HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

Victoria Hotel—J. S. D. Thompson, Minister of Justice of Canada, and Congressman W. Bourke Cockran.....*Fifth Avenue Hotel*—Congressmen Nathan Goff, of West Virginia, William Whiting, of Massachusetts, and James J. Belden, of Syracuse; ex-Senator Parson C. Cheney, of New-Hampshire; ex-Governor R. A. Alger, of Michigan, and Church Howe, of Nebraska.....*New-York Hotel*—Assistant Postmaster-General A. Leo Knott.....*Windsor Hotel*—Judge C. S. Bradley, of Providence, and Miss Murfree, the authoress.....*Union Square Hotel*—General Thomas S. Rosser, of Virginia....*Gilsey House*—A. M. Clapp and Gardiner G. Hubbard, of Washington.....*Brevoort House*—Joseph Hickson, of Montreal.....*Hotel Brunswick*—John F. Andrew, of Boston.....*Westminster Hotel*—K. Kawakami, the new Japanese Consul at New-York.....*Coleman House*—General John C. Robinson, of Binghamton.....*St. James Hotel*—Ignatius C. Grubb, of Delaware.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Telephone Investigating Committee, Coal and Iron Exchange Building, 10 a. m.
Poultry and Toy Dog Show, Madison Square Garden.
Court of Inquiry, Navy Yard, 10 a. m.
Republican Investigating Committee, Cooper Union, 8 p. m.
Geddes will case, Surrogate's Court, 4:30 p. m.
Annual banquet of Medico-Legal Society, Hotel Buckingham, 9:30 p. m.
Workingwomen's meeting, Pythagoras Hall, 8 p. m.
Committee on Centennial Celebration, Mayor Hewitt's office.
Gallmdet Club annual ball, Adelphi Hall, evening.
Brooklyn Academy of Photography, No. 99 Park place, Brooklyn, 8 p. m.
Brigade Board of Examiners, 7th Regiment Armory, 8 p. m.
Fair in aid of Boys' boarding School in China, First Presbyterian Church.
Competitive examinations for police captains and sergeants before Civil Service Board.
Professor Ober before American Geographical Society, Chickering Hall, 8 p. m.
The Rev. Dr. J. C. Eccleston's lecture, St. Peter's Hall, 8 p. m.
Masonic fair, Masonic Temple.

NEW-YORK CITY.

A sale of attractive fancy articles suitable for holiday gifts is now open at the rooms of the Young Women's Christian Association No. 7 East Fifteenth-st.

The Breslin Fund now amounts to $1,840 50.

Officers of the Leather Manufacturers' National Bank refused to explain the advertisement in which a reward of $300 was offered for the return of a lost pocket-book with its contents. It was said, in effect, that it was only an ordinary accident.

Dr. D. W. C. Ward, school inspector of the Twelfth Ward, with President J. Edward Simmons, of the Board of Education, visited Grammer School No. 39 yesterday. Dr. Ward gave to the boys' department a handsome American ensign for superiority in marching and military discipline. Mr. Simmons made a speech.

The new panorama of the battle of Gettysburg at Fourth-ave. and Eighteenth-st. will be opened a few days before Christmas under the direction of Edward Brandrs who has already been identified with other enterprises of the kind. The cost of the building, canvas and other accessories is over $200,000, while the land occupied is valued at $500,000. The panorama is the work of Paul Philippoteaux and the subject is one which should command the interest of every American.

The Rev. Edward J. Flynn of St. Agnes Roman Catholic Church in East Forty-third-st., has been appointed by Archbishop Corrigan rector of St. Mary's Church, Williamsbridge.

The chess championship of Columbia College was won by Breckenridge, S. of L. who defeated Hines, '91. The contest for the second prize will begin to-morrow evening.

The annual dinner of the New-York Alumni of Hamilton College is to be given at the Hoffman House to-morrow evening. Senators Payne and Hawley, the Rev. Dr. Bartlett of Washington, Daniel Huntington, Elihu Root, General Elmer, Dr. Ellinwood, Judge Truax, Professor Theodore W. Dwight, the Rev. Dr. Thomas S. Hastings, John Cochrane, Professor Edward North of Hamilton, Judge Bacon, Theodore Pomeroy, Daniel Ellis of Cleveland, the Rev. George William Knox of the Imperial University of Tokio, Japan, and many of the younger Alumni will be present, and brief after-dinner speeches will be made by some of these gentlemen. John Jay Knox will preside.

