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AUCTION SALES.

Furs, Fancy Goods, Furniture, &c.,
BY AUCTION

On SATURDAY, the 28th inst., at 10.30 o'clock, at my salesroom.

BALANCE of Furs and Fancy Goods left from Christmas Sale. Also, a fine assortment of Household Furniture: Oil Paintings; Oliographs and Waltham, Sterling Silver Case Watches.

W. A. LOCKHART,
Dec. 26, 1889. AUCTIONEER.

Public Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Common Council of the City of Saint John a Committee of said Common Council for conducting the sale of the

Fisheries for the Eastern Side of the Bay, River and Harbour of Saint John,

for the ensuing year, pursuant to law, hereby give notice that the Fishery Lots along the said East side of the Bay, River and Harbour, and all the Fisheries heretofore enjoyed and possessed by the inhabitants of the East Side of the Harbour, with those in and surrounding Navy Island, will be sold by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, the Seventh day of January next

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the room known as the City Court Room, in the Court House, in City of Saint John, for the fishery season of the ensuing year, to end on the Fifteenth day of August next.

Dated the 21st day of December, 1889.

T. NISBET ROBERTSON,
ISRAEL E SMITH,
WILLIAM L BUSBY,
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JOSEPH HORNCASTLE,
GEORGE R VINCENT,
Committee of Common Council.

Public Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Common Council of the City of Saint John a Committee for conducting the sale of

Fisheries for the Western Side of the Harbour,

in the City of Saint John, for the ensuing year, pursuant to law, hereby give notice that the Fishery Lots for the Western side of the Harbour, will be sold by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, the Seventh day of January next

at Three o'clock in the afternoon, at the Public Hall, Market Place, in Guy's Ward, at Carleton, in the City of Saint John, for the fishing season of the ensuing year, to end on the Fifteenth day of August next.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Mechanics' Institute, St. John.

This Thursday Evening, Dec. 26,

Boston Comedy Co.'y,

H. PRICE WEBBER, - - MANAGER,
Supporting the Favorite Actress,

EDWINA GREY!

Will appear as above.

The Beautiful Irish Drama KATHLEEN MAVOURNEEN; OR, ST. PATRICK'S EVE. To conclude with the Farce of THE SECRET. Matinee Saturday Afternoon, at 2.30.
PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES: Admission, 25c; Reserved Seats, 35c.
Doors open at 7.15; Overture at 8 o'clock.
Change of programme nightly.
Tickets for sale at A. C. Smith & Co.'s drug store.

LOST.

PURSE CONTAINING SOME CHANGE AND three keys. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the Gazette Office.

LOST ON SUNDAY LAST BETWEEN INdiantown and Jeffrey's Hill, a Gold Scarf pin with letter "H" and small diamond in the centre, the finder will be rewarded by leaving same at GAZETTE office.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—$5,000 on Mortgage in sums to suit borrowers. J. R. ARMSTRONG, Solicitor, Sand's Building.

MONEY TO LOAN on free hold security, E. T. C. KNOWLES, 107 Prince Wm. St.

BOARDING.

Advertisements under this head inserted for 10 cents each time, or fifty cents a week. Payable in advance.

BOARDING—A few single gentlemen can be accommodated with board at 49 Mecklenburg street, pleasant rooms, nice location. Apply on the premises.

WANTED.

Advertisements under this head inserted for 10 cents each time or fifty cents a week. Payable in advance.

WANTED.—A SECOND-CLASS FEMALE Teacher at Grand Bay, District No. 1. Apply to WM. MONTGOMERY, Sec'y, Grand Bay, K. C.

WANTED.—A STRONG BOY, ABOUT 14 years, to blow an organ. Apply by letter to X. care of this office.

WANTED—AT THE BUSINESS MEN'S Lunch Counter and Oyster Cave in connection with the DELMONICO DINING PARLORS a Good Lunch, hot or cold, 15c: Oysters and Clams in all styles: Home-made Bread and Pies: Boston Baked Pork and Beans: Hot Rolls. Entrance Church, Cor. Germain St., open till 1 a. m.

