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AT annormant anos	to digest any food that we looked and felt as	deck, giving, by the color of the stars, the name	case of the Seminary is, that it wants money, and	morning, noon, and night, irrespective of age,
Correspondence.	though we had just come out of a month's spell	of our steamer. A signal light from shore an-	cannot get it; the O. S. in the West being weak,	sex or condition, are dispensed to all comers the
^		swered us, and our arrival was telegraphed to		
		Liverpool. This morning, at 4 o'clock, we ar-		
OUR SPECIAL EUROPEAN CORRESPON-		rived off Queenstown Harbor, and transferred		
DENT.	•	many of our passengers, by a little, dirty, black		ate property to the half of its former value, to
ONE THOUSAND MILES AT SEA, STEA-		British steamer, to the shore. This was our first		banish quiet from its few remaining retreats, and
MER CITY OF BOSTON, May 28, '67.				the shirtsh many and more tresh victims into
DEAR EDITOR:-"I'm afloat! I'm afloat!"	Europe, far higher than we had bargained for.		\$100,000, to be paid in instalments. Thus far he	its infernal grasp.
ploughing my way over the Atlantic in this good		u	has paid \$75,000, but refuses, as the case stands,	All remonstrance is vain where all are power-
steamer, and, as I judge four fifths of your read-		hedges cutting up the farms into little fields, (no		less and all apathetic. Do we not see official au-
ers have never been to sea, I will write what I	fine, invigorating air, just as though there never			thority, through this blasting evil, cowed on
see around me for their especial benefit.	had been such a thing as sea sickness.	there a better house, one Irish lord's summer		every hand? Our magistracy and laws have be- come alike inefficient with any but the meanest
We left New York on Saturday last, at noon.	We have just read the 107th Psalm again, from			and most insignificant of offenders leaving in
The steamer was crowded with the passengers	the 23 to the 30th verses, and we feel how ver-			every department of out-lawry the more accom-
and their friends who were bidding them adieu.	dant we were, when we read it on Wednesday		placed it at Hyde Park, a southern suburb of the	Inlished and hence the more dangerous villains.
At a quarter before twelve the signal bell was	morning last, before the storm.	When I actually saw two horses grazing, and half	city, say five miles out. They started a town	to stand mild impullity at hunget
sounded, the friends went ashore, and soon we	But enough of sea sickness-the thought makes	a dozen sheep in the next lot, I felt happy, as if	there, got subscriptions, and elected two Professors. The Professors were Drs. McMaster and	TION NO SUBILITO MAIL STATE OF
were gliding out into the stream. For five min-	us shudder.	meeting old friends, having seen nothing of the	Thomas, well known as anti-slavery men. In the	solemnly for renewed exertion, for some more
utes the white handkerchiefs waved from the	Would you believe it, we have had birds flying		mean time C. H. McCormick had got rich, and	earnest and bolder effort to save our civilization. The having attained, in any way, or by any
pier and from the steamer, and then we were	about us all the way across the ocean? Whole		like other men from Virginia, perhaps a triffe	means, to such a fearfully bad eminence, proves
done with adieus. The beautiful bay of New		Sea. The Wicklow hills were in sight until din-	ambitious. It seemed to him that the country.	the causes therein operating, to be of sufficient
York, with its handsome villas and its frowning			and especially the Northwest, was going to smash	potency not only to loosen all restraint, to throw
fortresses formed a fine panorama on so bright a		again; then Snowdon hill, in Wales, the first	through abolitionism. Was he not ordained to	the reins free on the neck of the most rampant
day. We soon found that we were on a fast	The chickens rest on the water in the same way.		avert it? At any rate, might he not arrest the O.S. Church? He would try. So he got Dr. N.	and reckless extravagance, to deprive age of rev-
				erence, virtue of respect, and to brutalize the
steamer, for we had already passed two steamers		me. The setting sun lights up its gray cliffs,	him-bringing the Doctor to Chicago at some ex-	young, but, to finally elevate monstrous crime out of its lurking-places in the purlieus, into an
that sailed at the same hour we did, and were		while the bright white light-house, near the beach,	pense.	aggressive demon that shall more fully yet con-
rapidly gaining on two others. The steamer	During a day we seldom see more than one or		The first thing done, was to kill the Seminary	front and perhaps assault us in our great thor-
England, bound to Liverpool, the Guiding Star,	two vessels-not a dozen, as we had anticipated.	forms a fine contrast with the dark covering of		oughfares of popular resort and in our very
to London, and two others bound to Atlantic	The time is passed by the passengers reading, or		the Gentiles. The ground being cleared, Mc- Master and Thomas out of the way, a new enter-	homes.
