## AMUSEMENTS.

### Academy of Music.

There are three performances announced at the Academy of Music for this week: to-night, *Martha*—Miss Kellogg, Miss Morenci, and Messrs. Brignoli and Susini; Wednesday, *The Sicilian Vespers*; Friday, *Don Giovanni*; Saturday, a Matinée.

At the Brooklyn Academy of Music a representation will be given to-morrow night: *Ernani* entire, and the first act of *La Traviata*.

The complimentary concert to Mr. F. Mollenhauer (he is unfortunately becoming blind) was a great success. Messrs. Eben, Davis, Edward Mollenhauer, Castle, Campbell, and Miss Stockton were the Virtuosi. The beneficiary was loudly encored, especially in an original *fantasy*, and a rendering of the Last Rose of Summer. It is thought that Mr. F. Mollenhauer will again appear before the public regularly. We have no question of the success of so fine an artist. Additional interest will be excited for him in his unfortunate state.

### Theaters, etc.

It is a great relief to find now and then an opportunity for free and unreluctant approval of any theatrical performances in New York—approval which neither stretches the conscience nor affronts the understanding of writer or reader. Such opportunities are rare enough to warrant their welcome, whenever they do arrive, with exultation beyond the usual bounds of journalistic primness. Not to be compelled to qualify with "ifs" and "buts" in overwhelming disproportion, or to leap blindly over details in order to avoid stumbling-blocks for perpetual fault-finding, is a luxury which the dramatic critic so seldom enjoys that he finds himself quite at a loss to meet it with due decorum. His pent-up powers of praise are apt to be let loose with a suddenness that carries them beyond all restraint. Emancipation from those useful but well-worn phrases of partial compliment or considerate dispraise overcomes him like a Summer's cloud, and his special wonder is quite too vast to be concealed.

It is always considered an excellent joke upon the dramatic writer, that his critical opinions are so frequently limited to the mere record of successes secured by, or plaudits vouchsafed to, a particular player. "Mr. Dash represented such and such a part with his usual care and effect, eliciting the warmest commendations of the house." "Mrs. or Miss Blank was received with enthusiastic applause, and her performance added to the appreciation in which she is already held by the patrons of the establishment of which she is so proud an ornament." All this is taken as indicative of indifference to the general interests of this or that theater, and especially afflicts the parties most nearly concerned, who esteem themselves ill-used in proportion to the negative nature of the record. The fact is, that all such easy dealing with theatrical names should be accepted as evidence of the pure good-nature and merciful consideration on the part of journalists. Details and specifications are avoided, only because if once taken up, the balance would weigh so heavily on the side of disapproval, that the critic's column would become an unbroken recital of artistic errors. To break a butterfly upon a wheel is not an agreeable task; and the more merciful expedient of faint praise is often necessarily resorted to, as the only compromise consistent with a decent regard for truth and common sense.

If the community of managers and actors and dramatic authors really believe, as they sometimes profess to, that the scrutinies of the newspaper writers are wholly directed to their blemishes, they lie under an absurd and most selfish delusion. The fact is exactly the reverse. Every serious effort is given to the detection of such merits as can be duly acknowledged and applauded. If, in this pursuit of histrionic virtue under difficulties, flagrant defects intrude themselves, there is actually nothing to be done but to hint as much. How tenderly this is generally done, neither managers nor actors nor young authors are capable of understanding. That they are unconscious of their faults is evident from the mere fact of their committing them. The natural taste of no person runs toward blunders, we suppose. But that they are still more unconscious of the leniency with which their faults are remarked upon, everybody, themselves excepted, is perfectly well aware. On the other hand, they are quite as often incapable of recognizing the zeal with which any positive proof of liberal taste and judgment is commended. All winds, to them, are ill-winds, that blow them no good.

