LONG BRANCH RAILROAD WAR.

Judge Scudder, at Freehold, N. J., yesterday, upon application of the West End Railroad Company, appointed Senator Hendrickson, of Middletown; James E. Lippincott, of Long Branch, and William Hathaway, of Deal Beach, commissioners to assess damages to land on the proposed route of the road, which has been surveyed from the New Jersey Southern Railroad depot along a branch of that road in the rear of the Ocean Hotel; thence along a small stream known as Long Branch, running about an eighth of a mile west of the Mansion and United States Hotel, and crossing Second and Pavilion avenues at their junction, passing about two hundred feet west of the Germania Hotel, through Sheriff Brown's meadow, and, as before stated, through the property of Lester Wallack, terminating near the west end platform of the Central road. Considerable opposition was made on the part of the latter road, because the building of the new road would seriously affect the all rail route, as passengers in the summer would prefer the sail down the bay and the short trip along the shore in the cars to travelling fifty miles through the dust from Jersey City. Some little opposition was made on the part of several property owners, but the Judge overruled all objections. Sheriff Brown, W. S. Sneden and a number of witnesses were examined as to the necessity of the road. The writer was informed that many of the land grants are already settled, as some of the hotel owners are interested in the proposed railway. The commissioners appointed are large property owners in different parts of Monmouth county.

MERCANTILE LIBRARY ELECTION.

The election of officers for the Mercantile Library Association came off yesterday, and there being only one ticket in the field no excitement marked the event. The following directors to fill vacancies in the first class, to serve for three years, were elected:—Messrs. William H. Guion, Jr., president; George D. Ferrar, vice president; W. D. Searls, treasurer; Seymour A. Bunce, secretary. The members of the Board of Directors who hold over in office are:—Messrs. Charles W. Hall, corresponding secretary; Samuel Putnam, recording secretary, and C. F. Allen, A. M. Eagleson, C. S. Arthur, A. W. Wetmore, Jr.; J. C. Palmer and J. McCauley.

The election for Trustees of the Clinton Hall Association, who hold the building in trust for the use and benefit of the Mercantile Library Association, took place between twelve o'clock noon and one P. M. The following gentlemen were elected to form the Board of Trustees for the ensuing year:—Messrs. Isaac H. Bailey, Hugh N. Camp, M. C. D. Borden, Cornelius N. Bliss, Henry A. Oakley and Charles H. Isham.

CUSTER'S FIELD GLASS.

About eighteen months ago, while Senator Christiancy, of Michigan, was in the South investigating the election frauds, he paid a visit to General Wade Hampton, and the conversation drifted into war reminiscences. Among other military personages, General Hampton spoke of General Custer, and expressed his appreciation of the dead hero in the highest terms. Senator Christiancy replied that he was well acquainted with all of General Custer's family, having known him from childhood. Then General Hampton remarked that during the war, some of the soldiers of his command at the Battle of Brandywine had captured a field glass belonging to General Custer and given it to him, and he (General Hampton) had used it during the last two years of the conflict. Senator Christiancy was asked if he thought Mrs. Custer would like to have the glass. The Senator said "Yes," and at once wrote to Mrs. Custer about the matter. She sent a letter to General Hampton, saying that she would doubly appreciate the relic because it had been the property of two brave men, and she added that her husband had been an admirer of General Hampton. The latter sent word that as soon as he could get the glass brought down from his mountain home he would forward it, and the historic glass is now on its way to Monroe, Mich., the home of Mrs. Custer, where she has a large collection of war souvenirs arranged in a cabinet.

THE CHARGES AGAINST MRS. TILTON.

While there seems to be no doubt that the Examining Committee of Plymouth Church will take action in regard to the formal charges preferred by a lady member of the congregation against Mrs. Tilton for having, as alleged, uttered slanderous expressions about Mr. Beecher, no effort has as yet been made to convene the committee for the purpose indicated. Assistant Pastor Halliday, who is clerk of the committee, is absent from Brooklyn and is not expected home until the latter part of next week. Mr. S. V. White said it was probable the committee would meet next Friday for the purpose of considering the charges, as the presence of Mr. Halliday was not absolutely necessary on such an occasion, a majority of the members forming a quorum at any time. He thought it likely that the members would meet in the trustees' room connected with the church.

OBITUARY.

JOHN W. STEPHENS.

Mr. John W. Stephens, agent for many years of the Boston Marine Fire Insurance Company, and a gentleman universally esteemed in the business and social circles in which he moved, died after a brief illness at his residence, in South Boston, May 17, in the fifty-eighth year of his age. He was a native of Cork, Ireland, and a brother-in-law of Mayor Scott, of that city. He settled in Boston at an early age, and grew up to establish himself in the friendly acquaintance and kindly favor of the best people of that city. He united to active business habits a warm social temperament and a diffusive benevolence that made him very popular.

REV. MR. CARTER ILL.

