

TIDAL WAVE.

Story of the Normanna's Thrilling Experience.

New York, Jan. 24.—The officers and crew of the Hamburg-American liner Normanna, which returned yesterday after encountering a tremendous gale 700 miles from this port early Sunday morning last, have all sorts of explanations to give.

The danger to the steamer will probably amount to \$100,000, not including the loss occasioned by her return, and the \$50,000 cargo of tobacco is ruined.

Third Officer Lange, who was on the bridge at the time the mountain of water boarded the ship, and whose escape from death seems most miraculous, tells the following story:

"We were running at full speed, and just as the first glimmer of dawn appeared, at 6:15, I saw a huge wall of water rise on the port bow.

WASHINGTON.

Doings of Congress.

The Hawaiian question presented itself yesterday in the senate in two separate and distinct phases. It came up first in the shape of a resolution reported from the committee on foreign relations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The sense of the house in the matter of free sugar was again made manifest when the amendment offered by Mr. Warner, dem., N. Y., putting refined sugar on the free list was reaffirmed, while that of Mr. Robertson, dem., La., putting a tax on sugar, was defeated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Gossip in diplomatic circles is busy over an incident of the state dinner at the white house Wednesday night.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The suit of William Walter Phelps against Sam Lazarus, involving the rental for grazing purposes of 175,000 acres of land in Texas, was argued yesterday in the supreme court of the United States.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Attempted Train Wrecking.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Jan. 23.—A large barrel of oil, about twelve pipe railroad ties, a tree and a wagon were placed on the New Jersey tracks near Newark last night.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 24.—A special dispatch from Albany says that Judge Wallace, in the United States circuit court, has rendered a decision in the celebrated "mince pie" case, in which it was sought to restrain the manufacture by M. Doyle and company, of this city, of a preparation of mince meat known as the "Eagle" brand.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Mr. Wood, ex-treasurer of the Brooklyn tabernacle, declares that there is nothing in the allegations against him. He says he can account for every dollar which came into his hands, and that he courts investigation.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 24.—The eye of the day originally set for the big fight between America's champion heavy weight James J. Corbett and England's champion Charlie Mitchell finds this steady old town in great excitement.

FOREIGN.

The Brazilian War.

Copyright, 1894, by the United Press. RIO JANEIRO, Jan. 19, via MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 24.—On the night of Jan. 15 the insurgents recaptured Mocangué island, with three small cannon and 150 prisoners. The killed and wounded numbers fifty.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The announcement that Prince Bismarck has promised to visit Emperor William has caused a sensation here. Bismarck's friends in the Reichstag are rejoicing.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—The hearing of the action of Princess Colonna, step-daughter of John W. Mackay, the American millionaire, against her husband for a judicial separation was again postponed.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Mr. Thomas C. Platt, one of the receivers for the New York and New England railroad company, has filed his bond of \$100,000, as required by the order of Judge Wallace confirming him as one of the two permanent receivers of the company.

LABOR.

Knights of Labor Excited Over the Bond Issue.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22.—The Knights of Labor, after consultation among officers here sent the following despatch to J. H. Squire, at Des Moines, Ia.:

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Jan. 23.—The strike of the Traction company's employees is assuming a serious phase. Mayor Bostwick and the police commissioners went to the station and the mayor rode the riot line.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Adam Sedlitzki, a miner of Scranton, Pa., arrived here on the Saturday from Bremen, accompanied by his wife and family and 15 young Russian miners.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Money on call 1 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange 4.86 3/4.

200! 200! 200! 200!

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Just received from a large sheriff's sale in New York City, which must be sold within the next three days. Here is an opportunity for the ladies to buy fine coats at half price.

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