The alacrity with which the public journals invite attention to whatever is really worthy in theatrical affairs, has been abundantly exemplified during the last few weeks. The fine acting of Mr. Couldock and Mr. Davidge in "The Chimney Corner" was received with the heartiest delight, while the aggressively bad performance of another person in the same piece was really too charitably overlooked. The advent of Mr. Bandmann, the young German actor, was welcomed with demonstrations of good will as hearty and unanimous as they were deserved. If we come to subordinate details of representation, nobody forgets how promptly the little indications of superior taste and judgment shown in the sceneries and appointments of "The Chimney Corner" were complimented; and the superb scenic effects of "Leah," at Niblo's Garden were amply acknowledged. There is nothing so comfortable as to find such legitimate opportunities as these. When it comes to a performance like that of "Secrets Worth Knowing," at Wallack's Theater, the provocation to lavish praise is simply irresistible. Such personations as those of Mr. Young, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Holland, and Mr. Mark Smith, in this play, are too unfrequent here to pass without thorough and respectful attention. We have already spoken of their particular merits; but we omitted alluding to the rather conspicuous inelegance with which the play was put upon the stage. There is, to be sure, great difficulty in producing good effects in pieces the scenes of which are several times changed during each act; but there is no question but that much greater completeness and semblance of reality might easily be afforded than those of last Thursday night. In sceneries and appointments are found the most serious deficiencies of all our theaters. Wallack's has quite a fame for improbable drawing-rooms and wildly imaginative boudoirs. Even in plays where no scene-shifting is required in the presence of the audience, we find apartments from the blank walls of which ladies and gentlemen emerge with all the ease and freedom of witches in a burlesque; the ceilings of which gape and yawn into indefinite space, instead of being neatly enclosed, and the moveables of which, sometimes rich and tasteful in themselves, are hardly ever in harmony with, or appropriate to, the scene supposed to be depicted. Excepting at the Winter Garden, in the instance of the room in "The Chimney Corner," we have seen no properly arranged ceiling in any New-York Theater. The scenery at Niblo's is unquestionably the best extant, and in the drama of "Leah" is equal to any requirement. The impression which an audience receives from such thoroughly appropriate and sympathetic decoration of any drama, can never be overestimated. In the case of which we speak, it adds vastly to the effectiveness of the acting, and contributes a good share of the vast success with which the play has met. "Leah" will not only run through the regular engagement of Miss Bateman, but will probably be continued during a part of the time which had previously been assigned to other attractions.

Mr. Couldock's engagement at the Winter Garden closes with the present week. The performance of this evening will be for the benefit of his daughter, who will appear with him in two of his most effective dramas—"The Advocate's Last Cause," and "One Touch of Nature." Miss Couldock has won much regard by her quiet and dignified personation of the part of the heroine in "The Chimney Corner," and this occasion will afford her friends the chance of manifesting their good will. The evening's entertainment will be enlivened by the dancing of Isabel Cubas, and by the representation of one act of "The French Spy."

At Wallack's theater the programme for the present week includes "The School for Scandal," "Central Park," "The Road to Ruin," "Bosom Friends," "The Lady of Lyons" and "Secrets Worth Knowing."

The stunning and affecting declaration comes from Barnum, that Miss Lavinia Warren will, after this week, no longer grace the post of public honor at his establishment, but will thereafter retire to the private station of mistress of General Tom Thumb's household. Only seven days more, therefore, are vouchsafed to the community wherein to assist at her daily levees. She will appear from 10 in the morning until 10 at evening, in company with Commodore Nutt, respecting whom no rancorous jealousy lights the bosom of the General. The other attractions of the Museum continue unabated, and a new dramatic entertainment will be launched to-day—"The Cross of Gold; or, Theresa's Vow."

A variety of other public amusements is announced for this evening in our advertising columns, among which we may call attention to the Broadway Menagerie, with its exhibitions of trained animals, and Professor Adrien's magical entertainment, at the Palace Garden, corner of Sixth avenue and Fourteenth street.

## CITY ITEMS.

THE LOST ARTS.—A lecture will be delivered this evening before the Mercantile Library Association, at Cooper Institute, by Wendell Phillips, who takes for his subject "The Lost Arts."

RISE OF DRY GOODS.—There has been a remarkable rise—remarkable even for New-York—of all kinds of dry goods used in the manufacture of ladies' dresses. The rise was particularly noticeable on Saturday, whenever any of the dear creatures attempted to cross "the slough of despond," called Broadway.

THE EARLY CLOSING MOVEMENT.—On and after this evening, all the retail shoe stores throughout the city will be closed at eight o'clock, in order that the clerks and other employees may be afforded an opportunity of attending lectures or night schools, visiting the public libraries, or otherwise entertaining themselves.

SUICIDE OF A WISCONSIN BANKER IN THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.—On Saturday, Mr. John Fitzgerald, one of the guests of the St. Nicholas Hotel, committed suicide by shooting himself with a pistol. It appears that one of the servants, in making her regular tour through the rooms on the fifth story, discovered the deceased lying on his bed in such a posture as to create alarm. She immediately gave notice to Mr. Rogers, the superintendent of the house, who at once notified Inspector Carpenter, and Captain Mount of the Eighth Precinct, who repaired to the spot, and found deceased leaning on his bed, his head resting on his hand, a pool of blood under his head, and the pistol which had been used to fire the fatal shot lying near him. Mr. Fitzgerald came to this city from his home in Wisconsin several weeks ago, being then afflicted with chronic diarrhea, and put up at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, at which time he was under medical treatment. Subsequently he removed to the St. Nicholas Hotel, where he remained till the end of his life. From information obtained at Police Headquarters, it appears that Mr. Fitzgerald was a son-in-law of ex-Gov. Doolittle (now U. S. Senator) of Wisconsin; that he was a banker in that State, worth about $500,000 clear of all incumbrances; that for some time past he has labored under the influence of an idea that he should die in a lunatic asylum, and that if he were assured of that in any manner he would take his own life. Mr. Ames, a particular friend of deceased in this city, had frequently, within the last few weeks, endeavored to direct his mind from this horrible thought. On Friday he authorized Mr. Ames to make purchases of goods to the amount of $50,000, and he was to call upon him on Saturday and make the necessary arrangements for paying for them. It appears, however, that on Friday afternoon he must have become imbued by the assurance which he most dreaded, and retired to his room fully prepared for, and resolved upon his fatal course. Eight letters were found upon his table, among them one to his wife, all carefully placed in envelopes, sealed, addressed and stamped, all ready for mailing. The last letter he is supposed to have written was dated 2½ o'clock, a. m., and was addressed to the proprietor of the St. Nicholas Hotel, requesting him to see his letters properly mailed; to see one, which was addressed to his friend, Mr. Ames, duly delivered to that gentleman, and informing him that, beside his watch, the sum of $169 would be found on his person. On searching his pockets the sum of $179 50 was found. The Coroner held an inquest on the body, when the Jury rendered a verdict of "Suicide, caused by temporary insanity."