The Rev. Abraham B. Carter, of No. 475 Lexington avenue, pastor of the Church of the Holy Saviour, No. 40 East Twenty-fifth street, was suddenly taken ill last night at Madison avenue and Fifty-seventh street. He was removed to St. Luke's Hospital.

PUBLIC SAFETY SATISFIED.

Coroner Flanagan yesterday held an inquest in the case of the boy Antonio Stubing, who was run over and killed by stage No. 32 of the Madison avenue line on the 8th inst., at the corner of Delancey and Allen streets. The jury in their verdict took occasion to "recommend that the proprietors of the said line direct their drivers to be more careful in future."

SHIPPING NEWS

OCEAN STEAMERS.

DATES OF DEPARTURE FROM NEW YORK FOR THE MONTHS OF MAY AND JUNE.

Steamer.	Sails.	Destination.	Office.
Algeria	May 22	Liverpool	4 Bowling Green
Australia	May 22	London	7 Bowling Green
Canada	May 22	Havre	69 Broadway
City of Chester	May 23	Liverpool	31-33 Broadway
State of Nevada	May 23	Glasgow	72 Broadway
Italy	May 23	London	69 Broadway
Java	May 23	Antwerp	52 Broadway
Frisia	May 23	Hamburg	61 Broadway
California	May 25	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Adriatic	May 25	Liverpool	37 Broadway
Egypt	May 25	Liverpool	39 Broadway
Mass	May 25	Rotterdam	50 Broadway
Hohenzollern	May 25	Bremen	2 Bowling Green
Montana	May 28	Liverpool	29 Broadway
Russia	May 28	Liverpool	4 Bowling Green
Pereire	May 29	Havre	55 Broadway
City of Montreal	May 30	Liverpool	31-33 Broadway
State of Virginia	May 30	Glasgow	72 Broadway
Herder	May 30	Hamburg	61 Broadway
Britannic	June 1	Liverpool	37 Broadway
Helvetia	June 1	Liverpool	69 Broadway
Ethiopia	June 1	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Mosel	June 4	Bremen	2 Bowling Green
Wisconsin	June 4	Liverpool	29 Broadway
Alsatia	June 5	London	7 Bowling Green
Scythia	June 5	Liverpool	4 Bowling Green
Holland	June 5	London	69 Broadway
Ville de Paris	June 5	Havre	55 Broadway
Celtic	June 6	Liverpool	37 Broadway
State of Georgia	June 6	Glasgow	72 Broadway
Lessing	June 6	Hamburg	39 Broadway
Spain	June 8	Liverpool	69 Broadway
Bolivia	June 8	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Lahn	June 8	Bremen	2 Bowling Green
City of Berlin	June 8	Liverpool	31-33 Broadway
Nevada	June 11	Liverpool	29 Broadway
Abyssinia	June 12	Liverpool	4 Bowling Green
Wieland	June 13	Hamburg	61 Broadway
Anglana	June 15	Liverpool	69 Broadway
Victoria	June 15	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Donau	June 15	Bremen	2 Bowling Green
Wyoming	June 18	Liverpool	29 Broadway
Idaho	June 26	Liverpool	29 Broadway
	FROM PHILADELPHIA.		
Nederland	May 22	Antwerp	307 Walnut st

ALMANAC FOR NEW YORK—THIS DAY.

SUN AND MOON.			HIGH WATER.	
Sun rises	4 37		Sandy Hook	eve 12 06
Sun sets	7 16		Gov Island	eve 12 51
Moon rises	— —		Hell Gate	eve 2 36

HERALD YACHT WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

May 21.	Hour	Bar. Inch.	Ther. Deg.	Wind.	State of Weather.
Horseshoe	Noon	30 05	68	W	Partly cloudy.
Bar	4 PM	30 00	70	W	Partly cloudy.
Lightship	8 PM	30 00	63	WNW	Partly cloudy.
Sandy Hook	12 PM	30 00	60	NW	Partly cloudy.

PORT OF NEW YORK, MAY 21, 1878.

ARRIVALS.

REPORTED BY THE HERALD STEAM YACHTS AND HERALD WHITESTONE TELEGRAPH LINE.

Steamer Russia (Br), Cook, Liverpool May 11 and Queenstown 12th, with mdse and passengers to C G Francklyn. May 13, lat 51, lon 16 55, passed ship Kendrick, Fish, from Liverpool for Baltimore; 16th, lat 46 50, lon 39 57, a Cunard steamer, bound E; 20th, lat 41 20, lon 64 52, an Inman steamer, bound E.

Steamer Ethiopia (Br), Campbell, Glasgow May 11 and Moville 12th, with mdse and passengers to Henderson Bros.

Steamer State of Virginia (Br), Moodie, Glasgow May 10 and Lame 12th, with mdse and passengers to Austin, Baldwin & Co. Had moderate weather, with E to NE winds; May 20, 304 miles E of Sandy Hook, passed a vessel showing signals QRPN; also 65 miles E of do, a German bark showing signals KLTR.

