending the same and to provide that the bringing of goods into Canada by land conveyance other than railway cars shall be prohibited during the night and on statutory holidays, except under proper supervision.

That the board of customs and Dominion appraiser shall be authorized to receive the valuations of port appraisers, and that in every case the value for duty shall include the charges of transportation and shipment and shall include any royalty, rent or charge in respect of exclusive rights or territorial limits, that goods entered for warehouse shall be placed therein without delay. Information shall be given as to transit through Canada for statistical and other purposes, and the manner of ascertaining the time of exportation from any place out of Canada shall be defined.

That money deposited in lieu of articles smuggled and subject to seizure shall be treated in like manner as if such articles had been seized.

Provincial Notes.

The Springhill Independent is going to put in a new Campbell steam press and a newspaper folder.

Light keeper Seely and wife, of Machias Seal Islands, have had the happy addition of a little son to their family at the station.

A dead Indian was discovered lying on the railway, near Marshy Hope, N. S. on Monday. The deceased bore no signs of violence, and was taken to Antigonish where an inquest was held.

A Nova Scotian, a native of Picton Co., Mr. D. R. Fraser, brother of Town Clerk, A. M. Fraser, is now General Superintendent of the State Printing Department, for the State of Illinois.

The Port Elgin Woollen mills Co. employ about 30 hands and are turning out cloth favorable in appearance with the products of other establishments, and is excelled by none in durability.

At the late old time concert in Halifax "Three blinde myce" did run in blythe manner around ye stage, havynge yre tayles severed in twain by ye wyfe of ye farmer, which pleased them well.

Alfred Trider, a Haligonian, is a special detective on the Boston police force. A few days ago he arrested two gold robbers —$500 and $1,500 rewards being offered for them. Mr. Trider joined the Boston force six years ago.

At New Horton, Albert Co., William Sprague's barn and contents were burned last Sunday night. Besides the barn there were consumed 15 tons hay, 100 bushels oats, 4 heads of cattle, waggons and farming implements. The loss is over $700. There was no insurance on building or stock.

Moncton is the field of a great "religious awakening." Many of the gold salts have professed conversion and gone through the forms prescribed by their various churches. Moncton is prolific in professions. No difficulty in awakening the average citizen or citizeness to the enormity of their sins. The trouble is to keep up the pious fervor.—Sackville Post.

Great excitement prevails in the vicinity owing to a report that gold has been discovered in paying quantities at coal mines, Mabou, C. B. The knowing ones are very reticent, but it has leak out that some of the leading merchants and lawyers are investing and taking up leases rapidly. An assay of a half pound quartz gives three pennyweights pure gold.

A few days ago the fishermen of Seal Cove, Grand Manan, saw in the offing what they supposed to be a large school of pollock and a grand rush was made for boats, fishing gear, etc., to capture the finny treasure so providentially sent. On reaching the scene of action, however, to the disgust of all it was found that what he had mistaken for pollock jumping out of the water was in reality a great quantity of the sea bird known as murre, which were busily engaged in diving for small herring, a large school of which was in the harbor at that time. The winter species of the murre has been very abundant on the coast this winter and is usually considered a sign of the presence of herring in our waters. The Murre Ledges took their name from these birds which lay eggs and rear their young there.

Missionary Meeting.

A missionary meeting under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society, was held in Portland Methodist church last evening, at which Mrs. C. E. Macmichael gave an interesting address on missionary work among the Indians of the Northwest. Mrs. Macmichael was followed by Rev. Thomas Crosby, of British Columbia, who spoke at considerable length of mission work in that section of the world. Mr. Crosby, who is chief of one of the Indian tribes, spoke and sang in the Indian language, exhibited several relics, and at the close of his address appeared before the audience in Indian costume. He will speak at the juvenile missionary meeting in Centenary church at 7.30 this evening.

If you wish a fine imported Havana cigar, three for a quarter mild or strong, call at Louis Green's, 59 King street; satisfaction guaranteed.