Deceased was only 35 years of age, and leaves a wife and child to mourn his loss.

A DARING FEAT.—A woman with two little girls, one five and the other seven years old, fashionably dressed, was seen on Saturday to get out of a Ninth avenue stage, about the center of Broadway, near the Astor House. We are happy to state that they all reached the shore alive, though the woman looked very pale, and evidently felt as though she had performed a daring feat. It is needless to say that the clothing of the party was terribly Hackleyed.

ARRIVALS FROM FOREIGN PORTS DURING JANUARY.—During the past month there arrived at this port 155 American vessels, 145 British, 17 Bremen, 1 Dutch, 4 Danish, 3 French, 7 Hamburg, 1 Italian, 1 Mecklenburg, 7 Mexican, 2 Norwegian, 9 Oldenburg, 4 Prussian, 1 Portuguese, 2 Swedish, and 4 Austrian. Of this number, 23 were steamships, 71 ships, 101 barks, 97 brigs, and the remainder schooners. There were coastwise during the time 3 war steamers, 2 war vessels, 112 steamers, 7 ships, 20 barks, 21 brigs, 258 schooners, and 11 sloops. The American and foreign arrivals make a total of 803.

LYING ABOUT BROADWAY.—We saw a man yesterday lying about Broadway. He lost his footing—fortunately, he did not lose his boots—and when we saw him he was lying at full length upon a bed of very soft materials, composed of horse-droppings and melted snow in equal parts. We may add that he was not only lying, but he swore terribly about it also.

LADIES' FAIR FOR SOLDIERS' ORPHANS.—A Ladies' Fair in behalf of soldiers' orphans will be held at No. 756 Broadway, on Tuesday evening.

AN OLD PHRASE ALTERED.—A friend of ours, supposing that the old English phrase, "from Hell to Hackney," means from something bad to something worse, proposes that we Americanize the phrase, and say, "from Hell to Hackley." City readers will understand that that is the name of the man that we pay for keeping our streets so delightfully clean. If the "awful condition" of the place above mentioned is any worse than Hackley's streets, it must indeed be awful.

Charles M. Proctor, United States Consul at Vera Cruz, arrived in town a day or two ago, and is stopping at the New York Hotel. He leaves for Washington some time this week.

A. T. STEWART OPENING THE BUILDING SEASON.—Within six or eight months after the commencement of the Rebellion, there was a pretty general suspension of building operations throughout this city, the work in the interim having been confined almost entirely to the completion of warehouses that were in course of erection when the war began. Since then there have been scarcely any noticeable improvements made, and we do not know of a building of any considerable size having been erected in New-York, except at the corner of Chatham and Pearl streets. A prominent architect, who for years gave employment to sixteen or eighteen draftsmen, all of whom he was obliged to discharge, informed one of our reporters, a few days ago, that for nearly eighteen months he had not drawn a line. Matters are looking much brighter this season, and there seems to be every prospect of a busy time in the building line about the middle of May. The ball has been opened by A. T. Stewart, who is completely changing his down-town store, both inside and out. When built the side facing upon Reade street was composed of brick, the window caps and lintels being white marble. Now that side is to be taken down and reconstructed of marble, to conform with the front. The interior is also undergoing reconstruction. The rotunda is to be torn down, iron posts and girders put in, and the building made suitable for a wholesale business.

A HORSE FOUND.—A policeman in Broadway on Saturday saw the rear part of a dray sticking out of the mud near Canal street. On looking about for an owner, he saw a hat moving about near the forward end of the dray, and supposing that there was an owner to it he hailed from the curbstone and discovered that the man had just found his horse, which went down an hour previous.