Steamer Herder (Ger), Brandt, Hamburg May 8 and Havre 11th, with mdse and 408 passengers to Kunhardt & Co.

Steamer Pereire (Fr), Daure, Havre May 11, with mdse and passengers to L de Bebian. Had very stormy weather from the 12th to the 17th, thence fresh NE winds and heavy sea; May 13, lat 40 21, lon 16 30, passed bark William (Br), from New York for Havre; 16th, lat 46 40, lon 38 45, bark Margie (of Yarmouth, NS), bound E; 19th, lat 41 38, lon 62 05, bark Ava (Rus), from Philadelphia for Stockholm; same day, lat 41 51, lon 60 05, steamer Baltic (Br), hence for Liverpool.

Steamer Niagara, Curtis, Havana May 17; sugar, tobacco and passengers to Jas E Ward & Co. May 20, 1 PM, lat 32 30, lon 78 18, exchanged signals with schr Chillon (Br), from Jamaica for New York.

Steamer New Orleans, Halsey, New Orleans 6 days, with mdse and passengers to Clark & Seaman.

Steamer City of Savannah, Mallory, Savannah May 18, with mdse and passengers to Geo Yonge.

Steamer Charleston, Lockwood, Charleston May 18, with mdse to J W Quintard & Co.

Steamer Isaac Bell, Lawrence, Richmond, &c, with mdse to the Old Dominion Steamship Company.

Ship Saracen (of London), Le Boeuf, Manila Jan 24, with mdse to F Speiss & Co. Passed Anjer Feb 8, Cape of Good Hope March 18 and crossed the Equator April 16 in lon 35 W; lost the NE trades April 25 in lat 17 31 N, lon 55 W; afterward light airs and calms, with a heavy gale from NW on the 16th inst.

Ship Neptun (Ger), Meyer, Liverpool via Savannah 10 days, in ballast to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Admiral Tegetthoff (Ger), Rehor, Liverpool 30 days, in ballast to Wallin, Toll & Co. May 6, lat 43 01, lon 43 54, passed a Norwegian bark bound E, showing letters JBLT or JLBT; 8th, lat 41 44, lon 48 42, a British bark bound E, showing letters NKJR; 9th, lat 41 32, lon 51 37, passed a nun buoy painted red.

Bark Emilia (Nor), Moller, Liverpool April 10, in ballast to C Tobias & Co. Anchored in Gravesend Bay for orders.

Bark Zanrak (Nor), Aalholm, Liverpool 41 days, with salt to order.

Bark Bremiga (of Windsor, NS), Parker, Liverpool, 28 days, in ballast, to J F Whitney & Co, had moderate weather.

Bark Dante (Aus), Vidulich, Bristol 30 days, in ballast, to Slocovich & Co.

Bark Albion (Nor), Nielson, Hull 35 days, in ballast, to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Deveti Dugovracki (Aus), Supor, Belfast 31 days, in ballast to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Avonport (of Windsor, NS), Porter, Belfast 27 day, in ballast, to C M Bertaux.

Bark Kong Oscar 2d (Swe), Christiansen, Lingoer 33 days, in ballast to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Artemis (Nor), Johansen, Tonsberg 34 days, in ballast to C Tobias & Co.

Bark Triton (Aus), Cattarinich, Hamburg, 41 days, with mdse to Funch, Edye & Co. Had variable weather May 1, lat 44 10, long 26 40; passed an automatic buoy adrift.

Bark Europa (Nor), Johansen, Antwerp 36 days, with empty barrels to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Jason (Ger), Grimm, Antwerp 26 days, with empty barrels to Theo Ruger. Came the northern passage and fine weather.

Bark Pomono (Nor), Janssen, Arendal 37 days, in ballast to Rockmann & Oerlein.

Bark Althid (Swe), Svenson, Barbados 21 days, with sugar to G F Bailey.

Bark Neverstaik, Jarvis, Matanzas 11 days, with sugar to S & W Welsh; vessel to Brett, Son & Co. Was 5 days N of Hatteras, with strong E and NE winds.

Bark Ann Elizabeth (of Philadelphia), McDevitt, Matanzas 11 days, with molasses to order; vessel to J W Elwell & Co. Had light variable winds to Hatteras, with much rain; afterward strong easterly winds.

Brig Dos Hermanos (Mex), Ramirez, Alvarado 32 days, with cedar to M Echeverria & Co. Had some heavy weather.

Brig W N H Clements (of St John, NB), Lewis, Hamburg 45 days, with mdse to Scammell Bros. May 19, 175 miles SE of Sandy Hook, passed a quantity of wrecked stuff, consisting of a large vessel's lowermast, a built one, with iron bands, painted white, and some other spars, apparently but a short time in the water, as everything looked new and fresh.