The Irish Brigade Veteran Association will submit this inscription to the Gettysburg Monument Committee:

"The Brigade participated in every battle of the Army of the Potomac in which the second Corps was engaged from Fair Oaks, June 1, 1862, to Appomatox, April 9, 1865."

The Evangelical Knowledge Society, (Protestant Episcopal) met yesterday, the Rev. Dr. L. W. Bancroft presiding. John H. Earle of this city was chosen president. There were few changes in the other offices.

BROOKLYN.

Charles Williams will lecture to-night on "Scenes from Six Campaigns," at the Young Men's Christian Association Building.

Moses Engle resigned as a district Alderman yesterday and was appointed by the Mayor a Justice of the Peace to succeed Sheriff-elect Rhinehart until May 1, when the term for which he was recently elected will begin.

Mrs. Amelia Greenwood Murphy, widow of Henry C. Murphy, died on Monday. She was seventy-five years old and survived her husband, whom she married in 1833, about three years. Her charitable work was widespread. The Rev. Dr. Charles H. Hall will conduct the funeral to-morrow.

Nathaniel Cummings, of No. 198 South Second-st., is lying in a critical condition at the Eastern District Hospital with a fractured skull and other injuries, received in a fight with Michael Nichols, at No. 128 Hope-st. Nichols was arrested.

An order was secured yesterday by Joseph Ryan, owner of the Clinton House in Fulton-st., requiring the Kings County Elevated Railroad Company to institute proceedings within thirty days for the condemnation of his property rights, which, he claims, will be invaded by the operation of the road.

The Ours Association of Trinity Episcopal Church, in the East New-York part of Brooklyn, which Rector Boss recently advised to disband, has resolved not to break up but to continue its work.

Hugh Scullin, age seventy, of No. 417 Manhattan-ave., fell from a fourth story window early yesterday morning, and was not found until several hours afterward. He received injuries from which he is not expected to recover.

Clarence D. Mackenzie Post No. 390, G. A. R., has elected the following officers: Commander, George R. Baldwin; senior vice-commander, Daniel J. Carey; junior vice-commander, H. G. Chapin; quartermaster, John T. Rapelje; surgeon, Dr. John Rankin; chaplain, William M. Rome; officer of the day, John R. Kimball; officer of the guard, G. D. Cunliff; delegate to department encampment, Alexander Thomson; alternate, James Swift.

NEWS FROM THE SUBURBS.

NEW-JERSEY.

Anton Frey and Anton Swantezky, of Passaic, went to Carlstadt on Thanksgiving Day armed with slungshots and looking for fight. They found what they wanted in a liquor shop, where Albert Smith was struck on the head. Some days later it was found that his skull was fractured, and his condition has lately become critical. Constable Weddell was sent to arrest the Passaic men and captured Frey.

Horse thieves made a raid in Bergen County on Monday night. A. W. Ackerman, of Saddle River, and H. T. Carmon, of Hackensack, lost valuable animals. The stable of ex-Sheriff Brinkerhoff at Rutherford was robbed of a horse on the same night.

A workman named Casey entered the building in Boonton in which was the gasometer of the silk mill of Pelgram & Meyer on Monday and left a lighted lantern at the door. Owing to a draught the gas ignited, and the gasometer blew up. The building was destroyed. Casey was badly burned. The gasometer was insured, but will probably not be rebuilt, as it is intended to introduce the electric light.

Perth Amboy is suffering from a water famine. Water is furnished only during half the day by the distributing company.

The recount of the vote for County Clerk of Union County was concluded yesterday afternoon before Judge Van Syckel. It resulted in additional gains for Crowell, Democrat, who was declared elected last month by a plurality of 13. The net gain by the recount was 16, making the plurality over Oliver, Republican, 29.

JERSEY CITY.

What was probably the final meeting of the joint Board of Pollution was held yesterday afternoon at the office of the Board of Public Works. The Board consists of three members from Newark and three from Jersey City and it was charged with the duty of preventing the pollution of the Passaic River. At a conference of the Newark Aqueduct Board it was decided to withdraw its members from the Pollution Board and to end the existence of the joint board on December 31. The Newark Board will meet next Wednesday and appoint a committee to act in conjunction with Mayor Haynes, as an independent Pollution Board. Jersey City will be obliged to pursue a similar course and there will then be two Pollution Boards instead of one. River Inspector Leake reported that since the last meeting he had taken three dead dogs and two dead cats from the river. He found that the water was not as good as last month.

Burglars entered the basement of St. Michael's Church on Monday night, rifled the poor boxes of their contents, and took a crown from the statue of the Blessed Virgin of little intrinsic value. They also broke open the Tabernacle door, but did not find anything, as the sacred vessels are removed to a place of safety every day.