ports, were passed in fine style before we got to		rocky mound.	prise was undertaken. Dr. Rice went to the Gen-	We are sensible that all this is only stating
Sandy Hook, giving us presage of a quick pass-		A most beautiful picture is Holyhead. It is	eral Assembly, backed by \$100,000 of McCor-	our case and not so well perhaps as it has often
age.	drink and eat together until 11 o'clock, when the	the first distinct view we get of Albion's coast.	mick's money; argued his case through four days:	been stated before. But whither shall we turn for the remedy? Nothing it seems to us short
Soon our engine was stopped, and our pilot, a		Would that I could photograph it for you in this	got his Seminary located at Chicago, with four	of a fully aroused public sentiment can, in a strug-
tough-looking little man, who had been peering	Our company is composed of representatives of	letter, and with it my feelings, as I now gaze upon	Professors, of whom neither McMaster nor Thomas	gle of this mignitude, prove of any avail. Some-
out over the ocean with his large opera, or rather	our own continent, from Canada to Oregon, and	it from the deck of our steamer. A curious fact	was one; but of whom Dr. Rice was one. The	thing is requisite to bring our people to their feet
field glasses, slipped down a ladder over the side	from Central America to New York; also of	in the difference of latitude and longitude be-	Seminary has gone along very well, considering all its difficulties; fed all the while with the money	en masse. Appeals are needed, which, like some
of the vessel, and was received into a little boat,	Great Britain, France, Italy, and Germany.	tween this and our home strikes us. It is now 9	of McCormick and his friends in the North	vast line of subterranean explosions shall thrill
	Among so many foreigners, there is much wine	o'clock P. M., but so far north are we that it is	Church. Dr. Rice, however, left it some years	society and startle us from our torpor. We need a Wilberforce, a Howard, who, with heart and
painted bright green, with a large figure 9 on its		still day light and will not be dark for an hour.	ago, for the Fifth Avenue church in New York.	soul will take this vital business in hand, and
	ever saw among the same number in any of our	Last night we saw the light of the setting sun still	At the last General Assembly, in St. Louis, Mr.	with an energy like that of Peter the Hermit
ber of letters were sent ashore by him, contain-		lingering at 11 o'clock.	McCormick, having returned from Europe, where	preach a modern crusade against this tyranny,
ing last farewells to friends at home. The last	We are favored by the presence of the Arch-	By my watch, which is still right with Phila-	he had been for his health, while the war lasted, appeared to look after the election of a Professor	more despotic, more cruel, than all Moslem rule,
link connecting us with our dear America was	bishop of San Francisco, the Bishop of Detroit,		in his Seminary. His candidate was Dr. Rice	It is being often remarked, that there is a dearth
	and five priests. The Archbishop is a little,	though 9 o'clock at night by the sun. We have	again ; and he offered, if the Assembly would elect	among us of thuly gloat, good, and carnoov meas
	spare man, who spends most of his time over his	gained a half hour every day we have been tra-	him, to give \$25,000, nossibly \$50,000 more to	Have we really lost the breed of noble blood?
		velling toward the sun-rising.	the concern. But the Assembly it sooms did	the would not distoned the champions we have.
Long Island. Behind us was the Jersey coast;	books: The Bishop is a fat, jolly, "Dutch" look-	It has been mild and pleasant all day, but now		
in front and to the right of us the boundless At-	ing man, weighing about 300 pounds, who enjoys		restored; and instead of Dr. Rice, who only got	modic, the mere vim of fresh recruits in a single
lantic. But now comes a blank-we saw no re-	a joke and a glass of champagne hugely. The	cabin. To-night in the Liverpool docks, to-	more by a vote of some 220 and mha L-J	l a chuir a chuir a chuir ann an chuir an chuir an chuir an chuir an an chuir an
	priests are very retiring, and I have never seen	morrow on terra firma in old England.	friend to back him up with any money at all.	veterans—the right onward, ponderous pressure
	them converse with the Bishops nor the Bishops		The good Doctor entered on his Professorship	of the Macedonian phalanx which no obstacle
were spent in "settling accounts" with old Nep-	with each other. Coming from such widely sep-	G. W. M.	but died during the year, much lamented by do	could for a moment withstand. In a word, we want success in this mighty struggle. Success !
	arate districts, and going together to the great		vout men. But the man of Reapers is very much	
venture upon his domain, and we took the advice	convocation at Rome, I thought they would have	LETTER FROM AMBROSE.	discomposed, considering the treatment of the Assembly ungenerous and decidedly are in source	deterioration fearful indeed to even contemplate.
of our postor (who had been this 1 0) 1				