Brig Cerdic (of Liverpool), Kerr, Pernambuco 46 days, with sugar to Gossler & Co.

Brig Manlius (of Nassau), Todd, Matanzas 13 days, with sugar to order; vessel to Waydell & Co. May 15, off Hatteras, had a heavy NE to N W gale, lasting 13 hours; same date, passed a large quantity of drift spars; May 11, lat 29 14, lon 79 11, passed a sunken wreck, 6 feet out of water, fore and maintopmast gone about 12 feet above deck, and mizzenmast about 3 feet.

Schr Etna, Sawyer, Pernambuco 35 days, with sugar, &c, to Swan & Son. Crossed the Equator April 20, in lon 37, 30; May 15, off Hatteras, had a heavy NW gale, lasting several hours.

Schr Mabel (of Calais), Maloney, St Johns, PR, 15 days, with molasses to B F Metcalf & Co.

Schr Daybreak, McKay, Humacao, PR, 23 days, with molasses to Gossler & Co; vessel to James E Ward & Co; was 10 days N of Hatteras with strong N and NE gales; sprung foremast and carried away fore rigging.

Schr Isaac Oliver Parnell, Aux Cayes 16 days, with logwood, &c, to order; vessel to B J Wenberg & Co.

Schr Mary Nowell, Davis, Cardenas 9 days, with sugar to Brett, Son & Co. May 17, lat 32, lon 74, spoke brig Cleta (Br), from New York for Belize, Honduras.

Schr J C Nash (of Machias), Crowley, Baracoa 12 days, with fruit to Gomez & Pearsall; vessel to Simpson, Clapp & Co.

Schr Rightaway (of New Haven), Crossley, Baracoa 10 days, with fruit to H Dumoulne; vessel to B J Wenberg & Co.

Schr A P Chase, Poole, Pensacola 17 days, with lumber to the New Haven Steam Sawmill Co; vessel to H W Loud & Co.

Schr L A Burnham, Brigus, Pensacola 17 days, with lumber to Decker & Rapp; vessel to Parsons & Loud.

Schr Col S W Kazes, Smith, Jacksonville 8 days, with lumber to Drew & Buckl; vessel to Warren Ray.

Schr C E Barnes, Wright, Virginia.

Schr Pangussett, Ingersoll, Virginia.

Schr Joseph A Franklin, Hawkins, Virginia.

Schr E M Reed, Kelsey, Baltimore.

Schr Elias Moore, Lewis, Baltimore.

Schr E E Birdsall, Birdsall, Georgetown, DC, for New Haven.

Schr C W Alcott, French, Baltimore.

Steamer Montana (Br), from Liverpool, which arrived 20, reports:—May 13, lat 50 44, lon 19 04, passed bark Violita (of Yarmouth, NS), from Liverpool for Halifax; 15th, lat 49, lon 28 09, bark Matilda Hilyard (Br), from Limerick for Yarmouth, NS; 19th, 360 miles E of Sandy Hook, steamer City of Richmond (Br), hence for Liverpool.

PASSED THROUGH HELL GATE.

BOUND SOUTH.

Schr Susan, Thurston, Rockland for New York.
Schr Corfela, Rennison, Rockland for New York.
Schr Ned Sumpter, Connery, Rockland for New York.
Schr Philanthropist, Haynes, Frankfort, Me, for New York.
Schr Wm Carroll, Lynch, Calais, Me, for New York.
Schr Empress, Chapman, George's Banks for New York.
Schr Belle Wylie, Black, Bangor for New York.
Schr Charles P Thompson, Mayhew, Gloucester, for New York. (See miscellany.)
Schr Sarah Bruen, Read, Stonington for New York.
Schr Patterson & Bash, Cole, New Haven for Virginia.

Passed in, schr M L Hall, from Portland, Conn. (before reported at anchor in Hart Island roads.)

The following schooners are becalmed outside Sand's Point:—
Schr Franconia, Austin, Bangor for New York.
Schr Hartsinger, Wentworth, Bangor for New York.
Schr Ellen Thompson, Thorne, Rockport for New York.

BOUND EAST.