NEWARK.

Patrick Reilly, who was stabbed on Sunday morning by James Leary, is improving in the hospital and it is thought he will recover.

The statement of the Rev. Hugh O. Pentecost in his sermon last Sunday that he had stated at the time of his call to the church that he was not orthodox, has excited much feeling among the congregation. It is alleged that if the fact had been communicated to the congregation, Mr. Pentecost would never have been called to the church.

Charles Lewis, colored, was tried in the Special Sessions yesterday for assault and battery with intent to kill. He fired a shot at Susan Brown, colored, last October and afterward fired several shots at the woman's house. Lewis told the court that he had been a minister of the gospel and his wife had ruined him. She drove him to drink and wouldn't let him lead a Christian life. He was convicted of simple assault.

RAHWAY.

Captain Frank L. Sheldon, of Company F, 3d Regiment, has resigned. At a meeting of the company on Monday night a strong movement was started for the election of Lieutenant J. C. Shailer.

Ex-Councilman Leonard received this week an ambrotype picture which had been taken from the body of his brother-in-law, George Fields, who was killed at the battle of Chancellorsville, by an Alabamian, who had the ambrotype in his possession ever since. It was a picture of the dead soldier's wife and daughter, who were relatives of Mr. Leonard's wife.

PATERSON.

About 1 o'clock yesterday morning the one-story silk-throwing mill of Peter Ryan, at Nos. 119 and 121 Lewis-st., was destroyed by fire. Mr. Ryan's residence adjoining was slightly damaged. Mr. Ryan estimates his loss at $1,500 on stock, machinery and fixtures, on which there is $800 insurance, and $1,500 on the building, insured also for $800.

Ex-Senator G. A. Hobart, receiver of the Ivanhoe Company's Paper Mill, has secured from Vice-Chancellor Van Fleet a further extension of eight weeks in which to run the works and see what can be realized in this way.

PLAINFIELD.

Councilman Tunis Johnson Carey has been appointed by the City Common Council to fill the vacant office of Chief of Police.

Lewis Henry Peterson, recently elected Justice of the Peace by First Ward Republicans, is a good-looking negro, the second colored man thus honored in the State. Mr. Peterson is fifty-one years of age, and his brother, Thomas Manly, age sixty-one, of Perth Amboy, is said to be the first negro to cast his ballot in this country.

A Blaine Glee Club is in process of organization. It will consist of a double quartette of male voices.

ELIZABETH.

The resignation of Councilman Bauer, Republican, of the Fourth Ward, who has been for some time past in California, has created considerable excitement. A special meeting of the Common Council was held on Monday night to take action on the resignation, and a special election was ordered to be held December 28. The ward is close politically, and if the Democrats elect their candidate, it will make the new council a tie. A large number of appointments are to be made by the incoming Council, among them City Attorney, Street Commissioner, City Clerk and Chief of Police and Overseer of the Poor. The Democrats hope to secure some of the offices if they elect their candidate.

The Amoskeag Company has finished two new hose carriages for the Fire Department. On Monday night they were inspected by the Fire Committee of the Common Council and formally accepted by the city. They will be used by Rollo Company No. 2 and Red Jacket No. 4.

The freight steamer Greenwich, running to New-York, has been temporarily laid off for repairs. Heavy copper plates will be placed on the hull for protection from the ice.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

The house of Dr. Byington at Croton was entered by burglars on Monday night and two silver watches, an overcoat and $20 in money were stolen.

At a meeting of the trustees of New-Rochelle on Monday evening it was decided to have a bill drawn up for presentation to the Legislature, authorizing the construction of sewers, and that the bill be previously submitted to the citizens for their approval on December 27.

The trustees of Mount Vernon have adopted a resolution requiring the houses to be numbered in anticipation of the establishment of a free letter carrier delivery.

LONG ISLAND.

Mrs. Brower's injuries have not yet resulted in her death. Yesterday her condition was so much improved that the doctors expressed hopes of her ultimate recovery. No special efforts are being taken by the authorities to discover whether the crime was the work of strangers or not. Neither the District Attorney nor the Coroner has put any detective on the case. An inquiry will be held in the matter at Bellmore to-day.

ALONG THE SOUND.

The Bridgeport Thirteen Club, which had its seventeenth monthly dinner last evening, has a membership of sixty-five.

Chaplain in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Rev. Colonel Anderson, of Norwalk, will sail for the Bermudas on December 31.

The South Norwalk Congregational Society will meet on Friday to consider plans for a new church to cost $50,000.