MURDER AND SUICIDE ON STATEN ISLAND.—Great excitement was caused on Staten Island on Saturday morning, by a report that a murder had been committed on the grounds of the institution known as the "Sailor's Snug Harbor," which is the retreat of a large number of infirm and aged seamen. It appears that between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock that morning, as the Rev. Mr. Quinn, the pastor of the institution, was passing from the chapel to his home, he was met by Herman Engel, who accosted him with the remark that he (the pastor) had insulted him some time previous. Without waiting for an explanation or heeding the denial of the charge, Engel fired his pistol on the preacher, who fell, exclaiming, "I am shot, I am shot!" The ball entered the left breast, passed through the heart and caused almost instant death. Soon as the shot was fired, the assassin walked off a few paces, seated himself under a tree, and, raising the pistol to his face, shot away his lower jaw, injuring himself so badly that he died soon afterward. The Rev. Mr. Quinn was a very pleasant and amiable gentleman, greatly beloved by a large circle of friends, and it was supposed he had not an enemy in the world. Engel was a Norwegian by birth, and had been an inmate of the institution for many years. He was undoubtedly insane, and seems to have been afflicted with the hallucination that he had committed an awful crime, which he had confessed to Mr. Quinn, and he therefore determined to silence the tongue that might reveal his dreadful secret. Some time ago he told the gardener's wife that he (Engel) had killed his sister at Havre, a most improbable story and a proof of his insanity.

At another time he called on Mr. Quinn and asked him to take care of $20 for him, but returned soon afterward in a state of great excitement and demanded his money, saying he could take care of it himself. These, with other circumstances, go to prove that he was not in his right mind. On the morning of this sad event he was seen down on the beach practicing with his pistol by shooting at a mark. Engel was a sailor sixty years of age, a quiet, unobtrusive man, whom no person would have considered capable of such a deed. Although the Sailors' Snug Harbor is an institution which has been in operation for about half a century, and affords accommodations to upward of four hundred sailors, who come from all parts of the world, this is the first and only instance of death caused by violence within its boundaries. Would it not be a safe and discreet measure to detail two or three policemen to that institution to watch for its welfare, and prevent further outrages. Coroner Dempsey held an inquest on both bodies, and verdicts were rendered in accordance with the facts above stated.

AN APPEAL.—The German Relief Association for sick and wounded Union soldiers at Washington, D. C., will hold a Fair on the 15th of February.

The City of Washington, from its position, receives the sick and wounded of the war from all parts and in very disproportionate numbers. It is clearly beyond the means of one single city to afford to them all that relief to which they are entitled at the hands of the whole country.

The undersigned Committee, therefore, appeal with confidence to the active sympathy of the whole country, and more especially to the ladies for assistance in the above good work.

Inform our Secretary of the transmission of packages and address them to Mrs. Gen. Schurz, No. 411 Thirteenth street.

Mrs. MARG. SCHURZ,
Mrs. SOPHIE SCHIMMELPFENNIG,
Mrs. MARG. BALBACH,
REINHOLD SOLGER,
FRED. SCHMIDT,
ADOLF CLUSS, Secretary (Box No. 214).

*Washington, D. C., January, 1863.*

RETURNING PROSPERITY.—Broadway, which has lately been entirely overgrown with grass (vide Southern papers), has entirely changed its appearance. We walked two miles through it on Saturday, without discovering anything green in the whole distance, except those who were trying to use it as a thoroughfare. Decidedly, there is no grass growing in the street now, though there is a very rich foundation for a crop.

[Advertisement.]

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN who would be instructed and entertained, may join a class in PRACTICAL PHRENOLOGY, now being formed at No. 308 Broadway, where they may learn "how to read character," on scientific principles. Terms moderate. Inquire as above.

## LAW INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—JAN. 31.—Before Judge ALLEN.

SUIT FOR FALSE IMPRISONMENT.

Caldwell agt. White.

This was an action brought against the defendant, who is an attorney residing in Albany, for a false imprisonment. In 1848, the plaintiff made two assignments for the benefit of his creditors. One of these assignments was set aside, and after thirteen years litigation the order was affirmed in the Court of Appeals. The plaintiffs in that suit, Columb and Iselin, recovered a judgment for $584 50 costs against the plaintiff in this action, and the defendant, their attorney, without their knowledge, issued an execution against the plaintiff's person, upon which he was arrested. The plaintiff was discharged upon habeas corpus, and from the order discharging him the plaintiffs in that suit appealed to the General Term, where that order was affirmed. The plaintiff then brought this action for false imprisonment. In December, 1862, the defendant not appearing, the Jury assessed the plaintiff's damages at $1,000; the defendant opened this default on motion, and the case was tried and resulted in a verdict for $2,000 for the plaintiff. His honor the Judge charged the Jury that the damages was a question exclusively for them to determine, yet on the rendition of the verdict, he at once set it aside as excessive and ordered a new trial. The case was then set down for trial for the February term of this Court.

Ira D. Warren for plaintiff; R. E. Mount and W. D. White for defendant.

SPECIAL TERM.—JAN. 31.—Before Chief Justice BOSWORTH.

DECISION.

Matilda Gray, administratrix, agt. John Cook, administrator.—See opinion in the Clerk's office.