Steamer General Whitney, Hallett, New York for Boston.
Steamer Amos C Barstow, Kenny, New York for Providence.
Steamer Chance Shot, Dell, New York for Fall River.
Steamer Bolivar, Geer, New York for New London and Norwich.
Bark R J Moulton, Atwood, New York for Cape Town.
Bark Ada F Crosby, Crosby, New York for Newry.
Brig Open Sea, Lyman, New York for Orient, LI.
Schr Send, Allen, New York for Boston.
Schr Annie J, Russell, New York for Portland, Ct.
Schr P E Russell, Mehaffey, New York for Portland, Ct.
Schr Isabelle, Latham, New York for Noank.
Schr A B Goodman, Hurst, New York for Stamford.
Schr Thomas Rogers, Rogers, New York for Greenport, LI.
Schr Nettie, Wall, Hoboken for Calais.
Schr Mary Frances, Palmer, Hoboken for Greenwich, Ct.
Schr Surprise, Seaman, Rondout for Somerset.
Schr Eliza B Coffin, Cole, Elizabethport for Portland, Me.
Schr G W Dexter, Clark, Port Johnson for Boston.
Schr Bertha, Conover, Port Johnson for Providence.
Schr R E Birdsall, Birdsall, Georgetown, DC, for New Haven.
Schr Douglass Haynes, Adams, Baltimore for Boston.
Schr E M Reed, Kelsey, Baltimore for New Haven.
Schr Laura, Robinson, for New Bedford, before reported at anchor off the HERALD Station, proceeded AM.

CLEARED.

Steamer Algeria (Br), Watson, Liverpool—C G Francklyn.
Steamer Australia (Br), Rait, London—Henderson Bros.
Steamer Cornwall (Br), Williams, Bristol, E—W D Morgan.
Steamer Daniel Steinmann (Belg), Lechere, Antwerp via Southampton—Funch, Edye & Co.
Steamer Canada (Fr), Franquet, Havre—Louis de Bebian.
Steamer Wyanoke, Couch, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond—Old Dominion Steamship Co.
Steamer Martha Stevens, Chanco, Baltimore—Wm Dalzell.
Steamer A C Stimers, Warren, Philadelphia—James Hand.
Steamer General Whitney, Hallett, Boston—B F Dimock.
Bark Admiral (Ger), Lauer, Amsterdam—Hermann, Koop & Co.
Bark Carrie Wyman, Randell, Dunedin and Auckland—R W Cameron & Co.
Bark Happy Home (Br), Smith, London—Snow & Burgess.
Bark Louise (Nor), Neilsen, Stettin—Bockmann, Oerlein & Co.
Bark Florence Treat, Veazie, Cape Town, CGH—G Frank Dickman.
Brig Irene, Yates, Adelaide and Brisbane—Mailler & Quesan.
Brig M C Haskell, Haskell, Belfast—H P Brown & Co.
Brig Emerald (Br), Noel, Cork for orders—Geo F Bulley.
Brig Ellen H Munroe, Knowles, Fayal for orders—Simpson, Clapp & Co.
Brig Toledo (Sp), Gelpi, Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio Janeiro—E Puig & Co.
Brig G F Geery, Conklin, Savannah—Evans, Ball & Co.
Brig Sullivan, Perry, Georgetown, DC—Miller & Houghton.
Schr Ida A Jayne, Mills, Pernambuco—Abiel Abbott.
Schr Katie Ranger, Hardy, Baracoa—B J Wenberg & Co.
Schr P S Lindsey, Johnson, Baltimore—Wm Chalmers.
Schr Harry Landell, Taylor, Philadelphia—James A Van Brunt.

SAILED.

Steamers Idaho (Br), for Liverpool; Cornwall (Br), Bristol; Wyanoke, Richmond, &c; ships Hermione (Br), London; Kalliope (Nor), do; barks Mary S Gibson, do; Belgium (Br), Cork; Admiral (Ger), Amsterdam; Belvidere (Br), do; W E Heard (Br), Dunkirk; Larkspur (Br), Queenstown or Falmouth; Concordia (Nor), Aarhuus; Immanuel (Nor), Great Yarmouth; Samos, Philadelphia; brig Louisa Price (Hayt), Port au Prince; schrs C C Warren, Nassau, NP; Reindeer, Harbor Island; Thos Beos, C A Hooper and W D Hilton, ——.

MARITIME MISCELLANY.

The purser of steamer Niagara, from Havana, has our thanks for attentions.

STEAMER SECRET, side-wheel, 1000 tons burden, of the Quaker and Gulf Company's series, will go on the line between Portland and Halifax the middle of next month.

STEAMER MARY WASHINGTON, before reported sunk at Fredericksburg, has been raised and the damage temporarily repaired, and she was to leave 20th for Baltimore, where she will be thoroughly overhauled and renovated before again resuming her trips.

SCHR MARY ANN MCCANN, Kavanagh, from Sagua, at Baltimore 20th, experienced a gale on 15th from N, during which stove boat and galley, lost deckload, broke foreboom and split sails.

SCHR ALEX WILEY, Beauchamp, which was ashore on Anchoring Island, Tuckerton, NJ, is stated by her captain to have sunk last Sunday night by striking on her anchor at Little Egg Harbor. She was extricated from her position with the assistance of the life saving station; damage $100. She was bound for Baltimore at the time.

SCHR CHARLES P THOMPSON, Mahew, from Gloucester, Mass, for New York, light, stranded on the Hog's Back, Hell Gate, yesterday morning. She was hauled off by tug Clifton later on in the day and proceeded without damage.