Town Tattle.

There is a suggestion in the ill-conceived letter of Mr. Schreiber to Mayor Thorne. He points out in a very ill-natured way, that the St. John hackmen have no place to resort to on stormy days. This is a matter that should receive the attention of the humane people of the city. It is an outrage upon men and horses that they are obliged to occupy the public stands of the city in stormy weather. It would not cost a large amount of money to erect closed in sheds on the Market and King's Square for the protection of truckmen and hackmen in stormy or inclement weather. It is bad enough to be compelled to remain out of doors while working on a cold day but it is much worse to be compelled to stand either on the Market or King's square when the thermometer is ranging in the vicinity of zero and a cold norther blowing in the bargain.

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A good story is being told about town at the expense of a well known merchant, and although it may be a mild kind of a chestnut to some people, it will bear repetition. The merchant was soon to celebrate the tenth anniversary of his marriage, and after thinking over a suitable present for his wife it occurred to him that it would be a fitting thing to present the good lady with a portrait of herself, and he accordingly ordered a crayon life size to be drawn from a photograph. The lady was as much puzzled as her husband, as to what would be suitable, but finally decided that she would have a crayon portrait of her husband drawn from a photograph. The husband said nothing about his proposed present neither did his wife, but both portraits were ordered from the same artist and were to be ready at the same day and now, the lady walked into the studio first and soon after her husband came in. The situation was extremley awkward but the "cat got out of the bag" much to the amusement of both parties.

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Some time ago a city merchant forwarded a certified check drawn on a local bank to Montreal to pay an account. The check was not presented for payment but handed to one of the firm's travellers who was coming east. The traveller, upon reaching St. John, presented it at the bank and was told by the teller that before the check could be paid he would have to get some person to vouch that he was the party whose name appeared upon the face of the check. The traveller was a stranger in St. John and the only one whom he knew in town was the maker of the check. He accordingly hied him to the merchant's office, and stated the object of his visit. The latter was busy at the time and instead of going to the bank with the traveller handed him the cash for the check, and then without thinking that it had been certified at the bank and consequently charged to him, destroyed it and made a memo. to that effect on the stub of his checkbook. When he next received a statement of his account from the bank he could not make it balance and after a huge amount of figuring discovered that it was wrong, by exactly the amount of the check he had destroyed. Then he remembered that the check had been certified, and after entering into a bond to indemnify the bank in case the check should turn up he got his account straightened out. "It's all right for a man to tear up his own check" said he to THE GAZETTE man, but a fellow had better look and see if it has been certified first.

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Women have lately figured very prominently in athletics. They have just concluded their big bicycle exhibition at Madison Square Garden. At present twenty-three weary women are plodding around a sawdust track at the Second Regiment Armory, Chicago, in a go-as-you-please contest. The question naturally arises, What will they do next? The New York World illustrates an answer in the shape of a pugilistic encounter between two females. This kind of athletics cannot do sport any good, and the less women have to do in them the better.—Toronto Empire.

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A man who knew all about turkey bones, goose bones and their effect on the weather assured the GAZETTE man early in December that the first part of the winter was going to be mild and open, but that the last part was to be a hummer. There now remains only a few days of winter, so far as what the almanacs call winter is concerned, and the goose bone has not only carried out its promises but done even more. It has been an open winter all through, but perhaps the early spring may be a hummer.

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A winter carnival is a good suggestion, and if properly managed and advertised, would be a great success. The present seems too suddenly on the people, and there is not enough time to prepare for it, but everybody will hope to see it a success and, so far as they can, at the short notice given, do their utmost to make it a success. We are to have an annual exhibition in the fall, hereafter, and there is no earthly reason why a week in mid-winter should not be given up to sports of various kinds. There was a time when business men closed their stores and went to witness a boat race. While this was possibly carrying the matter a little too far, it is just as well to remember that all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, and therefore we might easily afford part of a week in summer and the other part of a week in winter for sport and still make money by it.

