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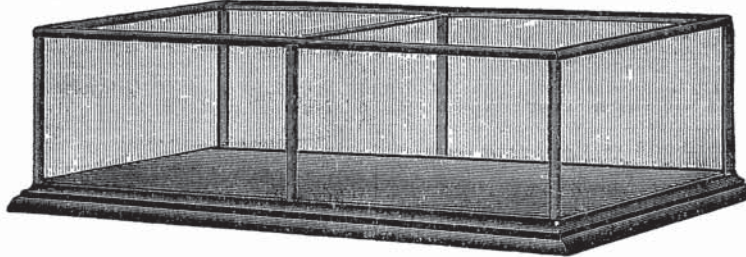
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Barrett John P. removed to 14 Woodside
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Foster Bros. removed to Park cor. Pleasant
Grady John F. tailor, Lunt Blk.
Green Henry L. apothecary, 128 Cabot
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 Pitman Charles W. removed to Peabody
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 Foster Charles O. (s. r.), died Nov. 7, 1892
 Gallagher Maria L. widow of John, died Oct. 14, 1892
 Goss Martha A. widow of James G. died Sept. 18, 1892
 Graves George P. gents' furnishings, Rechabite blk.
 Hamelin Louis J. jr. died Oct. 23, 1892

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 Peach Hannah A. widow of Thomas J. died Oct. 11, 1892
 Salkins Richard E. died Dec. 18, 1892 Sarah A. Mrs. died Dec. 1892
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 Stacey Benjamin F. groceries and provisions, Hooper st.
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 Trefry Sarah, widow of Samuel S. died Oct. 22, 1892
 Wardwell Edwin R. removed to Salem
 Wheelock Adelia Miss, boarding house and restaurant, near Town Hall

Holman George, died Oct. 8, 1892
 Howard Ezra M. (McCormac & Howard), 40 Lowell, h. at Danvers
 Jacobs George H. removed residence to Barton sq. Salem
 King Eben U. died Nov. 15, 1892
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 McCormac Wilfred H. (McCormac & Howard), 40 Lowell, b. 54 do.

MCCORMAC & HOWARD, carriage and sign painters, 40 Lowell. See page 861.

Meade James P. groceries and provisions, 35 Midway, h. do. [Main
 Murray Margaret J. Miss, dressmaker, 76
 Osborn Rachel L. Miss, died Oct. 24, 1892
 Osgood William H. removed to Marlboro
 Peabody Reporter sold to Wm. W. Wood
 Poor George H. Leather Co. 9 Webster
 Richards Nahum R. wholesale produce, Caller st. [Shea continues
 Shea & Cassidy dissolved; Jeremiah F. Smiley Asa B. disposed of Caller st. stable to J. H. Smith and B. C. Smiley
 Swanton Diana, died Oct. 16, 1892
 Wallace H. O. pastor Baptist church, h. Cottage [145 Lowell
 Walton & Ferrin, morocco dressers, rear
WARREN JAMES A. house and sign painter, 3 Fountain, h. 15 Goldthwait pl. See page 864
 Warren & Jordan dissolved
 Wilson Clark, died Oct. 25, 1892 [porter
 Wood William W. editor of Peabody Re-

PEABODY.

Ballard Charles, removed to Salem
 Butler Margaret Mrs., removed to 2 Mt. Vernon
 Collins Jeremiah, died Nov. 26, 1892 John, died Dec. 16, 1892
 Dalton William, died Oct. 22, 1892
 Donohue Michael, removed to Ipswich
 Forrest Irving M. removed to 9 Holten
 Frothingham C. B. Dr. removed to 40 Main
 Griffin Michael, died Sept. 27, 1892

PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES.

George Washington, 1789 to 1797.
 John Adams, 1797 to 1801.
 Thomas Jefferson, 1801 to 1809.
 James Madison, 1809 to 1817.
 James Monroe, 1817 to 1825.
 John Quincy Adams, 1825 to 1829.
 Andrew Jackson, 1829 to 1837.
 Martin Van Buren, 1837 to 1841.
 William Henry Harrison. (Died April 4, 1841.) Succeeded by
 John Tyler, April 4, 1841 to 1845.
 James Knox Polk, 1845 to 1849.
 Zachary Taylor, 1849. (Died July 9, 1850.) Succeeded by
 Millard Fillmore, to 1853.
 Franklin Pierce, 1853 to 1857.
 James Buchanan, 1857 to 1861.
 Abraham Lincoln, 1861. (Died April 13, 1865.) Succeeded by
 Andrew Johnson, April 15, 1865 to 1869.
 Ulysses S. Grant, 1869 to 1877.
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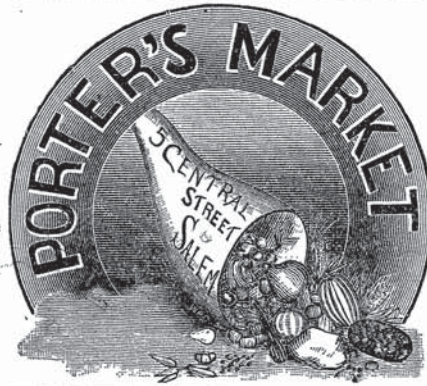
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Historical and Interesting Events of Salem and
Adjoining Towns.

SALEM.

1626 TO 1890.

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1626.
Salem, then called Naumkeag, first settled by Roger Conant, John Woodbury, John Balch, Peter Palfrey, and others.
1628.
Sept. 6. Arrival of Capt. John Endicott with a company of about one hundred.
1629.
It was the rule of every inhabitant of the plantation to cease from labor at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and make preparation for the Sabbath.
Darby Fort erected at Naugus Head.
April 30. Captain Endicott appointed Governor of the Plantation.
1629.
June 29. Arrival of Rev. Francis Higginson, Rev. Samuel Skelton and a company of about three hundred and eighty.
1629.
August 6. A church is established, the first organized Congregational Church in the country.
1630.
June 12. Arrival of Gov. John Winthrop with the charter.
August. Lady Arbella Johnson, a daughter of the Earl of Lincoln, died here.
August 6. Rev. Mr. Higginson died, aged 43.
1631.
Roger Williams came to Salem from Boston.
1634.
August. Indian alarm.
The congregation having worshipped from 1629 in an unfinished building of one story, agreed with Mr. Norton to build a suitable meeting house, not to cost more than £100.
August 2. Rev. Mr. Skelton died.
Oct. 20. Six Salem people in a canoe upset near Kettle Island and five drowned.
12th month. "Its agreed that the townes neck of land shalbe preserved to feed the cattle on the Lords dayes and therefore particular men shall not feed their goates there at other tymes, but bring them to the (hill?) that grasse may grow against the Lords dayes."
1635.
The township of Salem at this time included Salem, Beverly, Danvers, Manchester, Marblehead, Middleton, Pea-
- body, and a part of Topsfield, Wenham, and Lynn.
Oct. 6. Arrival of Hugh Peters.
1636.
First meeting house erected.
June. Assembling of the first Quarterly Court.
July 9. Visit of Sir Henry Vane, the new governor of the Colony.
Dec. 26. Ferry to Beverly from the Neck.
1637.
June 1. Severe earthquake.
Sept. 25. Ferry to Naugus Head from Turner's lane; abandoned about 1785.
1638.
Glass works were erected off Boston st. previous to this year; probably the first in New England.
1639.
First record of tanning business. Philemon Dickerson is granted land "to make tan-pits and to dress goat-skin and hides."
21st of 11th mo. "Granted to Roger Conant, the son of Roger Conant, being the first borne child in Salem the som of 20 acres."
1641.
First free school in Salem.
1643.
May 10. Wenham set off and incorporated.
1644.
25th of 1st mo. "It is ordered that every inhabitant in the towne shall procure a ladder for his house, before the xxxijth day of the 4th moneth next upon the paine or penaltie of five shillings for defect heerof."
7th of 5th mo. "Ordered that twoe be appointed every Lord's day to walk forth in time of God's worship, to take notice of such as either lye about the meeting-howse, without attending to the word or ordinances, or that lye at home or in the fields, without giving good account thereof, and to take the names of such persons, and present them to the magistrate whereby they may be accordingly proceeded against."
1645.
Way laid out to Winter Island.
May 14. Manchester set off and incorporated.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

- 1648-9.
 March 12. "Its ordered that Marble Head, with the allowance of the gen'all Court, shall be a towne, and the bounds to be the utmost extent of that land which was Mr. Humphries' farme and sould to Marble Head, and soe all the neck to the sea, reserving the disposing of the ferry and appoynting of the ferry man to Salem." The town contained 44 families.
1650.
 Sept. 22. Brethren at Bass Riyer, Beverly, have liberty to obtain a minister.
 Oct. 18. Topsfield set off and incorporated.
1652.
 A captain was fined for sailing on the Sabbath.
1655.
 May 17. Winter Island appropriated for use of the fort; called "Fort William" in 1699.
 May 17. Burial place laid out at the hill above Francis Law's house. Broad st. ground.
1657.
 The Quakers began to arrive, and in 1658 the first law of penalty of death upon them was enacted, and in 1661 eighteen of them were publicly punished in Salem.
 8th of 4th mo. "It is ordered that if any inhabitant within this Jurisdiction of Salem shall at any time after the date of receive or take in any fforayner upon any pretence whatever without approbation of the selectmen shall pay for everie weeke continuance twentie shillings per weeke."
1658.
 June 29. Court punished people for attending Quaker meeting.
1659.
 Dec. 23. Rev. Edward Norris died.
1660.
 Baker's and Misery Islands granted to Salem by Legislature.
 Aug. 29. Rev. John Higginson ordained minister of the First Church.
1664.
 Mill Bridge, over South River, built about this time.
1665.
 March 15. John Endicott died.
1667.
 July 4. Dismissal of Brethren from First Church to found a church at Bass River.
1668.
 Beverly, originally called "Cape Ann Side" and "Bass River," set off and incorporated.
1670.
 Second meeting house erected on same spot as first.
1672.
 March 22. Permission for ministry at Salem Village.
1674.
 June 5. Captain Walter Price died aged 61.
1675.
 Sept. 18. Capt. Thomas Lathrop of Beverly and seventy men were killed by the Indians, at Bloody Brook (now Deerfield).
1677.
 Dec. 19. Capt. Joseph Gardner and six others killed at the Narragansett swamp fight.
1680.
 First Court house built.
1681.
 Nov. 14. A blazing star appeared and continued until Feb. 10th, causing great alarm.
1681.
 June 28. William Hawthorne died lately, aged 73, having been in the town since 1636.
1683.
 Feb. 7. Ordered that Marblehead, Beverly, Gloucester, Ipswich, Rowley, Newbury and Salisbury, belong to the Salem port of entry.
1684.
 A prison built near corner of Federal and St. Peter streets; 20 feet square and 13 feet stud.
 Ten persons had liberty to erect wharves at Winter Island.
1685.
 Jan. 6. Capt. George Curwen died, aged 74, who came in 1638; and in 1688, Jan. 20, Hon. William Browne, aged 81, who arrived in 1635; these were the most noted persons in the town.
1686.
 Clergymen first authorized to solemnize marriages; authority continued by Act of 1692.
1689.
 Oct. 11. Deed of Salem given by the Indians for £40. Original deed now hangs on the walls of City Hall.
1689.
 Nov. 10. Persons dismissed to constitute a Church at Salem Village, now Danvers, where they had preaching years before.
1692.
 This year is memorable for the prevalence of the witchcraft delusion, twenty persons being tried and executed; though designated "Salem Witchcraft," it had pervaded other places previously to its appearance here.
- 1692-3.
 June 27. Naval office established here for Salem and Marblehead.
1695.
 May 3. Two men killed and 18 wounded by careless overcharging of a great gun.
1697.
 March 27. Gov. Simon Bradstreet died. His house occupied the site next west of Plummer Hall; taken down in 1750.
1698.
 Feb. 28. Bartholomew Gedney died, aged 52.

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- June 27. Salem (Marblehead a member), adjudged to be a lawful port.
 June 28. Several dwellings were burnt on the spot now partly covered by the Essex House, called the great fire till that of 1774; damages, £5000.
 1700.
 Sept. 22. Miss Emma Leach, aged 52, and only 25 inches in height, visited Salem, and excited much curiosity.
 1701.
 Carriages began to be used about this time.
 May 2. Remarkable hailstorm, lasting three days.
 1706.
 Sept. 2. First Quarterly meeting of Friends held in this place.
 1708.
 Dec. 7. Benjamin Brown died, aged 60; made liberal bequests to schools in Salem and to Harvard College.
 Dec. 9. Rev. John Higginson died, aged 92.
 1712.
 First Grammar School, anciently called a writing school, established; Nathaniel Higginson, teacher.
 1713.
 April 19. Ann, relict of Gov. Bradstreet, died, aged 79.
 April 24. Benjamin Gerrish, collector of the Port, died, aged 60.
 June 25. Persons dismissed to form a Church in the middle precinct, now Peabody.
 Nov. 16. the Common "shall be forever a training field for the use of Salem."
 1714.
 May 13. Friends consider the building of a meeting house.
 1716.
 Feb. 14. Hon. Wm. Browne died in his 78th year, leaving legacies to Harvard College and the Salem Grammar schools.
 Oct. 15. Governor Samuel Shute of N. H., entertained.
 1718.
 Third building of First Church Society erected.
 Second court house built.
 Jan. 7. Gen. Israel Putnam born,
 May. East church, at corner of Essex and Hardy sts., opened for worship.
 July 9. Jonathan Corwin died, aged 78.
 Dec. 25. Persons dismissed to form the East Church.
 1719.
 Almshouse built at corner of Broad and Summer streets. Pulled down in 1807.
 Dec. 11. Brilliant aurora, causing great alarm.
 1720.
 Tea began to be used.
 1723.
 Tide flowed back in some places, several miles, forcing people, in some instances, to take refuge in trees.
 1725.
 Oct. 17. Maj. Stephen Sewall died, aged 68.
 1727.
 Oct. 29. Severest earthquake known in New England up to this time.
 1728.
 June 30. Middleton incorporated.
 Oct. 31. General Court assembled at Salem, by order of Gov. Burnett.
 1730.
 Small-pox at Marblehead, all intercourse prohibited; guards placed.
 1733.
 First St. Peter's church erected.
 1740.
 Mch. 17. Philip English died, aged 89.
 Sept. 29. Rev. Geo. Whitefield preached on the Common to about six thousand people.
 Oct. Rivers frozen over.
 1742.
 Aug. 16. Grant of General Court for the erection of breastworks and a platform for 16 guns, accepted by town. (Fort Lee.)
 1744.
 A fire club was formed.
 Bridge built over North River at North st., 860 feet long.
 1745.
 Jan. 28. Benjamin Lynde, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, died, aged 80.
 July 17. Timothy Pickering born.
 1749.
 Mch. 20. Richard Derby and others purchase the first fire engine.
 1751.
 A second fire engine purchased by Benjamin Lynde and others.
 1752.
 Jan. 25. Danvers set off and incorporated.
 1755.
 Nov. 18. Great earthquake. Lisbon destroyed.
 1756.
 Sept. 20. Town divided into four wards.
 1760.
 March 31. Social Library established.
 1761.
 Jan. 30. Act passed to prevent damage by fire by prohibiting sailmakers and riggers from carrying on business except where licensed.
 Mch. 12. Severe earthquake.
 1766.
 Salem Marine Society instituted.
 Stage route established to Boston.
 1767.
 The town sent to London for a fire engine.
 Mch. 18. Repeal of Stamp Act joyfully commemorated.
 July 14. Timothy Orne died, aged 50.
 Nov. 19. A sloop driven ashore on Cat Island, and 7 persons drowned.
 1768.
 Town voted to petition General Court for an act to raise money by lottery for paving Main St. [Hall
 April. First Printing Press, by Samuel

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- Aug. 2. First issue of "Essex Gazette."
Sept. 7. One Row, for giving information that a vessel was about to elude the payment of duties, was carried to the Common, tarred and feathered, set upon a cart, with the word "Informer" in large letters on his breast and back, and carried through Main st., preceded by a crowd.
1770.
New alms and work-house placed on the Common.
1771.
Apr. 25. Act incorporating Marine Society passed.
1772.
Jan. 16. Bryan Sheehan hung on the Neck; 12,000 persons at execution.
Aug. 23. New meeting house, corner North and Lynde Sts., for North Church Society, first opened.
1773.
Jan. 26. Act regulating the work-house passed.
Mch. 26. Nathaniel Bowditch born.
June 17. Custom House yacht upset; three men and seven women drowned.
Aug. 20. Benjamin Pickman died, aged 66.
1774.
Last Provincial assembly and first Provincial Congress convened at Salem. First delegates to Continental Congress chosen.
26. Hospital on Cat Island erected for inoculating with small-pox, burned by a mob.
Aug. 12. A Halifax regiment land and are quartered on the Neck. Sept. 10th they march through the town and proceed to Boston.
Aug. 24. Five shops and a warehouse below the town house on Essex street burned; loss £800.
Oct. 4. A Beverly privateer run aground, being chased by the man-of-war "Nautilus." People of Salem and Beverly cannonaded the pursuer for two or three hours from the shore, when she cut cables and made off.
Oct. 6. The Great Fire; Rev. Dr. Whitaker's church, Custom House, eight dwellings, fourteen stores, shops, etc., burned.
Nov. Hospital for inoculating with small-pox erected in great pasture.
1775.
Feb. 26. Col. Leslie with 300 British soldiers land at Marblehead and march to Salem for the purpose of seizing cannon, causing a serious rencontre at North bridge.
Apr. 19. Battle of Lexington. Benjamin Pierce of Salem killed. Col. Pickering with 300 soldiers marched rapidly towards Lexington, but arrived too late for action.
Sept. 14. A detachment of troops com-
manded by Benedict Arnold, sent from Cambridge by Gen. Washington, stop for dinner at Salem, on their way to attempt the capture of Quebec.
1776.
First Tabernacle church erected at corner of Washington and Federal sts.
Barracks prepared at Juniper Point (Fort Juniper.)
Aug. 15. Rev. Thomas Barnard, of the First Church, died.
Oct. 2. A privateer chased into Salem.
1777.
Feb. 17. John Pickering, celebrated philologist, born.
June 14. Congress adopted the flag of the United States.
1780.
May 19. Dark Day.
Oct. 6. Privateer "Stark" chased into Salem by two British frigates.
1781.
Dec. Richard Derby, Jr., died in his 46th year.
1783.
Apr. 3. News of peace received with great joy. During the Revolution, Salem sent out 158 privateers, manned by several thousand sailors, and mounting more than 2000 guns. Salem armed vessels captured 445 prizes.
1784.
June 15. The bark "Light Horse," Capt. Buffington, cleared for St. Petersburg; first American vessel to trade there. Last arrival at Salem from St. Petersburg—ship "Eclipse," Johnson, master—in September, 1843.
Oct. 29. Lafayette visited Salem.
1785.
Nov. 28. Cleared Ship "Grand Turk," Capt. Ebenezer West, by Elias Hasket Derby; first voyage from New England to India and China.
1786.
New town and county house completed. It stood in middle of Washington street near Tabernacle church, with front towards Essex street. Cost \$7,145.
July 10. Stephen Abbott, the first commander of the Cadets, and other officers are commissioned. First parade of this company in uniform April 19, 1787.
Oct. 14. First issue of the present Salem Gazette under title of Salem Mercury.
Dec. 21. Isaac Coombs, an Indian, hung on the Neck, for killing his wife in the great pastures.
1787.
May 22. Ship "Grand Turk" returned from Canton; the first vessel of New England that performed such a voyage.
May 23. First parade of Salem Artillery, under Zadock Buffington.
1788.
Sept. 24. Beverly bridge opened for travel as a toll bridge. It rested on 93 piers, was 32 feet wide, 1484 feet long; cost \$16,000; tolls removed in 1868.

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1789.
Feb. Elias Hasket Derby sent the ship "Astrea," a direct voyage to Canton for the first time.
Oct. 29. Washington visited Salem.
Dec. 15. First circulating library opened by John Dabney.
1791.
May 3. A brig launched sideways from Derby wharf.
1792.
July 2. Essex Bank, first in Salem, commenced business.
1794.
Stage line to Marblehead.
Fort William ceded to United States.
Powder house built in great pastures.
Dec. 25. Ship "Betsey" launched; thermometer 80° at noon; men and boys indulged in swimming.
1795.
Nov. 3. Sch. "Rajah," Capt. Jonathan Carnes, cleared for India; sailed for Sumatra, first vessel, by Jonathan Peele.
- 1796
Stage line to Gloucester.
Jan. 7. Ship "Margaret" of Boston wrecked on eastern Gooseberry; four lives lost.
Jan. 11. Brig "John" lost on Great Misery.
Jan. 14. Henry Blackburn, an Englishman, hanged for murder, at the Neck.
Apr. 19. The Salem ship "America" brought to New York an elephant from Bengal; first seen in America; sold for \$10,000.
May 4. W. H. Prescott, the historian, born.
1797.
Mch. 9. Salem and Danvers Aqueduct Corporation incorporated.
May. Ship "Astrea," Henry Prince, master, entered from Manilla to Elias Hasket Derby; first entry at Salem from Manilla.
1798.
Aqueduct reservoir built on Gallows hill; 10 ft. deep and about 24 ft. square.
Jan. 3. The two lighthouses on Baker's Island first lighted.
Apr. 26. Capt. Joseph Ropes in the ship "Recovery" for Mocha; first American vessel to display the stars and stripes in that part of the world.
1799.
Sept. 8. Elias Hasket Derby died.
Sept. 30. Launched at Winter Island the frigate Essex, built by the merchants of Salem for the U. S. Government; cost \$95,000.
Oct. East India Marine Society organized.
Nov. 1. Fort William called Fort Pickering by order of Secretary of War.
Dec. 6. Judge Andrew Oliver died, aged 62.
Dec. 30. Memorial exercises and procession on the death of Gen. George Washington which occurred on the 14th.
1800.
May 12. First issue of Salem Register.
June 20. Gen. Alexander Hamilton at Salem.
Dec. 24. No frost in ground; farmers plough their land.
- 1800-1.
\$5600 contributed for poor of Marblehead infected with small pox.
1801.
Howard street burial ground first used.
1802.
The Common levelled, fenced, and trees (mostly poplars) set out and called "Washington Square;" expense \$25,000, contains 8½ acres.
Feb. 21. Three Salem ships wrecked on Cape Cod.
May 10. Ship Minerva, owned by Clifford Crowninshield and Nathaniel West, had lately returned from China, the first Salem vessel that had circumnavigated the globe.
1803.
Feb. 26. Salem Turnpike incorporated; from Salem to Charles River Bridge; 12 miles and 256 poles in length. 1200 shares at \$200 each.
Mar. 8. Salem Bank incorporated, now Salem National.
Sept. 22. Salem Turnpike opened for travel. The turnpike to Chelsea Bridge cost \$182,063 and the bridge \$55,469.
1804.
July 4. Nathaniel Hawthorne born.
1805.
Bridge over South River at Lafayette st. built at expense of E. H. Derby and others; accepted by town in 1810 and rebuilt in 1821.
The pillory, stocks and whipping post cease to be used as a means of punishment.
- Jan. 1. New South Meeting House dedicated, at corner of Chestnut and Cambridge sts.; cost with land \$23,819.78. Steeple 166 feet high.
July 4. Salem Light Infantry first paraded under Capt. John Saunders.
Sept. 8. Mr. Fisher's twine factory back of County st. burned.
Oct. 25. Burglary at jewelry store of Jabez Baldwin; loss \$3,000.
1806.
Registry of Deeds building built at corner of Broad and Summer streets; cost \$4000. The office was removed to the Court House in Oct. 1842.
Jan. 1. First Baptist church on Federal st. dedicated.
Jan. 16. Three large dwellings on Carpenter st. burned.
June 16. Total eclipse of the sun.
1807.
Orne st. cemetery first used.
July 4. Salem Mechanic Light Infantry first paraded under Perley Putnam.