WANTED—AN ENTERPRISING, AGREEable Young Lady to arrange New Year's Prize Packages at the DELMONICO CONFECTIONERY ESTABLISHMENT, Corner Germain and Church Street.

WANTED.—A FEW MORE ORDERS FOR Hot Cross Buns, Mince Pies, Bon-Bons, Xmas Mixtures, Xmas Log Cabin Pound Package, only 25c., best and cheapest in the market. A valuable prize. Corner Germain and Church St.

WANTED.—MY AVOCATION AS A draughtsman has impaired my health, and I desire employment where such qualifications as good education and address, unimpeachable character, original talent and musical and literary ability would find their sphere and worth. Address E. C. OWEN, care of Gibson & Simpson, 94 Adelaide street East, Toronto.

YOUNG man (English) offers to recite free of charge at Sunday school concerts and entertainments. Address E. O. care Union City Hotel, Domville Building.

WANTED—Pupils for my beginners' classes in dancing: meet Tuesday and Friday evenings and Tuesday and Saturday afternoons. Don't forget the days. A. L. SPENCER, Teacher, Domville Building.

FOR SALE

Advertisements under this head inserted for 10 cents each time or fifty cents a week. Payable in advance.

FOR SALE.—OUR SPECIALTIES: EVERY day. Clam Chowder, 10c.; Ox Tail Soup 10c.; Rabbit Soup 10c; Baked Beans, 10c. Oysters in every style. Superior cooking; polite attendance. H. SPEAR, 11 Sydney St., between King Square and Union St.

ENGINE AND BOILER FOR SALE.—A 30 horse power Engine and Boiler. In good order. Apply to J. J. FORREST, Barrister, Chubb's Corner.

TO LET.

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TO LET.—A 4 ROOMED HOUSE. APPLY AT 48 Exmouth street or to A. G. BOWES, & CO., 21 Canterbury sstreet.

TO LET.—The residence of the ate Mrs. Robert Jardine, on the Marsh Road, one mile from the city, known as Woodside, with Stable, Barns, Garden and 23 acres land. Apply to JOHN BOYD, Market Square.

XMAS MEATS.

Beef,	Pickled Pork,
Lamb,	Ham,
Mutton,	Bacon,
Fresh Pork,	Lard,
Turkeys,	Chickens,
Geese,	Duck,
Quail,	Wild Turkeys,

Prairie Hens.

THOMAS DEAN,
13, 14, 15 City Market.

LOCAL MATTERS.

For additional Local News see First Page.

MASONIC ENGAGEMENTS.

The following meetings will be held during the month of December, in the Masonic Hall, Germain Street, at 8 o'clock in the evening:
Friday, 27th—Festival of St. John the Evangelist, Sixty-seventh Annual Communication of Albion Lodge, No. 1—Installation of Officers.

ALLAN S. S. NOVA SCOTIAN. From Liverpool was to sail from St. Johns Nfld. on the 24th inst. for Halifax having been detained by snow storms.

OFF THE BLOCKS.—Barquentine Culdoon was taken off Ring's blocks this morning and the bark Venezuela off Wilson & McLaughlin's. Both vessels were extensively repaired.

CARD OF THANKS.—W. A. Barnes, superintendent of the Marine Hospital wishes through the columns of the GAZETTE to return his thanks to Mr. Hugh P. Kerr for a case of jams and jellies provided by him foo the sailors.

NEW BUILDINGS.—James Foley has erected a fine two story wooden dwelling house on the old Westmoreland road near Kane's corner. Joseph Bebel is building a two story house on the same road. Robert Caples has purchased Mr. Boyle's house and turned the lower flat into a shop. On the Marsh Road Messrs Kierstead & White are building a warehouse next their shop and Mr. Cusick has built an addition to his house.

THE INFLUENZA IN HALIFAX.—There were several bad cases of influenza landed from the steamer "Halifax" last night. A medical genleman who was in attendance on one or two of them, told a reporter this morning that the disease affected some persons very severely. It isn't contagious, but it comes like a wave and sweeps over an entire community, affecting everybody more or less. The symptoms are violent sneezing, pains in the head and back, watery eyes and running nasal organ.—Recorder.