Mayor Chesley Sustained.

The Supreme Court at Fredericton yesterday made short work of the writ of quo warranto which was sought to be issued against the Mayor of Portland, by discharging the rule for which a rule nisi was obtained a term or two ago. It will be remembered that an injunction was first obtained before Judge King to restrain Mayor Chesley from exercising the functions of his office on the ground that he was one of the commissioners for the union of the two cities, and this injunction being dissolved a quo warrant was applied for in the name of Barton Gandy. The case was agreed to by Mr. Rainsford for Gandy and Mr. Currey for the Mayor, and the rule discharged on the ground that the Portland Council was judge of the qualifications of its Mayors, under the act of incorporation, and that any application against Mayor Chesley's right to fill the office to which he had been elected by the people, should have been made to that body.

A curious story of a Temperance medal comes from Queensland. The medal was found in the interior of the crocodile and the crocodile itself was caught in the Daintree River, Queensland. The medal bears the name of J. D. Edwards, is of the sort issued by the Temperance societies established by the Rev. Father Matthew, and bears the date of 1880. The local inquiries which have been made do not seem to show that any person of that name is missing in the neighborhood.

A Man Who Bottled a Sucker for a Bet of $1.

While a dance was at its zenith of pleasure at the residence of Mrs. Clawson, a bucket of water was brawn from the well and brought in which contained a sucker fish about five inches long, says the Idaho Democrat. The fish had been placed in the well by the children. The appearance of the sucker in the drinking water caused comment by the company during which one of the young yeomanry, "allowed he could swaller the reptile fer fun er money."

This observation occasioned no little banter ing and bully ragging, until finally he was told he would be given $1 if he would throw it under his collar.

The boaster said he would go him, and taking the fish by the tail he laid back his head, spread his potato trap from pole to pole and let her go Gallagher. The finny explorer shot down the yawning gullet like a well-greased toboggan, its extended fins raking the sides with a sort of ripping sound as of laceration and sickening to hear. The feat accomplished the swallower unbuttoned his shirt collar, gave himself a flirt and shake and proclaimed in a loud voice that he could "swaller a live dog with his tail curled over his back, catch-as-catch-can, and no limit to size, for $5" But he got well away with his bluff if bluff it was, for no one doubted his ability to do so; and this, coupled with the fear that the passage of a dog might imperial his diaphragm brought the side show diversion to a close and the dance went on with renewed joy until the break of day.

Men's shirts and drawers, ladies underwear, hose, corsets and gloves, at cost at Geo. Browning's Portland.

MONEY AND TRADE.

Rates of Exchange—To-day

	Buying.	Selling.
London, 60 day	8¼	9¼ p. cent.
Do., sight	9¼	10¼ p. cent
New York	¼ dis	¼ prem.
Boston	¼ dis	¼ prem.
Montreal	¼ dis	¼ prem.

Stocks and Bonds.

From J. M. Robinson, Banker and Broker, No. 65 Prince William Street.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Feb. 22, 1889.

Bank	Par of Share.	Last Div'n'd	Asked.	Offer.
New Brunswick	100.	6 p c	221	218
B N America	243.33	4 p c	150	148
Nova Scotia	100	5½ p c x d	144	141
Merchants	100	3 p c x d	123	121
Halifax Banking Co.	20	3 p c	112½	111
St John Gas	100	4 p c	140	135
People's Bank of N. B	150	4 p c	200	195
Montreal	200	5 p c	234	232½
Commerce	50	3½ p c	121	120½
Merchants	100	3½ p c	140½	139½
Toronto	100	4 p c	217	215
Ontario	100	3 p c	138	135
Molsons	50	4 p c	160	156
Montreal Tel Co.	40	2 p c qur	94½	94¼
Montreal Gas Co.	40	6 p c	206½	206
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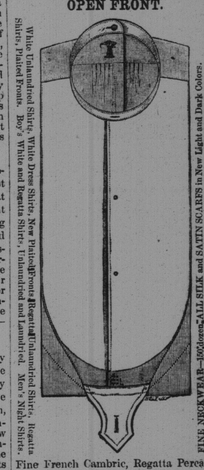

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BIRTHS.