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1808.
 May 15. Jacob Crowninshield, M. C. died, aged 38.
 Sept. 27. Essex Hussars, a new military company, made their first appearance.
 1809.
 Universalist meeting-house on Rust St. erected.
 1810.
 Stage line to Haverhill.
 Hamilton Hall built about this time.
 March 12. Salem Athenæum incorporated.
 May 20. Loss of ship "Margaret of Salem" and 28 lives.
 June 1. Bark "Active," Capt. Wm. P. Richardson, sailed from Salem on the first trading voyage from Salem to the Feejee Islands.
 1811.
 \$9771.50 contributed for sufferers by fire at Newburyport. [burned.]
 June 21. Foye & Tuttle's rope walk
 June 26. Merchants' Bank incop. "National," Jan 9, 1865.
 1812.
 Feb. 6. Consecration of Messrs. Judson, Newhall, Nott, Hall and Rice as Missionaries to India, in the Tabernacle church.
 Feb. 19. Sailing of the Missionaries in the brig Caravan, Augustine Heard, commander.
 June 19. War declared against Great Britain. Salem sent out 40 privateers, mounting 189 cannon, and manned by 2142 men.
 1813.
 Jail built at foot of St. Peter street at cost of \$80,000.
 June 1. Engagement between "Chesapeake" and "Shannon" in Massachusetts Bay; seen from Salem.
 Aug. 23. Impressive funeral ceremonies of Capt. James Lawrence and Lieut. Augustus Ludlow, killed on the Chesapeake."
 1814.
 \$2141 contributed for sufferers by fire at Portsmouth.
 July 28. Benjamin Goodhue, U. S. Senator, died.
 Sept. 25. Great alarm at one o'clock A. M. at false report that the English were landing on the Neck. Guns fired and bells rung.
 Oct. 1. Rev. Thomas Barnard, of the North church, died, aged 66. [80.]
 Dec. 14. Rev. Daniel Hopkins died, aged 1815.
 Feb. 13. News of peace.
 Feb. 22. Celebration of close of war.
 June 17. George Crowninshield died, aged 81.
 Aug. 1. Violent hail storm. 130,000 panes of glass broken in Salem.
 Sept. 23. Severe storm; it bore salt water for 40 miles into the country scuring the leaves of all trees within its reach.

Building on Castle Hill blown down
 Oct. 14. William Orne died, aged 64.
 Dec. 20. Hinman & Stodder's crockery store, next east of Essex House, burned; loss \$8000.
 1816.
 Double light on Baker's Island changed to single one.
 Aug. 22. Great fire cor. Liberty and Water sts., sixteen buildings destroyed.
 Oct. 21. "Cleopatra's Barge" launched, rigged and decorated. Immense concourse of people.
 Nov. 16. New Almshouse at Neck ready for occupancy; 200 feet long.
 Nov. 26. Market in town hall first opened.
 Dec. 13. Act passed regulating the market, market-carts, &c.
 1817.
 Aqueduct corporation purchased land on Sewall st. on which a reservoir of 22,000 gals. capacity was afterwards erected.
 \$9000 contributed for Massachusetts Hospital.
 Substantial rail fence built around the common.
 July 4. Steamboat "Massachusetts" the first seen in this port, excited great curiosity.
 July 4. Simon Forrester died, aged 69.
 July 8. President Monroe visited Salem, and was received in the new Town Hall, the first public use of this building. The hall cost \$12,000.
 Oct. 1. Salem Charitable Mechanic Association organized.
 1818.
 Small-pox hospital in great pasture destroyed.
 Present Custom House built by order of Congress.
 Jan. 29. Saleam Savings Bank incorporated.
 Feb. 16. Essex Agricultural society organized. Col. Timothy Pickering, first president.
 Dec. 2. A schooner and a sloop lost on Baker's Island.
 1819.
 April 19. Latin school house in Broad St. opened; cost \$10,000.
 April 19. Commercial Bank incop. First National, June, 1864.
 Nov. 2. Dark Day.
 1820.
 Feb. 15. Salem Dispensary formed.
 Oct. 18. New light house on Baker's Island lighted.
 1821.
 Roman Catholic church erected at corner of Mall and Bridge Sts.
 Jan. Wild cat killed in Front St.
 April 21. Essex Historical Society organized.
 May 10. Stephen M. Clark, of Newburyport, aged 17, hung on Winter Island for setting fire to a stable in that city.
 Nov. Brig "Thetis," Charles Fobes, master, arrived from Madagascar to N. L. Rogers & Bros.

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1823.

- Jan. 6. First issue of Salem Observer.
- Jan. 31. Exchange Bank incorporated. National, Feb. 18, 1865.
- July 4. Celebration of the day. Citizens of North Salem erected a flag staff at North Bridge, with the American eagle and bust of Washington on the top. The staff was inscribed "Col. Leslie's Retreat. Feb. 26, 1775." Three boys killed and thirty persons wounded by explosion of fireworks on Salem Common.
- Sept. 27. First experiment of hauling up a vessel on the marine railway, erected in So. Salem.

1824.

- Barton square church erected.
- Feb. 7. Salem Lead Manufacturing Company incorporated.
- Feb. 9. Salem Marine Railway incorporated.
- Feb. 11. Methodist chapel in Sewall st. dedicated.
- June 12. Asiatic Bank incorporated. National, Feb. 1, 1865.
- Aug. 31. Lafayette visited Salem the second time.

1825.

- Oct. 14. 26th anniversary of East India Marine Society celebrated by public dinner; President Adams present.
- Nov. 3. William Gray died at Boston.

1826.

- Lead manufacture commenced in Salem, by Salem Lead Company, on present site of Naumkeag Mills; portion of buildings burned June 14; loss \$8000.
- Stage line to Lowell.
- Feb. 15. Essex Marine Railway incorporated.
- April 27. Corner-stone of new First church laid.
- May. Salem Mill Dam corporation organized.
- May 8. Mercantile Bank incorporated. National, Jan. 10, 1865.
- June 8. Second Baptist church in St. Peter st. dedicated.
- July 4. Great celebration of 50th anniversary of the day.
- Aug. 10. Funeral honors to Presidents Adams and Jefferson.

1827.

- Aug. 11. First vessel to enter at Salem Custom House from Zanzibar; three masted sch. "Spy," Andrew Ward, master, to Nathaniel L. Rogers & Bros.
- Sept. President John Q. Adams at Salem.
- Sept 8. First volume of J. B. Felt's annals of Salem issued.
- Nov. Lecture before the Essex Lodge. The beginning of the present system of Lyceum Lectures.

1828.

- Stage line to Danvers.
- Jan. 24. First lecture before the Salem Mechanic Association.

- Feb. 4. Opening of new theatre in Crombie st.; performances began at half past six.
- April. Second volume of Felt's Annals of Salem issued.
- May 1. New chapel in Herbert st. dedicated.
- May 24. First annual exhibition of the English High School.
- July 4. First appearance of a Salem band of musicians.
- Aug. 13. Centennial Birthday of Dr. E. A. Holyoke.
- Sept. 13. Essex Historical Society celebrated the bi-centennial anniversary of the landing of Endicott.

1829.

- Jan. 29. Col. Timothy Pickering died.
- March 31. Dr. E. A. Holyoke died, aged 100 years, 7 mos.
- May 11. Post office removed to East India Marine building.
- June 9. Menagerie exhibited corner of Harbor st. for five days.

1830.

- Citizens contributed \$1,093.82 for sufferers by fire at Gloucester.
- Jan. 18. Salem Lyceum organized.
- Feb. 22. First lecture before the Salem Lyceum, by D. A. White.
- April 6. Murder of Captain Joseph White.
- June 15. Suicide of R. Crowninshield, jr., one of the murderers of Captain White.
- Sept. 28. John F. Knapp hung in jail yard; Joseph J. Knapp, jr. hung Dec. 31, at same place; for murder of Capt. Joseph White.
- Nov. 16. Attempt to rob the Salem Bank.
- Nov. 24. Thomas Perkins, merchant, died, aged 72.

1831.

- Jan. 15 and 16. Heavy snow storm; arches built.
- Jan. 19. Lyceum Hall opened.
- March 11. Company recently organized for whaling business sent out first ship.
- March 17. Naumkeag Bank incorporated. National, Dec. 1864.
- May 25. Three young men drowned North river, by sinking of boat.
- June 23. Police court established.
- July 8. Town voted to remove tow-scales from Broad st. to Bridge st.

1832.

- Friends' meeting-house on South Pine st erected.
- Ship "Tybee," Capt. Charles Millett, owned by N. L. Rogers & Bros.; first American vessel to enter the ports of Australia.
- July 8. Burning of twine factory of James Fisher on High st., with two dwellings and a barn.
- August. Ship "Eclipse," William Johnson, master, consigned to Joseph Pea-

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- body, last entry at Salem, direct from Canton.
- Sept. 20. Brig "Mexican" overhauled by a pirate and robbed of \$20,000, etc. Pirates afterward apprehended and six of them executed in Boston in 1835.
- Nov. 22. Crombie st. church dedicated. Formerly a theatre.
1833.
- Present St. Peter's church erected; cost, \$13,000.
- Jan. 31. Loss of schooner "Mechanic" on Cohasset rocks. All hands lost except boy.
- Feb. 13. House on Dalrymple Court burned; Mrs. Nichols, aged 88, perished in the flames.
- June 6. Twine factory of Thomas Gwinn on March street burned.
- June 26 and 27. Visit of President Jackson and Vice Pres. Van Buren.
- Oct. 29. Visit of Henry Clay.
- Dec. Completion of new road from foot of Essex st. to Neck.
- Dec. 23. Essex County Natural History Society organized.
1834.
- May. New artillery company formed.
- June 25. St. Peter's church dedicated.
- July 24. Town voted to provide a distinct school for colored children.
- Aug. 7. Public dinner given to U. S. Senators Webster and Silsbee, in pavilion on common.
- Aug. 27. Arrival of British brig of war "Savage," with sixteen of the pirates who robbed the "Mexican."
- Dec. 28. Fire at Salem Laboratory; loss \$6000.
1835.
- Feb. Excitement over publication of a communication entitled "Inquire at Amos Giles' distillery."
- March 27. Town voted to have the streets lighted.
- Sept. 4. House of Joshua Loring on Marlboro st. burned; two others badly damaged; loss, \$7000.
- Sept. 28. Town authorized the numbering of houses and stores.
- Oct. 1. Public celebration by the Salem Charitable Mechanic Association.
1836.
- Feb. 15. The town voted to adopt a city form of government.
- March 22. Act to establish the City of Salem passed the Legislature.
- April 4. City charter accepted; 617 yeas; 185 nays.
- April 14. Eastern Railroad incorporated.
- April 25. First city election.
- May 9. City Government organized; Leverett Saltonstall, Mayor; John G. King, President of the Common Council.
- June 22. North church, built of stone, off Essex st., dedicated. Cost, \$32,509.
- Aug. 29. First trial of the new fire engine "Constitution;" built in Salem, by Increase S. Hill.
- Sept. 24. Fire in Northey st. destroying four dwellings.
- Dec. 31. First issue of Salem Directory.
1837.
- Feb. 17. Rope walks of William Stickney and Joshua Safford on Bridge st. entirely burned. Cold intense; 3 below zero. Loss \$30,000.
- March 7. Steamboat "Portsmouth" launched sideways; said to be the first steamboat built in Mass.; 145 feet long.
- April 1. S. R. Honeycomb killed 20 foxes in the great pastures, since beginning of the year.
- May 3. City treasurer received \$29,790.13 from U. S. surplus revenue; disbursed as follows:—City debt \$8000; repairs on building for insane \$600; city hall and furnishings \$21,190.13.
- May 12. Banks of Salem and vicinity vote to suspend specie payments.
- June. First permanent military band organized.
- Aug. 31. Brewery and malt house on May street totally consumed.
- Dec. 10. Brig "Curlew" wrecked on Baker's Island.
- Dec. 26. Burning of oil factory of Caleb Smith, end of Harbor st.; loss \$12,000.
1838.
- March 16. Nathaniel Bowditch died at Boston.
- May 9. New bell placed on Tabernacle church; 1793 pounds.
- May 31. City Hall first used for meetings of the City Council. The hall cost \$22,873.69; paid from surplus revenue of the U. S.
- July 4. Celebration of the day. First balloon ascension in Salem. First appearance of new Salem Brass Band.
- Aug. 27. Eastern Railroad open for travel to Boston.
- Oct. 1. Visit of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of Boston.
1839.
- Railroad tunnel under Washington st. completed; 650 feet long.
- Feb. 27. Salem Children's Friend Society organized.
- March 11. City seal adopted; designed by George Peabody.
- April 1. Eastern Railroad began to carry mails.
- April 6. Passage of Act incorporating Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co.
- April 17. Two men drowned in the harbor.
- May 27. Visit of First Corps Cadets, Boston.
- July 20. Brass foundry of J. Waters & Son, near North bridge, burned.
- Nov. Mechanic Hall opened.
- Dec. 10. Eastern Railroad Branch from Salem to Marblehead opened.
- Dec. 17. Great storm, 50 persons perished by shipwreck at Gloucester.
- Dec. 18. Eastern Railroad opened to Ipswich.

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- 1840.
- Feb. 19. Harmony Grove Cemetery incorporated.
- March 18. Change of boundary between Salem and Danvers.
- June 14. Harmony Grove Cemetery consecrated.
- June 17. Eastern Railroad opened to Newburyport.
- July 4. Great celebration by the Whig party.
- Nov. 9. Eastern Railroad opened to the New Hampshire line and Portsmouth; terminating a route of 53 miles; costing \$2,289,286.
- 1841.
- City scales built near Howard st. burial ground.
- April 19. Funeral ceremonies on death of President Harrison.
- June 30. Violent tempest; many barns blown down in surrounding towns.
- Sept. Howard st. cemetery enlarged.
- Sept. 17. Parade of Second Brigade of Militia.
- 1842.
- Feb. 14. Stephen C. Phillips donated \$2400 to the public schools; his salary as mayor.
- March 1. Festival to celebrate opening of new school houses, with procession, 1900 scholars present. The Phillips school-house was 50 ft. wide and 136 ft. long and cost \$17,500.
- March 21. The stone Court House was first opened; cost \$80,000. The court of Common Pleas commenced its session.
- Aug. Second edition of Felt's annals of Salem issued.
- Aug. 5. Visit of Maryland Cadets.
- Dec. 8. E. A. Hanson's tannery on Grove st. burned.
- 1843.
- \$2534.58 contributed for sufferers by fire at Fall River.
- March 23. Act authorizing Jonathan F. Carlton to erect bridge across North river at foot of Dean st.
- Aug. 16. Hon. Benjamin Pickman died, aged 80.
- Sept. 15. First exhibition of Tom Thumb at Salem.
- Oct. Sidewalk ordered around Market House, and clock on same.
- Oct. 5. Parade of General Sutton's Brigade of militia.
- 1844.
- Jan. 5. Joseph Peabody died, aged 86.
- Feb. 11. Two young women baptized into the mormon faith in South Mill Pond.
- April 7. New organ at St. Peter's church.
- June 3. Concert by Ole Bull.
- June 7. Funeral of Capt. Jesse Smith, one of Gen. Washington's Life Guards.
- June 14. Citizens of No. Salem pass resolutions concerning closing of road to Liberty Hill, etc. 17th, citizens march to Cold Spring; some afterwards indicted for riot.
- Aug. death of Amos Choate; bequeathed \$5000 for support of insane poor.
- Oct. 8. Citizens of No. Salem picnic at Liberty Hill; having secured their rights thereto.
- Dec. 18. Great fire, destroying seven buildings on Front st., four on Lafayette st., nine on Fish st.; loss, \$100,000.
- 1845.
- Jan. 20. The public schools named for distinguished citizens.
- Jan. 29. Fire at Franklin Building; loss, \$10,000. Wm. Chase injured.
- Jan. 31. Cooper shop of Nichols & Florence on Allen's wharf, burned.
- April 3. Second Baptist Church partially burned; damage, \$18,000.
- May 6. Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co. organized.
- May 8. Hon. Leverett Saltonstall, first Mayor of Salem, died, aged 62.
- June 7. Morocco shop of E. B. Arnold and currying shop of J. C. Pitman on Boston st., burned.
- Sept. 10. Joseph Story, Justice U. S. Supreme Court, died at Cambridge, aged 66.
- 1846.
- Jan. 1. East Church on Brown st. dedicated; built of freestone and brick; cost \$27,000.
- May 5. Hon. John Pickering died at Boston, aged 69.
- July 4. Floral procession.
- July 13. Great fire at Nantucket; \$1803.50 contributed for sufferers.
- Aug. 17. Operations commenced on Essex railroad at Carltonville.
- Aug. 25. Earthquake.
- Aug. 31. Salem Academy of Music organized.
- Sept. 19. Great gale; 11 schooners lost on Grand Banks.
- Oct. 15. Old Hospital at lower part of Neck, burned.
- Oct. 22. Ichabod Tucker died, aged 81.
- Nov. Brig "Lucilla," D. Marshall, master, to Tucker Daland; last entry at Salem for Sumatra.
- Nov. 4. Hon. Dudley L. Pickman died aged 67.
- Nov. 18. Fraternity Lodge of Odd Fellows instituted.
- Dec. 5. Subscription commenced for widows and children of men lost on Grand Banks, Sept. 19; \$1,713 collected.
- Dec. 6. Antislavery meeting at Mechanic hall to welcome Wm. Lloyd Garrison and James N. Buffum home from England.
- Dec. 20. Fire in brick block on Essex opp. Central st.
- 1847.
- Jan. 18. Essex railroad opened to So. Danvers.
- Feb. \$3,438.97 contributed for the destitute in Ireland.

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- Feb. 8. Naumkeag Steam Cotton Company commenced weaving.
 March 14. Dwelling of David A. Neal Esq., on Washington st. partly burned.
 May. Foundations laid for stone depot of Eastern Railroad.
 May 31. First parade of the City Guards under Capt. R. H. Farrant.
 May 31. New chapel in Harbor St. opened.
 July 3. Floral procession.
 July 5. President James K. Polk at Salem.
 July 26. City Council authorized construction of bridge from Derby St. to Naumkeag factory wharf.
 July 30. Benjamin Merrill, a distinguished lawyer, died, aged 63.
 Aug. 6. A man and boy suffocated at Naumkeag cotton mills by gas from charcoal fires.
 Aug. 23. Taking down of Eastern R. R. depot begun.
 Sept. 7. New brick school house in So. Salem opened.
 Dec. 17. Brig "Falconer" of Belfast, wrecked off Ipswich Bar; 17 persons perished.
 Dec. 23. First telegraphic despatch sent from Salem to Boston by Mayor.
- 1848.
- Jan. 1. New bridge from Union wharf to South Salem opened.
 Jan. 6. George H. Devereux appointed Adj. General of Mass.
 Jan. 30. North church opened, after being remodelled.
 Feb. 11. Essex Institute incorporated; a union of the Historical and Natural History Societies.
 March 28. Salutes of artillery fired in honor of French Revolution.
 April 11. India Rubber Factory in South Salem burned. Loss \$12,000.
 July 4. Splendid display of fireworks.
 July 10. Gloucester Branch railroad opened.
 Aug. 15. First number of "The Free World" newspaper issued.
 Sept. 3. Review of 4th Brigade Militia under Col. Andrews.
 Sept. 4. Essex Railroad opened to Lawrence.
 Sept. 20. A steam dredger began straightening and deepening channel of North river.
 Oct. 27. Brig "Mary and Ellen," owned by S. C. Phillips, Capt. J. H. Eagleston, cleared for Sandwich Isles via California; first vessel from Massachusetts after the gold discovery.
 Nov. 2. Accident on Marblehead Branch R. R.; 6 persons killed and 5 injured.
 Nov. 7. Veneering mill of Prime, Kenney & Co. burned.
- 1849.
- Jan. 26. Members of the Naumkeag Mutual Trading and Mining Co. sail from Boston for California.
- Feb. 11. Second Advent Society began meetings at Sewall st. church.
 March 5. U. S. Revenue flag displayed for first time on Custom House, during office hours.
 March 17. Barque "La Grange" sailed for California with 63 members of Salem Trading and Mining Co.
 June 12. First field meeting of Essex Institute at Danvers.
 June 21. Launching of yacht "Mystery;" largest pleasure boat ever built in Salem.
 July 7. Salem Building Association organized.
 Aug. 1. Last number of Salem Advertiser published.
 Sept. 16. Father Mathew in Salem.
 Sept. 24. First exhibition of Salem Charitable Mechanic Association.
 Sept. 25. Philharmonic Society organized.
 Sept. 27. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
 Oct. 1. Visit of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of Boston.
 Dec. 12. Essex railroad commenced depot on Bridge st.
- 1850.
- March 4. Salem Gas Light Co. organized.
 April 26. Barque "Argentine" launched.
 May 27. City Council appropriated \$7000 for building iron fence around the common.
 June 17. The day celebrated at Cold Spring, No. Salem.
 June 20. Fire at Smith's Oil Factory, So. Salem, destroying several buildings.
 July 4. Floral procession and fireworks. Said to be the most beautiful display ever seen in this part of the country.
 July 14. Hon. Nathaniel Silsbee, U. S. Senator, died, aged 77 years.
 July 17. Jewelry store of E. K. Lakeman robbed; loss, \$3000.
 July 18. Funeral ceremonies upon death of President Taylor.
 July 25. Brig "M. Shepard" launched.
 Aug. 1. Salem & Lowell Railroad opened with public ceremonies.
 Aug. 15. Thirteen residents of Lynn drowned at Humphrey's pond, Lynnfield.
 Sept. South Reading Branch Railroad opened.
 Sept. 26. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
 Dec. 2. Mr. Ball's free school opened.
 Dec. 2. New common fence completed.
 Dec. 9. The stores lighted with gas for the first time. Portion of street lamps lighted Dec. 25.
- 1851.
- Jan. 2. Free-will Baptist church organized.
 Feb. 3. Benjamin W. Crowninshield, M. C. and U. S. Sec. Navy, died in Boston, aged 79.
 April 14. Great storm lasting three days; destruction of Minot's Ledge Light House.