COURT OF OYER AND TERMINER—JAN. 31.—Before Justice LEONARD.

SENTENCE.

Joseph Taylor, convicted of arson in the third degree in firing premises cor. of Grand and Tompkins streets, a native of Switzerland, but a resident here for eight years, was brought up for sentence.

Mr. Clinton applied for a postponement to carry the case up on exceptions. Which was denied.

The Judge then stated that the jury having recommended the prisoner to mercy he would not sentence him to the full extent of the law, but would sentence him to imprisonment for four years and nine months at Sing Sing.

The Court then adjourned to Wednesday next at 10 o'clock.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—Jan 31.—Before Judge SHIPMAN.

INDICTMENTS.

The Grand Jury came into Court this morning and presented the following indictments:

John A. Machado for fitting out the Mary Frances, with intent to engage in the slave trade.

Oscar Morgan, for making and passing counterfeit money.

Catherine Shields and Mary McCarthy, for passing counterfeit coin.

Sarah Ann Moore for enticing soldiers to desert.

Patrick Melvehill, for grand larceny, in stealing from the U. S. Naval Hospital.

SUPERIOR COURT—GENERAL TERM—Jan. 31.—Before Justices MONCRIEF and MONELL.

DECISIONS.

The Court announced decisions in the following cases, being all the cases heard during the January term:

The Mayor, &c., of New-York, agt. Henry Erben and the New-York Life and Trust Co.; Charles H. Winfield agt. Samuel H. Potter; Wm. Marsh agt. John Wyckoff.—Judgments affirmed. (Opinion by Monell, J.)

Wm. H. Wakeman et al. agt. H. M. Gowdy.—Judgment and order reversed; new trial granted; costs to abide event. (Opinion by Monell, J.)

Thomas Lewis agt. Chas. Blake and Henry C. Sanborn.—Judgment and order affirmed. (Opinion by Monell, J.)

Theo. Moss agt. Leonard W. Jerome, impleaded, &c.—Judgment affirmed. (Opinion by Monell, J.)

Rufus K. Delafield agt. The Union Ferry Co. of Brooklyn.—Judgment reversed and new trial ordered; costs to abide event. (Opinion by Moncrief, J.)

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM.—Jan. 31. Before Judge DALY.

DECISIONS.

Berry agt. Berry—Divorce granted.

Towne agt. Mesigh et al.—Motion for new trial denied.

Niles agt. Butler.—Motion denied.

Piercy agt. Palmer.—Application to set aside supplementary proceedings denied.

Before Judge HILTON.

Smith et al. agt. The Board of Education.—Case settled.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—JAN. 31.—Before Judge MCCUNN.

James Martin, for assault with a dangerous weapon, &c., sentenced to the State Prison for two years.

Edward A. Degray, for forgery in the fourth degree, sent to the Penitentiary for one year.

Theodore Smith, for false pretenses, fined $50.

John Hawkins, for attempt at grand larceny, City Prison one day.

In the case of Joel B. Ferguson sentence was postponed, to give defendant's counsel opportunity to make a bill of exceptions on which to move for a new trial. Ferguson's friends decline to raise $1,000 for Mrs. Carter as suggested, inasmuch as, they allege, she only prosecuted him with a view to collecting the debt in that way. They prefer that he shall have a new trial, as, if they are permitted to produce all the testimony in the case, they believe that no Jury will convict him of obtaining the money under false pretenses.

COURT CALENDAR—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.—Non-enumerated motions.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—Part I.—Nos. 1223, 1261, 1317, 933, 1, 64, 17, 73, 119, 133, 135, 143, 205, 213, 237, 249, 261, 265, 279, 337. Part II.—Nos. 715½, 1030, 1068, 494½, 1139, 266, 268, 276, 222, 344, 346, 392, 448, 444, 416, 522, 578, 646, 680, 610.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM—All the Demurrers.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.—Part I.—Nos. 1065, 478, 1020, 714, 707, 92, 1068, 540½, 959, 1090, 1036, 1091, 1092, 1030, 1094. Part II.—Nos. 733, 1010, 306½, 1054, 1721, 1082, 1095, 795½, 864, 1094, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1078, 1089.

SUPERIOR COURT—Part I.—Nos. 853, 775, 1039, 1355, 1319, 3287, 3291, 3217, 3227, 3277, 2921, 2849. Part II.—Nos. 1022, 1380, 2316, 2406, 3112, 2294, 2970, 2972, 2344, 2363, 2878, 2394.

## Passengers Sailed

*In steamship Kangaroo, for Queenstown and Liverpool*—Myron Hutchinson, Jas. Bowers, Edward Davies, A. Solellan, H. V. Angibonit, W. Wylie, Lieut. Atkinson, Wm. Pilmer, Sol. Gottauer, Fred'k Rogers, Chas. Bruno, H. L. Whitman, Lucien de Lavinere and lady, J. R. Stewart, Capt. Corbett, G. J. Mills, E. B. Cobb and friend, Mr. and Mrs. Chuffant, B. S. Levy, Marks Abraham, with others in the steerage.