VANWART—At Fredericton, on the 15th inst., the wife of I. S. G. Vanwart, of a son.

MAIN—At St. Andrews, on the 19th instant. the wife of Thomas Main, of a daughter.

DUSTAN—At St. Stephen, on the 8th inst., the wife of Jesse C. Dustan, of a daughter.

JOHNSON—At Bayside, St. Croix, on the 8th inst., the wife of Herbert Johnson, of a son.

MARRIED.

BIGGAR-PARLEE—At the Methodist church, Mount Hebron, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. W. J. Kirby, Theodore H. Biggar to Clotilda, daughter of Levi Parlee, both of Studholm.

DIED.

McCULLOUGH—This morning, 22nd inst., Miss Jane McCullough, aged 80 years.

☞Funeral to-morrow, Saturday, at half-past three o'clock, from the Home for the Aged, 145 Main street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

SEYMOUR—In this city, on Thursday morning, 21st inst., Nicholas Seymour, aged 82 years.

☞Funeral on Saturday, at half-past two o'clock, from the residence of his son, 79 Main street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

RAYMOND—Arthur W., son of Thomas F. Raymond, aged 36 years.

☞Funeral from his father's residence, No. 72 Queen street, on Saturday, at 3 o'clock, p. m.

HOLLAND—At Pleasant Point, February 21st, William, son of John and Margaret Holland, aged 30 years.

[Boston and New York papers please copy.]

☞Funeral will take place to-morrow, Saturday, at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WILLIAMS—At Fredericton, on the 17th inst., Eliza, widow of John Williams, in the 85th year of her age.

TILLEY—At St. Mary's, York County, on the 19th inst., Nellie, only child of Winslow and Amelia Tilley, aged 12 years and 5 months.

THOMAS—Suddenly, this a. m., Flossie May, only daughter of Fred. S. and Florence Thomas, aged 8 years.

☞Notice of funeral hereafter.

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ARRIVED

Feb 22—Sch Georgie D Lord, 169, Beal, from Jonesport, Scammell Bros, bal.

Sch Victor, 138, Look, from Jonesport, Scammell Bros, bal.

Sch E M Sawyer, 124, Bagley, from Jonesport, Scammell Bros, bal.

Sch Union, 109, Calor, from Jonesport, Scammell Bros, bal.

Sch Emeline G Sawyer, 138, Sawyer, from Jonesport, Scammell Bros, bal.

CLEARED.

Feb 22—Sch Janet S, 88, Golding, for Boston.

Sch Sabrina, 123, Urquhart, for Boston.

Canadian Ports.

ARRIVED.

At Halifax, 20th inst, bark Glinter, Marcussen, from Baltimore; brigs Baden from Demerara.

At Church Point, 18th inst, brigt Venice, Dugas, from Bermuda.

SAILED.

From Halifax, 20th inst, barks Christian Scriver, for Dublin; City of Adelaide, for Bristol; brigt Sirocco, for Demerara.

British Ports.

ARRIVED.

At Barbados, 28th ult, bark M J Foley, from Parahiba for New York—put in for stores and sailed 30th; 3rd inst, barks Little Mills, from Port Elizabeth; 19th inst, bark Emma G Scammell, from Rosario.

At Newcastle, prior to 19th inst, bark Bucephalus, Nicholson, from Leith.

At Plymouth, 19th inst, bark New Pactolus, Nickerson, from Lobos de Afuera.

At Queenstown, 17th inst, ship Wm H Starbuck Reed, from Portland, Oregon; 19th, bark Romo, Kennedy, from Port Pirie.

At Troon, 17th inst, bark Kate Crosby, Hanson, from Mobile.

At Barrow, 18th inst, ship Marabout, Ferguson, from Bristol.

SAILED.