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- July 4. Floral procession.
Sept. 22, 23. Muster of Fourth Brigade Militia.
Sept. 25. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
Dec. 19. Nathaniel West, merchant, died, aged 96 years; bequeathed the income of \$25,000 for support of school for instruction in navigation.
Dec. 26. Salem Harbor frozen to the Haste.
1852.
Feb. 22. Joseph E. Sprague, for many years sheriff of Essex, died, aged 70.
March 16. Crombie st. church vestry opened.
April. Probate records removed from Ipswich to Court House, Salem.
April 29. Ordinance passed for appointment of City Marshal and assistants.
May 6. Kossuth visited Salem.
May 12. Corner-stone of Lafayette st. Meth. church laid; ded. Jan. 6, 1853.
May 24. Fowler st. school house dedicated.
June. Choate block on Essex st. commenced.
June 21. Hotel on Lowell Island first opened; built by Salem Steamboat Co.
July 4. Great celebration.
Oct. Naumkeag Steam Cotton factory lighted by gas of their own manufacture.
Oct. 15. City Council voted to give land on Broad st. for Normal school.
1855.
Feb 2. Saugus Branch railroad opened.
March 8. Large mansion house near Orne's Point, totally burned.
March 21. Street names changed and re-numbered; Federal, Marlboro and County streets called *Federal*; Charter, Vine and part of Neptune, between Elm and Water, called *Charter*; Forrester and Bridge, called *Bridge*; Warren and Green, called *Warren*; Fish, Water, part of Neptune and Derby, called *Derby*; Mill and South, called *Mill*.
June 8. Fire destroyed enamelled leather factory off Mason st.; loss \$8,000.
July 3. Hon. Samuel Putnam died at Somerville, aged 85.
July 4. Great celebration and floral procession.
July 20. Fire destroyed friction match factory of S. A. Carleton & Co. on Grove street.
August 3. No. Danvers stage coach upset on Washington street; several passengers injured.
Aug. 24-26. First division muster of Militia at Winter Island.
Sept. 3. Demolition of old Registry of Deeds building on Broad st. commenced.
Nov. 16. Nonantum Hall dedicated.
1854.
atic Bank building constructed.
). 2. Fire destroyed patent leather factory of C. P. Gould, and currying shop of James Sanborn in No. Salem.
April 26. Laying of corner-stone, Tabernacle church; dedicated Dec. 1st.
May 15. Death of Miss Caroline Plummer, aged 74; bequeathed \$30,000 to Salem Athenæum for a building; \$15,000 to Harvard College; \$18,000 and residue of estate for founding Reform school.
July 4. Oration by Hon. Anson Burlingame.
July 24. First number of the Salem Daily Journal issued.
Aug. 23-25. Division muster of Militia at Winter Island.
Sept. 14. Salem State Normal School dedicated. Address by Hon. G. S. Boutwell. R. Edwards, Principal.
Oct. 23. Danvers railroad opened; trains started from Phillips' wharf and proceeded over Essex, Salem and Lowell, Danvers, and Boston & Maine railroads, to depot in Haymarket sq., Boston.
Nov. 6. Sudden death of Jerome H. Smith, leader of Salem Brass Band.
Dec. 21. "Young America No. 2," fire engine received.
1855.
Brick block on Washington st. near depot built by J. E. Fisk.
Capt. John Bertram's brick residence built.
Gas pipes laid to South Salem.
Jan. Fog bell erected on south end of Baker's Island.
Feb. 24. Post office removed to Asiatic Bank building.
March 9. Salem Five Cent Savings Bank incorporated; began business May 14.
April 18. New church of Second Advent Society on Endicott st. opened.
April 24. Celebration of 50th anniversary of Rev. Brown Emerson of South church.
May 14. Loss of ship Sooloo of Salem.
May 28. City Council authorized ceding of Egg Rock near Lynn to the U. S.
Aug. 22-24. Division muster of Militia at Winter Island.
Oct. 27. Ship of 846 tons launched near Phillips wharf; largest ship built since "Frigate Essex."
Nov. Bark "Witch" consigned to Edward D. Kimball; last entry at Salem from Batavia.
1856.
March 18. Salem Classical and High school dedicated. Address by H. K. Oliver.
April 15. Oil works on Mason st. burned.
April 30. Act establishing So. Danvers boundary line.
June 25. Arrival of schooner "Mahlon Betts;" first sailing vessel built of iron to visit this port.
July 7. New Court of Insolvency organized at Court House.
Aug. Webb street, from Essex to Bridge, completed.

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- Aug. 6. Dr. John G. Treadwell died, aged 51; bequeathed \$75,000 to Harvard College; and a farm of 70 acres in Topsfield to Essex Agricultural Society.
- Aug. 20. Powder house in great pastures sold and afterwards removed.
- Sept. 3. Encampment of 4th Brigade Militia at Winter Island.
- Oct. Toll for foot passengers on Beverly bridge abolished.
- Dec. 8. City divided into six Wards; it had been divided into four Wards for 100-years previous.
- 1857.
- Jan. Election of city government on first Monday, and inauguration on fourth Monday; under amendment to charter.
- Jan. 2. Chapel of South church dedicated.
- Feb. 26. Carleton's tannery in Franklin st. burned; loss, \$10,000.
- March 15. Seccomb's oil factory burned; loss, \$5,000.
- June 26. Hon. Stephen C. Phillips, member of Congress, second Mayor of Salem, died, a victim to a steamboat disaster on the St. Lawrence river, aged 56.
- July. Old North church, cor. North and Lynde sts., demolished.
- July 26. Hon. John Glen King died, aged 70.
- Sept. 8. Burning of stable, bakehouse and dwelling on Cedar st.
- Oct. 6. Plummer Hall dedicated, cost \$30,000. Address by Rev. J. M. Hoppin.
- Nov. 24. New fire engine "Sutton No. 7" received.
- Dec. 8. Visit of General John C. Fremont.
- Dec. 15. Burglary at Archer, Downing & Co.'s; \$2,000 worth of silks, etc. taken.
- 1858.
- Jan. 6. 35th annual meeting of Salem & Danvers Association for detection of thieves and robbers, held.
- Jan. 10. The Catholic churches of Immaculate Conception and St. James, consecrated with imposing ceremonies.
- Jan. 28. Store of Stephen Osborne robbed of valuable furs.
- Jan. 29. Mrs. Dr. J. G. Treadwell died, bequeathing \$4,000 to Barton sq. church and other legacies.
- June 8. Loss of Prairie Flower; seven Salem persons drowned.
- July. Bark "Dragon," Thomas C. Dunn, master, entered from Manilla, consigned to Benjamin A. West; last entry at Salem from Manilla.
- Aug. 25-27. Division muster of militia at Winter Island.
- Oct. 12. Laying of corner stone, Grace church; consecrated June 2, 1859.
- Nov. 8. Act accepted requiring School committee to be elected by the people.
- Nov. 21. Several buildings burned near North bridge; loss, \$3,000.
- Dec. 9. Explosion of boiler at tanyard of James Lord; one man killed.
- 1859.
- Jan. 4. Fire at Franklin building.
- Jan. 11. Death of John Ball, city missionary.
- Jan. 29. William H. Prescott, the historian, died at Boston, aged 62; a native of Salem.
- June 8. Mansion House and 12 or 15 other buildings burned; loss \$68,000.
- July 14. Death of Rufus Choate.
- July 20. Flag staff raised at Willows.
- Dec. 23. Full length portrait of Chief Justice Shaw placed in Court House; public ceremonies May 9, 1860.
- 1860.
- Jan. West block completed
- Jan. 1. New police station on Front st. completed; cost with land, \$5,500.
- Jan. 10. Fall of Pemberton Mills at Lawrence.
- March 6. 1500 shoemakers (strikers) of Lynn, march to Salem, So. Danvers and return.
- April 4. Old Ladies' Home incorporated.
- May 17. Steam fire engine "Wm. Chase" received and exhibited.
- June. Iron fence erected in front of Charter st. cemetery.
- July. New pier on easterly side of Beverly bridge completed.
- July 4. Celebration and procession.
- July 23-24. Visit of Ellsworth's Chicago Zouaves.
- Sept. Building of second mill of Naumkeag factory commenced; machinery started Aug. 1862.
- Sept. 4. Fair of Essex Institute opened in Mechanic Hall.
- Oct. 20. Prince of Wales in Salem.
- Oct. 21. Franklin building fire; loss \$20,000.
- Nov. 21. Fire destroyed O. C. Smith's machine shop at Naumkeag factory.
- Nov. 21. City appropriated \$9,000 for new engine house on Church st.
- Dec. 6. Rope-walk of S. Whitmore on Bridge st. burned.
- 1861.
- New Court House built.
- Jan. 9. Steam fire engine "Salem" received.
- March 29. Hon. Daniel A. White, first president of Essex Institute, died, aged 85.
- April. N. I. Bowditch died at Brookline; bequeathed \$1,000 to Salem Athenæum; \$5,000 to Salem Normal School.
- April 12. Fort Sumpter fired on.
- April 18. Salem Light Infantry, Capt. Arthur F. Devereux, left Salem for Washington. [Three days after Pres. Lincoln's Proclamation.] 8th Regiment.
- April 19. City Government of Salem appropriated \$15,000 for the benefit of families of Salem men enlisted at

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- [Other appropriations submade.]
- Salem Mechanic Light Infantry Co. H. Pierson, and Salem City Guards, Capt. Henry Danforth, left Salem for Washington; joining the 5th Regt. M. V. M.
- May 10. Field Hospital Corps raised by Rev. G. D. Wildes, D. D. This corps was raised in Salem and vicinity, and composed of sixty volunteers. It was the first effort for an ambulance department in the Army.
- May 10. Fitzgerald Guards, Capt. Edward Fitzgerald left for camp with the 9th Regiment.
- May 14. The Andrew Light Guard, Company C., 2nd Regt. Capt. William Cogswell, left Salem to join the Regt.
- July 22. Essex Cadets (company raised by A. Parker Brown), Capt. Seth S. Buxton, left Salem.
- July 31. Return of Mechanic Light Infantry and City Guards from war. Aug. 1, Salem Light Infantry (Zouaves) arrived.
- Sept. 2. New Bentley school house first opened.
- Sept. 3. First company of sharpshooters, (Capt. Saunders) left Lynnfield, for Washington. This company was armed with telescopic rifles.
- Sept. 4. Company A. 23d Mass. Vol. Capt. Ethan A. P. Brewster, left Salem for camp in Lynnfield.
- Sept. 7. Essex County Zouaves under Capt. John F. Devereux left Salem for camp.
- Sept. 30. Salem Union Drill Club. Capt. George M. Whipple voted to enlist for the war. Oct. 18 the company joined the 23d Regt. (Co. F.), in camp at Lynnfield.
- Oct. 8. Second company of sharpshooters, Capt. E. Wentworth, attached to the 22d Regt., left for the front.
- Oct. 31. 23d Regt., Col. John Kurtz, marched from camp at Lynnfield to Salem; were reviewed on the Common by the City Government; collation served; Regt. marched back to camp in the afternoon; left Lynnfield for seat of war, Nov. 11.
- Nov. Gas works at Naumkeag Mills completed.
- Nov. 15. Co. H. 19th Regt. Capt. C. U. Devereux, commissioned (S. L. I.).
- Nov. 20. Salem Artillery (4th Battery), Capt. C. H. Manning, left the State.
27. Fire destroyed Pickering school house, corner North and Dearborn sts.
3. Old Ladies' Home opened.
9. Capt. John Daland's and Capt. G. F. Austin's companies left the front; both were in the 14th Regt., Col. Stevenson; Gilmore's id accompanied the Regiment.
10. Salem Light Infantry, under Capt. Chas. U. Devereux, left for the seat of war.
- 1862.
- Jan. 8. Capt. J. F. Devereux's company left Salem to join 11th Mass. Regt.
- March 8. Funeral of Gen. F. W. Lander, who died March 2 from wounds received in battle. Address by Rev. G. W. Briggs in the South church.
- March 21. Funeral of Lieut. Col. Henry Merritt, 23d Regt. Mass. Vol.
- March 27. Fire at C. H. & J. Price's store; loss \$20,000.
- May 26. Second Company of Cadets, Maj. John L. Marks, mustered for garrison duty in the forts of Boston harbor.
- June 18. Full length portrait of Washington presented to city by A. A. Low of N. Y.
- July 10. City appropriated \$25,000 for soldiers' bounties; \$20,000 more appropriated Aug. 25.
- Aug. 22. Capt. S. C. Oliver's company in 35th Regt., left the state.
- Sept. 8. 40th Regt. Lieut. Col. J. A. Dalton, left the state for Washington.
- Sept. 8. Co. B. 40th Regt. Capt. D. H. Johnson, left camp for Washington.
- Sept. 8. Salem City Guards, 40th Regt., Capt. H. Danforth, left the state.
- Sept. 8. Company under Capt. R. Skinner, jr. (40th Regt.), left the state.
- Sept. 22. President Lincoln's proclamation of emancipation; went into effect Jan. 1st, 1863.
- Sept. 27. Funeral of Capt. John Saunders, 1st Massachusetts Sharpshooters.
- Oct. 3. New brick Court house first opened.
- Oct. 4. Salem Light Infantry Veteran Association organized.
- Oct. 11. Second Corps of Cadets return after five months' service at Ft. Warren.
- Oct. 20. Address of Hon. Charles Sumner on emancipation.
- Oct. 22. 5th Regt., Col. George H. Pierson, left Boston for Newbern, N. C. [nine months' service].
- Nov. 19. Co. A. 50th Regt. Capt. Geo. D. Putnam, and Co. B. Capt. John L. Ward, left the State for Department of the Gulf. Went into camp, Sept. 12 (nine months' service).
- Dec. 15. New Pickering school house on School st. first opened.
- Dec. 19. Funeral of Capt. Charles A. Dearborn.
- Dec. 21. Co. F. 11th Regt., Capt. John F. Devereux, commissioned.
- Dec. 27. Co. E. 48th Regt., Capt. George Wheatland jr., left the State for Department of the Gulf.
- 1863.
- Jan. 1. Return of Mechanic Light Infantry after five months' service at Fort Warren.
- Jan. 20. Funeral of Maj. Seth S. Buxton, 14th Regt., Heavy Artillery.
- Jan. 25. New Jerusalem Church formed in Salem, Rev. T. W. Hayward, pastor.
- Feb. 4. Visit of Gen. Geo. B. McClellan.

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- March 19. Salem Union League formed, Rev. Geo. W. Briggs, president.
 March 31. David Pingree, sixth Mayor of Salem, died.
 June 19. Funeral of Lieut. Pickering Dodge Allen.
 July 8. Horse cars to So. Danvers.
 July 10. Drafting commenced in Salem at Lyceum Hall, under direction of Capt. D. H. Johnson, provost marshal.
 Aug. 11. Return of Co. A. 50th Regt. (S. L. I.)
 Oct. 27. Gen. Thomas F. Meagher gave an address at Mechanic Hall.
 Oct. 28. Horse cars to Beverly.
 Nov. Rebuilding of Fort Lee completed.
 Nov. 16. 12th unattached company of Heavy Artillery, Capt. J. M. Richardson, occupied the forts on Salem Neck; left for seat of war, April 29, 1864.
 Dec. Work commenced on car factory in Bridge st.
 1864.
 About six acres added to Orne st. cemetery.
 Jan. 21. Funeral of William P. Mudge, Adj. of 33d Mass. Regt.
 Jan. 28. Grand demonstration to re-enlisted veteran volunteers of 2d, 23d, 32d Regts. and 1st Heavy Artillery.
 Feb. 8. Arrival home of 19th Mass. Regt. at Salem, and grand reception.
 Feb. 23. The 2d and 23d Mass. Regts. (re-enlisted) left this city for seat of war.
 Feb. 23. Daring robbery at J. F. Almy & Co.'s; loss, \$2,000.
 Feb. 28. Fire destroyed three story brick house at corner of Bridge and Osgood streets.
 April 18. School Committee voted to establish classical department in High school.
 May 10. Horse cars to So. Salem.
 May 12. Salem Light Infantry, Capt. R. W. Reeves, left Salem for one hundred days' garrison duty.
 May 13. Act passed authorizing the city to take water from Wenham Lake.
 May 13. Drafting again at Lyceum Hall.
 May 19. Nathaniel Hawthorne died at Plymouth, N. H., aged 60.
 June 6. Four men drowned near Baker's Island.
 June 15. Return of Co. F. 9th Mass. Regt., and reception.
 June 23. Company of Heavy Artillery, Capt. Joseph M. Parsons, left camp for Washington.
 July 4. Death of Col. Perley Putnam, aged 85.
 July 15. Several buildings on Derby near Central st. burned.
 July 26. 8th Mass. Regt., Col. B. F. Peach jr., left State for one hundred days' service.
 July 28. 5th Regt., Col. Geo. H. Peirson, left the State for one hundred days' duty; returned to Boston, Nov. 7, 1864.
 July 30. John Hodges, jr., Lieut. Col. 59th Mass. Regt., killed in Petersburg.
 Sept. 22. Salem Freedmen's Aid formed; president, Alpheus C.
 Oct. 5. Steam fire engine No. 3.
 Nov. Jute factory in Skerry st. built.
 Dec. 5. Act of Legislature on the water question accepted by the people; yes, 1623 votes; no, 151.
 1865.
 Feb. Letter boxes placed in various parts of the city.
 March 6. Death of Rev. Michael Carlton.
 March 21. Funeral of Capt. George W. Gardner, 24th Regt.
 April 3. Capture of Richmond, Va.
 April 9. Surrender of Gen. Lee and the rebel army; great rejoicing on the 10th.
 April 14. President Lincoln assassinated.
 May 22. City Council authorized commissioners to commence operations on the Water Works.
 June 29. Garrison withdrawn from Salem forts.
 July 4. Great celebration and processions in honor of returned soldiers.
 Aug. 8. Fire destroyed tannery of J. Putnam & Co. on Goodhue st.
 Sept. 23. Fire destroyed stables of D. Merritt in Barr st.
 Dec. 4. Major Gen. J. A. Kilpatrick lectured at Mechanic Hall.
 1866.
 May 14. Lynde Block and eight or nine other buildings burned; loss, \$70,000.
 June 10. Death of Robert Brookhouse, Esq., aged 86.
 June 19. Great celebration by Salem Lt. Infantry in honor of members who had served in the war.
 July 4. Great fire at Portland, Me.; Salem citizens contributed over \$10,000 for relief.
 July 14. Gen. Sherman passed through Salem.
 Sept. 17. Jonathan Kimball elected first Superintendent of schools.
 Oct. 11. Cadet Veteran Association formed.
 Oct. 24. Fire at store of Wm. P. Goodhue; Wm. Gray suffocated.
 Dec. Holyoke Building completed.
 1867.
 Company formed at Derby wharf, for prosecution of the fisheries.
 Jan. 1. New steam fire engine "Wm. Chase" received.
 Jan. 17. Great snow storm.
 Feb. 26. George Peabody donated \$14,000 for the promotion of science, to be used under auspices of Essex institute.
 March 2. Peabody Academy of Science organized.
 April 2. Act annexing part of Salem Swampscott.
 May 6. Board of Engineers voted to continue sail carriages and sails as part of fire department.

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- Act passed for reorganizing fire ent.
 Howard st. church sold.
 Great auction sale of lots on estate. Second sale Sept. 16,
- Sept. 3. Second Brigade, Gen. Peirson, march from Salem Common to Swampscott and encamp five days.
 Sept. 26. Fire in Naumkeag block, cor. of Essex and Central sts., loss \$13,000.
 Oct. Jute factory on English st. completed. Building of Salem Lead Works commenced.
 Oct. 28. Gen. Phil. H. Sheridan passed through Salem.
 Oct. 31. Francis Peabody, third President of the Essex Institute, died, aged 66.
 Nov. 15. Phil. H. Sheridan, Post 34, G. A. R. chartered.
 Dec. 21. Fire in Lemaster block opp. St. Peter st.
 Dec. 29. Two boys named Casey drowned in Collins Cove.
 1868.
 Jan. 17. Funeral of Rev. Michael Hartney; the bishop and 52 clergymen present.
 April 15. Commenced laying the distribution pipes of Water Works.
 May. New mill of Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co. commenced.
 May 30. First observance of Memorial Day.
 June 8. City Council appropriated \$6,300 for new bridge over South river, at Lafayette st.
 Aug. 10. City Council appropriated \$23,000 for new school houses in Ward 1 (Herbert st.) and Ward 2.
 Aug. 13. City Council appropriated \$45,000 for new Bowditch school house in Dean st.; school opened March 14, 1870.
 Aug. 29. Death of J. Vincent Browne, Esq., aged 65.
 Oct. 9. Reservoir on Chipman Hill in Beverly completed.
 Oct. 30. John A. Andrews died.
 Nov. 17. Salem Oratorio Society organized.
 Dec. 14. Barque "Jersey" (650 tons) launched; lost June 18, 1869, at Madagascar.
 Dec. 15. School Committee voted to establish evening schools.
 Dec. 25. Wenham water first let into the service pipes; and trial of hydrants.
 Dec. 29. New chapel of Tabernacle society dedicated.
 1869.
 Velocipede mania.
 13. Fire destroyed barn of Horace Ware and forty head of cattle.
 1. First Public Performance of Salem Oratorio Society, "Haydn's Creation."
 8. Gen. Joseph Andrews, ninth mayor of Salem, died.
- March. 22. City Council appropriated \$8,000 for erection of Plummer Farm school.
 March 28. Act passed ceding to U. S. all that portion of Winter Island acquired by deed from city.
 April 1. Fire department reorganized; hand engines dispensed with.
 April 21. Salem Fraternity rooms opened in Downing's block.
 April 22. Act passed authorizing streets over Collins Cove.
 May 4. School Committee voted to establish Naumkeag school.
 June 4. Horse cars to North Salem.
 June 14 to 19. Gilmore's "Peace Jubilee" at Boston.
 June 18. Death of Nathaniel J. Lord, Esq., aged 63.
 June 18. City Council voted to widen North st. between Federal and School streets.
 Aug. 4. Arrival of steam collier "Rattlesnake" with a cargo of coal; the first of the kind at this port.
 Aug. 19. American Association for the Advancement of Science commenced its session in Salem. Museum of Peabody Academy of Science dedicated.
 Aug. 23. Arrival of new hose carriages for fire department.
 Oct. 22. Slight earthquake.
 Nov. 4. George Peabody died at London, aged 74.
 Nov. 6. Tolls on Salem Turnpike and Chelsea bridge abolished, henceforth a free public highway.
 Nov. 19. Water works transferred to city council; cost up to date \$1,060,000.
 Dec. 1. Death of Col. Henry Whipple, aged 80.
 1870.
 Feb. 8. Funeral of George Peabody at Peabody; his remains deposited in Harmony Grove Cemetery.
 April. Old Beadle tavern on Essex opp. Pleasant st. demolished.
 April 2. Barque "Taria Topan" launched.
 April 18. First appearance in Salem of Theodore Thomas's orchestra.
 May 1. Last entry from Zanzibar; bark "Glide" to John Bertram.
 Sept. 5. Ashael Huntington, eighth mayor of Salem and second President of Essex Institute, died, aged 70.
 Sept. 23. Plummer Farm School on Winter Island opened.
 Oct. 20. Earthquake.
 Oct. 22. First lecture before the Salem Fraternity, by H. K. Oliver.
 Oct. 27. Fire destroyed Snow & Redmond's currying shop on Franklin st.; loss \$20,000.
 Oct. 31. Fair of the Essex Institute and Salem Oratorio Society commenced in Mechanic Hall; first occupancy since the enlargement and alteration, except opening concert by Germania Band, Oct. 27; organ first used Jan. 27, 1871.