CLEARED BY A LEGAL TECHNICALITY.

Patrolman Louis Selig, of Captain Allaire's precinct, was placed on trial yesterday before Judge Gildersleeve in the Court of General Sessions on a charge of extorting money from Mrs. Mary Krumm, who kept a liquor store, concert hall, and lodging house at No. 167 Chrystie-st. Captain Allaire and several of his officers were present in uniform, and many of the officers of the precinct who were off duty and in citizens' clothes were in the rear seats. Selig is tall and stout with a bald head and a black drooping mustache.

Mrs. Krumm on cross examination admitted that in 1886, the license of both places was in the name of a man to whom her husband had given a bill of sale. "I was standing at the door of the house on one evening in November, 1886," she said, "when Officer Selig came up to me and said, I hear that you have thieves in your house. I said that we had not. He said 'well I can shut up the place anyway.' He said afterward something about my being able to fix the matter. I said, 'Do you mean by giving you money.' He said 'Yes' and I gave him two dollars." She testified that she gave Selig $2 and $3 on other occasions. Her daughter, Mamie Krumm, testified that she saw her mother give Selig money on one or two occasions.

When Assistant District Attorney Bedford said that the evidence for the prosecution was closed, W. F. Howe, who with Charles Stecker defended Selig, moved that Judge Gildersleeve advise the jury to acquit. He pointed out that the indictment charged threats by Selig to complain that Mrs. Krumm and her husband kept their liquor store open on Sunday, sold liquor on Sunday, and violated the amusement law. There was no evidence of those particular threats, and the testimony was to the effect that the Krummes did not even the place. Judge Gildersleeve said that the evidence tended to show the commission of some offence but there was no evidence of the particular acts charged. Selig was discharged.

DR. MACARTHUR'S CHOIR GIVE A CONCERT.

A concert was given last evening at the Calvary Baptist Church by the choir of the church, assisted by Mrs. Carl E. Matter, pianist, and Adolf Hartdegen, violoncellist, under the direction of Miss Kate S. Chittenden, organist of the church. The programme was in two parts, the first half being a miscellaneous concert, and the last a "Scriptural Idyll" entitled "Rebekah," with the following cast: Rebekah, Mrs. Evelina Hartz; Isaac, D. A. Hymes; Eliezer, C. J. Bushnell. A large audience was present and expressed their appreciation by frequent applause.

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MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

TO-DAY.

Sun rises, 7:13 | Sets, 4:30 | Moon rises 6:14 | Moon's age, 29

HIGH WATER.

A.M.—Sandy Hook, 6:57 | Gov. Isl'd, 7:07 | Hell Gate, 8:56
P.M.—Sandy Hook, 7:39 | Gov. Isl'd, 7:44 | Hell Gate, 9:33

OUTGOING STEAMERS.

TUESDAY, DEC. 13.

Vessel.	Line.	For.	Mails close.	Vessel sails.
Holland	National	London		6 am
Republic	White Star	Liverpool	2 am	5 am
Trave	N G Lloyd	Bremen via Southton	3 am	8 am
Mexico	Span Trans	Havana	1 pm	3 pm
THURSDAY, DEC. 15.				
State of Nebraska	State	Glasgow		7 am
Rugia	Hamb-Amer	Hamburg		8 am
City of Atlanta	Alexandre	Havana, &c	1 pm	3 pm
SATURDAY, DEC. 17.				
Aurania	Cunard	Liverpool	4 am	7 am
Ohio	Inman	Liverpool		7 am
Devonia	Anchor	Glasgow	4 am	7 am
Geiser	Thingvalla	Copenhagen	4 am	7 am
California	Carr	Hamburg		11:30 am
Prinsland	Neth-Amer	Rotterdam	4 am	7 am
Westernland	Red Star	Antwerp	4 am	7 am
La Normandie	French Trans	Havre	4 am	7 am
Clarified	Atlas	Costa Rica	11 am	1 pm
Caracas	Red D	Laguayra	11 am	1 pm
Barracouta	Atlantic & W I	Barbadoes	8 am	10 am
San Marcos	Ward's	Havana		3 pm

INCOMING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	From.	Line.
Finland	Liverpool	National
Devonia	Glasgow	Anchor
Taormina	Hamburg	Carr
City of Washington	Havana	Alexandre
THURSDAY, DEC. 15.		
State of Pennsylvania	Glasgow	State
Island	Copenhagen	Thingvalla
Athos	Jamaica	Atlas
FRIDAY, DEC. 16.		
Canada	London	National
Adriatic	Liverpool	White Star
Pennsylvania	Liverpool	Inman
Saale	Bremen & Southampton	N G Lloyd
Cienfuegos	Cienfuegos	Warre

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-YORK.....TUESDAY, DEC. 13, 1887.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Mingula (Br), Evans, Swansea Nov 30, with mdse to James Arkell & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 2 a m.