SCHR MINNIE, of New Bedford, was sold at that port yesterday to J C Palmer, of Hampton, NH, for $880.

SCHR M M CHACE, fisherman, of Portland, lost large seine boat and dory in a gale off South Shoal May 15, and put into Newport, RI, on the 20th.

TUG ELLA, while moored at Baltimore, was sunk in 20 feet of water, 20th inst., by striking on a wharf log with such force as to make a bad leak in her bottom, occasioned by the heavy sea prevailing at the time. Fortunately, no one was aboard of her at the time.

HALIFAX, May 21—The steamer George Shattuck, from St Pierre, has arrived, and reports that the French brig West Indies went ashore on Friday at Gallantry Head and became a total wreck. The crew were saved.

WHALEMEN.

Cleared, at New Bedford, May 21, schr Astoria, Crapo, Atlantic Ocean.

A letter from Captain Smith, of bark Ohio, of NB, reports her at Fayal April 14, with 1,500 bbls sperm oil, all told. Reports at do bark Clarice, Marchant, Edgartown, 60 sp, to sail next day.

A letter dated Fayal, April 25, reports the arrival there of brig Gazelle, of Fayal, from a six months' cruise, clean, not having seen a whale. Brig Rescue, of NB, had not arrived from Brava. Sailed April 27, barks Lagoda, Lewis, NB, to cruise; 13th, Midas, Lapham, do, do; 19th, Clarice, Marchant, Edgartown, do; 22d, Ohio, Smith, NB, do, and be at home in September.

Spoken—March 6, lat 36 45 S, lon 75 W, bark John Carver, Coffin, NB, with 40 bbls sp oil since leaving Paita; 18th, lat 37 20 S, lon 75 28 W, ship Jireh Perry Chace, do, 60 do since leaving Talcahuana.

Brig Rosa Baker, of Boston, which has been lying at New Bedford since sept, 1876, is undergoing repairs there. She will be taken to Boston and fitted for an Atlantic Ocean whaling voyage under command of Mr Higgins.

Bark Abram Barker, of NB, was fitted at Talcahuana for a voyage in the Arctic Ocean under command of Captain Smith, formerly of bark Nautilus, to sail about the 1st of May.

SPOKEN.

Ship Guardian, Paine, from New Orleans for Cronstadt, April 22, lat 40 13, lon 56 29.

Ship Borrowdale (Br), Kelly, from Liverpool for Portland, O, May 7, lat 48 N, lon 11 W.

Ships L B Gilchrist, Watts, from New Orleans for Reval, May 3, lat 53, lon 3 E.

Ship Valiant, Dunham, from New York (March 14) for San Francisco, April 9, lat 33 N (probably 30 miles N), lon 31 W.

Ship Rhine (Br), Smith, from Cork for United States, May 6, lat 51, lon 9.

Ship Stamboul (Br), Cann, from Bremen for Delaware Breakwater, May 19, lat 40 48, lon 68 50.

A large British ship, 29 days out, bound to San Francisco, April 10, lat 17 8, lon 120 40 W.

Bark Azorean, from Boston for Fayal, May 19, 35 miles E of Cape Cod.

Brig Waubun, Spencer, from Trinidad (Cuba) for Boston, May 20, lat 39 24, lon 72 20 (not as before).

OUR CABLE SHIPPING NEWS.

ANTWERP, May 21—Arrived, steamer Switzerland (Belg), Jackson, Philadelphia; bark Isaac (Aus), Veccarich, New York.

Sailed 21st, steamer De Ruyter (Belg), Falk, New York.

BRISTOL, May 20—Sailed, ship Magnolia (Br), Sutton, Delaware River.

BARROW, May 20—Arrived, bark Usko (Rus), Stromberg, St Marys, Ga.

BELFAST, May 20—Arrived, barks Anna Maria (Ger), Bartels, Pascagoula; Skjerholt (Nor), Torjusen, New York; Anna (Br), McPhail, Baltimore; brig Carl XV (Nor), Larsen, Wilmington, NC.

BREMEN, May 21—Arrived, ship Annie Bingay (Br), Cann, New Orleans; brig Regnebuen (Nor), Olsen, Savannah.

BILBOA, May 15—Arrived, bark Guchen (Fr), Boulon, New York (before reported without date).

CRONSTADT, May 15—Arrived, bark Ararat (Nor), Axelsen, Savannah.

Sailed 17th, schr H L Whiton, Rich, New York.

ROTTERDAM, May 21—Arrived, bark G S Penery (Br), Penery, New York.

RIGA, May 18—Arrived, barks Fortuna (Ger), Schlismann, Charleston; Skulda (Nor), Johnsen, Savannah.

SOURABAYA, May 18—Sailed, ship Regent, Bowdoin, Bangkok.

SEVILLE, May 12—Arrived, brig Enrique (Sp), Llorca, Savannah.