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- Dec. Alteration of Browne school house completed at cost of \$6,000. 1871.
- Jan. 17. New light houses on Winter Island and Derby wharf first lighted.
- April 15. Railroad tracks in tunnel lowered 14 inches.
- April 21. Semi-centennial anniversary of the Essex Historical Society; noticed by the Essex Institute; address by A. C. Goodell jr.
- June 8. Salem Marine Society celebrated its 100th anniversary.
- June 8. Salem and New York freight steamboat line organized; steamers began running July 29.
- July. Remodelling of Normal school house completed.
- July 20. Slight earthquake.
- July 25. Essex Institute excursion to Provincetown; only part of the trip made on account of storm.
- Aug. 26. Accident on Eastern railroad at Revere.
- Oct. 3. The American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions commenced its sessions in Salem.
- Oct. 8. Great fire at Chicago; over \$19,000 afterwards contributed for the sufferers.
- Oct. 17. Gen. Grant passed through Salem. 1872.
- Soldiers' lot set apart in Orne st. cemetery.
- Atlantic Car Works built.
- Feb. 7. Opening of new chapel of St. Peter's church.
- April 18. New Jerusalem ch. dedicated.
- May 27. Office of Constable at Peabody Academy of Science established, on condition that the Museum be opened free to the public.
- July 28. Fire at Z. Goodell's building on Lafayette st.
- Aug. 9. Fire destroyed tannery of N. Treadwell, on Franklin st.
- Sept. 24. U. S. steamer Kansas arrived.
- Nov. 9-10. Great fire at Boston.
- Nov. 11. City Council voted to extend Washington st. to Mill st.
- Dec. 19. Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, visited friends in Salem. 1873.
- Pennsylvania pier built.
- Feb. 19. Corporators of the Salem Hospital organized.
- March 4. Elegant Bal masque of Cadets at Mechanic Hall.
- March 5. Twenty-fifth anniversary of the Essex Institute noticed.
- March 18. Arrival of new steam fire engine "City of Salem."
- May 15. First postal cards issued from Salem P. O.
- June 11. Death of Rich'd S. Rogers, Esq.
- July. Last entry from West Coast of Africa, Brig Ann Elizabeth from Sierra Leone, to Charles Hoffman.
- July. Lowell people transfer their residences from Marblehead to Juniper Point.
- Aug. 5. Lowell Island house & auction for \$73,000.
- Sept. Seamen's Bethel on Herbert sold to French Catholics.
- Sept. 11. Washington st. extension open to travel.
- Oct. 1. Fire at Anderson & Reynolds' shoe factory.
- Nov. 17. Calvary Baptist ch. dedicated.
- Dec. Hale's Block completed.
- Dec. 16. One hundredth anniversary of the destruction of the Tea in Boston Harbor, commemorated by the Essex Institute; address by Hon. James Kimball. 1874.
- New gas works near Beverly bridge built.
- Jan. 1. Ordinance establishing increased water rates took effect.
- Feb. 16. Lecture by Rev. Charles Kingsley, Canon of Westminster, Eng.
- Feb. 19. Corporators of Salem Hospital organized; deed of property (\$9,000) presented from John Bertram, with notice of further subscription of \$16,000.
- March 9. New Holly st. school house opened.
- April 1. Act passed changing city election to second Tuesday of December, and organization of city government to first Monday in January.
- April 17. Death of Prof. Alpheus Crosby, aged 63.
- May 11. First District court established.
- May 14. Rogers' estate on Essex st. sold at auction for \$49,500.
- June 2. Members of Mass. Senate visit Dr. George B. Loring, their president; second visit, May 5, 1875.
- June 29. Hon. Joseph S. Cabot, fourth Mayor of Salem, died, aged 78.
- July 11. Tornado did considerable damage.
- Aug. 25. Atlantic car works sold for \$35,650.
- Oct. 1. First patient received in Salem Hospital.
- Oct. 5. Centennial anniversary of the Meeting of the Provincial Legislature in Salem, Oct. 5, 1774, noticed by the Essex Institute; address by A. C. Goodell, jr. Esq.
- Nov. 24. Slight earthquake. 1875.
- Jan. 14. Lecture by Charles Bradley of England.
- Jan. 20. Fire destroyed currying establishment of Driscoll & Looney on Mason st.
- Feb. 26. Centennial anniversary of the C. C. Lie's Retreat at North Bridge, noticed by the city authorities. Hon. G. Willson and Rev. E. B. Willson.
- March 11. First Art Exhibition by

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- Essex Institute opened at Plummer Hall.
- March 26. Pennsylvania pier completed; steamer "Williamsport" arrived with first cargo of coal.
- March and April. Spelling matches.
- April 19. City Government and Cadets attend centennial celebration at Concord and Lexington.
- May 6. Old pump on Washington street near Asiatic Building removed.
- May 21. Price block burned.
- May 23. Remodelled First church opened for services.
- June 14. Hon. Charles W. Upham, seventh Mayor of Salem, died, aged 73.
- June 17. Great Centennial celebration at Boston.
- June 28. City Council appropriated \$8500 for new school-house in Skerry street; completed Feb. 12, 1876.
2. Revere Beach railroad opened.
26. City Council appropriated \$16,000 for extending City Hall.
- Allen farm at the Neck, sold to D. Gardner.
20. New orphan asylum on Lafayette street dedicated.
- Exhibition of antique furniture, etc., at Plummer Hall, by Ladies' Centennial Committee.
- Dec. 4, 6. Lectures by Prof. Richard A. Proctor, astronomer.
- 1876.
- Feb. New Price Block completed.
- Feb. 27. Florence's cooper shop on Cedar street burned.
- April 10. City Council appropriated \$9000 for extending water pipes to the Neck.
- April 19. Centennial Ball at Mechanic Hall given by Ladies' Centennial Committee.
- May 8. Dedication of the City Hall extension; cost about \$24,000.
- July 4. Centennial celebration and floral procession.
- Aug. Announcement made that Prof. A. G. Bell of Salem had discovered a way for transmitting the human voice over telegraph wires.
- Aug. 14. Death of Rev. William Cook; aged 68.
- Aug. 17. Marine excursion of Essex Institute on ferry-boat "John Adams."
- 1877.
- Feb. Blue glass fever.
- Feb. 12. Prof. A. G. Bell lectured on the telephone before the Essex Institute at Lyceum Hall. The first practical test ever made of the telephone was the transmission of a report of this lecture to the Boston Globe, which appeared in its columns the next morning.
- March 21. Last entry from Cayenne and close of the foreign trade of Salem; sch. "Mattie F" to C. E. & B. H. Fabens.
- March 26. City Council voted to build
- June. Contributions of \$4935 for sufferers by great fire at Marblehead on June 25; also, \$770 for sufferers by fire at St. Johns, N. B.
- June 9. Horse-cars to the Willows.
- July. St. Mary's Catholic church, cor. Bridge and Mall streets torn down.
- Aug. 29. Accident at Pennsylvania pier, killing Joseph Swasey and three others of his family.
- Sept. 13. Salem Old Men's Home opened; admitted first inmates; incorporated Dec. 12.
- Oct. 31. Serious fire at First Baptist church.
- 1878.
- Jan. 1. Streets (Madison ave. etc.), laid out over great pastures.
- Salem Cadet Band organized.
- March 30. Act passed increasing Board of Aldermen to seven members.
- June 16. Fire at Anderson & Reynolds' shoe factory.
- Aug. 6. Very severe thunder storms.
- Aug. 19. Dedication of Catholic convent on Federal street.
- Sept. 18. Commemorative exercises at Mechanic Hall, by the Essex Institute, on the 250th anniversary of the landing of John Endicott at Salem. Address by Wm. C. Endicott; poems by William W. Story and Charles T. Brooks.
- Sept. \$2500 contributed by citizens for sufferers by yellow fever at the South.
- Sept. Hon. A. A. Low of Brooklyn donated \$5000 to city for educational purposes.
- Oct. 23. Burning of John Powers' tory at head of Essex street during violent storm.
- Oct. 24. Dedication of new Or Home on Carpenter street.
- Oct. 24. Death of Gen. George H. Devereux, aged 69.
- Oct. 29. Tannery of M. Arnold on Boston street burned.
- 1879.
- Jan. 1. Resumption of specie payments.
- Jan. 1. John Bertram, Esq., donated \$10,000 to the city for charitable purposes.
- Jan. 17. Fire destroyed residence of Dr. A. Kemble.
- March 19. David Roberts, 13th Mayor of Salem, died, aged 74.
- March 21. Act authorizing the taking of Frye's Mills.
- March 28. Death of Ephraim Brown, register of deeds.
- May 16. Death of Henry J. Cross, city treasurer, aged 55.
- June 8. Three young men, F. F. F. ell, Fifield and Pinkham, left the harbor.
- June 24. Celebration of 100th anniversary of Essex Lodge, F. and A.
- July 16. Severe thunder storm; destruction of "Wm. Chase" steam

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- Sept. 27. Henry L. Williams, 17th Mayor of Salem, died, aged 64.
- Sept. 29. Stephen P. Webb, 3d Mayor of Salem, died at Brookline, aged 75.
- Dec. 10. Nathaniel Brown, 15th Mayor of Salem, died, aged 52.
1880.
- March 6. New school-house on Summit ave. dedicated.
- April 14. City Council appropriated \$8,000 for new brick hose house in Ward 5; building dedicated Dec. 21.
- May 12. Slight earthquake.
- June 17. Pavilion at the Willows opened.
- June 22. Commemorative exercises at Juniper Point, Salem, by the Essex Institute, on the 250th anniversary of the arrival of John Winthrop; address by Robert S. Rantoul.
- Oct. 4. City Council appropriated \$11,000 for purchasing Frye's Mills.
- Oct. 14. Celebration of 75th anniversary of Salem Light Infantry.
- Oct. 16. First issue of Salem Evening News.
- Nov. 8. Names of streets around the Common changed to "Washington sq."
- Dec. 21. Arrival of new steam fire engine "Victor."
1881.
- Jan. 17. School committee abolished office of Superintendent of Schools.
- Jan. 29. Serious fire at W. C. Packard's store.
- Feb. 1. Hacks and wagons first licensed.
- Feb. 8. Death of Gen. George H. Peirson, aged 64.
- Feb. 14. Arrived from Calcutta barque *almette*, Capt. B. W. Chadbourne, with jute butts to Nevins Bagging Co.; first arrival at this port from Calcutta since Dec. 20, 1842.
- Feb. 15. City Council appropriated \$300 for filling Frye's Mill Pond and building canal.
- April 21. Act authorizing city to take flats in North River between North st. and Grove st., and south of Essex railroad.
- May 20. Revised New Testament issued.
- May 30. Severe thunder storm, causing great alarm.
- June 6. City Council appropriated \$6,000 for new brick hose house in Ward 6; dedicated March 23, 1882.
- June 6. City Council appropriated \$40,000 for filling Beckford st. basin in North river, and for Bridge st. extension; filling began July 17 and ended Jan. 17, 1882; 130,000 tons gravel used.
- June 13. City Council appropriated \$100,000 for filling South Mill Pond; withdrawn at end of year.
- June 13. Fire destroyed tannery of Nathaniel Silsbee, fifth mayor of Salem, died at Milton, aged 76.
- June 13. Death of President James A. Garfield; funeral Sept. 26; business
- Dec. 20. The electric lights were satisfactorily lighted by the Salem Electric Light Co., for the first time, and burned with great brilliancy.
1882.
- Dec. 20. Cate's block constructed.
- Feb. 19. Charles A. Read of Newton died, bequeathing \$40,000 to City of Salem for various purposes.
- March. New Perley Block completed.
- March 13. City Council appropriated \$67,000 for filling Dean st. basin in North river.
- March 22. Death of John Bertram, Esq., aged 86. Bequeathed \$5,000 each, to Salem Hospital, Old Ladies' Home, Seamen's Widow and Orphan Association, East India Marine Society, South Ch. \$108,000 to Old Men's Home; \$41,000 to Seamen's Orphan and Children's Friend Society; \$36,000 to Plummer Farm sch.; also, after widow's decease, ^{only 2} \$120,000 to Salem Hospital, and ¹⁰⁰ to Old Ladies' Home.
- April 7. Eastern Railroad depot built.
- April 23. Fire destroyed great quantity of jute at Phillips wharf.
- May 9. Fire destroyed Callahan's clothing shop and Poor's tannery on Myrtle st.
- May 29. Visit of Zuni Indians with Mr F. H. Cushing.
- July 27. City Council appropriated \$25,000 for South Mill pond canal; and Aug 7, \$27,000 for new Phillips schoolhouse.
- Sept. 2. Unusual display of sundogs.
- Sept. 8. Chester A. Arthur, President U. S. visited Salem.
- Sept. 30. Kinsman block completed; 700,000 bricks used.
- Oct. First volume of Naumkeag Directory issued.
1883.
- Jan. 1. Death of Samuel Calley, 16th mayor of Salem, aged 61.
- Jan. 21. Post office in new building, 118 Washington st. opened to public.
- March 23. Visit of Malagasy Embassy.
- June 1. Dedication of new convent building on Walnut st.
- June 26. City Council passed order taking flats in Mason st. basin, North river.
- July 9. Fire at Ingersoll's and Van Vranken's stores. Loss \$6,000.
- July 9. First brick laid on Naumkeag Mill, No. 5; first loom started Jan. 12, 1884.
- Aug. 22. Fire at planing mill on Front st.
- Sept. 3. Dedication of new Phillips school house.
- Sept. 18. First horse cars to Harmony Grove.
- Sept. 25 and 26. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society at Willows.
- Nov. 18. New standard time.
- Nov. 27 and 28. Beautiful sunsets.
1884.
- March 19. Death of Hon. Otis P. Ives

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June 8. Burning of Winslow & Rogers' shoe factory; loss \$100,000.
 June 23. City Council voted to take flats in North river, east of North bridge.
 June 25. First horse cars to Danvers.
 Aug. 18. First horse cars to Marblehead.
 Aug. 21. Work begun on new jail.
 Aug. 22. First children's picnic at Willows from Read fund.
 1885.
 March 3. City Council appropriated \$125,000 for filling Mason st. basin and docks east of bridge, in North river.
 1886.
 March 20. Aldermen grant Boston & Maine railroad location of track through great pastures.
 Sept. 13. City Government of Salem appropriated \$4500 for sidewalk on Beverly bridge.
 Oct. 15. 100th anniversary of Salem Gazette.
 Nov. 1. Streets lighted by 126 electric lights.
 Gen. Wm. Cogswell first elected Congress.
 Dedication of Soldier's monument erected by Sons of Veterans, at Greenlawn cemetery.
 9. Fires at Balcomb's carpenter shop, Liberty street; and Reardon's currying shop, Beach street; loss heavy.
 Nov. 23. Strike on Salem & Danvers Street Railway.
 Nov. 25. Labor riot on Boston st.; horse car attacked.
 Nov. 28. End of great strike at Salem and Peabody tanneries.
 Nov. 30. Enlargement of Greenlawn Cemetery completed.
 Dec. 5. Loss of schooners "Savannah," "Liza Ann," and "Alta V. Cole," near Baker's Island.
 1887.
 Jan. 20. Two boys drowned off Central wharf.
 Jan. 22. Electric fire alarm completed and accepted.
 Feb. 10. Publication of "A half century in Salem," by M. C. D. Silsbee.
 Salem electric fire alarm put in

currying shop, loss
 Danvers Oil Works,
 June 20. Opening of new
 sex Institute.
 July 7. Leak in water main
 bridge.
 July 9. Balloon ascension;
 Newbury.
 July 29. Severe thunder storm
 7 P. M.
 July 30. Opening of new hotel
 Island.
 Sept. 8. Boston & Maine R. R. gave
 permission to fill river at Forest
 bridge.
 Sept. 12. Fire at R. Muhlig's tann
 loss \$4,000.
 Sept. 15. Brilliant meteor.
 Oct. 1. Beverly discontinued use of Salem
 water works.
 Oct. 10. Dedication of Father Mathew
 monument, and a great parade of tem-
 perance societies.
 Oct. 11. Boston & Lowell R. R. passed
 into the hands of B. & M. R. R.
 Oct. 25. Dedication of "Leslie monu-
 ment" at North bridge.
 Dec. 5. Bertram estate donated to City
 of Salem for Public Library.
 1888.
 Jan. 22 to 30. Severe cold weather; 16
 and 12 degrees below zero; harbor frozen
 to Naugus head.
 Jan. 25. Fire at Market House.
 Jan. 26. Severe storm. Heavy blockades
 of snow North and West.
 Jan. 28. Total eclipse of the moon.
 Jan. 30. Reception to Sir Thomas Grat-
 ton Esmonde and Hon. John Stuart at
 Mechanic Hall.
 Feb. 2. Visit of Gen. Phil H. Sheridan.
 Feb. 6. Salem Times suspended publica-
 tion.
 March 4. Fire in Newcomb b'
 March 11. Death of William 1
 Esq.
 March 12. Severe snow str
 mails blockaded for sev
 April 2. First issue of
 Telegram.
 April 16. First issu
 May. Death of P
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| <p>of new court house;
rd or Trade formed.
em Flambeaux and 8th Regt.
depart for Washington.
Five prisoners escaped from
Fire destroyed Carleton curry-
Wesley church dedicated.
o May 1. Celebration at New
f Gen. Washington's inaugura-
m. Salem Cadets present.
13. Flats in South river between
afayette and Washington streets taken
v vote of City Council.
27. City Council appropriated \$5000
ic steam road roller.
June 28. New flag staff erected on com-
mon.
July 5. Explosion of mortar on common;
two children killed and four injured.
July 8. Public Library first opened for
delivery of books.
Aug. 9. Severe fire corner of Lafayette
and Dodge sts.
Sept. 2. Collection of ashes commenced.
Sept. 23. Meeting of National Council, O.
U. A. M. at Salem.
Oct. 4. Fire destroyed P. Sims & Son's
factory; loss \$100,000.
Oct. 17. Aldermen grant location to Es-
sex Electric St. Ry. Co.
Oct. 18. First test of steam road roller.
Oct. 30. City Council appropriated \$210,-
000 for new water main via Danvers;
\$36,000 additional appropriated Nov. 27.
Nov. 5. First election under Australian
system.
Nov. 18. Arrival of five-masted schooner
"Gov. Ames;" largest in the world.
Nov. 30. Mechanic Light Infantry dis-
banded.
Dec. 17. Dedication of new Universalist
st \$18,500.
alem Building Association or-</p> | <p>ganized: work begun on two new shoe
factories at Castle hill.
Dec. Epidemic of "La Grippe."
Dec. 25. Christmas Day; very warm;
glass at 66 deg.
1890.
Jan. 6. First late train from Boston to
Peabody, Danvers, etc.; first late ex-
press to Salem.
Jan. 25. First issue of "Salem Witch."
Jan. 29. Fire at Hamilton Hall.
Feb. 13. Opening of Essex Riding Acad-
emy. [hail.
Feb. 18. Thunder storm with snow and
Feb. 22. New issue of postage stamps.
Feb. 27. Act passed authorizing highway
from Peabody to Salem by Harmony
Grove.
April 15. Second Corps of Cadets pur-
chase Peabody mansion.
April 16. Work commenced on new wa-
ter main.
April 18. Draw of Lafayette st. bridge
discontinued.
May 22. New factories at Castle h
May 29. First issue of "Salem Visi.
June 6. Severe thunder shower. (t
store house on Union st. stru
lightning; loss \$16,000.
June 9. Naumkeag St. Ry. Co. sold
syndicate.
June 9. City Council appropriated \$6
000 for Canal st.
June 20. Fire at store house of Naumke
mills; loss \$16,000.
June 26. Fire on Burnside st., destro-
ing ice houses, etc.
July 13. Dedication of new Marine Beth-
on Turner st.
July 28. Filling of mill pond commence
by B. & M. R. R.
Aug 4. Work begun on Canal street.
Aug. 11. Reception to Gen. Alger.
Aug. 21. Electric cars to the Willows.
(See also interesting events of past tw
years.)</p> |
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| <p>1681.
Great excitement produced by claim of heirs of John Mason to all the land between Merrimac and Naumkeag rivers.</p> <p>1682.
First parish meeting house which was erected in 1656, sold and new house erected.</p> <p>1683.
Beverly became a port of entry.</p> <p>1684.
Town voted to purchase land to enlarge common.</p> <p>1687.
Town voted to impose fine of ten shillings on all future absentees from town meetings.</p> <p>1690.
Expedition against Quebec; a company was raised in Beverly, and sent under command of Capt. Wm. Rayment.
Fort built for defence.</p> <p>April 11. Andrew Elliot elected first town clerk.</p> <p>1695.
Road from first parish meeting house to Manchester laid out.</p> <p>1698.
Jan. 5. Ferry landing laid out.</p> <p>1700.
A grammar school was established.</p> <p>May 2. Severe storm of rain and hail, lasting three days.</p> <p>May 15. Death of Rev. John Hale.</p> <p>1705.
March 13. Training field or common deeded to the town.</p> <p>1706.
Standard weights and measures provided by the town.</p> <p>1713.
Land granted to erect school house at Farms.</p> <p>Oct. Second parish incorporated, and meeting house erected.</p> <p>1715.
First burial place in second parish opened.</p> <p>Dec. 28. Second church organized.</p> <p>1727.
Oct. 29. Severe earthquake.</p> <p>1733.
Bartlett street laid out.</p> <p>1745.
Dr. Robert Hale jr., commissioned as Colonel and commanded a regiment in the expedition against Louisburg; including a company from Beverly under command of Capt. Benj. Ives.</p> <p>1750.
"Browne Hall" a costly mansion, erected on Browne's hill.</p> <p>1752.
Rial Side united to Beverly.</p> <p>1754.
The number of slaves in town was 28.
Measures taken for destruction of wolves.</p> <p>June 6. Act passed to prevent mischief being done by unruly dogs in Beverly.</p> | <p>1755.
Nov. 18. Severe earthquake.</p> <p>1767.
Death of Col. Robert Hale.
Powder house built on the common.</p> <p>1769.
Feb. 11. Harbor frozen to Baker's Island.</p> <p>1770.
June 27. First parish meeting house taken down, and the third building erected; cost \$4,333.</p> <p>1774.
Oct. 4. A Beverly privateer chased into harbor by British ship-of-war; the latter running aground was cannonaded from the Beverly and Salem shores for two or three hours, but finally escaped.</p> <p>Nov. 17. Town voted to excuse from jury duty, etc., men who would organize a fire company.</p> <p>1775.
Feb. 27. Town voted to establish a watch and to raise fifty-four minute men.</p> <p>April 19. One citizen killed and three wounded at Battle of Lexington.</p> <p>Sept. 3. The "Hannah" of Beverly commissioned as the first privateer of Revolution.</p> <p>Oct. Breastworks erected at Woodbur Point and Paul's Head.</p> <p>1777.
July 7. Col. Ebenezer Francis of Beverly killed in engagement near Whitehall, N. Y.</p> <p>Nov. About sixty women marched in regular order to the wharves and seized a quantity of sugar, which merchants had refused to sell at staple prices, by reason of depreciated paper currency.</p> <p>1779.
Forty men from Beverly lost at sea this year.</p> <p>1780.
May 19. Dark day.</p> <p>1781.
Rev. Joseph Willard elected President of Harvard College, and continued until his death in 1804.</p> <p>1783.
French troops passed the night in second parish on their way to Portsmouth.</p> <p>1788.
First cotton mill in U. S. erected in this town, at junction of Cabot and Dodge sts.</p> <p>Land near the common purchased for burial purposes.</p> <p>Sept. 24. Beverly bridge opened for travel; cost \$16,000.</p> <p>1789.
Washington visited Beverly and inspected the cotton factory.</p> <p>1790.
Feb. 22. Barn of Richard Derby and 36 head of cattle, burned.</p> <p>1796.
First town clock.</p> |
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1797.
Town voted to build a new grammar sch. house on Watch hill; completed in 1798 and used also for a town hall.
1798.
First health officer chosen.
1799.
Jan. 18. Schooner "Alert" of Beverly, captured by French privateers.
Death of Miss Emma Leach, 69 years old, and only 22 inches high.
1801.
Smallpox Hospital erected on Paul's head; cost \$450.
March 25. First Baptist church constituted, and house erected same year.
June 2. Light Infantry Co. organized.
1802.
Jan. 20. The Social Library formed.
July 23. Beverly Bank incorporated; made National Bank in 1865.
Nov. 9. Dane st. church organized and house erected same year at cost of \$6000 to \$7,000.
1803.
Almshouse erected.
Second burial ground in second parish laid out.
Washington street laid out.
1805.
May. 16. Town voted to raise \$1,000 for purchase of new fire engine.
1807.
July 4. Parade and celebration of the day.
1808.
New powder house built.
1809.
Beverly Marine Insurance Co. chartered.
1810.
First Sunday school in America established by Misses Hill and Prince.
Fisher Charitable Society organized.
1812.
Manufacture of Britannia ware begun.
1814.
An attack being feared from the British, several families moved to the interior.
June 9. A barge pursued by a British ship-of-war, was run ashore on Mingo's beach; set on fire by the British, but fire extinguished by the inhabitants.
Oct. 14. Beverly Light Infantry organized.
1815.
Feb. 22. Celebration of peace; end of war with Great Britain.
1820.
June 15. Death of Moses Brown.
1824.
Liberty Lodge of Free Masons established.
Aug. 31. Gen. Lafayette visited Beverly.
1828.
Cotton mill destroyed by fire.
Town voted to procure another fire engine. [burned].
Jan. 4. Annable's cabinet maker's shop
1829.
Farms church organized, and new house dedicated in Jan. 1830; cost about \$1600.
- May. Hon. Nathan Dane donated \$10,000 to Harvard College about this time.
May 29. Four houses and one store burned; fire commenced in house of Mr. Curry.
Oct. 6. Parade of Second Brigade of militia at upper Beverly.
1831.
Coal began to be used.
1832.
April 19. Fire destroyed Mr. Harris' barn with five cows, four oxen, hay, etc.
Nov. Whaling Company organized.
Dec. 8. Dane street church destroyed by fire.
1833.
New Dane street church erected; cost about \$10,000.
March 15. Death of Hon. Joshua Fisher; bequeathed \$20,000 to Harvard College. He founded Fisher Charitable Society in 1810.
June 17. Beverly academy opened.
1834.
July 10. House at Chapman's corner completely shattered by lightning.
Sept. 1. Fourth Cong. church organized; meeting house dedicated Dec. 29.
1835.
Feb. 5. Death of Hon. Nathan Dane.
July 4. Celebration of the day by procession, etc. Oration by Edward Everett.
Dec. 3. First Parish meeting house reopened after being remodelled at cost of \$10,000.
1836.
Female Charitable Society incorporated.
1837.
Baptist church reconstructed at cost of over \$7,000, and dedicated Nov. 23.
Feb. 8. Washington st. church society formed and meeting house erected at cost of \$9,887; dedicated March 29.
1838.
Almshouse remodelled at expense of \$2,500.
Public streets, courts, etc. (43) named by order of the town.
Feb. 1. Remodelled Second Cong. church dedicated.
May. Many trees set out in streets and public grounds.
1839.
Woolen carpet factory established.
Erection of Bell's hall.
Dec. 18. Eastern R. R. opened from Salem to Ipswich.
1840.
Burial ground at Farms laid out.
Feb. 17. First Universalist Society organized.
1841.
Feb. 10. Brick residence of Israel Thordike purchased for \$6,500 and altered into town hall; opened for public purposes, Oct. 26.
May 20. Foster & Lovett's store on Foster's wharf burned.