A TERROR TO CORNER LOAFERS.—Saturday night one of the men working in the Granite works, West end, came over to make his Xmas purchases. He is a big strapping fellow, very quiet and inoffensive but will stand no nonsense from anyone. Among the articles he was taking home, was a large rocking horse. While going along Prince William street he passed a couple of loafers one of whom sang out "there goes Santa Claus."—The Carleton man stopped suddenly and said "what's that you said" The corner loafer put on a bold front thinking he had a soft one and would have some fun replied "I said there goes Santa Claus."—The West end man then walked up and gave the dude a righthander that laid him out flat. When he recovered sufficiently to get up the Granite Works man said "Now young fellow you can just run home and tell your mamma that you *did* see Sania Claus."

New Evidence of Enterprise.

[Amherst Record.]

The St. John GAZETTE affords new evidence of enterprise in its special Christmas number containg 16 well filled pages. Among its original matter is a well written story by the editor, James Hannay, entitled Four Christmas Days—A story of the war of 1812.

Police Court.

Alex. Belyea, given in charge by his father for being disorderly in his house on Union street, was remanded until tomorrow.

David Rooney, drunk and fighting on Market square, was fined $8.

Edw. Manning, drunk on Brussels street was fined $4.

Robert Spellman, Joseph Dixon, Henry McNamara and Ann Nickerson drunks were fined $8 each.

Fred Winters drunk, disorderly and assaulting and beating his wife in their house at West end was fined $8.

Brevities.

The passenger cars of a train on the Short Line for St. John jumped the rails a few miles from Brownsville, Me. yesterday morning at about 8.20 o'clock. By the accident the cook and a waiter on the buffet car received severe injuries and the passengers were badly shaken up. The damage was about $1,2000.

Mr. Newcombe of the New York and St. John steamship line is now in the city and he has secured a berth for his steamers at the Long wharf and will make the necessary arrangements with the owners for the erection of a warehouse, office, etc., and the doing of the necessary dredging in the slip at its eastern side so as to give required accommodation.

On Christmas eve Rev. R. Weddell of St. Stephen was presented with a fine gold watch and chain by his congregation.

Samuel Carleton, an old man of Pictou was smothered on Tudesay night by the smoke of an exploded lamp.

Three or four hundred men are thrown out of employment by the fire in Vale colliery. The shafts have been closed with the hope that the fire may be smothered.

Alex. McLaughlin of McLaughlin Bros. dry goods dealers, of Yarmouth is dead.

Rev. Thomas Marshall of the West side Methodist church has accepted a call to the Methodist church at Chatham, and Rev. R. S. Crisp now of Chatham has accepted a call to the West side church of Mr Marshall. The change will take effect after next year's conference.

It is expected that the funeral of the late T. H. McMillan will take place on Friday at 3 p.m. from St. Stephen's church.

It is understood that policeman Jos. E. Steadman is about to bring an action against the St. John Telegraph for libel contained in a Moncton despatch to that paper, some weeks ago.—Moncton Times.

Chas. Coghlan, author of "Jocelyn" and other well known plays and brother of the famous actress, Rose Coghlan, is now a permanent resident of Souris, P. E. I. From works already written, it is said he has amassed quite a fortune. He ie still engaged in literary work, intended for the stage.

The new vessel being built at Harvey, Albert Co.' gives promise of being a fine craft. She is to be 990 tons burden, 154 feet keel, 34 feet beam and 13 feet hold. She is to have pitch pine rail, water ways and dead woods, and white oak stem and stern posts. J. Nelson Smith, G. S. Turner and others are owners.

Capt. John Kirwin, of the schr. Princess, was drowned at Montague P. E. I. last Thursday evening while coming ashore from his vessel. Capt. Kirwin was about thirty years of age and was unmarried.

TO CHOOSE FROM.—The largest stock of French Briar Pipes with Ambers from one to seven inches long. Merchaum Pipes an Cigar Holders in great variety, Cigar and Cigarette Cases and the largest stock of imported Havana Cigars in the city. Every thing guaranteed and prices extra low. LOUIS GREEN, 59 King street.