wer tune venture upon his domain, and we took the advice convocation at Rome, I thought they would have of our pastor (who had been this way before) and | church matters to talk over that would keep them quietly retired to our berths, kept our eyes shut, busy as our ministers so generally are, when they and suffered much less than we had anticipated. | meet at Synod or General Assembly and occupy

MONDAY, JUNE 3.-2700 Miles at Sea.-We half the night and all day in conversation. are now within 200 miles of the Irish coast. steaming rapidly over this broad Atlantic. It is Bishop of Detroit a handsome \$500 gold chain. smooth as a lake-a bright sun is shining-a vast waste of water far as the eye can reach-sea By the way, I wish I could be in Rome at the meeting sky in an immense circle around us-a time of the grand convocation of Bishops, June snow-white breasted gull flaps its broad wings 29th. I bear credentials, you know, from our the town; the like getting up of individuals in careering around us; but nought else is seen out. | Young Men's Christian Association, and the Pope | material prosperity; and the like talk of new enside of our ship, save the quiet piles of white might allow me to represent their interests at this terprises. A list of incomes has just been pubclouds dreamily watching us from all around the convocation. horizon.

it is at the East, but in this Western country How it will come out time will tell. I state the case historically, so that, if we are joined tothere is a good deal of what we call "progress.' The Bishops wear each a very handsome ring | It is not confined to any section, nor to any one gether again, we may all understand it. I notice that some of the O. S. people, in telling the story, on the third finger of the right hand, and the | interest. Here at Bay City, for instance, we go do not begin at the beginning, and the writer hereon, very much as Chicago did, say from 1843 to of has a memory. A great amount of ink, and I 1850. There is a similar stepping from one thing to another; the like appearance of new faces in enough.

BAY CITY, May -----, 1867.

DEAR PRESBYTERIAN :--- I do not know how

lished for the year 1866. There is one report of Yesterday was a beautiful Sabbath. At 101 \$28,000; and several from \$10,000 to \$12,000, o'clock the ship's bell tolled, and about 100 of above the \$1,000 allowed. Probably quite a ular air. I have sung this song so often that I the passengers, with some of the tars, well dressed number of our non-resident proprietors would report much larger ; but these are residents. They against the sky, (her masts,) and then lost to the captain read the prayers of the Church of may seem to be small, in a city like Philadelphia; England. Prayer-books and Bibles were dis- but they do very well for a town of eight thou-But stop—our voyage has not all been of this tributed, and the captain, a fine, gentlemanly man, sand; though I suppose a census of the town, and formidable enough of itself alone to effect the "summer day on a mill pond" fashion. On Wed- | led off, very solemnly and impressively, the whole | its adjuncts, might show as many as ten thou-

am afraid of temper too, is being shed over it. I have some other topics, but my letter is long Yours truly, AMBROSE.

THE SITUATION.

Assembly ungenerous, and decidedly un, in sever-

al other respects; and so stands on his dignity,

'at bay."

I crave pardon of the audience, said a distinist century at Drury Lane theatre, when called upon to warble a popforget the first line, and until prompted could not proceed. Long familiarity breeds contempt, as well as listlessness even with perils, as well as with songs. Hence, our apathy and listlessness with regard to intemperance, an evil and a crime ruin of a people.

E. D. M.

INDEPENDENCY IN NEW ENGLAND.

MR. EDITOR: --- An instructive transaction which made no little noise last year in the vicinity of Boston, has not. I think, received from you the attention it deserved. At this late day, when the heat and strife have passed away, and the Recorder and Congregationalist, then at variance with regard to it, have joined in loving wedlock, I wish to review the matter for the sake of an important principle involved. I do not say settled, for proceedings among Congregationalists never settle any thing, any more than would the rulings of the Supreme Court, say of the Nez Perces Indians. When Mr. A. took the spiritual oversight of a large and wealthy Church near Boston, he absurdly covenanted to submit himself to its discipline as a member. And when, in the course of human fickleness, Mr. B. took his place, he still remained in the village and the Church, though he took temporary charge of another Church. His successor did not manifest the loyalty that many wished, and a minority felt relieved when he accepted a call to another field of labor. Mr. A. had done not a little to make his place uncomfortable, and the majority of the Church seemed to be resolved to be rid of him before their pastor was dismissed. A forced construction of the 18th chapter of Matthew was their code in a discipline of three steps. It is possible that Mr. A. did not mean that the matter should be finished up so soon. He was busy with hay that was being cut out of town, and at home only at unseasonable hours. The good deacon who "labored" with him was a little hard of hearing, so that a little misunderstanding brought Mrs. A into a discipline with her husband. The proceedings, if regular, were barely so. A churchmeeting was called for, the right before the council, that was to dismiss Mr. B. Mr. A., when notified to attend and answer to charges of improper use of his tongue, sent word that he would be through with his hay that week, and at their service at any time thereafter, but that it was not possible for him to attend that night. An excited meeting was held. Mr. B., really the aggrieved party, moderated it. The conclusion was that Mr. and Mrs. A. were excommunicated. It