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- Dec. 18. Mrs. Martha Appleton reached 100 years of age; the first person to reach that age since the settlement of the town. 1842.
- A school house was erected in Bass river district. 1843.
- July 4. Union celebration by Sunday school children. 1843.
- Jan. Town history published by Rev. E. M. Stone. 1844.
- Dec. Branch railroad to Wenham pond built. 1844.
- June 4. Fire destroyed cabinet maker's shop, house of Dr. Kittredge, barn, etc. Loss \$12,300. 1845.
- Nov. 21. New Baptist meeting house at Farms dedicated. 1846.
- Universalist church erected. 1847.
- June 7. First divine service of the Protestant Episcopal church. 1847.
- Oct. 21. India rubber factory destroyed by fire; loss \$3,000. 1847.
- May 12. Essex County Health Insurance Co. organized in Beverly. 1849.
- March 28. Seaside residence of Franklin Haven destroyed by fire. 1850.
- June 12. Old Hospital building, on Paul's Point, at the cove, burned. 1850.
- Oct. 18. Large barn and slaughter house of Col. Jesse Sheldon burned, at No. Beverly. 1851.
- Public Library established. Beverly Citizen first issued. 1851.
- Jan. 23. Atlantic House totally burned, a large three story brick block; loss \$8,000. 1851.
- Feb. 21. Bass River Lodge, I. O. O. F. organized. 1852.
- May 15. Act incorporating proprietors of the Commons or Sheep pasture. 1852.
- May 15. Act for protection of the harbor. 1852.
- May 26. Robert Rantoul jr. elected to Congress. 1852.
- Aug. 7. Sudden death of Robert Rantoul jr. at Washington. 1853.
- Dec. 9. New Cove school-house dedicated. 1853.
- Dec. 10. Schooner "East Wind" launched at Tuck's Point; 130 tons. 1854.
- Jan. Monument in memory of Robert Rantoul jr. erected in family burial lot; expense mainly defrayed by \$1.00 contributions from friends. 1854.
- March 13. By-law against smoking in the streets repealed. 1854.
- Oct. 24. Schooner of 140 tons launched from wharf of R. & J. Pickett. 1854.
- Dec. 18. New railroad depot opened. 1855.
- April 18. Act to protect fisheries in Danvers and Beverly. 1856.
- Jan. 29. Stores of Foster & Lovett, D. Crowell and R. & J. Pickett, on Water st. burned. 1856.
- Jan. 31. Eastern R. R. train thrown from track at No. Beverly. 1856.
- June 17. Death of Dr. Ingalls Kittredge; aged 86. 1857.
- Feb. 15. Fire at Eagle India Rubber factory; loss \$15,000. 1857.
- April 27. Part of Beverly annexed to Danvers. 1858.
- June 14. Death of Albert Thorndike. 1858.
- Oct. 24. Death of Robert Rantoul; aged 80. 1859.
- "Beverly Citizen" reestablished. Beverly Gas Light Co. incorporated. 1860.
- Apr. 27. Fire at Kerosene Works. 1860.
- May. Town indicted a second time for not sustaining a high school. 1860.
- Sept. 5. Great celebration of 50th anniversary of the establishment of Sunday schools; procession contained 1500 children. 1861.
- March. Town voted to establish high school; opened May 2, in Odd Fellows hall. 1861.
- April 16. Beverly Light Infantry left for war; arrived home Aug. 1. 1861.
- July 18. Two barns, nine cows, etc., burned at Rial Side, owned by Henry Collins. 1861.
- Oct. 15. "Rantoul Guard," Capt. John W. Raymond, leave for camp at Lynnfield. 1861.
- Nov. 13. Fire at Kerosene Works. 1862.
- Jan. 26. Fire at buildings of R. & J. Pickett and J. S. Cushing. 1862.
- March 5. Rubber factory totally destroyed; loss \$70,000. 1862.
- July 10. Town voted to pay \$100 bounty to soldiers. 1862.
- Aug. Capt. C. L. Giddings' company left for camp at Lynnfield; left for seat of war Sept. 8. 1862.
- Nov. 15. Fire destroyed J. & J. Wilson's ropewalk on Lathrop st.; loss \$4,000. 1862.
- Nov. 25. Co. E, 8th Regt. Capt. F. E. Porter, left camp at Wenham for Newbern having re-enlisted Sept. 19; returned July 29, 1863. 1863.
- Oct. 28. First horse cars from Salem. 1864.
- Jan. 18 and 20. Great demonstrations upon return of part of Co. G. 23d Regt., Capt. Raymond. 1865.
- June. Completion of new Gothic church (St. Peter's); consecrated Sept. 4. 1865.

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- Aug. 4. Grand reception to returned heroes of the war.
- Dec. 19. Fire at cabinet works of Wm. H. Allen; loss \$6,000. 1866.
- Jan. 19. Fire destroyed three buildings of Allen, Cheney, Bartlett & Co. at foot of Congress st.; loss \$10,000.
- March 12. Town voted to abolish district system of schools and to establish a uniform graded system; also, appropriated \$7,000 for purchase of steam fire engine.
- Sept. 10. Dwellings of Messrs. Lee and Cabot at Farms robbed of silver plate valued at \$4,000; recovered and three robbers arrested at Chelsea; one being shot dead. 1867.
- Beverly Savings Bank chartered.
- Walnut hill purchased for cemetery.
- April. First Meth. church organized.
- Aug. 8. Laying of corner stone of Masonic hall.
- Oct. 2. 200th anniversary of the First Parish observed. 1868.
- March. Banks moved to new Masonic blk.
- Sept. 20. Death of Miss Joanna Quiner, sculptor.
- Oct. 9. Reservoir on Chipman hill completed. 1869.
- First Meth. church erected on Railroad ave.
- June 15. Post 89, G. A. R. organized.
- Sept. 15. New first Baptist church dedicated.
- Nov. 2. Fire destroyed Brown house on hill near the bridge.
- Nov. 6. Tolls on Essex bridge abolished. 1870.
- Jan. 1. Wenham water let into service pipes.
- Jan. 14. Death of Charles Davis, Esq.; aged 63; he bequeathed \$5,000 to Essex Institute, and \$8,500 to various local societies.
- July 23. Dedication of new Catholic ch.
- Nov. 29. Cabinet shop of Weed & Cole and two other buildings on May street burned. 1871.
- March 30. Stable of John Pickett on Union st. and six horses burned.
- April. Lighthouse at Hospital point built.
- July 13. Three new hose carriages received by fire department. 1872.
- Jan. 28. Death of Capt. Samuel Endicott.
- Feb. New almshouse completed; cost with adjoining land \$25,000. 1873.
- Jan. 28. Fire at S. Norwood & Co.'s factory; several persons jumped from third story and badly injured.
- Feb. 11. Fire destroyed Odd Fellows hall.
- Aug. New depot completed at No. Beverly. 1874.
- April 15. Act authorizing town to issue bonds for funding debt. 1875.
- Jan. Remodelled town hall first occupied by town officers.
- Jan. New Briscoe school house dedicated; cost about \$75,000.
- June 20. Death of Seth Norwood; aged 60.
- July 6. Bakery of Wm. A. Cottrell struck by lightning and burned.
- Sept. 8. New Odd Fellows' Hall dedicated; cost about \$65,000. 1876.
- New England Industrial School for Deaf Mutes organized.
- May 28. Ober's saw mill near the bridge burned. 1879.
- Death of Dr. Wyatt C. Boyden; aged 87.
- March 24. Death of James Hill, Esq., town clerk; aged 62.
- April 1. Accident to Pullman train at No. Beverly; train wrecked; no one injured.
- July. Depot at Pride's Crossing built.
- Oct. Arrival home of the Andrews Bros. after trip across the Atlantic in the boat "Nautilus." 1880.
- Feb. 3. Fire destroyed summer residence of W. D. Pickman at Cove; two persons killed and several injured.
- Feb. 26. Morocco factory of Wm. F. Murphy burned.
- Nov. 1. Death of Dr. Augustus Torrey; aged 76.
- Nov. 29. New school house at Dodge's Row opened. 1881.
- April 30. Act authorizing town to refund its indebtedness; accepted; July 6.
- Sept. Arrival of steam fire engine "Enterprise." 1882.
- Oct. 4. First issue of Beverly Times.
- Oct. 13. Dedication of Soldiers' monument; cost \$4,800. Gov. Long and many distinguished people present. 1883.
- Jan. 1. Death of Miss Elizabeth Manning Hawthorne.
- Feb. 24. Opening of Lefavour's opera house.
- May 10. Several burglaries.
- May 14. Fire destroyed Lynch & Welch's morocco factory, and Lawrence's pottery; loss \$50,000.
- Aug. 8. Narrow escape from colliding trains at depot.
- Sept. 15. Commercial block commenced.
- Sept. 21. First horse cars to northern junction of Cabot and Rantoul sts. 1884.
- Jan. 9. Death of Lt. Col. Henry P. Woodbury; aged 48.

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- March 12. Porter's shoe factory burned.
 Oct. 10. Parade of Essex Co. Catholic Temperance Societies.
 Dec. 23. South school house burned.
 1885.
 Jan. 27. Barn and slaughter house of C. F. Porter, No. Beverly burned.
 May 1. Atlantic block commenced.
 May 27. Lock out in shoe factories.
 June 4. Burning of rubber factory; Rial side.
 June 16. First horse cars through Rantoul st.
 Aug. 26. Opening of new Bank building; cost \$25,000.
 Sept. 8. Town voted for independent water supply. Afterwards appropriated \$150,000 for new works. The contract was \$127,000 with \$11,000 additional for new main.
 Nov. 20. Dedication of new brick engine house; cost about \$20,000.
 Nov. 30. Town voted for electric fire alarm.
 1886.
 Old Ladies' Home Society organized.
 Feb. 23. New South school house opened; cost \$25,000.
 March 3. Legislature voted against division of town.
 April 1. End of seven weeks' labor trouble.
 July 8. First horse cars to Cove.
 July 24. Electric lights.
 1887.
 Jan. 17. Opening of Post Office in Odd Fellows' building.
 March 2. Cabot st. illuminated by electric lights.
 March 23. House of Representatives voted (131 to 87) in favor of dividing Beverly.
 April 6. Mass. Senate voted 19 to 11 for division of Beverly.
 April 9. Indignation meeting at Beverly against division.
 May 19. Death of Richard P. Waters at Cherry Hill farm.
 May 23. Gov. Ames vetoed the Beverly division bill.
 May 24. Town celebrated veto of division bill.
 July 10. Opening of new Catholic church at Beverly Farms.
 Sept. 5. Odilon Menard and child of Salem killed by cars.
 Sept. 21. 25th anniversary of mustering in of Beverly Light Infantry celebrated.
 Oct. 1. Beverly discontinued use of Salem water works.
 Oct. 9. Dedication of St. Margaret's Catholic church, Beverly Farms.
 Dec. 3. Death of John Pickett; aged 80.
 1888.
 March 15. Legislature voted 109 to 124 against division of Beverly.
 April 2. Town accepted water works and voted to establish Water Board.
 April 23. Beverly appropriated \$3500 for new school house at Rial side.
 May 21. Renumbering of streets commenced.
 Oct. 10. Burning of steamer "Admiral."
 Nov. 1. Free letter delivery.
 1889.
 Jan. 10. New school house at Rial side opened.
 Jan. 21. Assault on non-union lasters at Lefavour's factory.
 May 27. Beverly & Danvers Street Railway incorporated.
 June. "Fair Play" fire engine sold.
 June 27. Opening of new hotel "The Queen."
 June 27. New bell placed in tower of Avenue church.
 July 8. Work begun on Beverly & Danvers street railway.
 Aug. 21. Contracts made by Beverly Bldg. Asso. for three new factories on Rantoul st.
 Sept. 3. Town divided into five voting precincts.
 Sept. 24-25. Cattle show.
 Oct. 10. Death of Dr. Charles Haddock.
 Oct. 31. Opening of Beverly & Danvers street railway.
 Dec. 13. Flags placed on all the school houses.
 1890.
 April 7. Town appropriated \$8,000 for new armory, and \$2,500 for surveying system of sewerage.
 April 21. Town appropriated \$4,000 for steam road roller.
 May 26. Widening of Cabot st. at the bridge ordered by County Commissioners.
 (See also interesting events of past two years.)

DANVERS.

1752 TO 1890.

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| 1752. | 1757. |
| Jan. 25. Danvers set off from Salem, and incorporated; it included the Village and middle parishes of Salem. | June 9. Act passed conferring full powers of a town. |

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF DANVERS.

1759.
Sealer of Weights and Measures first chosen.
1765.
Town voted to build school house on land belonging to Middle Parish.
1770.
May 28. People voted not to drink tea, and to endeavor to prevent its use.
1771.
April. Lightning killed a large number of horses and cattle.
1772.
July 14. Act regulating town meetings passed.
- July 14. Act passed subjecting inhabitants of Danvers Neck to the charge of maintaining certain bridges and highways.
1774.
Steeple built on west end of South Parish meeting house.
- June 5. Thomas Gage, Royal Governor of Mass. removed from Boston to the Collins House.
- July 21. Two companies of 64th Regiment Royal troops arrived and remained until Sept. 5th, when they returned to Boston.
1775.
Feb. 26. Col Leslie at North Bridge, Salem; Capt. Samuel Eppes and company marched at once to the place.
- April 19. News of Battle at Concord and Lexington received. Five companies at once left Danvers, from which seven men were killed, two taken prisoners, and many wounded.
- Sept. 14. Col. Benedict Arnold on his way from Cambridge to Quebec, encamped at Danvers.
1785.
April 11. North parish vote to build new meeting house of wood.
1788.
July 25. Death of Eliza Wharton.
1795.
Feb. 18. George Peabody born.
1797.
March 9. Salem & Danvers Aqueduct Co. incorporated.
1800.
Aug. 25. Fire department commenced by purchase of two engines; one placed at Bell tavern and the other at new mills. Two more added in 1821.
1805.
Sept. 24. North parish meeting house burned; a new house of brick was immediately built at cost of \$11,300.
1811.
Feb. 2. Great snow storm, lasting three days; drifts 15 feet high.
1814.
New bell purchased for South parish meeting-house.
- Feb. Danvers Moral Society (first temperance society) organized.
1816.
Jan 2. Death of Samuel Holten; aged 77.
1823.
Oct. 7. Review of Gen. Appleton's brigade of cavalry, artillery and infantry, near Tapley's brook.
- Oct. 23. Gen. Foster's bark, chocolate and grist mills, burned.
1824.
July 5. Liberty pole erected in memory of seven citizens slain at Battle of Lexington.
- Nov. 12. Fire near South meeting house.
1825.
Danvers Bank incorporated.
- April. Moon and stars visible at noon for several days.
- Oct. 6. Gen. Appleton's brigade of militia reviewed near Tapley's brook.
1826.
Jan. 18. Death of Rev. Benj. Wadsworth.
- July 26. Unitarian church dedicated.
- Oct. 12. Cattle show.
1828.
July 18. Meeting house raised at New Mills, "without the use of ardent spirits."
1829.
Danvers Mutual Fire Insurance Co. instituted.
- June 3. New Baptist church dedicated.
1830.
March 12. Act authorizing the Fire Department, which was soon after organized.
1831.
Warren Bank incorporated.
1832.
First Board of Health chosen.
- Feb. Post office established in South Danvers.
- March 22. Fire destroyed planing mill etc., of Mathew Hooper.
- Sept. A steam mill for grinding bark, beating hides, and smoothing leather put into operation at K. Osborn's tannery.
1833.
Monumental cemetery, So. Danvers, laid out.
- Jan. 10. New church of Second Universalist Society dedicated.
- June 28. Dedication of church of First Universalist Society.
- Oct. 29. Visit of Henry Clay.
1835.
April 20. Laying of corner stone of Lexington monument in So. Danvers.
- Sept. 30. Cattle show at So. Danvers.
1836.
Old South meeting house taken down and new one erected at cost of \$12,000; dedicated Feb. 1, 1837.
- Post office established in No. Danvers.
- Village Bank incorporated.
- Sept. 28. Cattle show at So. Danvers.
- Oct. 18. Lexington monument completed; cost about \$800.

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1839.
July 4. Celebration of the day by procession, etc.
Nov. 21. New meeting-house of First Religious Society dedicated.
1840.
March 18. Salem boundary changed.
1841.
Danvers Mechanic Institute incorporated.
1842.
March 5. Peter Putnam's barn struck by lightning and burned with five cows, oxen, hay, etc.
1843.
Daniel P. King elected representative to U. S. Congress.
Sept. 22. Fire destroyed Second Cong. church, the Essex Coffee House, and 12 stores and houses in South Parish; loss \$75,000.
Oct. 17. Walnut Grove Cemetery corporation incorporated.
1844.
Small pox prevailed.
Almshouse completed at cost of \$12,750.
March 11. Act authorizing town to put down and maintain channel poles in Porter's, Water's and Crane rivers.
April 7. Buildings of John Marsh on Lynnfield road burned.
May 26. Barn and slaughter house of Daniel Berry, No. Danvers, burned; loss \$4,500.
June 23. Walnut Grove Cemetery consecrated.
Aug. 7. New South parish meeting-house dedicated; cost \$13,000.
Aug. 28. Danvers Eagle published from this date to April 16, 1845.
1845.
Jan. Post office established at New Mills.
Jan. 22. Dedication of new church of Third Cong Society.
Jan. 24. Planing mill of Woodbury & Phelps on Grove st. destroyed by fire.
March 15. Danvers Courier established.
June 10. Fire at Danvers Plains destroyed 12 houses, shops, etc., loss \$80,000.
June 13. Fire destroyed peg factory, box factory, and carpet factory at Tapleville; the latter was 120 feet long and three stories high.
Nov. 1. Death of Gen. Gideon Foster; aged 96.
1847.
Jan. 13. Spirited meeting of citizens friendly to chartering railroad from Danvers through Lynn to Malden.
Jan. 18. Essex railroad opened from Salem to So. Danvers.
July 8. Death of Hon. Elias Putnam, aged 58.
Sept. 6. Fire at New Mills destroyed Baptist church, vestry and dwelling.
Nov. Very warm weather until Dec. 16th. Trees budded as in Spring.
1848.
March 15. Wild cat killed in vicinity of Hog Hill.
- Sept. 5. Essex railroad opened to Lawrence.
Nov. 1. Fire destroyed shop of A. Wiley in South Danvers.
1849.
April 9. Fire destroyed slaughter-house, barn, &c., of Samuel Crane of So. Danvers.
June 12. First field meeting of Essex Institute was held at Danvers.
July 25. Grammar school house at Port dedicated.
Aug. 3. Tannery of Henry Poor at So. Danvers burned.
Aug. 30, 31. Brigade muster of Militia at No. Danvers.
Dec. 24. Morocco shop and 150 cords of bark on Foster st. burned; loss \$7000.
1850.
Jan. 22. Severe storm; much damage at So. Danvers.
March 16. Fire destroyed shoe factory of Boardman & Gould on Locust st.; loss, \$7000.
March 25. Town voted to establish two High schools, one in South and one in North parish.
May 22. Savings bank organized.
July 10. Meeting-house at Danvers Plains burned.
July 18. Steam Mill at Tapley's brook burned.
July 25. Hon. Daniel P. King, member of Congress, died.
Aug. 1. Salem & Lowell railroad opened.
Sept. South Reading Branch railroad opened.
Oct. 30. Attempt to enter Village Bank, supposed to be made by several persons; watchman fired through the door, killing one man.
1851.
Feb. 20. Fire destroyed two shoe factories and barn at So. Danvers, owned by A. Lunt of Boston.
March 27. Planing and bark mill of J. & A. Taylor burned at So. Danvers; loss \$7000.
June 2. Fire destroyed morocco shop of Pierce & Perley at So. Danvers; loss \$7000.
1852.
Jan. "New Mills" changed to Danversport.
Feb. 12. Morocco factory of Pender & Goodrich in So. Danvers, burned; loss \$10,000.
May 6. Kossuth visited So. Danvers.
June 16. Grand centennial celebration of separation of Danvers from Salem. George Peabody donated \$20,000 for Peabody Institute, So. Danvers. Donated \$10,000 more for site and building in Feb. 1853.
1853.
Jan. 4. George Peabody offered \$200 a year, during his life, to be bestowed in prizes for merit to school children.
March 30. Dr. Andrew Nichols died, aged 67.