## Passengers Arrived

*In steamship Australasian, from Liverpool*—Dr. G. A. Lathorp, lady and two sons; Mr. Porchoff, Miss J. De Angelis, Mr. Goldie, Mr. H. Goldenburg, Mrs. Jordan, Mr. A. Dethet, Mr. A. Fastens, Miss E. Tuscoria, Mr. H. Baker, Mr. J. Baker, Mr. J. G. Stewart, Mr. H. Barrows, Mrs. Barrows, Mr. J. B. Crosin, Mr. A. Baroll, Mr. E. C. Hall, Mr. W. Arnold, Mr. J. A. Connor, Mr. O. Finken, Mr. W. G. Tuller, Mr. Merritt, Mr. T. W. Wright, Mr. J. W. Kendall, Mr. A. Bunge, Mr. D. W. Forbes, Mr. E. Herefurth, Messrs. Seligman, G. F. Riggs, Geo. Brown, D. Shaw, James Henderson, Mrs. Fellows, Mrs. C. Todd, Capt. Clarke, Mrs Clarke, three children and nurse; Miss Saunders, Messrs. Macdonald, E. L. Corning, S. Hayman, Granier, I. J. Pavy, C. Renasan, Chas. H. Thornton, James Moir, J. H. Hollister, Henry Rudge, J. L. Smith, Walker, Wolf.

*In steamship Tubal Cain, from Havana*—Capt. Brown, late of brig Estelle, captured by the privateer Florida, and 8 in the steerage.

*In bark Fanny Ealer, from New-Orleans*—John Sheffield, E. Burns.

MISCELLANEOUS ALMANAC.

Sun—Rises....7:09 | Sets.....5:19 | Moon—Sets... 6:07

HIGH WATER THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook.. 6:32 | Gov. Island... 7:22 | Hell-Gate..... 9:03

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF NEW-YORK.....JAN. 31.

### Cleared.

Steamers—Enoch Dean, Robinson, Washington, Brett, Son & Co.; Octorara, Laughlin, South Amboy; Jersey Blue, Jackaway, Philadelphia.

Ships—Yorktown, Meyer, London, Grinnell, Minturn & Co.; Herzogin von Brabant (Brem.), Bellns, Bremen, Roger Bros.; Guy Mannering, Dollard, Liverpool, R. L. Taylor; R. W. Andrews (Br.), Morton, Antwerp, W. F. Schmidt & Co.

Barks—Emma F. Chase (Br.), Doyle, Liverpool, Arthur Leary; Helen Mar, Deshon, Boston, J. Atkins & Co.; Heimdahl (Norw.), Norberg, Madeira, Funch, Meincke & Wendt; Depesch (Russ.), Prigmitz, Cork, Wm. Salem & Co.; Gazelle (Br.), Bembugh, St. Thomas, Roche, Bros. & Coffey; Growler, Ancnell, Tarragona, Tapper & Beattie; Pyrmaont, Von Hagen, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, Charles Luling & Co.

Brigs—Wappo, Wilkinson, Sagua la Grande, Welsh, Carver & Chase; Wm. A. Dresser, Dugan, Nuevitas, R. P. Buck & Co.; Clyde (Br.), Wakeman, Rotterdam, Arnell, Tufts & Co.

Schooners—Brandt (Br.), Lang, Halifax, T. S. Whitman; America, Reynolds, Providence, L. Kenny; Ira Biles, Bush, Washington; Burdett Hart, Hart, New-Haven, J. A. McSerley; James Logan, Smith, Philadelphia, Bentley, Smith & Co.; Catharine Dubois, Weaver, New-Haven; Joe Marsh, Leede, Washington; Elizabeth B. Burgess, Providence, T. B. Chase & Co.; A. Dexter, Doane, Salem, T. B. Chase & Co.; Carlos Alberto (Port.), Santana, Oporto, L. E. Ansinck & Co.; Gen. C. C. Pinckney, Gerety, Matanzas, master; Cornelius, Johnson, Washington; Eureka (Br.), Clark, Halifax, D. R. Dewolf; J. Birdsall, Hazleton, Washington; Adamantine, Beberidge, York River; Julia A. Hallock, Bayley, Beaufort, N. C., S. W. Lewis & Co.; Georgianna (Br.), Hayes, Jamaica, Kunhard & Co.; Quail, Morton, Portland, W. S. Brown & Co.; R. Bulwinkle, French, Fall River, W. S. Brown & Co.; New-York, Goodsell, Boston, J. C. Dayton.

Sloop—Lady Lake, Lake, New-Haven.

### Arrived.

Steamship Tubal Cain (Br.), Bartlett, Havana Jan. 23, sugar and cotton to A. Bigland. Jan. 26, off Mattanilla Reef, damaged the screw, and made the remainder of the passage under canvas.

