A Rail-Road Strike.

The strike on the Grand Trunk railway continues and has extended over the entire road. Disturbances have occured at several places, and at Point St. Charles the engineers seized the turn-table and refuse to let any train pass. Engines and cars encumber the road at intervals. One train from Montreal was abandoned a few miles from Coburg, and the passengers, 60 in number, were taken to Coburg in sleighs. The company say they can provide engineers for the passengers and most of the freight trains, if the authorities will guarantee the safety of the substitutes and the company's property. On the other hand, the strikers are determined that there shall be no traffic on the road until their demands are complied with, and their numbers and attitude are so formidable that no attempt to move an engine has yet been made. A force of military has been sent to Belleville Station to preserve the peace and pilot a passenger train to Montreal. It is understood that negotiations are going on between the authorities and the company in reference to the protection of the latter's property.

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An Unpleasant Passenger.

The Wilmington, N. C., Star says:—The Norwegian barque Surprise, Captain Weigner, now in this port, had quite an exciting adventure lately. It appears that while the vessel was at some point in Africa, about six or seven months ago, a hugh snake, of the species known as the boa constrictor, some fifteen feet in length, by some means got on board of the ship without the knowledge of any of the officers or crew, and made his way into the hold, where he proceeded to enscone himself into comfortable quarters, with the view, we suppose, of taking a trip to see the world.

The vessel sailed and his snakeship, not having his name registered on the passenger list, was not discovered until after landing at Liverpool, when upon proceeding to remove the cargo, which consisted of wool and other articles, the presence of the constrictor was made known, and then the stampede that occurred among the bewildered and affrighted stevedores, as well as all others on the ship at the time, constituted a scene long to be remembered.

Lost while going for a Fortune.

ERIE, Pa., January 1.—An Ashtabula special to the Eria *Dispatch* mentions the following incident of the railroad accident: Miss Mary Birchard, of Fayetteville, Vt. and cousin to Gov. Hayes, was on the ill-fated train. The uncle from whom the governor inherited most of his fortune also willed Miss Birchard $20,000. The three years allowed in which to settle the estate and divide the property having expired, Miss Birchard was on her way to take formal possession of her property. Her name does not appear in the list of saved, and she was probably killed. Her destination was Elyria, Ohio.

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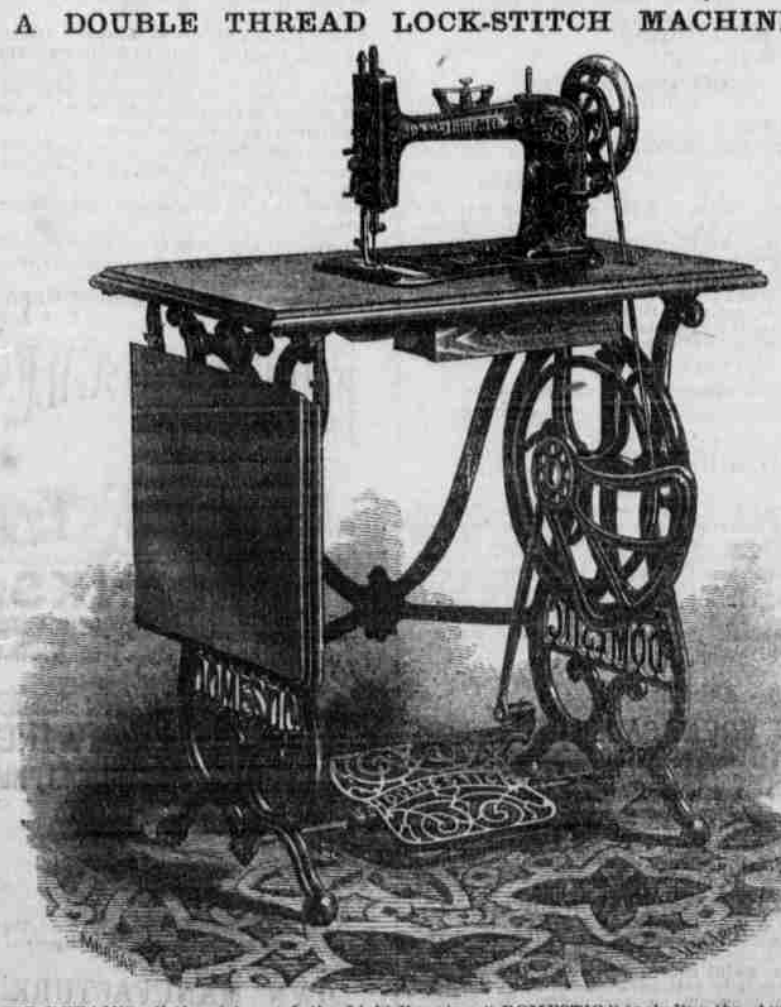

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