

THE CAUSE WHY SOME VESSELS ARE LOST.

To the Editor of Evening Telegraph:—Lately the people have been startled by reading some thrilling accounts of shipwreck, or of vessels foundering at sea during the recent gales.

Some exclaim, "What dreadful weather there has been at sea; the heaviest gales that were ever known!" This is not the case; the weather at sea about this time of the year is generally boisterous, and we may always look for hurricanes from August to October.

No doubt you have seen a ship lying at our wharves, nicely painted, yards squared by their lifts and braces, rigging tacked down, and everything in apparent good order, and in fact looking almost like a picture.

That ship, my readers—which is the case many times—on her arrival in home port, the Captain notified his owners that his ship required caulking or other necessary repairs preparatory to going to sea again.

Now, this ship gets to sea and encounters heavy gales; the springs leak; the crew becomes exhausted by pumping, the leak gaining on them, and finally are obliged to abandon the ship.

AMUSEMENTS. ITALIAN OPERA.—On Monday evening, the Opera of the North, by Meyerbeer, will be given for the first time in Philadelphia.

THE BAYMAN CONCERTS.—On Monday night the initial concert will be given at the Musical Fund Hall.

NEW CHEROKEE STREET THEATRE.—Mr. John E. Owens appears in his great character of "Caleb Plinthish" in "The Cheat" on the 21st.

MARRIED. CARLIN.—John M. Carlin, on Sunday, September 30, 1866, in St. John's Church, by Rev. J. H. Kane.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

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NEWSPAPER RECEIPTS FOR ADVERTISEMENTS.—The following are the amounts received for advertisements by the newspapers of this city for the quarter ending September 30, 1866.

IMPROVEMENTS ON EIGHTH STREET.—We shall resume our description of the improvements by getting, in the first place, the elegant newly fitted-up store of the Espen Brothers.

A FISH STORY.—James Mooney is one of those men who go down to the sea in ships; in common parlance, he is called a fisherman.

NOT CAUGHT SOON ENOUGH.—Yesterday morning, Officer Brown, of the police force, arrested a man by the name of William Smith for the larceny of \$187 and a silver watch from a lady.

LARCENY OF A POCKET-BOOK.—That is the charge made on the police report; but anybody would reasonably suppose that it was more for what the pocket-book contained than for itself that the thief committed the theft.

AN UGLY BATTLE.—Robert Robinson was arrested on the charge of assault and battery, and carrying concealed deadly weapons.

THE WEATHER OF THE WEEK.—We suppose that the week which closes to-day is to be dignified with the title of Indian Summer.

RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS.—Bernard Rafferty, who keeps a dubious kind of a place at No. 528 Shippen street, was arrested on the above charge yesterday.

DIED. BADGER.—CHRISTIAN BADGER, after a short illness aged 72 years and a month.

AN ASSAULT AND BATTERY AND ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—There was considerable row in Hesth street, near Twelfth and Poplar streets, yesterday morning.

ROBBING AN ISOLATED SHANTY.—Three young fellows, about eighteen or nineteen years old, were arrested for forcible entrance into and robbing a small shanty, which is kept as a cigar and snuff shop, by the name of the Espen Brothers.

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QUESTIONS SAID TO HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE PRESIDENT BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.—Among those important questions submitted to the President by the Attorney General, the following appears to have been accidentally omitted.

OUR STOCK OF MEN'S, YOUTH'S, AND BOYS' CLOTHING is the fullest and most complete in Philadelphia.

WIDOW SATCHER ONE DOLLAR.—Gilt Shades, only \$1, at FATTEN'S, No. 1408 Chestnut street.

FOR THE PARIS EXHIBITION.—Scientific gentlemen and others interested in such matters, will see at No. 629 Chestnut street, the most beautiful and interesting articles for the Paris Exhibition.

THE OLDEST MEDICAL PRACTICE is that of the family. Long before our time, the laws of the family examined and prescribed for the members.

THE ELLIPTIC LOCK-STITCH SEWING MACHINE, with all the latest improvements and attachments, incomparably the best for family use.

AGENTS WANTED. No. 928 Chestnut Street, Phila.

WANTED. DREWEL & CO., No. 24 South Third street.

"THE DEAF HEAR."—Before and since the time our blessed Lord opened the ears of the deaf, the deaf have been laboring to remedy the evil.

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SIX KINDS OF PATENT AIN-SIFTERS, BY WHICH you can sift your coal expenses, and the customary Ash Sifters, for sale at FATTEN'S, No. 1408 Chestnut street.

WARRANTED. FASHIONABLE HATTER. No. 430 CHESTNUT STREET.

UNADULTERATED LIQUORS ONLY. RICHARD PENNANT'S STORE AND WAREHOUSE.

PERSONAL. FOR BOUNTY, PENSION, PAY, AND PRIZE MONEY for the "Mobile," and other vessels, apply immediately to E. O. JACKSON.

AT RETAIL. JAS. R. CAMPBELL & CO., No. 727 CHESTNUT ST.

FOR FINE COLLECTIONS, FRUITS, and delicacies, go to W. W. JENKINS, No. 1067 Spruce Garden street.

FOURTH EDITION

Latest Markets by Telegraph. NEW YORK, October 20.—Cotton has a declining tendency; sales at 20 1/2c.

NEW ORLEANS. Governor Wells Threatens to Remove the Rebels—The Military to Arrest the Murderers of the Massacre—The Rebels Threaten Resistance.

THE MARYLAND TROUBLE. The Police Commissioners Summoned to Appear Before Governor Swann—Indignation of the Unionists—Meeting of the Unionists.

THE BROTLYN NAVY YARD AND THE ELECTION. The following notice, posted on the gates of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, is evidently intended to influence the workmen employed there to vote for "My Policy."

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES, OCT. 20. Reported by De Haven & Bro., No. 40 S. Third Street.

RODGER & WOSTENHOLM'S POCKET-KNIVES. Rodgers & Wostenholm's Knives, Cut-throats, and other articles of cutlery ground and polished at W. W. JENKINS, No. 115 S. TENTH STREET.

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