SPIRIT OF THE TIMES.

The Ring.

SLAVIN CHALLENGES SULLIVAN.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Slavin challenges Sullivan to fight for $2,5000 or $5,000 a side and the championship, within six weeks.

LANNON AND GODFREY.

Joe Lannon will challenge George Godfrey, the colored fighter, to fight fifteen or twenty rounds for $500 or $1,000 a side, and the Parnell Athletic Club of Boston has hung up a purse of $1,200 for the contest.

KILRAIN AND VAUQUELIN MATCHED.

Articles of agreement have been signed by Jake Kilrain and Felix Vauquelin for a six-round glove contest, Marquis of Queensberry rules, to take place in New Orleans, January 19 next, for a purse of $2,000, of which $1,500 goes to the winner and $500 to the looser. The money has been put up. If Kilrain fails to knock Vauquelin out in six rounds he loses the fight.

Aquatic.

SPLASHES.

Some members of the old Hanlan rowing club at Toronto, will take O'Connor and Hanlan in hand.

Searle, it now appears, was the victim of sunstroke, which developed into a fever.

Beach has accepted the challenge issued by Hanlan and is willing the race should be rowed over the Paramatta course.

Stephenson, a young New Zealand sculler, is looked upon by many Australians to be the coming man.

The San Francisco Call says: "It would be rather surprising if Teemer should bring the world's championship back to America." Very surprising.

Dan Leahy, ex-champion of California, has returned to single-sculling, and promises to regain his old-time form and speed. He takes about three practice spins each week in one of the shells that O'Connor took to the coast.

Teemer is expected to arrive in this city before January 1. If so a race between the Pittsburg man and Peterson will most likely be arranged. O'Connor has defeated both men and a match between them would no doubt result in a good and exciting contest.—San Francisco Call.

Fruit Exhibit.

One of the subjects to which prominence will be given at the meeting of the Provincial Farmers' Association to be held at Fredericton on the 14th of January next is that of fruit culture, and in connection therewith the management have decided to have an exhibit of the different varieties of apples grown in the province. Aside from the fact that such an exhibit would lend additional interest to the discussion on the subject, there are other reasons why it will be most desirable.

By a comparison of the different varieties shown we shall be enabled more accurately to determine as to what sections of the province certain varieties can be most successfully grown and where they attain their greatest perfection.

We hope also to learn what kinds can be grown with the largest margin of profit to the grower, product and price being considered.

To compare the products of the orchard planted from our own Provincial Nurseries with those grown outside the province. It is also proposed to make a selection from the samples shown and forward them to the proposed meeting of the Dominion Fruit-Growers Association which will meet at Ottawa during the winter.

No awards will be made. Each exhibit will stand on its merits. The name of each exhibitor with the varieties shown by him will be given to the public through the kindness of the press. Every fruit grower in the Province is kindly invited to contribute to the display.

For the purpose of economizing space and expense, only 6 apples of each variety will be required. Parties who wish to contribute and may not be able to attend can forward their samples to the secretary of the association, Fredericton, or what is very much better, give them in care of some frieud who is going to attend.

Care will be necessary in packing to keep them from the frost.

All sessions of the association are open to the public and any persons may become a member on paymgnt of one dollar.

THE PRESIDENT.

THOSE who investigate for excellence and beauty in photography will be repaid by a call at Climo's. In comparative merit his prices are lower than any. 35 Germain St.

It Ought to be Done.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE GAZETTE:—

SIR,—In passing along Prince William street yesterday my attention was attracted by two pieces of finely executed statuary of Sir John A. Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper which had been placed by admiring friends in the handsome window of J & A McMillan and while looking very intently at the likeness of these two truly great men a many thoughts of their doings in the interest of Canada since the days of confederation passed vividly across my mind. But a few minutes before this I had been very kindly greeted by our own statesman, Sir Samuel L. Tilley, their old colleague in many a hard fought contest and the thought seemed to me what an interesting triad would here have been formed if Sir Leonard had been here similarly represented and what a chance for the facile pen of the biographer.