SOUTHAMPTON, May 21—Arrived, steamer Weser (Ger), Meyer, New York for Bremen.

STAVANGER, May 13—Sailed, bark Floke (Nor), Michelsen, New York.

TRALEE, May 20—Arrived bark Wm Owen (Br), Brown, Baltimore.

TRIESTE, about May 18—Sailed, bark Giuseppina R (Ital), Ruggiero, New York.

WATERFORD, May 20—Arrived, bark Satama (Rus), Flinkenberg, Pensacola.

LONDON, May 21—Ship W J Lewis (Br), Dodd, from Buenos Ayres feb 17 for Antwerp, was burned at sea on the 9th inst. The crew were saved and landed at Falmouth. [The W J Lewis was built at Bridgewater, NS, in 1873, registered 931 tons, owned in Halifax, and insured for $41,000, of which $4,000 was in the Royal Canadian.]

Bark Clarence, from Baltimore for Antwerp, while reloading at Queenstown after repairs, the lower tier of her cargo gave way. There are about two feet of oil in her hold.

WEATHER REPORT.

HOLYHEAD, May 21—Wind NW, strong; barometer 29.900.

PLYMOUTH, May 21—Wind W, moderate, showery; barometer 30.

FOREIGN PORTS.

ADEN, May 9—Arrived, bark Gemsbok, Hall, New York (and sailed 17th for Muscat).

BONNAY, April 18—Sailed, ship Frankfort Hall (Br), Kirkpatrick, Portland, O.

In port April 22, ships Exporter, Brooks, for Amsterdam; Wm H Connor, Pendleton, and Norris, Barstow, for Havre; Prince Frederick (Br), Cinque, for San Francisco; Storm King, Reed; Cora, Coombs; Frank Pendleton, Nichols; Nearchus, Baxter; Rapheel, Sherman; Saratoga, Kendall, and Winona, Bray, unc; barks Tamora (Br), Stacomb, for Amsterdam; Hawthorn (Br), Meade, unc.

BARBADOS, April 27—Sailed, brig Rothesay (Br), Lindgren, St John, NB; schrs Jennie Beazley, Staples, New York; H A Hunt, Ross, St Thomas; 28th, brig Marshall S (Br), Cameron, Boston; schrs Beta, Guptill, New York; Five Sisters, Hutchins, St Kitts, to load for Philadelphia (before reported for Antigua).

Cleared April 29, bark Alfhild (Sw), Svensen, New York.

In port April 29—Bark Carib, Tidmarsh, from and for St Croix, arrived 27th; brig Harry A Aubrey (Br), Delano, from New York, arrived 27th; schr D B Everett, Hicks, from Philadelphia, arrived 27th.

Arrived May 19, bark American Lloyds, Whittemore, Buenos Ayres, seeking.

BERMUDA, May 16—In port, schr Wm Connors, French, from and for New York, to sail 17th.

CALCUTTA, April 19—In port, ships David Ingalls, Tenney, Wilson; Rossuhn (Br), Fleming, and East Lothian, (Br), Hamilton, for New York; Reporter, Spring, for Boston; Willie Reed, Yates, for Dundee; Erin's Gem (Br), Hall, for Falmouth; Peruvian (Br), Berry, for do; Sir John Lawrence (Br), Burt, for San Francisco; Daniel Barnes, Stover, and Farragut, Wilburn, unc; bark Abbie Carver, Carver, for Bombay; Alexander McKenzie (Br), Homewood, unc.

Sailed from Saugor April 12, ship Susan Gilmore, Carver, for Dundee.

CARDENAS, May 11—Arrived, schr Mary E Long, Hardy, Havana; 14th, brig M P Harrington (Br), Morse, Liverpool; schrs Jennie E Willey, Gilchrist, Havana; D S Williams, Hilman, do; Kate Wentworth, Travis, Matanzas.

Sailed 11th, brigs David Bugbee, Staples, N of Hatteras; Jennie Pitmney, Brown, do; Marcus, Handy, do; schr Express Tilton, Bowers, do; 15th, brig E H Williams, Tucker, do; schr Wm Frederick, Ames, do; A R Weeks, Farr, do.

CIENFUEGOS, May 10—Arrived, schr John, Sterling, Barranquilla and St Jago; 11th, brig Omer (Br), Van Sant, Trinidad; schr Florella (Br), Neilson, Montego Bay.

Sailed 10th, bark Caro, Gay, New York; schr Eben Fisher, Reynolds, Boston; 11th, brigs Elba (Br), Roche, do; Pouvert, Johns, do.

CHATHAM, NB, May 14—Arrived, barks Sheffield (Br), Merash, Havre; Brookville (Br), Barry, Antwerp.

FATHER POINT, May 21—Passed, steamer Corinthian (Br), Menzies, Glasgow for Quebec.

GIBRALTAR, May 5—Arrived, steamer Consolation (Br), Young, Mobile, &c (and sailed 6th for New York).