Steamship Chesapeake, Willets, Portland, Me., mdse. and pass. to H. B. Cromwell & Co.

Steamer Virginia (U. S. transport), Snyder, Washington, D. C., 49 hours, in ballast to D. B. Tompkins.

Steamer Falcon, Jones, Providence, mdse. to Edward Bynner.

Steamer Westchester, Nye, Providence, mdse. to Edward Bynner.

Steamer Patroon, Jones, Philadelphia, mdse. to Leper & Kirkpatrick.

Bark C. W. Poultney, Johnson, Alexandria 12 days, and 24 hours from Cape Henry, in ballast to Montgomery Bros. Yesterday, 31st ult., at 2 p. m., saw a black bark of about 350 tons ashore near Barnegat; had all sails furled, but apparently had not been long on.

Bark Almoner (of Searsport), Lamphier, Zaza Jan. 17, sugar to F. P. Sherman & Co. Saw bark Isa, from New-York, going in.

Bark West Wind, Belger, New-Orleans 13 days, sugar, molasses, &c., to Dennis & Wyckoff. 28th inst., lat. 38 14, lon. 76, spoke bark Resolute, from New-Orleans for Boston.

Bark Fanny Ealer (of Bridgetown, N. J.), Ledge, New-Orleans 18 days, mdse. to N. E. McCurdy & Co. Had heavy weather.

Bark Bradford (of Rockland), Cables, Havana 11 days, in ballast to master.

Bark Houston, Shore, Fort Royal 72 hours, in ballast to Waxman, Dimon & Co.

Bark Jane Rose (Br., of Picton, N. S.), Kersey, Matanzas Jan. 26, sugar to master.

Brig Lizzie Garnard (Br., of Calais), Barnard, Demarara Jan. 20, lat. 30 40, lon. 73 45, in a heavy sea, rolled away head of fore and mainmasts.

Brig Abby P. Fenno (Br., of St. John, N. B.), Mussels, Manzanilla Jan. 17, cedar, &c., to Brett, Son & Co. Left ship Carlotta Jane, Hassell, from St. Jago for Europe—put in with the captain dead.

Brig Addy Swift, Avery, St. Thomas Jan. 18, in ballast to Maitland, Phelps & Co. Left U. S. ship Alabama, just arr. from a cruise.

Brig Ida M. Comery (of Thomaston), McClellan, New-Orleans 12 days, sugar to master.

Brig Rush, Baobidge, Havana 10 days, in ballast to P. N. Spofford.

Brig C. F. O'Brien, Wiley, New-Orleans 20 days, sugar and molasses to H. D. Brookman & Co.

Schr. Martha S. K. Thorne (Br., of Annapolis), Boocock, Turk's Island Dec. 31, salt to B. F. Small & Co. Has experienced heavy N. E. gales on the passage; lost some sails, split the mainsail and flying jib. Was towed to the city from off the Highlands by pilot boat Jas. Funch, No. 22.

Schr. Frances Hatch (of Castine), Parker, Gonaives Jan. 16, logwood to Miller & Houghton. Jan. 27, lat. 35 10, lon. 75, passed a number of cabin doors, planks, and other wrecked stuff.

Schr. Lovett Peacock, Lingo, Georgetown, D. C., 12 days, coal to D. Colden Murray. Has had very heavy gales, split sails, &c.

Schr. Searsville, Sears, Baltimore 4 days, mdse. to Merrill & Abbott.

Schr. Sarah E. James, Hulse, New-Orleans 13 days, sugar and molasses to B. F. Small & Co.

Schr. Ruby (of Boston), Tracy, Aguin, St. Domingo, Jan. 6, logwood to Thompson & Hunter.

Schr. Oriente (Mex.), Alcala, Campeachy, salt, &c., to M. Echeverria & Co.

Schr. Laura Gertrude, Campbell, Fernandina, in ballast to Dollner, Potter & Co.

Schr. Adele (Br.), Waycott, St. Andrews 12 days, ship timber to Jed. Frye & Co.

Schr. Sophia Ann, Smith, Wilmington, Del., 2 days, corn and flour.

Schr. John Jones, Corson, Wilmington, Del., 2 days, corn and flour.

Schr. D. R. Dewolf (Br., of St. John, N. B.), Fitzpatrick, Carthagena Jan. 7, hides and coffee to D. R. Dewolf.

Schr. Selah B. Strong, Tyler, Alexandria 5 days, in ballast to master.

Schr. Col. Satterly, Smith, Alexandria 5 days, in ballast to Jonas Smith.

Schr. Fanny Fern, Gavitt, Baltimore 13 days, corn to master.

Schr. S. J. Waring, Smith, Alexandria 2 days, in ballast to Jonas Smith.

Schr. Boccobalus, McIntosh, Newbern, N. C., 4 days, in ballast to master.

Schr. Arctic, Hicks, Washington, D. C., 5 days, flour to master.