In haste, etc.,
G. B. WALLAR.

Sussex, Dec. 26, 1886.

IF YOU WANT Florida Oranges (150 & 200 in boxes) lemons, sweet cider and No. 2 Bishop Pippin apples etc. try W. H. Northrup, South wharf.

Too Much Study Dad.

Dr. O. Sprague Paine, of New York, has made a specialty of studying the brain. This is what he says:

"Men very often die from overwork, especially brain workers. Many men study day and night and work day and night almost, and so overtax their brains that they become mentally and physically incapable of performing their proper work, and eventually break down altogether under the mental strain. These then have to rest, and great care has to be taken in order that they may fully regain their health. In many cases they have broken down so completely that as long as they live they are mere wrecks of their former selves, and in many cases they fail to recover at all. A great many are troubled with sleeplessness and fail to pay any attention to this, thinking that it is nothing at all. This is really a very serious and dangerous condition to be in. Persons who can't sleep can't rest properly. Eventually the brain will wear out. It is absolutely impossible to keep well without sleep. Men must have sleep, or else suffer for it, and the first organ of the body that will suffer will be the brain. Unless the brain is properly rested the patient will break down and perhaps become insane."—Herald of Health.

LOST, A LITTLE CHILD.

How the City's Waifs Are Cared for Until They Are Called For.

A great policeman, big enough and strong enough to have felled a horse with a single blow, carrying in his arms a little golden haired girl, upon whose sleeping face the tears had washed clean places in the dust and grime, walked briskly down Houston street toward police headquarters. The child was slumbering as comfortably as though she had been in the little crib at home, and the officer was as tender as if the little one was his own and helped make sunshine in his home on his days off duty. Half a dozen children of the street, quick to catch sight of the pair, followed closely on the big policeman's heels until he went up the steps of the marble building in Mulberry street, and was lost to view behind the swinging doors.

Bluff Sergt. Kelleher was on duty, and when he saw the little bundle of humanity brought in, he sat down at his desk and began to turn, in a businesslike way, the leaves of an enormous book which lay in front of him. He kept turning until he came to the page where he had written last. Then, after carefully adjusting his eyeglasses, and dipping his pen in his big inkstand, he queried:

"Boy or girl, officer?"

"Girl."

"How old?"

"'Bout 4 years."

"Where did you get her?"

"Sixty-fifth street and Third avenue."

"Take her upstairs."

"Upstairs" meant to the top floor of the big building, where Matron Webb presides and acts the part of foster mother to the waifs and strays and foundlings of this big city who are picked up by the police.

The same scenes are enacted every night, and each day sees the pages of the big book, which Sergt. Kelleher keeps, fill up one by one with the brief stories and records of lost children.

Every night in the year fathers and mothers visit police headquarters and ask for the children who have been lost during the day. On pleasant evenings they sit on the stone steps and wait if the child has not already been found, and on stormy nights they go home, to return again later on.

A woman comes running down the street. She is one of the East Side poor. A shawl answers the purpose of cloak and hat. She stops long enough to ask of an idler on the corner:

"Where is the headquarters?"

"Down where you see the green light" is always the answer, and she is off again. Up the steps she runs eagerly. As she passes the swinging doors she almost runs down Old Joe, the doorman, who keeps a little private record on a slate of the children who are brought in during the night. Joe's voice is gruff, but it belies his nature.

"What's the matter?" he growls.

"Have ye found me baby?" and the toil worn hands clutch nervously at the frayed edges of the old red shawl.

"Boy or girl?"

"A little girl with light hair."

"Go up stairs and look—top floor."

The stairs are steep and tiresome to climb, but mothers on such errands don't tire easily, and up she goes. Five minutes later a step is heard on the stairway. She is coming down again and the red shawl is the background for a head of golden hair. Two dirty, chubby hands are about her neck. The woman is smiling now. She is about to go out to the street, but Old Joe again is in the way.

"Go in there and give your name," and he points to Sergt. Kelleher, and chirrups at the baby.

The sergeant takes the woman's name and address, and, hugging the lost one tightly, the woman passes out into the street.—New York Evening Sun.