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- April 10. Death of Dr. Joseph Shedd; town clerk for 18 years. Nathan H. Poor chosen town clerk, April 25.
- June 3. Store of Geo. P. Daniels at So. Danvers, robbed of goods valued at \$1500.
- Aug. 20. Corner stone of Peabody Institute laid; dedicated Sept. 29, 1854, cost \$15,000.
- Aug. 24. Fire in patent-leather factory at So. Danvers; loss \$8000.
1854.
- Warren Bank building erected.
- April 10. Town appropriated \$7,000 in addition to \$12,000 previously appropriated to build two high school houses.
- July 17. Accident to the Misses Howes at railroad crossing in No. Danvers.
- Oct. 23. Danvers railroad opened.
1855.
- April 18. Act to protect fisheries in Danvers and Beverly.
- April 21. New town and high school house at So. Danvers dedicated.
- May 3. New Chapel at Rock Village dedicated.
- May 18. So. Danvers (Peabody) set off and incorporated.
1856.
- Feb. 29. Emerson's store burned at Plains; loss \$6,000.
- May 31. Boundary between Danvers and So. Danvers established.
- Oct. 9. George Peabody given a public reception, after twenty years' absence.
1857.
- Jan. George Peabody donated \$10,000 for a branch library in No. Danvers.
- Jan. 1. Large new school house dedicated at Plains.
- April 27. Part of Beverly annexed.
1858.
- Sept. 29, 30. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
1859.
- May 11. Corner stone of Calvary (Epis.) church laid; consecrated May 25, 1860.
- Aug. 17. New Universalist church dedicated.
- Sept. 28, 29. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
1860.
- April 24. First market day held near Berry's tavern.
- Oct. 2. Engineers voted to disband fire department, and reorganize same.
- Nov. 6. Town lighted by gas for the first time.
1861.
- March. Town voted \$10,000 for relief of soldiers' families.
- Aug. 30. Company C. 17th Mass. Regt. Capt. N. P. Fuller, left Lynnfield for Washington.
1862.
- June 4. Burglary at store of Geo. C. Cook, tailor; loss \$1,200.
- July 29. Thirty-five volunteers left for camp at Lynnfield.
- Sept. 16. Co. K. 8th Regt. Capt. A. G. Allen, went into camp; left for Newbern, Nov. 25.
1863.
- March 15. Fire destroyed currying shop of Jos. Merrill at the Port; loss \$4,000.
- July 29. Return of Capt. Allen's company from war.
- Dec. 1. Funeral of Lieut. James Hill of 33rd Mass. Regt.
1864.
- July 30. Demonstration at Walnut Grove in honor of return of Putnam Guards and Light Infantry.
- Nov. 16. Brig "Lubra," 350 tons, launched at the Port.
1865.
- Aug. 27. Reception to returned soldiers.
- Dec. 15. Shoe factory of Elbridge Trask destroyed by fire.
1866.
- July. George Peabody donated \$40,000 to the Institute.
- Nov. 8. Exciting demonstration and welcome upon return from Lawrence jail, of seven young men who had been sentenced for alleged riotous assault.
1867.
- April 13. Reception to George Peabody, by the school children.
1868.
- Nov. New Eastern R. R. depot completed.
1869.
- July 14. Peabody Institute dedicated in presence of Mr. Peabody, who donated \$45,000 more, making \$100,000 in all.
- Nov. 4. Death of George Peabody, at London, Eng., aged 74.
1870.
- March 11. Fire destroyed shoe factory of Joseph H. Rice and other buildings on the square.
- Nov. 30. Soldiers' monument in front of town hall dedicated; cost \$6,300.
- Dec. 3. New schoolhouse at Tapleville dedicated.
1871.
- Danvers Mirror established.
- May 1. Catholic church of the Annunciation dedicated.
1872.
- Oct. 8. Celebration of 200th anniversary of the Congregational church.
1873.
- Jan. 30. Arrival of new fire engine "Gen. Putnam."
- Feb. 6. Maple st. church re-dedicated.
- March 27. Methodist Episcopal church, Tapleville, dedicated.
- Nov. Trotting park on Conant st. completed.
- Nov. 7. Fire destroyed shoe factory of J. M. Sawyer, and other buildings; loss \$40,000.
1874.
- March. Work commenced on new Insane Asylum, on Hathorne's hill; the hill was purchased for \$39,200.
- June 3. Arrival of new steam fire engine.

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- Sept. 29, 30. Fair of Essex Agricultural Society.
- Oct. 17. Store house of Danvers Carpet Co., at Tapleyville, burned. 1875.
- March 22. Town voted to build new school house in District No. 1, at cost of \$4,500.
- April. Danvers Advance issued.
- Sept. 13. Town voted 346 to 74 to establish water works.
- Sept. 28, 29. Fair of Essex Agricultural Society.
- Nov. 2. Death of Rufus Putnam, Esq., aged 75. 1876.
- May 13. Town voted to establish water works, in connection with State.
- July 25. Town voted to issue bonds (\$150,000), the amount of contract for constructing water works.
- Sept. 15. Fire destroyed saw and grist mill, and ice houses of Otis Putnam.
- Sept. 26, 27. Fair of Essex Agricultural Society.
- Nov. 18. Death of Jonas Warren, aged 90.
- Dec. 21. New water works completed and tested. 1877.
- March 20. Town voted to sell all engines and steamers and buy three hose carriages. 1878.
- Feb. 12. Fire at Ropes' block.
- May 13. Danvers Lunatic Hospital completed and opened for reception of patients; cost to this date including land, \$1,599,287.49.
- Oct. 3. Death of Col. Gilbert Tapley. 1879.
- July 24. Firemen's muster.
- Sept. 25. Parade of Essex County G. A. R. Posts. 1880.
- June 19. Town voted to increase salaries of lady teachers. 1881.
- March 1. Tannery of Robert Bates, at Port, burned. 1882.
- Sept. 12. Danvers Chorus Society formed. 1883.
- Jan. 5. Iron rolling mills burned.
- Jan. 28. Fire destroyed shoe factory of Martin, Clapp & French, and three dwellings at Tapleyville. [hall.
- Oct. 1. Dedication of remodelled town 1884.
- May 3. Roller skating rink opened.
- June 25. First horse cars from Salem.
- Aug. 23. Fire at Sellars & Co.'s shoe factory.
- Nov. 14. Mrs. Elizabeth Putnam celebrated her 100th birthday. 1885.
- June 4. Mudge & Co.'s shoe factory burned; loss \$100,000.
- July 9. First horse cars to Peabody.
- July 25. Water main struck by lightning.
- July 30. Dedication of Rebecca Nurse monument. 1886.
- Feb. 2. Death of Hon. J. D. Philbrick.
- July 24. Occupation of new police station.
- Aug. 5. Two workmen killed at Maple street school house. 1887.
- Jan. 4. Death of Dr. Preston M. Chase.
- April 16. New England brick works burned; loss, \$25,000.
- April 16. Danvers Street Railway sold to Naumkeag St. Railway Co.
- June 7. Dedication of new Baptist chapel.
- Sept. 7. First opening of Willard Home School for girls.
- Sept. 20. Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Putnam, aged 102 yrs., 10 mos., 7 dys.
- Dec. 17. Eightieth birthday of John G. Whittier celebrated. 1888.
- April 2. Danvers voted in favor of electric lighting; 212 to 6.
- April 16. Town appropriated \$15,000 for electric light plant.
- June 2. First horse cars to Danvers Asylum. 1889.
- Jan. 2. First electric lights in streets.
- Jan. 14. Burglary at F. Peabody's.
- Feb. 1. Death of Wm. L. Weston.
- March. New depot at Danversport completed.
- June 6. Re-dedication of First church.
- June 30. Several burglaries.
- July 22. Board of Trade organized.
- July 23. First Cong. church struck by lightning.
- Sept. 27. Death of Dr. D. A. Grosvenor.
- Oct. 31. Opening of Beverly and Danvers Street Railway. 1890.
- Jan. 1. Library of Danvers Historical Society dedicated.
- Jan. 6. First late train from Boston.
- Jan. 28. Fire destroyed First church.
- April 25. Celebration of Danvers Improvement Society. Governor and Lieut. Gov. present.
- July 2. Fire destroyed Peabody Institute. (See also interesting events of past two years.)

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MARBLEHEAD.

1648 TO 1890.

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| <p>1648-9.
 May 2. Marblehead set off from Salem and incorporated. Original name Marble harbor.</p> <p>1660.
 Highway to Salem laid out.</p> <p>1666.
 Fort built.</p> <p>Company organized so that the fishermen might be drilled and disciplined in military tactics.</p> <p>1668. [ary.
 Oct. Death of Wm. Walton, the mission-</p> <p>1675.
 Watch house built.</p> <p>1684.
 First school in town.</p> <p>1692-3.
 First organization of a church.</p> <p>June 27. Naval office established at Salem for this town.</p> <p>1698.
 June 27. Marblehead (with Salem) adjudged to be a lawful port.</p> <p>Nov. School opened by Mr. Josiah Cotton.</p> <p>1714.
 Episcopal church erected; frame and materials brought from England.</p> <p>1716.
 Second Cong. church erected.</p> <p>1727-8.
 Town house erected.</p> <p>1728.
 Nov. 22. Visit of Gov. Burnett.</p> <p>1729.
 Dec. 9. Act passed for securing and repairing the harbor, and to prohibit persons carrying off sand, seaweed, etc., from the beach.</p> <p>1730.
 Fence and gate built across the road near entrance to town, to restrain strangers from Boston from entering the town on account of small-pox in Boston. Guard kept on duty two months, night and day, but the disease finally obtained a foothold, and nearly every family was afflicted. Quarantine was declared against Marblehead by all neighboring towns. Pestilence continued a year and many deaths occurred.</p> <p>1737.
 May 30. Rev. Edward Holyoke chosen President of Harvard College.</p> <p>1742.
 Fort Sewall built; general court appropriated 716 pounds therefor.</p> | <p>1744.
 Visit of Whitefield and great religious excitement.</p> <p>July 17. Elbridge Gerry born.</p> <p>1747.
 May. School for poor children established by Robert Hooper, jr.</p> <p>1751.
 March 19. First engine presented to town by Robert Hooper, Esq., and fire department organized.</p> <p>1752.
 Epidemic of small-pox.</p> <p>March. By-law adopted, imposing fine of ten shillings for pitching pennies.</p> <p>1754.
 Act of General Court imposing excise duties opposed by the inhabitants.</p> <p>1755.
 French and Indian war; powder house erected.</p> <p>1756.
 Dec. Sch. "Swallow" captured by French cruisers.</p> <p>1759.
 Thirty-three persons enlisted in naval service, and sailed for Halifax, taking part in siege of Quebec.</p> <p>1761.
 Work house erected on Back St.</p> <p>Jan. 30. Act passed to prevent damage from fire, by prohibiting sailmakers and riggers from carrying on business, except where licensed.</p> <p>1762.
 Streets ordered to be named.</p> <p>1763.
 Aug. Market first opened in lower part of town house.</p> <p>1764.
 Small-pox hospital erected in pasture, near almshouse.</p> <p>1765.
 Nov. 1. Stamp act went into effect; bells tolled, minute guns fired, etc.</p> <p>1768.
 Nine fishing vessels and crews lost during the year.</p> <p>Lee mansion built, costing over ten thousand pounds.</p> <p>1769.
 Fourteen fishing vessels and crews lost.</p> <p>1773.
 Many deaths from small-pox.</p> <p>June 29. Act incorporating Marine Society passed.</p> |
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1774.
Jan. 26. Hospital erected on Cat (Lowell) island the previous year, for treatment of small-pox patients by inoculation, burned by a mob. Two of the implicated parties afterwards taken and confined in Salem jail, were rescued by a large number of men who marched to Salem and broke open the jail doors.
July 26. Town voted to disapprove the vending or use of India tea.
1775.
Feb. 26. British transport entered harbor and landed a regiment of British soldiers under command of Col. Leslie, who marched to North Bridge, Salem; and then returned and re-embarked.
June 16. John Glover appointed Colonel of 21st Regt.
June 21. Col. Glover and his regiment of ten companies, all of this town, ordered to Cambridge.
Oct. 21. Schooners "Lynch" and "Franklin" under command of two Marblehead men, sailed from Beverly harbor on the first naval expedition of the war.
1776.
Jan. 1. Marblehead regiment re-organized as the 14th Continental.
Jan. 1. John Manly appointed Commodore in U. S. navy.
May 19. James Mugford, commander of Continental Cruiser "Franklin," killed in engagement in Boston harbor.
Sept. 4. Col. John Glover placed in command of brigade.
1777.
Samuel Tucker appointed Commodore in U. S. navy.
Jan. 1. Major Wm. R. Lee appointed Colonel of the Marblehead regiment.
Feb. 23. Col. Glover appointed brigadier general by Congress.
1779.
Elbridge Gerry first elected to Congress.
Sept. 18. Joseph Story born.
Sept. 30. Armed brig "Freemason" took fire, and blew up, doing great damage to houses and vessels.
1780.
May 19. Dark day; great alarm.
1783.
April 22. Seventeen buildings destroyed by fire.
April 29. Great celebration in honor of restoration of peace.
1784.
Nov. 2. Visit of Gen. Lafayette.
1789.
Academy established about this time.
Richard Harris appointed first U. S. collector of this port.
Oct. 29. Visit of Gen. Washington.
1790.
Lottery held under authority of General Court to raise money for preservation of the town, and to provide employment and support for the poor.
Methodist church organized.
1792.
April 11. Serious fire near one of the wharves.
Nov. 17. Marblehead Academy incorporated.
1793.
March 20. First post office established, with Thomas Lewis as postmaster.
1795.
Salt works established at upper end of Neck.
1798.
Company of Light Infantry organized; first parade in September.
1799.
Hon. Samuel Sewall elected member of Congress.
June 6. Col. Azor Orne died at Boston.
1800.
Jan. 2. Impressive ceremonies on death of Gen. Washington, which occurred Dec. 14, 1799.
Epidemic of small-pox in the fall; 64 deaths; aid received from neighboring towns; \$5600 contributed by Salem.
1802.
Feb. 22. Act authorizing Board of Health.
1804.
March 7. Marblehead Bank incorporated.
1806.
March 17. Town voted that a certain "lying pamphlet" addressed to the inhabitants be burned by the chimney sweeper. Many copies collected and burned in a boisterous manner by the citizens.
1808.
Sept. 26. Town ceded to U. S. part of land on work house lot for erection of gun house.
Nov. Skipper Ireson's ride.
1809. [ized].
June. Marblehead Light Infantry organized.
1810.
Feb. First Baptist church organized.
1811.
Elbridge Gerry elected Vice President of U. S.
Town voted to erect suitable building for occupation of the poor.
1812.
June 18. War declared with Great Britain.
July 4. Great celebration of the day.
July 20. Ship "Orient" captured by British sloop of war.
Aug. 19. Naval battle between "Constitution" and "Guerriere."
1813.
Many fortifications erected.
June 1. Naval battle in bay back of Marblehead Neck, between "Chesapeake" and "Shannon."
Aug. Six coasting vessels captured by British cruisers off Neck.
1814.
Feb. Number of British prisoners brought here and confined at Fort Sewall.
April 3. "Constitution" chased into harbor by two British frigates.

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- Nov. 23. Death of Elbridge Gerry at Washington. 1815.
- Feb. Peace declared; at close of the war 700 citizens of Marblehead were in confinement in British prisons; 500 of them in Dartmoor. 1817.
- July 8. Visit of President Monroe. 1818.
- Sabbath schools first organized. 1824.
- "Columbian Society" incorporated. Public streets named by vote of town.
- Aug. Second visit of Gen. Lafayette; and first parade of Lafayette Guards. 1825.
- July 21. New stone church on Washington st. dedicated. 1829.
- June 11. Act establishing Fire Department. 1830.
- March 13. "Marblehead Register," the first local newspaper issued. 1831.
- Lighthouse erected on Point Neck.
- March 18. Grand Bank incorporated; stone building erected on Hooper st. and business begun Nov. 18, in new building. 1832.
- "The Gazette" first published. 1833.
- Methodist Episcopal church erected. Jan. 2. Dedication of new Second Cong. church.
- Feb. 13. New Baptist church on Pleasant st. dedicated.
- June 26. Visit of President Jackson. 1834.
- July 4. Two rival celebrations, owing to hostility between the Democratic and Whig parties. 1835.
- Fire department re-organized, and two new engine houses erected.
- March 31. Act ceding to U. S. site for lighthouse on Neck. 1836.
- Universalist Society organized; new church erected, and dedicated March 1, 1837.
- High school established. 1837.
- Town received \$13,000 from U. S. surplus revenue.
- March 21. Carpenter shop of J. & J. Chapman consumed; first building burned for 26 years.
- May. Hon. Wm. Reed died, and bequeathed \$68,000 for benevolent purposes. 1839.
- March 20. Town farm sold for \$11,300.
- Dec. 10. Eastern railroad opened to Salem. 1844.
- Lyceum Hall erected.
- 1845.
- "Gerry" engine added to fire department.
- April 11. Town voted to demolish old almshouse and to build another.
- Nov. 2. Fire destroyed large grist mill of John Roundy. 1846.
- Sept. 19. Severe storm on Grand Banks; 11 vessels belonging in Marblehead lost, containing 65 men and boys. 1848.
- The "Mercury" first published.
- "The Essex County Times" first published.
- May 25. Marblehead Seamen's Charitable Society dedicated a monument on "Old Burying Hill" in memory of 64 deceased members, 14 of whom were lost in Sept. 1846.
- Nov. 2. Accident on Marblehead Branch railroad at Salem, six persons killed and five seriously wounded. 1849.
- "The People's Advocate" first published.
- Oct. 31. Ship Robert Hooper, 760 tons launched at "Red Stone" cove; observed as a holiday. 1850.
- Hook and Ladder carriage purchased for fire department.
- Dec. 5. Fine ship owned by E. Kimball, launched. 1851.
- Present almshouse erected.
- Feb. 2. Fire destroyed house and two barns of John Chapman on State st.
- July 4. Floral procession. 1852.
- Glover Light Guards organized.
- July 4. Procession with oration by Hon. Anson Burlingame. 1853.
- March 31. Moses A. Pickett died; bequeathed about \$13,400, to the widow and fatherless.
- June 28. Parade of Sutton Light Infantry; Gov. Clifford and many distinguished guests present.
- Sept. 29. Grand parade of Glover Light Guards.
- Oct. 19. Great parade of Lafayette Guards. 1854.
- Marblehead Gas Co. organized; town first lighted with gas Dec. 2.
- Feb. 27. Fire partially destroyed Besom's twine factory.
- Dec. 5. Ship "Mary" 1200 tons, launched.
- Dec. 14. Death of John Hooper, Esq.
- Dec. 18. Barque "Chusan" of Salem, wrecked at entrance to harbor. 1856.
- Jan. 22. New ship of 1200 tons launched.
- July 4. Greatest celebration of the day ever known in town. 1858.
- Third Cong. church society organized.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF MARBLEHEAD.

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1859.
Catholic church "Star of the Sea" erected.
"The Ledger" first published.
Jan. 1. New engine "Mugford" added to fire department. Gen. Glover engine purchased same year.
July 19 Corner-stone of new Cong. church laid.
Oct. 16. Waterside cemetery consecrated.
Oct. 26. Destructive fire on State st. destroying two buildings and injuring others.
1860.
Jan. 29. Bassett's hall destroyed by fire, and Gen. Glover engine house.
March. Great strike of shoemakers in Marblehead and Lynn, lasting 6 weeks.
Oct. 9. South church dedicated.
Nov. 2. Train thrown from track at Forest River Mills.
1861.
April 12. Fort Sumpter fired on, and war begun.
April 16. Departure of Sutton Light Infantry, Lafayette Guards and Glover Light Guards for war; the first troops to reach Boston under call of Pres. Lincoln for 75,000 militia.
April 20. Town appropriated \$5000, for relief of soldiers' families.
April 22. Soldiers' Aid Society organized by ladies.
June 24. Departure of "Mugford Guards" for seat of war.
Aug. 1. Arrival home of three Marblehead companies from war.
Nov. New company, recruited by K. V. Martin for 23d Regt., left for seat of war.
1862.
April 21. Funeral services over remains of Gamaliel H. Morse and John Goodwin jr., the first Marblehead soldiers slain in battle. Gov. Andrew and other dignitaries present.
July 31. Town treasurer authorized to hire \$14,400 for bounties.
Aug. 5. Sutton Light Infantry, Capt. Graves, voted to enlist for the war.
Nov. 25. Lafayette Light Infantry, Capt. Graves and Lafayette Guards, Capt. Phillips, left with 8th Regt., for Newbern, N. C.
Dec. 16. Funeral of Capt. Thomas Russell, Co. I, 23rd Mass. Regt.
1863.
Feb. 22. Schooner Mary E. Hiltz, wrecked on the Neck; one of the crew lost.
July 10. 180 citizens of Marblehead drafted for the war, at Lyceum hall, Salem.
July 29. Return of Sutton Light Infantry and Lafayette Guards.
April 15. Town appropriated \$4000 for repair of Fort Sewall.
1864.
July 24. 8th Regt. including Sutton Lt. Infantry left for 100 days' service. Lafayette Guards went soon after.
- Nov. 2. Co. C, 8th Regt., arrived home from 100 days' service in Maryland.
Dec. 15. National Grand Bank chartered.
1865.
April 8. Surrender of Gen. Lee.
June 20. Reception to members of 10th Mass. Battery.
Dec. 4. Visit of Gen. Kilpatrick.
1866.
May. New engine "M. A. Pickett" added to fire department.
June 27. Cordage factory of J. L. Baumgartner and other buildings on Prospect st., burned; loss \$25,000.
June 29. Old gun house sold; erected in 1808 by U. S. Government.
1867.
Feb. 5. Fire destroyed Harris & Sons' shoe factory, Baptist church and one dwelling on Pleasant st.; loss \$135,000.
Oct. 14. Eight men at work on new Baptist church, thrown to the ground; two killed.
1868.
Town authorized the lighting of streets at night.
Land purchased for Catholic cemetery.
Jan. 14. Franklin hall burned.
June 13. Graves of soldiers decorated with flowers for the first time.
Dec. 27. Remodelled Universalist church dedicated.
Dec. 28. New Baptist church dedicated.
1869.
Feb. 4. Death of Glover Broughton, town clerk for many years; aged 72.
March 6. Act authorizing town to construct sea wall and build road over River head beach and Neck.
June 19. Town appropriated \$8,000 for building road across the beach to the Neck.
Nov. 22. Dedication of new lodge room of Atlantic Lodge, I. O. O. F.
1870.
Atlantic avenue built from Swampscott, terminating at the Neck line, town appropriated \$12,000; finished, June, 1871.
May 31. Smith farm sold at auction for \$42,000. [Club.
July 12. First regatta of Eastern Yacht Dec. New depot completed.
Dec. 16. New school house on Orne st. dedicated.
1871.
Jan. Hinkley building on Pleasant st. removed.
April 20. Remodelled Universalist church dedicated.
May 14. Shawmut building burned.
June 15. Marblehead Savings Bank commenced business.
July 21. Town appropriated \$4000 for building reservoir on Common.
Aug. 3. Arrival of new Hook and Ladder truck.
Aug. 7. Town voted to loan \$75,000, in aid of Marblehead & Lynn railroad; yeas, 536; nays, 241.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF MARBLEHEAD.