Sailed 4th, bark Evening Star (Nor), Natvig (from Philadelphia), Christiansund; 6th, steamer Castalia (Br), Cringle (from Malaga), New York; 6th, bark Sigrid (Nor), Laurvig (from Palermo), Philadelphia; brig Wapiti (Br), Smith (from Bermuda), Trieste.

GUANTANAMO, May 4—Arrived, bark Morning Star (Br), Sisson, New York.

HAVANA, May 14—Arrived, steamers Texas (Br), Laurenson, New Orleans (and sailed 15th for Liverpool); Hannover (Ger), Erdmann, do; 15th, Wm G Hewes, Morgan, Indianola; Emily B Souder, Foote, New Orleans; bark Christina Redman, Elliot, Philadelphia; 21st, steamer Saratoga, Sandberg, New York.

Sailed 11th, schrs Zinga, Reed, Nassau; 12th, Rebecca Shepphard, Trambes, Carupana; Guy J J Smith, Crowell, Cimbarien; 14th, steamer Western Texas, Tripp, STANLIE; brig San Quintin (Sp), Urtusaro, Pensacola; schrs Geo B McFarland, Harrington, Portland; White Wing, Phelan, N of Hatteras; 15th, brig M A Doran (Br), Foley, Cardenas and New York; 16th, schr J J Moore, Thacher, Cardenas.

HALIFAX, May 17—Cleared, bark Emma Paysant (Br), Dexter, Baltimore.

LAS PALMAS, April 24—Sailed, brig Ida (Br), Siteman, United States.

LIVERPOOL, NS, May 14—Arrived, brig Georgiana (Br), Hemeon, Philadelphia.

MARSEILLES, May 7—In port, schr Florence Rogers, Hanna, for Tarragona, to load for Montevideo, ready to sail.

MADRAS, April 15—Sailed, bark Armenia, Salter, False Point.

MATANZAS, May 14—Arrived, bark Lizzie Merry, Keaser, Portland; brig Emma L Hall, Perry, New York; 15th, schrs Lorine, Cain, Aspinwall; Georgia Sheppard, Hall, Havana.

Sailed 11th, brig Carrie Bertha, Hall, N of Hatteras; 15th, barks Hattie G McFarland, McFarland, do; Proteus, Orcutt, do; schrs Emma Heather, Handy, do; Louisa A Orr, Johnson, and Louisa Bliss, Strong, do; 16th, bark Anna Walsh, Bowers, do; brig Atlas (Ger), Fisher, do; schrs Samuel H Crawford, Adams, do; Ethan Allen, Blake, do; Rosita (Sp), Mir, New Orleans.

MONTREAL, May 18—Sailed, steamer Waldensian (Br), Stephen, Glasgow.

MAITLAND, NS, May 17—Cleared, schr Zelia, Hallowell, Bridgeport, Ct.

NORTH SYDNEY, CB, May 17—Arrived, bark Lindola (Nor), Rostrup, Arendal; brigs Rock (Br), Wright, Sligo; Belle Watters (Br), Hindon, Dundalk; Stella (Br), Kay, Dublin (and ordered to St John, NB).

PALERMO, May 18—Sailed, steamer Joseph Ferens (Br), Cartwright, Valencia and New York.

PICTOU, NS, May 17—Arrived, ship Rosenesh (Br), McVicker, Halifax; bark Moselle (Br, new), Charlottetown; brig John T Ives (Br), St Thomas.

PORT MULGRAVE, May 17—Passed, ship Steinvora (Br), McIntosh, from Gloucester for Picton.

QUEENSTOWN, May 9—Cleared, bark Artiere (Aus), Tuchen, Sillokk.

QUEBEC, May 18—Arrived, steamers Conia (Br), Tucker, Liverpool for Montreal; Dorent (Br), Bernard, Newport for do; 19th, barks Julie Heyn (Ger), Schroeder, Antwerp for Montreal; Walsgrif (Br), Isbister, London for do; Heinrich Roberts (Ger), Loppien, Bremen for do; Albinus (Br), Sweeney, Greenock; Fisher (Br), Suetor, Troon; brig Little Annie (Br), Hoffman, Barbados; St Francois (Sp), Cercon, Montevideo via Barbados.

Cleared 18th, ship Rinde (Nor), Hanson, Barrow; bark Sirio (Nor), Rogue, London.

BREMERHAVEN, May 17—Arrived bark Frisk (Nor), Pedersen, Amsterdam.

ST JAGO, May 4—Arrived, bark Mary Stewart (Br), McLaren, Cardiff, schrs Spring Bird (Br), Simmons, Baranquilla (and sailed 6th for St Marte); 6th, Lewis Ehrman, Collison, Baltimore; F R Williams, Sheaner, New York.

Sailed 6th, bark Union (Nor), Hallguist, N of Hatteras.

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