The "Driver" Ants.

The most formidable of the insect pests that affect the dwellers of the West African coast is the "driver" ants. These insects move in vast armies of several millions, marching in a dense column two feet in width, at a uniform pace, and in a straight line.

If a native hut lies in their path, and the inmates fail to prevent the ants from gaining the threshold, the hut must be vacated till the long line has passed through and consumed everything eatable within the building.

The author of "Glimpses of Feverland" says that the only thing which will stop the "drivers" is a large fire directly in their line of march. A native, when he discovers in time that the ants are marching towards his hut, kindles a fire in front of the advancing column. It turns neither to the right nor to the left, but plunges into the flames, for every ant seems impelled to go forward, no matter at what cost.

After the "drivers" have walked into the fire for an hour or two, and several hundred thousand have been consumed, their sturdy stoicism weakens. They deflect their line to the extent of a few feet, and, passing the fire, set out on a fresh path of destruction, which leads them clear of the hut they had threatened.—Youths' Companion.

DON'T FORGET to buy Xmas Grape Juice from our agent E. G. Scovil wholesale teas No. 13 North wharf. In stock St. Augustine, St. Emilion, Isabella, Sweet Catawba Claret, $6 to $8.50 per case of one dozen.—Pelee Co, limited.

Macaulay Bros. & Co.,
61 and 63 King St.

Notwithstanding our enormous Christmas Sales we have still a large and complete stock in all departments from which can be selected appropriate

NEW YEAR'S GIFTS.

Street and Evening

KID GLOVES

for Ladies in all the newest shades and best makes. There is nothing more desirable for New Year's Gifts than fine Kid Gloves.

Macaulay Bros. & Co.

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Bread keeps

moist six

days.

BIRTHS.

SEYMOUR—Dec 25th, to the wife of Prof Seymour, Christ odist, a son.

MARRIED.

GORHAM—HARRIS—At the Baptist church, Hampton, on the 24th inst, by Rev. Sydney Walton, A M, Mr. Fred L. Gorham to Miss Luella George Harris.

RUPERT—DALTON.—On Dec. 25th, at the residence of the bride's father, Robert Dalton, North end, Jos. E. Rupert, of Summerville, Mass., to Ada A. Dalton.

DIED.

STEWART—In this city, on the 24th inst, of inflammation of the bowels, William H Stewart, aged 26 years.

☞ Funeral from his late residence, Spurr Cove, Indiantown, this day, Thursday, at 2.30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

McMILLAN—At Colarado Springs, Colorado, on Friday, the 20th inst., Thomas H. McMillan, aged 36 years.

☞ Funeral to-morrow afternoon, at 3 p m, from St Stephen's church.

TOILET SOAPS.

IN STOCK.

Pear's Toilet Soaps,
Lubin's Toilet Soaps,
Colgate's Cashmere Boquet Soap,
Colgate's Rosodora Soap,
Colgate's 7th Regiment Soap,
Law's Old Brown Windsor Soap,
Rondeletia Soap,
Rigg's Military Soap,
Pear's Shaving Sticks.

FOR SALE BY

T. B. BARKER & SONS.

COLGATE'S SACHET POWDER.
—VIZ—

Heliotrope,	New Mown Hay,
Violet,	Frangipanni,
Jockey Club,	Cashmere Boquet.

T. B. BARKER & SONS.

JOURNAL OF SHIPPING

Port of St. John.

ARRIVED. Dec 25.

Barque Katahdin, 1173, Marsters, London, ballast, W Thomson & Co.
Steam tug Lillie, 48, Farris, from a cruise.
Schr Hattie C, 161, Stewart, Hillsboro, for Boston, plaster, in for a harbor.
Schr Eva J Moore, 99, Morris, Advocate Harbor, for Boston, coal, in for a harbor.

Dec 26.