Schr. George Dummer, Jr., Eldredge, Washington, D. C., 2 days, wood.

Schr. John M. Taylor, Richardson, Virginia 3 days, wood to A. C. Havens.

Schr. Hamilton, Ogden, Baltimore 6 days, corn and flour to Merrill & Abbott.

Schr. F. Nickerson, Henderson, Alexandria 8 days, in ballast to E. D. Hurlbut & Co.

Schr. Yorktown, Weglum, Baltimore 73 days, mdse. to Merrill & Abbott.

Schr. Emma V. Pendor, Norfolk 14 days, corn to A. C. Havens.

Schr. Montrose, Mott, Georgetown, D. C., 7 days, in ballast to Sturges, Clearman & Co.

Schr. Jonas Smith, Pierson, Alexandria 4 days, in ballast to Jonas Smith & Co.

Schr. Maryland, Knight, Baltimore 8 days, corn to master.

Schr. Enchantress, Leach, Port Royal 7 days, in ballast.

Schr. Henry P. Wood, Potter, Baltimore 3 days, coal.

Schr. Exchange, Combs, Norfolk 3 days, wood.

Schr. R. H. Vermilyea, Egbert, York River 3 days, oysters.

Schr. Geo. M. Smith, Aldrich, Norfolk 3 days, in ballast.

Schr. J. H. Youmans, Youmans, Pancoteague, wood.

Schr. David Hale, Conkling, Alexandria 7 days, wood.

Schr. L. P. Pharo, Crammer, Philadelphia 3 days, coal.

Schr. Gazelle, Hubb, Philadelphia 3 days, coal.

Schr. Mary C. Town, Cole, Baltimore 5 days, coal.

Schr. Golden Rod, Bishop, Norfolk 3 days, wood.

Schr. Alex. Lane, Wood, Virginia 3 days, wood.

Schr. W. H. Rutan, Sprague, Virginia 3 days, wood.

Schr. Charles Dennis, Tucker, Alexandria 4 days, ballast.

Schr. Trade Wind, Hill, Philadelphia 2 days, coal.

Schr. Dwight, Hill, Philadelphia 2 days, coal.

Schr. Brave, Sprague, Great Egg Harbor 3 days, wood.

Schr. Eli Townsend, Williams, Philadelphia 3 days, coal.

Schr. William, Denham, Baltimore 14 days, corn to master.

Scht. J. M. Taylor, Richardson, Chincoteague 3 days, wood.

Arrived.....SUNDAY, Feb. 1.

Steamship Columbia, Barton, from New-Orleans Jan. 25, via Havana 28, 1:15 p. m., mdse. and passengers to Spofford, Tileston & Co. Jan. 25, 10:30 a. m., passed steamship Marion, hence, going up the river. The steamship Creole, Couch, hence, arrived at Havana just as the Columbia was leaving.

Steamship Australasian (Br.), Cook, Liverpool Jan. 17, and Queenstown 18th, at 4 05 p. m., dmse. to E. Cunard. The steamships Great Eastern, hence, and the Europa from Boston, arrived at Liverpool Jan. 17th; Jan. 27, Lat. 46 30 Lon. 47 30, passed large quantities of field ice.

Steamer Osprey, Aldrich, Providence, mdse. to Edward Bynner.

Steamer Sea Gull, Kenney, Providence, mdse. to Edward Bynner.

Ship Vanguard, Keith, Vera Cruz, Jan. 8, via S. W. Pass 17in. ballast, to Howland & Aspinwall.

Bark Garibaldi, Hoyt, New-Orleans, 14 days; sugar, &c., to H. D. Brookman & Co.

Bark Voltiguer, Blye, New-Orleans 15 days, ballast.

Brig Georgia, E. Letson (Br., of Miramichi), Blatchford, Aspinwall 40 days, hides, cocoanuts, &c., to Handy & Hoadley. Experienced very heavy weather, split sails, &c. Was 15 days with close-reefed topsails.

Brig Mary Cobb, Duncan, Port Royal 4 days, in ballast to F. M. Bixby & Co.

Brig Suwanee, Munroe, Vera Cruz Dec. 25, via Key West, 11 days, ballast, to master.

Brig Hamden (of Bangor), Nickerson, St. Marc Jan. 8, logwood to Brett, Son & Co.

Schr. Stag (Br., of Maitland, N. S.), McComber, Dry Harbor, Jamaica, Jan. 9, coffee and pimento to J. S. Whitney & Co.

Schr. E. C. Scribner, Hall, Washington, D. C., 4 days, corn to Baldwin & Johnson.

Schr. E. R. Bennett (3-masted), Irving, Port Royal 3 days, in ballast to master.

Schr. Queen of the South (3-masted), Corson, Washington, D. C., 3 days, in ballast to N. L. McCready.

Schr. John C. Henry, Law, Philadelphia, coal for New-Haven.

Schr. Snow Flake,