Steamer Crystal (Br), Stannard, Leith Nov 10, London 25, with mdse to Simpson, Spence & Young. Arrived at the Bar at 1:30.

Steamer Alesia (Fr), Validati, Marseilles Nov 16, Malta 18, Gibraltar 23, with mdse and 4 passengers to J W Elwell & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 11:30 a m.

Steamer Vortumnus (Br), Cook, St Anns Bay Jan Port Maria 6 days, with fruit to G Wessels & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 6:30 a. m.

Steamer Lampasas, Crowell, Galveston 6 days, with mdse and passengers to C H Mallory & Co.

Steamer Chalmette, Deane, Jacksonville 3 days, via Charleston, with mdse and passengers to Wm P Clyde & Co.

Steamer Richmond, Jenney, Newport News, with mdse and passengers to Old Dominion S S Co.

Steamer Wilkesbarre, Cates, Boston for Port Johnson.

Bark Nina (Nor), Hansen, Pernambuco 43 days, with sugar to order; vessel to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Granada, Hoag, Laguna 34 days, with mdse to Thebaud Bros; vessel to B F Metcalf & Co.

SUNSET.—At Sandy Hook, wind light, W; clear. At City Island, wind light, WNW; cloudy.

☞ Steamer Arizona (Br), from Liverpool (previously reported), brings 578 passengers. Arrived at the Bar at 10:30 p m.

Arrived yesterday:

Bark Elvina, Curtis, Laguna 30 days, with mahogany to F Neanger; vessel to B F Metcalf & Co.

CLEARED.

Steamer Lydian Monarch (Br), Buggett, London—Sanderson & Son.

Steamer Republic (Br), Dansley, Liverpool via Queenstown—J Bruce Ismay.

Steamer Crown (Br), Lord, Leith—Simpson, Spence & Young.

Steamer Excelsior, Higgins, New-Orleans—J T Van Sicklen.

Steamer Yemassee, Platt, Charleston and Fernandina—Wm P Clyde & Co.

Steamer Tallahassee, Fisher, Savannah—Henry Yonge, jr.

Steamer Benefactor, Tribou, Wilmington, N C—Wm P Clyde & Co.

Steamer Seneca, Walker, Norfolk, Newport News and West Point, Va—Old Dominion SS Co.

Steamer Herman Winter, Hallett, Boston—H F Dimock.

Ship Clara Robertson (Br), Wilson, Shanghai—Vernon H Brown & Co.

Bark Cape City (Br), McMillan, Borneo—Carter, Hawley & Co.

Bark Lazzaro Bianchi (Ital), Dell Orso, Pasages, Spain—Austin Baldwin & Co.

Bark Cerise (Nor), Unger, Rouen, Fr—Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Elche (Br), Oxnigren, Georgetown, Demerara—Leaycraft & Co.

Brig Arcadia, Woodward, Bridgetown, Barbadoes—H Trowbridge's Sons.

SAILED.

Steamers Alaska, for Liverpool; Galileo, Hull; Excelsior, New-Orleans; Tallahassee and Carondelet, Savannah; Seneca, Newport News; Breakwater, West Point, Va.

Ship Colchester, for London.

Barks Marie, for Hamburg; Byrdo, Bordeaux; Union, Exmouth; Formosa, Rosario; Nicanor, Montevideo.

Brig Harriet G, for Gibara.

THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

FOREIGN PORTS.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec 13—Arrived, steamer Arabic (Br), Burton, from New-York Dec 3 on her way to Liverpool (and proceeded).

GLASGOW, Dec 13—Arrived, steamer State of Nevada (Br), Stewart, from New-York.

LAHN, Dec 10—Sailed, steamer State of Georgia (Br), Moodie, from Glasgow hence for New-York.

LIZARD, Dec 13—Passed, steamer Noordland (Belg), Nickels, from New-York Dec 3 on her way to Antwerp.

CHRISTIANSAND, Dec 8—Sailed, steamer Island (Dan), Skjodt, for New-York.

HAMBURG, Dec 13—Arrived, steamer Lessing (Ger), Barends, from New-York.

HAVRE, Dec 13—Sailed, steamer Rhetia (Ger), Vogelgesang, from Hamburg hence for New-York.

(For Later Shipping News, if any, see Fifth Page.)

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