Schr Gleaner, Grady, New York, 160 tons sand ballast, Harris & Co, vessel to Scammell Bros.
Schr Hazlewood, 121, Dickson, New York, ballast, W H Merritt.
Schr R B Ketchum, 41, Morrissy, Parrsboro
" Wloma, 69, Bullerwell, do
" Island Belle, 24, Anderson, do
" Vanity, 11, Belding, fishing cruise
" Onward, 10, Watt, Campobello
" J D Payson, 41, Nickerson, Salmon River
" Clarine, 96, Teare, Alma
" Endeavor, 84, Hicks, Rockland, N B

CLEARED. Dec 24.

Barque Edith, 892, Nickolson, Bordeaux, deals, Geo McKean.
Am schr Grace Cushing, 150, Spragg, Boston, piling, Driscoll Bros.
Am schr Carrie Walker, 164, Starkey, Newport, lumber, S T King & Son.
Schr Temperance Bell, 99, Moore, Boston, boards and laths, J A Likely.
Schr Anita, 122, Melanson, New York, deals, J R Warner & Co.

Dec 26.

Stmr State of Maine, 1145, Hilyard, Boston via Eastport, mdse and pass, H W Chisholm.
Am schr Lizzie D Small, 180, Lawson, New York, piling, Driscoll Bros
Schr Jessie D, 75, Yorke, Canning, inbound cargo, from New York.
Schr Gleaners, 75, Mathews, Lockeport
" Vanity, 11, Belding, fishing voyage
" William O Allan, 9, Craft, do

British Ports.

ARRIVED.

Penarth Roads, Dec 25, ship City Camp, Knox, from St John, 22 days

SAILED.

London, 23rd inst, ship Vanduara, Skinner, for Portland, O

Foreign Ports.

ARRIVED.

Boston, 24th inst, schr T W McKay, Roberts, from Parrsboro
Portsmouth, 23rd inst, schr Laurissa, from St John for New York
Philadelphia, 23rd inst, barque S J Bogart, Shaw, from New York
Portland, 22rd inst, schrs Carrie C W, Keene; Alta, McLaughlin, Aurora Borealis, McPade; K Carson, Sweet, and Howard Holder, Mowbray, from Boston for St John
Booth Bay, 23rd inst, schrs Valetta, Fardie, Rosie, Gunn; Thrasher, Glass, and Daniel Gifford, Carson, from St John for New York
Buenos Ayres, 20th ult, barque Reconvery, Davidson, from Boston
New York, 24th inst, ship N B Lewis, Gullison, from Sowrabaya

CLEARED.

Boston, 24th inst, schrs Eagle, Peck, for St John; Eva, Smith, for La Have.
New York, 24th inst, brig Edith, Murchison, for Port Natal; schr Carrie B, Williams; Prudence, Dickson, and Ettie, Lewis, for St John.
Pensacola, 23rd inst, barque Scots Bay, Steele, for Montevideo

SAILED.

Vineyard Haven, 23rd inst, schr Tay, C Y Gregory, Kettie, Ella Maud, E H Foster, Alaska, Clifford C, and E Walsh
Rio Janeiro, 27th ult, ship Trojan, Armstrong, for Cardiff

Spoken.

Dec 4th, lat 4 S, lon 32 W barque Annie Burrill, Trefry, from Montreal for Buenos Ayres

Memoranda.

Passed Anjer, 17th ult, barque Manna Loa, Douglas, from Hong Kong for New York; Romanoff, Doty, from Singapore for do

Exports

VANCEBORO N B Railway, 2 cars lime in bulk, by Stetson, Cutler & Co
NEW YORK Schr Lizzie D Small, 675 pcs piling, by Driscoll Bros
BORDEAUX Barque Edith, 722,151 feet deals, 30,921 feet deal ends, by Geo McKean
BOSTON Stmr State of Maine, 12 boxes granite, 5 tubs butter, 5 cases eggs, 1 box rabbits, 1 bbl B W meal, 1 bbl hides, 24 pkgs effects, 1 box salmon, by H W Chisholm
Schr Grace Cushing, 454 pcs piling, by Driscoll Bros
Schr Temperance Bell, 102,000 feet spruce boards, 79,000 laths, by J A Likely
NEWPORT, R I. Schr Carrie Walker, 45,207 feet spruce scantling, 150 851 feet spruce plank, 15,175 feet timber, by S T King & Son
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