- Aug. 22. Encampment of Second Brigade Mass. Militia at Swampscott.
- Sept. 8. Arrival of new steam fire engine.
- Nov. 25. Allerton Hall opened by ball of Sutton Light Infantry.
- Dec. 21. "Marblehead Messenger" issued.
1872.
- Jan. 11. Land on Neck belonging to Brown estate sold at auction, for \$255,000; afterwards reverted to same estate.
- July 8. Catholic church on Gregory st. burned.
- Sept. Benjamin Abbot died at Boston, bequeathing residue of his property (\$103,000) to the town.
1873.
- \$15,000 expended in building new roads on the Neck.
- Sept. 11. Fire on Darling st.; destroyed a stable, hotel, dwelling, and bank building; loss, \$20,000.
- Oct. 19. New steam railroad to Lynn opened.
1874.
- April 25. Old "Columbian Building" burned.
- May 27. J. J. H. Gregory donated \$2000 to the town.
- Oct. 2. First annual parade of fire department.
1875.
- May 21. Town voted to erect Abbot Hall on the common.
1876.
- Great temperance revival.
- April 25. Town voted \$4000 to build an engine house.
- May 17. Procession and dedication of Mugford monument.
- June 18. Catholic church dedicated.
- July 4. Procession and dedication of soldiers' monument.
- July 25. Corner-stone of Abbot Hall laid.
1877.
- Jan. 2. Wreck of schooner "May Queen" on Coney Island ledge.
- Feb. 19. Fire destroyed Roberts' saw mill and box factory.
- March 19. Town appropriated \$20,000 for Abbot Library.
- May 15. Town appropriated \$10,000 to make a reservoir of Red's pond and to lay water pipes therefrom. Water let into pipes, May 28, 1878.
- June 25. Great conflagration, destroying the business part of the town, 76 buildings, and nearly all their contents. Loss, over \$500,000. 90 families made homeless, and 1500 people thrown out of employment. Aid received amounting to \$23,498.30.
- July 17. Town appropriated \$4500 for building brick engine house and armory.
- Sept. 7. Fire destroyed saw mill of Bowden & Son.
- Dec. 12. Dedication of Abbot Hall.
1878.
- Jan. New fire engine house completed and occupied.
- March 7. Foreclosure sale of Neck lands; price, \$101,000.
- March 23. Act authorizing town to raise \$1000 for obtaining portrait of Benjamin Abbot.
- July 29. Town appropriated \$5000 for aid of poor and indigent soldiers and sailors.
- Aug. 10. Denis Kearney lectured at Abbot Hall. [Hall.]
- Aug. 28. Dedication of new Recharitable Hall.
- Sept. Signal station established at Abbot Hall.
- Dec. 21. Wreck of schooner "Ancona" on fort rocks.
1879.
- Sept. Old Academy building torn down.
- Sept. 3. Fire at Monroe's shoe factory.
- Sept. 22. Town appropriated \$14,000 for new school house on Elm st.
1880.
- March 12. Town voted to purchase new steam fire engine and to disband two fire companies.
- March 24. Fire destroyed Litchman Bros.' shoe factory on Front st.
- April. Steam ferry to the Neck licensed.
- April. Town history issued by S. Roads, jr.
- Aug. 12. Fire destroyed Universalist church; corner-stone of new church laid Nov. 25, 1880.
- Sept. 16. Visit of company 9th, N. Y. Regt., Capt. Geo. W. Homan.
1881.
- Jan. 6. "Essex Statesman" first issued.
- March 30. Act authorizing town to lay out a public park; accepted May 17.
- May 3. Body of William F. Hathaway found on Green st.
- May 10. Marblehead Improvement Society organized.
- June 11. New Eastern yacht club house opened.
- June 13. Town elected Park Commissioners; voted to print a valuation book and to burn street lamps all night.
- Sept. 26. Ceremonies incident to funeral of President Garfield.
- Oct. 17. New brick grammar school house opened; cost with land about \$26,000.
- Nov. 23. New Universalist church dedicated.
- Dec. Fire alarm constructed at Farms.
1882.
- Jan. 24. Death of Hon. Fred. Robinson, aged 83.
- July 15. Nanepashemet Hotel first opened.
- July. Post-office established at Neck.
- Sept. 8. President Arthur arrived at Marblehead.
1883.
- General lock-out in shoe factories, lasting several weeks.

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- Marblehead Water Co. organized.
 Mar. 11. Death of Hon. William Fabens.
 Sept. 12. Parade of Essex County G. A. R. Posts.
 1884.
 June 25. First horse cars to Lynn.
 July 4. Grand celebration and procession.
 Aug. 18. First horse cars from Salem.
 1885.
 Attempt at town division; another in 1886.
 Mar. 23. Dwelling of George S. Harris burned.
 May 20. Burning of J. B. Woodfin's grain store.
 Aug. 4. Horse-cars to Franklin st.
 Aug. 8. Memorial services on death of Gen. U. S. Grant.
 1886.
 Jan. 5. F. A. Osgood elected Colonel of 8th Regt., M. V. M.
 April 17. 25th anniversary of departure of Marblehead companies to war.
 Aug. 25. Work begun on Atlantic ave. extension.
 Nov. 2. Dedication of remodelled North church.
 1887.
 March 5. Grand temperance demonstration.
 March 7. Benjamin Brown, chief of police shot.
 April 20. Town appropriated \$42,000 for water supply. Water Commissioners elected 21st.
 June 20. Town seal adopted.
 July 27. Water let into pipes at Marblehead Neck.
 July 29. Water works completed and water let on.
 1888.
 Apr. 18. St. Michael's church re-dedicated.
 Nov. Gas main extended to Devereux station.
 Dec. 25. Great fire destroying many factories and dwellings; loss, \$600,000; total contributions received, \$25,066.99.
 1889.
 Jan. 10. D. T. Winter's cottage, Clifton, burned. [limits.
 Jan. 28. Town voted to establish fire
 Jan. 31. Allerton building company organized.
 Jan. 31. Survey of town by C. A. Putnam completed.
 Mch. 19. Town appropriated \$12,000, for extending water pipes.
 Mch. 30. Fire at Devereux mansion.
 June 2. Burglary at W. J. Goldthwait's.
 June 13. Town appropriated \$33,000 for water works.
 Aug. 25. Re-dedication of Unitarian church. [hall.
 Oct. 31. Dedication of new Recharite
 Oct. 31. Town appropriated \$7500 for new fire engine house.
 Nov. 21. Two deaths from hydrophobia.
 Dec. 10. Marblehead Building Assoc. organized.
 Dec. 15. Cottage of H. C. Little at Neck burned.
 Dec. 23. House of P. Cortee burned.
 1890.
 Feb. 12. Marblehead Building Assoc. incorporated.
 April 11. Supt. of schools elected.
 April 14. Firewards voted to re-organize fire department.
 May 1. Town voted to purchase Bessom pasture for cemetery; also, authorized issue of \$50,000 water bonds.
 May 15. Death of Francis A. Osgood, Col. 8th Regt. M. V. M.; funeral May 18th.
 June 16. New brick depot opened.
 July 21. Town appropriated \$5,000 for an armory; also, accepted custody of Fort Sewall.
 (See also interesting events of past two years.)

PEABODY.

1855 TO 1890.

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1855.
 May 18. Peabody set off from Danvers and incorporated under name of South Danvers. First election of town officers June 7.
 1856.
 Jan. George Peabody donated \$15,000 to Peabody Institute, making \$45,000.
 April 30. Act establishing boundary with Salem.
 May 31. Act establishing boundary with Danvers.
 June 30. Spire of Baptist church blown down by tornado.
 Oct. 9. Reception to George Peabody, after twenty years absence.
 1857.
 Jan. 24. Fire at almshouse; two of the inmates suffocated.
 Aug. 13. Great picnic of citizens at King's grove in honor of George Peabody.
 Nov. 19. Dedication of Baptist church.

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1858.
 Jan. 4. New school house, District No. 3, dedicated with interesting ceremonies.
 1859.
 "The Wizard," a weekly newspaper, established.
 May 3. First Market-day for County of Essex held.
 1860.
 Jan. Sutton Hall completed.
 Feb. 2. Methodist Epis. church re-dedicated.
 March 25. Death of Elijah Upton.
 May 17. Planing-mill and box factory of J. Taylor burned; loss, \$7,000.
 Sept. 25, 26. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
 1861.
 May 21. Town appropriated \$2,000 for aiding families of soldiers.
 June 29. Foster Guards, Capt. S. C. Bancroft, go into camp near Tapley's Brook.
 July 4. Flag raised on new flag staff in square with interesting ceremonies.
 Aug. 30. Company B, 17th Mass. Regt., Capt. S. C. Bancroft, left Lynnfield for Washington.
 Sept. 24, 25. Exhibition of Essex County Agricultural Society.
 Oct. 5. Town appropriated \$5000 for aiding families of soldiers.
 1862.
 Aug. 25. Town appropriated \$10,000 for soldiers' bounties.
 Sept. 10. Capt. R. S. Daniels' jr. company march to Salem depot under escort and go into camp at Wenham; left for Newbern, Oct. 22.
 Dec. Series of robberies by one Cate.
 1863.
 June 26. Return of Co. C, 5th Regt., Capt. Daniels.
 July 8. First horse cars from Salem.
 July 10. Draft of 109 citizens for the war.
 Oct. 28. Great war meeting to promote enlistments.
 Dec. 22. One man killed and two afterwards died from boiler explosion at factory of W. M. Jacobs & Son.
 1864.
 April. New dye works at bleachery commenced work.
 May 4. Bark mill of J. Jacobs on Foster st. burned.
 July 16. Co. C, 5th Regt., Capt. George F. Barnes, left for 100 days' service. Arrived home, Nov. 8th.
 Oct. 20. Visit of Maj. Gen. Granville M. Dodge, and grand parade and reception.
 Nov. New and large morocco factory of W. M. Jacobs & Son, completed.
 Dec. 11. Sudden death of Eben Sutton, Esq., aged 61.
 1865.
 Jan. 2. Town appropriated \$8,000 for soldiers' bounties.
 April 22. Steam fire engine "Gen. Sutton" arrived; cost, \$3500.
 July. Dam of Salem & Danvers Aqueduct Co. built at Tapley's brook.
 Nov. 3. Arrival home of 4th Mass. Battery. Capt. George W. Taylor.
 Dec. 17. Private visit of Brig. Gen. Steele of the U. S. regular army.
 1866.
 Feb. 13. Dam near Essex depot gave way, doing considerable damage.
 July 5. George Peabody donated \$100,000 for Peabody Institute.
 Oct. 15. Mrs. Eliza Sutton donated \$20,000 for the Eben Dale Sutton Reference Library.
 Dec. 18. Fire at currying shop of Patrick Eagan on Grove st.
 1867.
 Aug. 29. Balloon ascension by Mr. Wells.
 Oct. 6. George Peabody donated \$50,000 additional to Peabody Institute.
 1867-68.
 Peabody Institute enlarged at cost of \$45,000.
 1868.
 March 4. Remodelled Universalist church dedicated; expense, \$9000.
 April. Portrait of Queen Victoria, presented to George Peabody, received.
 April 13. Act passed authorizing change of town name to "Peabody." April 30, the town voted to accept the same; 379 yeas; 246 nays; celebrated May 13.
 Oct. 20. Three children of Byron Goodell burned to death at fire in barn on old Boston road.
 1869.
 "The Wizard" changed its name to "The Peabody Press."
 March 1. Town appropriated \$4400 for purchase of land on Lynn st. for burial ground.
 April 29. Town appropriated \$123,000 to build four new school houses and for repairs; school district system abolished.
 July. Eben Dale Sutton Reference Library opened.
 Sept. 8. Great gale; Proctor's tannery blown down.
 Nov. 4. George Peabody died at London, Eng., aged 74.
 1870.
 Jan. 25. Remains of George Peabody arrived at Portland, on British man-of-war "Monarch," accompanied by U. S. man-of-war "Plymouth."
 Feb. 1. Arrival here of remains of George Peabody; funeral Feb. 8th; the procession was composed of four companies of 5th U. S. Artillery, Salem Cadets, five companies of the 8th Regt. M. V. M., Sutton Guard, Prince Arthur of England and suite, Edward Thornton, British Minister, Admiral Farragut's staff, Gov. Claflin of Mass. and Boston Cadets, Gov. Chamberlain of Maine and staff, and many other distinguished people; a heavy snow storm prevailed. Mr. Peabody, within a few years preceding his

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- death, donated various sums as follows: His kindred, \$1,500,000; Poor of London, \$2,500,000; Grinnell Arctic expedition, \$19,000; Peabody Institute, Baltimore, \$1,500,000; Phillips Academy, Andover, \$25,000; Mass. Historical Society, \$20,000; Harvard College, \$150,000; Yale College, \$150,000; Peabody Academy of Science, Salem, \$140,000; Newburyport Institute, \$15,000; Washington College, Vt., \$60,000; Institute at Danvers, \$50,000; Institute at Peabody, \$200,000; Church and library at Georgetown, \$105,000; Kenyon College, \$25,000; Maryland Historical Society, \$20,000; Southern Educational Fund, \$3,000,000.
- April 15. Dedication of new Wallis school house; cost, \$45,000.
- Aug. 26. Arrival of new hook and ladder car.
- Oct. Annexation to Salem proposed; March 6, 1871, town voted 226 to 19 against it.
1871.
- Aug. 20. Laying of corner-stone of St. John's church.
- Dec. 2. Residence of George Upton on Chestnut st. burned.
1872.
- First Unitarian church remodelled at cost of \$12,000.
- Aug. 15. Fire at Nutter's shoe factory, Dane block.
- Sept. 23. Town voted, yeas, 177, nays 271; not to take Wenham water from Salem.
1873.
- March 24. Town authorized selectmen to purchase Salem & Danvers aqueduct for \$125,000. Purchase ratified April 28, by vote of 289 to 150.
- July 1. Fire destroyed slaughter-house, barn and six horses of Thomas & Sawyer.
- Aug. 19. Death of Fitch Poole, Esq., aged 70.
- Oct. 22. Firemen's tournament.
- Nov. Ropewalk erected in Northend's field.
1874.
- Mar. 23. Town voted to fit up old engine house on Foster St. for police station.
- April 13. Brick engine house on Lowell st. completed.
- July 17. Trial of new steam fire engine "Excelsior."
- Nov. 26. Death of John W. Proctor Esq., aged 83.
- Dec. 3. Woolen mill at West Peabody burned.
1875.
- Mar. 28. Fire at Nelson & Merrill's.
- June 17. Fire destroyed factory of E. W. Jacobs.
1876.
- Feb. 27. First service in new St. Paul's Episcopal church.
- April 3. Town appropriated \$4650 for hand engine to be located near Tapley's brook.
- Aug. 18. Winona woolen mills totally destroyed by fire.
- Nov. Peabody Reporter issued.
- Dec. 8. Fire destroyed tannery of Timothy O'Shea on Grove st.
1877.
- Jan. 9. Town voted to establish police force of one day and six night men; appropriated, \$5000 therefor.
- May. Streets lighted by gas.
- June 2. Fire destroyed Hutchinson & Poor's morocco shop and Lynn's grease factory.
1878.
- Jan. 19. Death of Henry Poor Esq., aged 79.
- Oct. 14. Denis Kearney in town.
1879.
- Feb. 5. Fire at Sutton block.
- Feb. 20. Fire destroyed bakery of George Davis on Lowell street.
- Nov. 30. Dedication of St. John's church; cost about \$100,000.
1880.
- Mar. 26. Act authorizing town to make alterations and improvements in Goldthwait's brook; accepted May 3.
- April 14. Fire destroyed extensive currying shop of T. E. Proctor on Webster st.
- Aug. 24. Town appropriated \$8000 for soldiers' monument.
1881.
- April 6. Act authorizing town to improve water works and to take water from Humphrey's Pond. Act accepted Apr. 18, and \$80,000 appropriated for securing water at high service.
- July 6. Rockville Cong. Society, So. Peabody, formed.
- Oct. 6. Death of Elijah W. Upton.
- Nov. 10. Dedication of soldiers' monument.
1882.
- Organization of fire department changed.
- Jan. 2. Fire destroyed large leather factory of J. A. Lord & Son.
- April 18. Death of Gen. William Sutton, aged 81.
- May 8. Town appropriated \$75,000 for new town hall.
- May 16. Pumps of new water works started.
- Sept. 21. Death of Dr. George Osborn.
1883.
- Jan. 2. Death of Stephen Upton, Deputy Sheriff, aged 88.
- May 16. First horse-cars from Lynn.
- Oct. 10. Parade of Essex Co. Cath. Tem. Societies.
- Nov. 22. Dedication of new town hall building; cost \$108,000.
1884.
- March 20. Break in dam at Bancroft's Pond.
- May 5. Roller skating rink opened.
- May 22. Dedication of Rockville Cong. church; cost about \$7100.
- June 10. Burning of Pinder & Winchester's tannery; loss \$100,000.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF PEABODY.

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| <p>Aug. 21. Death of Joseph Poor, aged 79.
 Oct. 27. Death of Hon. A. A. Abbott; aged 64.
 Nov. 14. Burning of Upton's glue factory; loss \$100,000.
 1885.
 April 7. Fire at Clerk's morocco factory; loss \$6000.
 June 28. Burning of barn and milk house of Brown Bros., W. Peabody.
 July 2. First horse cars on Lowell st.
 July 9. First horse cars from Danvers.
 July 19. Bursting of water pipe at pumping station.
 Sept. 7. Opening of new Endicott school house.
 Dec. 11. Dedication of new chapel, West Peabody.
 1886.
 Land purchased for Oak Grove cemetery.
 Jan. 18. Endicott school house burned.
 Feb. 12. Streets and cellars overflowed; great freshet. [alarm.
 Mar. 21. Town voted for electric fire
 Aug. 7. Labor riot. [aged 92.
 Nov. 15. Death of Major Lewis Allen;
 Nov. 28. End of great strike at tanneries.
 Dec. 7. Re-dedication of Methodist church.
 1887.
 July 9. Accident on Salem and Lowell R. R.
 Sept. 27, 28. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
 Oct. 4. Arrival of new engine "La France."
 Oct. 16. Two children of James O'Connell suffocated at fire on Walnut st.</p> | <p>1888.
 Jan. 25. Peabody Press began publishing semi-weekly.
 Jan. 28. Fire at J. A. Lord's tannery; loss \$15,000.
 Feb. 16. Re-dedication of remodelled Baptist church.
 April 17. Town accepted new water act.
 Sept. 25. First electric lights.
 Sept. 25, 26. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural society.
 Oct. 2. Firemen's muster.
 Nov. 13. Two boys injured by cars at Caler st. crossing.
 1889.
 July 16. Fire at W. E. Reed's, So. Peabody.
 Aug. 10. Death of Mrs. Eliza Sutton.
 Aug. 27. Suspension of work at Robinson-Foster factory.
 Aug. 29. Selectmen granted location to Essex Electric St. Ry. Co.
 Oct. 12. House of Samuel Meek, W. Peabody, burned.
 1890.
 Jan. 11. New building of Peabody Reporter Co. opened. [627; no, 574.
 March 10. Town voted for license; yes.
 March 24. Town appropriated \$3000 for paving Main st. (Poole's hollow.)
 May 15. Ground broken for Essex Electric St. Ry.
 May 15. Peabody Press sold.
 Aug. 1. Fire at Peabody Press office.
 Aug. 8. Town appropriated \$30,000 for electric light plant.
 (See also interesting events of past two years.)</p> |
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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST FOR PAST TWO YEARS.

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| <p>1890.
 Sept. 15. Beverly & Danvers Street Railway Co. began regular trips to Danvers Plains.
 Sept. 17. Installation of Rev. J. W. Buckingham, at Crombie St. church, Salem.
 Sept. 20. First issue of Beverly Chronicle.
 Sept. 23. Mass. Naval Battalion land at Willows and make sham attack on Fort Lee.
 Sept. 23, 24. Cattle show at Beverly.
 Sept. 25. Arrival of new Hook and Ladder truck, at Marblehead.
 Sept. 27. Accident on B. & O. R. R. near Zanesville, O. 8 killed.
 Sept. 29. Formal opening of Naumkeag St. Ry. electric system to Peabody.
 Sept. 29. Removal of Salem Cadets to new armory.
 Sept. 30. Death of Hon. Edwin Mudge, Danvers.</p> | <p>Oct. 1. Adjournment of Congress.
 Oct. 3. Visit of Portland Commandery K. T. to Salem.
 Oct 5. Consecration of Church of the Immaculate Conception, Salem.
 Oct. 6. New tariff law went into operation.
 Oct. 7. First trip of new steamboat line from Beverly and Salem to Boston.
 Oct. 7. Explosion at Dupont powder works, Wilmington, Del. ; 12 killed.
 Oct. 8. Laying of corner stone of new Odd Fellows Home at Worcester.
 Oct. 8. First issue of Marblehead Enterprise.
 Oct. 8. Arrival of two new hose wagons for Beverly Fire Dept.
 Oct. 10. Parade of 8th Regt. at Beverly.
 Oct. 10. First issue of Salem Daily Call.
 Oct. 13. Death of Samuel F. Miller, Justice U. S. Supreme Ct. at Washington.</p> |
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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST.

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- Oct. 13 to 16. Session of Ministers Institute (Unitarian) at Salem.
- Oct. 16. Fire destroyed Leland Hotel, Syracuse, N. Y.; many lives lost.
- Oct. 20. Barn of F. Haven, at Beverly Farms, destroyed by fire.
- Oct. 23. Great fire at Mobile, Ala.; loss \$600,000.
- Oct. 27. Jersey St., Marblehead, accepted; and \$7500 appropriated therefor.
- Oct. 27. Excessive high tides.
- Oct. 28. Peabody Post Office moved into new office in Allen's Block.
- Oct. 30. Collision off Barnegat between Schr. C. Hargraves and Stmr. Viscaya; both vessels sunk; 68 lives lost.
- Nov. 2. Powder explosion in China, killing 300 persons.
- Nov. 3. Regular running of cars on Essex Elec. St. Ry. Co. by horses.
- Nov. Announcement of Dr. Koch's remedy for consumption.
- Nov. Re-numbering of houses in Marblehead.
- Nov. 19. Explosion of boiler at Legg's Hill, Salem; 2 killed and 4 injured.
- Nov. 22. Death of Richard F. Tobin (G. A. R.), Boston.
- Nov. 23. Death of William III, King of Holland.
- Nov. 25. Opening of Home for Aged Women at Peabody.
- Nov. 25. Death of Benj. P. Shillaber (Mrs. Partington) at Chelsea; 76 yrs.
- Nov. 26. Boiler Explosion at South Bay, N. S.; 6 killed.
- Nov. 26. Golden wedding of E. F. Obear and wife, Beverly.
- Nov. 27. Thanksgiving Day.
- Nov. 29. Beverly refused Naumkeag St. Ry. Co. permit to erect poles and wires.
- Dec. 1. Schr. Daniel C. Marcy of Beverly lost with all hands.
- Dec. 3. First snow storm.
- Dec. 4. Rev. Geo. C. Cressey installed pastor of First Church, Salem.
- Dec. 6. Parnell deposed.
- Dec. 8. Opening of Cadet Fair; first use of new drill hall.
- Dec. 13. Murder of James W. Lane at Salem.
- Dec. 15. Sitting Bull, chief of the Sioux, killed.
- Dec. 16. Death of Jona. H. Orne of Marblehead; 65 yrs.
- Dec. 16. Burglary at B. & M. R. R. depot (East. div.), Danvers.
- Dec. 17. Fire at Kimball blk.; Salem; also two dwellings of P. Collier near gas works.
- Dec. 19. Fire at Hamilton & Balcomb's planing mill, Salem.
- Dec. 19. Fire destroyed currying shop of J. S. Crehore, Peabody; loss \$15,000.
- Dec. 21. Burglary at G. H. Jacobs' store, Danvers.
- Dec. 25. Masonic Temple, Baltimore, Md., destroyed by fire; loss \$500,000.
- Dec. 26. Death of Dr. Heinrich Schlie-mann, archaeologist, at Berlin, Gy.
- Dec. 26. Great snow storm.
- Dec. 27. Essex Elec. St. Ry. Co. granted location to Willows.
- Dec. 29. Fight in South Dakota between Indian hostiles and U. S. troops; 6 soldiers killed, and many Indians.
- Dec. 29. Death of Octave Feuillet, French novelist and dramatist, at Paris.
- Dec. 29. Powder explosion at Socobon mines, Mexico; 15 men killed.
- Dec. 30. Great fire in London, Eng.; loss \$2,000,000.
- Dec. 30. Beverly accepted Australian ballot law for election of town officers.
- Dec. 31. Fire destroyed A. W. Dodd's oil factory at Gloucester; loss \$75,000.
- Dec. 31. Death of Gen. Francis E. Spinner, ex-treasurer of the U. S. at Jacksonville, Fla.

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- Jan. 2. Fire destroyed Fifth Ave. and Hermann's theatres, New York City.
- Jan. 2. Death of Alexander William Kinglake, historian, at London, Eng.
- Jan. 2. Death of Alphonse Peyrat, French Author and Senator, at Paris.
- Jan. 3. Sixty persons killed by explosion in Trinity coal pit, Austria.
- Jan. 5. Death of Emma Abbott, prima donna, at Salt Lake City.
- Jan. 7. Death of Charles Devens, Justice of the Sup. Jud. Court, at Boston.
- Jan. 7. Dedication of new Advent Church, No. Salem.
- Jan. 8. Fire destroyed barn and farm stock of S. E. Glines, N. Beverly.
- Jan. 8. Fire at Naumkeag Clothing store, Salem.
- Jan. 11, 12. Severe rain storm; barometer 28.8; lowest record for years.
- Jan. 17. Death of Geo. Bancroft, historian, at Washington, D. C.; 90 yrs.
- Jan. 17. Severe storm covering trees and wires with sleet and doing much damage.
- Jan. 20. Death at San Francisco of Kalakaua, king of the Hawaiian Islands.
- Jan. 24. Explosion at colliery in Gelsen Kirehen, killing 52 persons.
- Jan. 27. Explosion at colliery in Mt. Pleasant, Pa.; killing 150 miners.
- Jan. 27, 31. D. L. Moody the revivalist, at Baptist Church, Beverly.
- Jan. 29. Sudden death of William Windom, Secretary of the U. S. Treasury, at New York City.
- Jan. 30. Death of Chas. Bradlaugh, member of Parliament, at Northampton, Eng.
- Jan. 30. Fire at Merritt Cook's tannery, Foster St., Peabody; loss \$2000.
- Feb. 1. Death of J. L. E. Meisonier, great military painter of France; aged 75.
- Feb. 7. Death of John A. Appleton, ex-Chief Justice of Sup. Jud. Court of Maine; at Bangor.