An hour or two ago we exchanged signals with the steamer Persia, steaming at a rapid rate to the west. Very soon hull down, two little lines and neat looking, assembled in the cabin to hear sight.

nesday last a fine breeze from the north-west was company responding promptly. We could not sand. driving our vessel at a rapid rate. The waves kneel, nor was any singing attempted, but the were crowned with glorious white caps, and they service was conducted in as impressive and solemn seemed to be running higher as we sat and manner as I eversawit done on land. No sermon was ing 40 by 70 feet, and a very good one of wood. watched them. The ship was rocking gaily, the preached, although two or three clergymen were southern side of it rising and falling as much as 12 or 15 feet at every roll. The scene was ex- so often, that for two years past he never asked hilarating in the extreme. We read the 107th any one to preach, though he would be happy to Psalm, and judged the writer had certainly been | hear a sermon if any had proposed to officiate. to sea and had seen what we were seeing then, We had the Rev. Mr. Kerr, a United Presbytethough probably not from the deck of an iron | rian of Allegheny, whom we found to be a live built screw steamer of 350 horse power.

Presently a report like a gun was heard; the topmost sail on the foremast was torn from its whose heart is still in the "Lost Cause," and who fastenings and was cracking away wildly, 100 feet above us. The gale was evidently increasing, and the passengers began to retire from the deck, taking the opportunity to get towards the stairway as the vessel righted, for the deck was as steep as the roof of a house at every roll.

The rolling became so severe that we were soon driven to our state-rooms, and O horror of hor- gale of last week. rors! there we lay for 48 long hours-sea-sick, helpless, cold-unable to raise a hand to our head-vessel pitching so severely all night and all the next day that our limbs were made sore from merely bracing ourselves in our berths to keep from being thrown out into the floor. The doctor sick, almost every passenger also-out of 150 cabin passengers, only 10 up to dinner on Thursday. I thought I would have paid \$1000 in gold willingly, just for the privilege of being | ning, a little cloud to the north, about the size of sick in my own home, where I would not be rolled to death, and where I could be waited on.

A good friend, however, a merchant from Baltimore, who never gets sea-sick (happy man,) guessed how forlorn we were, and put his head into the state room door with, "Can I do any- for joy, and general delight was felt by every soul thing for you?" He seemed like an angel sent on board. The haystack assumed more substanto despairing souls-and we were better able to | tial form, and soon another low cloud, larger. endure the horror. All Friday we had a very broader, swelling roundly above the horizon, also rough sea, and not until late in the day could we took solid shape, and as the darkness was fast leave our berths, and then crawled upon the deck | coming on, a little solitary light flashed out from

present. The captain told me he had been refused

man, with his heart in the right place; a reverend gentleman of Alabama, an Episcopalian, expects yet to see the South conquer the North | \$300, as your correspondent had it-but \$500. and still gain her independence; also a local Baptist preacher from New York, with whom I have not, in my short convalescence, as yet conversed. have some little element of good-probably first named period, has perhaps trebled. The enough "salt" to have saved the ship in the past winter has not been characterized by any

To-morrow we will be sailing up the Irish Channel, and in the night will be at the wharf at Liverpool.

perhaps Paris. We hope to meet Rev. E. P. Hammond in Liverpool on Wednesday. Adien. Yours. G. W. M.

P.S.-TUESDAY JUNE 4, 6 P. M.-Irish Sea, Opposite Holyhead .--- Just before dark last evea large haystack, apeared to be less movable than the other clouds. It lay low down on the horizon. Land! land! was passed along the deck, and instantly all eyes were strained toward it. The steerage passengers soon commenced dancing

. Our churches grow with the growth of the town. The Lutherans are just finishing a build-The Methodists have lately enlarged; the Baptists have built a Sabbath-school room, and are falking of a brick edifice, to cost \$35,000. The Episcopalians have just enlarged; the German are talking of a lecture room.