From Cardiff, 20th inst, ship Vanloo, Gondy, for Rio Janeiro.

From Calcutta, 18th inst, ship Prince Louis, Page, for New York.

From Falmouth, 15th inst, bark Albuera, for Hull; 18th, brigt Zingara, for Havre.

Foreign Ports.

ARRIVED.

At New York, 19th inst, barks Bertie Bigelow, from Rio Janeiro; J W Oliver, from Stettin.

At Yokohama, 21st ult, ship Honauwar, Lane, from New York.

At Dutch Island Harbor, 17th inst, schr Gem, hence for New York.

At Buenos Ayres, 14th ult, bark Persia, Malcolm, from New York.

At Manila, Dec 30th, bark Tamar E Marshall, Parker, from Balabac, in tow, with about 50 tons of sugar on board—will go on dry for survey and repairs.

CLEARED.

At New York, 19th inst, bark Edith, Martin, for Blaye; brigts Advance, Bonnell, for Bahia; George C Dale, Weldon, for Halifax; schr H B Homan, Wasson for St Kitts.

From Philadelphia, 19th inst, bark Martha Reid Ponce, for Matanzas.

SAILED.

From New York, 19th inst, ship Beethoven, for London; barks Harriet Hickman, for Dunkirk; Conductor, for Rosario; Alice M Clarkde; for Cette and Veronica, for Batavia.

From Port Eads, 18th inst, bark Ceylon, Colfer, for Lisbon.

From Pisagua, 18th inst, bark Fanny L Cann, Churchill, for Baltimore.

From Rosario, 4th ult, barknt Frederica, for Bahia.

From Montevideo, 17th ult, bark George Peake, Mathias, for Barbados.

From Bahia, 14th inst, brig Curlew, for Hampton Roads.

From Buenos Ayres, 11th ult, bark Osmond O'Brien, Sheridan; 12th, brigt Sappho, Irving—both for Barbados.

Spoken.

Ship Lansdowne; Lockhart, from Liverpool for New York, Feb 19, lat 40 41, lon 69 10.

Ship Ventura, Cumming, from Liverpool for Calcutta, Jan 6, lat 1 S, lon 29 W.

Bark William Wright, Cook, from Newport for Rio Janeiro, Feb 1, lat 24 N, lon 33 W.

Bark Brenno, Eagles, from Portland for Buenos Ayres, Jan 20, lat 16 N, lon 36 W.

Bark Emilie L Boyd, Killam, from New York for Saigon, Dec 19, lat 28 S, lon 29 W.

Bark Evelyn, Donovan, from Glasgow for San Francisco, Jan 3, lat 3 N, lon 23 W.

Brig Tiber, bound north, no date, lat 29 45, lon 62 17.

Memoranda.

Passed Prawle Point, 19th inst, ship Crshier, Telfer, from Philadelphia for Havre.

In port at Manila, 4th ult, ships Abbie S Hart, for United States; Willie Reed; John McLeod—both for New York.

In port at Cebu, 4th ult, bark Arisons, for New York.

In port at Iloilo, 4th ult, bark Strathmuir, for Manila and United States.

Disasters, Etc.

London, Feb 19—A contract has been made to float ship Fred B Taylor, before reported ashore at Kanonaki.

SQUARE-RIGGED VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

SHIPS.

Friedrich, in port at London, Nov 1st.
Henry, at Montevideo, in port Dec 26.
Valvog, at Montevideo, in port Dec 26.
Kambira, from Montevideo via N York, Jan 2nd.
Gretemunde, from Stettin via New York, Dec 22.

BARQUES.

Stormy Petrel, at Buenos Ayres, in port Jan 28.
Ocean, from Londonderry, sld Dec 16th.
Ella Moore, from Gravesend, sailed Feb 16.
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Finn, at Dublin, sailed Jan 13th.
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Alfhild, from ——
Myrtle, at Buenos Ayres, in port Nov 5.
Forest, at Buenos Ayres, in port Feb 12.
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