This latter Society have given for Home and Foreign uses, the last year, about \$1,500; besides the current expenses, of salary, etc.; and besides donating their Pastor, since Jan. 1st-not The present and acting membership of the church has a little more than doubled within the two past years. Its Sabbath school has doubled withthing which might be called a revival; though some have been revived.

ORGANIC LAW. .

Michigan is about to remodel its Constitution, We will try to write again from London, or and the Convention is now in session. One of the matters to be looked into is the prohibition of the sale of liquors-distilled, vinous, or brewed. Our present Constitution, perhaps you know, contains a most stringent prohibitory clause of this sort; but it is a dead letter through the entire State-in this region it is a letter twice dead -and the question returns, whether it is worth the while to keep a provision in the Constitution which cannot be enforced, and to which there is not even an attempt to enforce it. There is a ness, equalled only by the pests that ravaged division of opinion on that point, here as elsewhere, among temperance people.

TRIBULATIONS OF O. S.

ourselves. All day Saturday so weak, so unable Irish Coast. Rockets were sent up from the is, the grand underlying trouble is the same. The character, are the resorts of our youth, where,

The growth of this evil among us has been so gradual as scarcely to have been perceived until its roots had stricken deep into our social soil, commingled with our usages, become part and parcel of the etiquette, and in truth of the very hospitality of our time !

To denounce the use of intoxicating drinks as a crime has long been to utter a mere platitude. To assert that opium and alcohol have ever been. with the single exception of war, the deadliest Methodists are building; and the Presbyterians enemies of mankind, and that since the Christian era they have destroyed five hundred and

eighty millions of the human race! instead of awakening impressions terrible as doom, are received by our apathetic communities as the stalest of truisms, as thrice told tales signifying nothing. And the father still mingles the inebriating beverage in the presence of his young sons, and the husband still, night after night, returns to his wife and daughters saturated with the fumes of bachanalian revels. Who can wonder at the increase of besotted households? or, that, as the So you see, in our heterogeneous company, we in the past year; and its congregation, within the tide rolls on, houses of refuge are beginning to rise here and there as in New York, even for female inebriates?

Look abroad over the land, take note of the habits of many of our so-called eminent men. Look into our State Legislative halls and into declared.

the halls of Congress. At the occupant of our chief executive chair! At those chosen by the suffrages of the nation to frame and enforce a nation's laws. Look,-but we sicken at the spectacle, and the reader cries forbear.

The consequences of drinking have ever been disastrous, but the world is now being flooded through chemical agency, with new compounds of the most questionable character. The draught, that once only intoxicated, now maddens, and its

action on the human tissues has become baleful to the last degree. Yet the dealers in this infuriating poison abound and are on the increase on every side. They infest our cities in numbers and loathsome-Egypt while under the special ban of God. They the elephant if they see fit. Or is it admitted take all shapes and burrow in all localities. On that an excommunicated man may be a minister the corners often of our most brilliant avenues, they lure the young and the yet decent, by the Mr. A. hired, I understand, a minister to preach The old muddle is on foot yet, in the Old splendor of marble counters, frescoed ceilings, for him during the time of his excommunication, School, at and about Chicago. Its point of battle and mirrored walls, and thence through every but whether as a matter of ecclesiastical necessiis the Theological Seminary at that place; but it grade of structure, appointments and proprietor- ty, or merely of decorum, I know not. Congre-

is in dispute whether more than one person swung his hat and cheered when the vote was

Mr. and Mrs. A. demanded a council. The Church acceded to their request, but afterwards reconsidered and rescinded the vote. An exparte council gave them letters of dismission, and now as I write Mr. A. is being installed over another Church.

Mr. A. sympathized with the Congregationalist, Mr. B. with the Recorder which leaned less towards Independency. They took different views of the action of the Church and council. But I heard from no quarter any intimation that

a minister is the property of a denomination, and that the particular church on whose roll his name happens to be, may not "unfrock" him if they choose, without regard to the interests of others. They have a right to shoot their half of in good and regular standing? The unfortunate really includes the whole matter, about which and pollution have marked as their own. Thus shy of ecclesiastical questions while they unite leave our berths, and then crawled upon the deck coming on, a little solution in the solution in the list here has been a contest for the past year. That and pollution have marked as their own. Thus shy of ecclesiastical questions while they unite numerous, thus widely dispersed, thus varied in to denounce the "iron rule of Presbyterianism."

NOVANGLUS.