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- Feb. 9. Defalcation of H. E. Spaulding, cashier of First National Bank, Ayer, Mass.
- Feb. 10. Death of Marcus Morton, late chief Jus. Mass. Sup. Jud. Court, at Andover; 71 yrs.
- Feb. 10. Death of James Redpath at New York.
- Feb. 12. Boiler explosion at Hare Point, Quebec, killing 20 persons.
- Feb. 13. Death of Admiral David D. Porter at Washington; 77 yrs.
- Feb. 14. Death of Gen. Wm. T. Sherman, at New York city; 71 yrs.
- Feb. 14. Fire at P. Marrin's factory, Varney st., Salem.
- Feb. 16. Fire destroyed J. R. McNeal's house, Bev. Farms.
- Feb. 17. Fire at Hathaway block, Mhd.
- Feb. 20. Accident in 4th ave. tunnel, N. Y. city; six killed.
- Feb. 21. Hon. Chas. Foster of Ohio, appointed Sec. of U. S. Treasury.
- Feb. 21. Six lives lost at tenement house fire, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- Feb. 21. Explosion at Spring Hill Mine, N. S.; 120 lives lost.
- Feb. 21. Ship Elizabeth of New York lost off San Francisco, with 18 lives.
- Feb. 24. American House, Marblehead, damaged by fire.
- Feb. 25. Hon. A. A. Low of Brooklyn donated \$10,000, additional to city of Salem, for educational fund.
- Feb. 27. Fire destroyed building of W. J. Goldthwait on Lafayette St., Salem.
- Feb. 28. Severe thunder storm in south eastern Massachusetts; many buildings damaged.
- March 2. Reception of Second Corps Cadets to Gov. Russell and officers of Mass. militia.
- March 4. Heaviest snow storm of the winter; street railway travel, in Salem and vicinity interrupted for several days.
- March 4. Congress passed appropriation to settle French spoliation claims.
- March 5. Death of Robert C. Pitman, Justice of Superior Court, at Newton.
- March 7. Enlargement of Danvers Mirror.
- March 8. Fire in bldg. occupied by Northwest Beef Co., Salem.
- March 9. Death of Benj. H. Paddock, Epis. Bishop, at Boston; 62 yrs.
- March 9. Death of Capt. George W. Kenney, postmaster of Danvers.
- March 13. Burning of insane asylum near Nashville, Tenn.; 9 lives lost.
- March 13. U. S. steamer Galena and tug Nina wrecked near Gay Head; no loss of life.
- March 14. Mob at New Orleans killed 11 Italians.
- March 14. Fire at Syracuse, N. Y.; loss \$1,000,000.
- March 17. Death of Prince Jerome Napoleon at Rome.
- March 17. Loss of Anchor Line Steamer Utopia and 600 lives, near Gibraltar.
- March 18. Organization of Beverly Historical Society.
- March 20. Death of Lawrence Barrett, actor, at N. York.
- March 21. Death of Gen. Jos. Johnston, ex-confederate, at Washington, D. C.
- March 24. First naturalization of a woman at Salem.
- March 25. Co. K. 8th Regt. mustered in at Danvers.
- March 31. City council of Salem abolish old and elect new water board.
- March 31. Baron Fava, Italian Minister, recalled from Wash., D. C.
- April 1. Four alarms of fire at Danvers.
- April 3. Severe storm; new hotel at Bradford, Mass., destroyed.
- April 6. Beverly voted for ten years contract for 80 electric lights for streets.
- April 7. Death of P. T. Barnum, the great showman, at Bridgeport, Conn.
- April 7. Resignation of U. S. Senator Edmunds of Vermont.
- April 12. Dr. Eben Tourjee of New Eng. Con. of Music, died at Boston.
- April 23. Powder magazine exploded at Rome, Italy; killing 7 and injuring 48 persons.
- April 23. Body of C. M. Robes found in pasture at No. Beverly.
- April 24. Death of Field Marshal Count Von Moltke at Berlin.
- April 30. Rev. Phillips Brooks elected Epis. bishop for Mass.
- May 5. M. J. Callahan of Peabody sentenced to 10 years imprisonment for murder of J. W. Lane at Salem.
- May 12. City council of Salem authorized removal of old wing of almshouse.
- May 12. City council of Salem appropriated \$4000 for street watering.
- May 13. Samuel B. Nobbs installed pastor of Central Bap. Ch., Salem
- May 14. Naumkeag Bank, Salem, removed to First church bldg.
- May 15. Death of Chas. King at Middleton; reported 110 years old.
- May 18. W. S. Mowry elected Supt. of Schools, Salem.
- May 19. Explosion of dynamite near Tarrytown, N. Y.; 20 Italians killed.
- May 21. Formation of "People's Party of the United States" at Cincinnati.
- May 31. N. Y. Museum of Fine Arts opened for first time on Sunday.
- June 1. Brooklyn bridge made free for footpassengers.
- June 1. New flag staff erected in depot square, Beverly.
- June 3. Death of Benson J. Lossing, historian, at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; 78 yrs.
- June 6. Death of Sir John Macdonald, premier, at Ottawa, Can.
- June 7. Harold Marshall installed pastor of Univ. ch. Beverly.
- June 9. Blessing of new bell of Immaculat Conception ch., Salem.
- June 11. Removal of bell from Ave. M. E. church, Beverly.

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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST.

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- June 11. Legislature prorogued.
 June 14. Water spout near city of Mexico killing 23 persons.
 June 14. Tannery of John O'Callahan burned, at Peabody; loss heavy.
 June 18. Resignation of H. W. Rogers, Supt. of Salem Water Works.
 June 18. Peabody voted in favor of electric lighting; 614 yeas, 87 nays.
 June 20. Large fire at Hamilton in bldg. occupied by D. C. Smith and Geo. G. Creamer.
 June 22. Captains W. A. Andrews and J. W. Lawlor sail from Crescent Beach for a trip across the Atlantic in their boats "Mermaid" and "Sea Serpent."
 June 22. Suicide of W. G. C. Shaw and attempted murder of three persons at Beverly.
 June 22. Col. J. W. Raymond of Beverly appointed probation officer.
 June 24. Work commenced on new brick block of S. E. Peabody on Washington st. next Post office, Salem.
 June 25. Golden wedding of J. S. Needham and wife of Peabody.
 June 26. Barnum's circus at Salem
 July 1. Opening of Pike's Peak railway; terminus 14,147 feet above sea level.
 July 3. Railroad accident at Ravenna, O.; 19 killed, 38 injured.
 July 3. Burning of coal pockets at Beaver Brook, Dan.
 July 4. Celebration at Danvers.
 July 4. Railroad accident near Charlestown, W. Va.; 15 killed, 50 injured.
 July 4. Sudden death of Hannibal Hamlin, ex-Vice-Pres.; 82 years.
 July 4. Arrival of white squadron of U. S. navy at Boston.
 July 6. Cyclone at Baton Rouge, La., destroying penitentiary; 10 killed.
 July 6. John W. Hart elected Lt. Col. of Second Corps Cadets.
 July 7. Four murderers executed by electricity at Sing Sing prison, N. Y.
 July 7. Suspension of Salem Daily Call.
 July 11. Sisters of Notre Dame leave St. Mary's parochial school, Salem, after service of 36 years.
 July 11. Railroad accident at Aspen junc., Colorado; 8 killed.
 July 12. Death of Edward Burgess, yacht designer, at Boston.
 July 14. Fire at house of Mrs. John Pike, Danvers.
 July 17. Fire destroyed Blake & Strout blocks at Lynn; loss \$200,000.
 July 20. Fire destroyed barn of Mrs. S. W. Webber, No. Bev.
 July 25. R. R. accident near Middletown, O.; 3 killed and 40 injured.
 July 26. R. R. accident at St. Maude, France; 43 killed, 100 injured.
 July 27. Wagon containing 7 persons struck by cars near Elmira, N. Y.; 6 killed.
 Aug. 2. Death of H. B. Staples, Judge of Superior ct., at Worcester.
 Aug. 4. G. A. R. encampment at Detroit.
 Aug. 5. Capt. Lawlor arrived in England with the boat "Sea Serpent."
 Aug. 5. R. R. accident near Champlain, N. Y.; 4 killed, 15 injured.
 Aug. 6. R. R. accident near Port Byron, N. Y.; 11 killed; several injured.
 Aug. 7. Fire at old Stimpson factory on Boston St., Salem. Victor Riviere burned to death.
 Aug. 10. Encampment of Second Corps Cadets at Essex.
 Aug. 11. Fire at Aulson & Mohan's morocco factory, Caller place, Peabody.
 Aug. 11. Marblehead selectmen grant Naumkeag S. R. Co. permit to erect poles and wires.
 Aug. 12. Death of James Russell Lowell, at Cambridge.
 Aug. 14. Death of Mrs. James K. Polk, widow of 10th Pres. of U. S. at Nashville, Tenn.
 Aug. 19. Dedication of battle monument at Bennington, Vt.
 Aug. 19. Arrest of Frank C. Almy, murderer of Christie Warden, at Hanover, N. H.
 Aug. 20. Peabody voted 451 to 22 in favor of electric lighting.
 Aug. 20. Sale of Spring estate, Danvers, to Xaverien Bros.
 Aug. 20. Outing of Beverly Board of Trade.
 Aug. 22. Collapse of building in Park pl., N. Y.; 61 lives lost.
 Aug. 22. Mrs. Esther Duncan of Danvers burned to death from explosion of oil stove.
 Aug. 26. Ded. of Armory of Co. K, 8th Regt at Danvers.
 Aug. 27. Arrival at Antwerp of Capt. Andrews; trip of boat "Mermaid" abandoned.
 Aug. 28. Triplets born to Mrs. Jesse Stickney, Bev.
 Aug. 29. Loss of Br. Steamer Dunmurry and 8 of the crew near Halifax.
 Aug. 30. Laying of corner stone new St. James church, Salem.
 Aug. 31. Property of Union Elec. Car Co. shipped from Beverly.
 Aug. 31. Several small incendiary fires in Beverly during previous week.
 Sept. 2. Dedication of new First church, Tap eyville.
 Sept. 4. Announcement of loss of Wm. O. Tucker and Wm. T. Goodwin of Marblehead, while on a dory trip.
 Sept. 4. Gov. Russell at Peabody; (5th) at Marblehead.
 Sept. 9. Death of M. F. Jules P. Grevy ex-president of French Republic; in France.
 Sept. 13. Death of Hon. George B. Loring at Salem.
 Sept. 18. Trial of Hopkins-Searles will case began.
 Sept. 20. Suicide of Ex-Pres. Balmaceda of Chili, at Santiago.

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- Sept. 25. Explosion of mortar during exhibition of fireworks at Newark, N. J.; 11 killed.
- Sept. 25. Death of Rev. Samuel D. Burchard at Saratoga, N. Y.
- Sept. 29. Parade of 8th Regt. at Danvers; several soldiers injured.
- Sept. 29. Peabody appropriated \$50,000, for electric light plant.
- Sept. 30. Suicide of Gen. Boulanger of France, at Brussels.
- Oct. 1. Three men killed by cars at Shirley, Mass.
- Oct. 3. Fire at M. B. Paige's pottery, Peabody.
- Oct. 4. Electric cars to Marblehead.
- Oct. 4. Tug boiler exploded at Chicago, killing 7 persons.
- Oct. 5. Opening of new Columbia theatre, Boston.
- Oct. 5. Burning of Squire & Co.'s pork factory at Somerville; loss, \$200,000.
- Oct. 6. Fire at Newcomb's machine shop, Salem.
- Oct. 6. Death of Charles Stuart Parnell at Brighton, Eng.
- Oct. 7. Bronze statue of Gen. Grant unveiled at Chicago.
- Oct. 7. Enlargement of Beverly Times.
- Oct. 9. Loss of U. S. steamer Despatch, off Maryland; crew saved.
- Oct. 14. Consecration of Phillips Brooks as bishop.
- Oct. 17. Death of James Parton, author, at Newburyport.
- Oct. 23. First snow.
- Oct. 28. Earthquake in Japan; several thousand lives lost.
- Oct. 29. Burning of steamer Oliver Bierne on the Mississippi; 20 lives lost.
- Nov. 1. Fire at Beverly, destroying Allen's box factory, Woodbury Bros. shoe factory, B. & M. R. R. freight house, and several other buildings; loss \$150,000.
- Nov. 2. Maverick Bank, Boston, closed.
- Nov. 3. State election. Wm. E. Russell elected Governor.
- Nov. 8. Explosion in coal mine at Nanticoke, Pa.; 10 lives lost.
- Nov. 10. Appointment of W. H. Merrill, as postmaster of Salem.
- Nov. 15. Total eclipse of moon.
- Nov. 18. Fire destroys Saunders estate, Buffum st. Salem.
- Nov. 19. Death of Wm. J. Florence, comedian, at Philadelphia, Pa.
- Nov. 20. Dedication of armory of Beverly Light Infantry.
- Nov. 23. Death of Col. Gardiner Tufts of Lynn.
- Nov. 23. Beverly appropriated \$10,000 for 12 inch water main.
- Nov. 24. Queen Hotel, Beverly, destroyed by fire; loss \$75,000.
- Nov. 24. Death of Lord Lytton, "Owen Meredith," at Paris.
- Nov. 25. Land slide on Northern Pac. R. R., killing 25 persons.
- Nov. 26. Thanksgiving Day.
- Nov. 28. Selectmen of Beverly vote for trolley wires on Rantoul st.
- Nov. 28. Railroad accident near Toledo, O.; several killed.
- Nov. 30. Essex St. Ry. Co. sold to Naumkeag St. Ry. Co.
- Dec. 2. Dynamite factory at Haverstraw, N. Y. blown up, and 5 men killed.
- Dec. 3. Collision of two electric cars on Boston st. Salem.
- Dec. 4. Russell Sage's office, New York City, partly destroyed by dynamite bomb in hands of madman.
- Dec. 4. Two freight and two passenger trains wrecked and burned at E. Thompson, Ct.
- Dec. 4. Death of Dom Pedro, ex-emperor of Brazil, at Paris.
- Dec. 4. Seven men killed at St. Paul, by falling walls.
- Dec. 4. Severe storm.
- Dec. 6. Explosion in coal mine at St. Etienne, France; 73 miners killed.
- Dec. 8. Fire at C. J. Baker's grain store, Beverly.
- Dec. 9. Two large fires at Louisville, Ky.; 11 persons killed.
- Dec. 10. Fire destroyed cottage of T. P. Gooding, Marblehead.
- Dec. 10. Fire in Stopford bldg., Pond cor. Rantoul st. Beverly.
- Dec. 14. Death of N. A. Horton, editor Salem Gazette.
- Dec. 16. Will of Edward Burley of Beverly filed; homestead given to Historical Society.
- Dec. 19. Carriage accident to family of Geo. C. Stickney, Beverly.
- Dec. 22. Fire at Peabody Press office.
- Dec. 23. Explosion of cargo of dynamite at Antwerp; 18 persons killed.
- Dec. 24. Railroad accident at Hastings, N. Y.; 12 killed.
- Dec. 26. Panic in theatre at Gateshead, Eng.; 9 children killed.
- Dec. 30. W. D. T. Trefry of Marblehead appointed Savings Bank Commissioner. 1892.
- Jan. Prevalence of "La Grippe."
- Jan. 2. Death of Gen. Montgomery C. Meigs, at Washington, D. C.
- Jan. 3. Death of Col. George Peabody, Salem.
- Jan. 3. Resignation of Rev. Sherrod Soule, Dane st. church, Beverly.
- Jan. 6. Snow storm and loss of U. S. revenue cutter Gallatin at Manchester.
- Jan. 7. Death of Tewfik, Khedive of Egypt, at Cairo.
- Jan. 7. Explosion in coal mine at Krebs, I. T.; nearly 100 miners killed.
- Jan. 11. Dr. Graves sentenced at Denver, Col. to be hung for murder of Mrs. Barnaby, of Providence.
- Jan. 11. R. R. accident near Crawfordsville, Ind.; 4 killed, 40 injured.
- Jan. 14. Death of Cardinal Manning and Prince Albert Victor, in England.

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- Jan. 14. Loss reported of Steamer "Nam-chow," off China and 400 lives lost.
- Jan. 14. Death of Dr. Henry I. Bowditch of Boston; aged 84.
- Jan. 15. Postmaster Jackman of Peabody re-appointed.
- Jan. 16. Death of Charles D. Howard, former editor of Peabody Press and Salem Post, at Natick.
- Jan. 18. Explosion of powder mill at Central City, W. Va.; 5 killed.
- Jan. Salem Marine Railway on East Gardner st. torn down; probably first to be erected in the country.
- Jan. 22. Fire at National Surgical Institute, Indianapolis; 18 killed.
- Jan. 25. President's message concerning Chili sent to Congress.
- Jan. 27. Death of James T. Furber, manager of B. & M. R. R. at Lawrence.
- Jan. 27. Barn of George B. Courtis, Marblehead, destroyed by fire.
- Jan. 28. Organization of Peabody Board of Trade.
- Jan. 28. First church society, Salem, voted to consolidate with Barton Square society.
- Jan. 29. Fire at J. J. Kenny's, 13 Carlton st., Salem.
- Jan. 30. Fire destroyed Hinman's planing mill, Beverly.
- Jan. 31. Death of Charles H. Spurgeon, noted preacher, at Mentone, Eng.; 57 years.
- Jan. 31. Loss of steamship "Eider" near Isle of Wight; all hands saved.
- Feb. 3. Riot of prisoners at Deer Island.
- Feb. 3. Death of Sir Morell Mackenzie, distinguished physician, at London, Eng.
- Feb. 3. Farwell's shoe factory at Danvers destroyed by fire; loss \$60,000.
- Feb. 5. Electric car at Merrimac precipitated into river.
- Feb. 12. Birth of Indian papoose at Beverly.
- Feb. 12. Attempt to change Common Council representation on Salem water board.
- Feb. 13. Finest display of aurora borealis in many years.
- Feb. 15. Opening of new Bowdoin sq. theatre, Boston.
- Feb. 17. Commemorative meeting of Danvers Hist. Soc. on witchcraft delusion of 1692.
- Feb. 23, 24. Severe snowstorm.
- Feb. 24. Fire destroyed barn of T. T. Paine, Marblehead.
- Feb. 26. Steamer "Forest Queen" sunk in collision off Yorkshire, Eng.; 14 lives lost.
- Feb. 27. Mob in Berlin, Ger.
- Feb. 27. Riot at Indianapolis, Ind.
- March 1. Dedication of new quarters of Post 89, G. A. R. of Beverly.
- March 2. Death of Stephen G. Wheatland, ex-Mayor of Salem.
- March 3. Newburyport depot burned.
- March 8. Settlement of Searles' will case.
- March 11. 150 miners killed near Brussels, Ger.
- March 14. Governor signed anti-free pass bill.
- March 16. Office of city electrician established at Salem.
- March 17. Death of Max Strakosch, at New York.
- March 22. Death of Dr. D. Hayes Agnew at Philadelphia.
- March 25. Institute of Essex Agricultural Society held at Marblehead.
- March 25. Burning of new hotel "Massasoit" at Wenham lake.
- March 26. Death of Walt Whitman, poet, at Camden, N. J.
- March 28. Announcement of bequest of Isaac Munroe of Peabody of his estate for an orphan's home after decease of his wife.
- March 28. Salem Evening News issued from Peabody building.
- March 29. Danvers adopted town seal.
- March 29. Announcement of bequests of Miss Augusta Proctor to town of Peabody; \$10,000 for old ladies' home, and \$10,000 for public park.
- March 30. Great fire at Mandalay, Burma; portion of city 2½ miles long destroyed.
- March 30. Collision of vessels off Isle of Wight; 14 lives lost.
- March 31. Town of Peabody appropriated \$2800 for new house for Hose Co. No. 2, and \$3000 for drain on Lynn st.
- March 31. Terrible tornado in Kansas.
- April 3. Great fire at New Orleans: 11 squares burned.
- April 4. Body of unknown man found in Marblehead pastures near Salem.
- April 5. Rev. F. B. Sleeper installed pastor of Baptist church, Marblehead.
- April 7. Fast day.
- April 9. Fire destroyed W. F. Sinclair's stable, Marblehead.
- April 10. Instructor of Boston Farm school and 9 boys drowned in Boston harbor.
- April 10. Great fire at Tokio, Japan; 6000 houses burned.
- April 13. Explosion of powder mill at Wilkesbarre, Pa.; 7 men killed.
- April 18. Explosion of powder mill in New Jersey; 7 men killed.
- April 19. Earthquake in California; severest since 1868.
- April 26. Removal of Lowell depot at Salem commenced.
- April 27. Laying of corner-stone of Gen. Grant monument at New York.
- April 27. Fire destroyed Grand Central theatre and other buildings, Phil.; several lives lost.
- April 28. Fire destroyed factory of M. Murphy & Son, Robertson's ct., Salem.
- April 28. T. Jefferson Coolidge of Boston appointed U. S. Minister to France.
- April 30. Arbor day.

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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST.

- May 4. Ball of Cath. Tem. societies at Cadet hall; Gov. Russell present.
- May 7. Railroad accident near Fort Madison, Iowa; 7 killed.
- May 7. Gas first supplied at Clifton, by Marblehead Gas Co.
- May 10. Concert by P. S. Gilmore's band at Cadet hall.
- May 10. Explosion in mine at Roslyn, Wash.; 46 lives lost.
- May 11. Lumber raft destroyed at Brody, Galicia; 60 lives lost.
- May 13. Bursting of water-spout in Hungary, drowning 100 miners.
- May 18. Fifty lives lost by overflow of river at Sioux city, Ia.
- May 19. Information of hurricane at Mauritius; 1200 lives lost.
- May 20. Dynamite factory in Spain destroyed; ten persons killed.
- May 20. Snow in western Massachusetts.
- May 22. Information of loss of Brazilian warship and 120 lives.
- May 27. Tornado at Wellington, Kan.; 50 killed.
- May 27. Dedication of new armory of Co. C. 8th Regt.; at Marblehead.
- June 4. Resignation of Secretary Blaine.
- June 4. Severe disaster by flood and burning oil at Titusville and Oil City, Pa.
- June 6. Great fire at Balange, Philippine islands; 1500 buildings burned.
- June 14. Explosion at Mare Island, Cal.; several killed.
- June 14. Severe storms and tornadoes in New England and Canada.
- June 15. Fall of bridge at Covington, Ky.; 30 killed.
- June 16. Wm. B. Geoghegan installed pastor of Dane St. church, Beverly.
- June 17. Severe thunder storms.
- June 18. Death of Emmons Blaine at Chicago. [Peabody.]
- June 20. Fire at A. J. Torr's factory, Pa.; 13 killed.
- June 25. R. R. accident at Harrisburg, Pa.; 13 killed.
- June 26. Use of Lowell depot at Salem discontinued.
- June 29. John W. Foster of Indiana appointed Sec'y of State at Washington.
- June. 3200 buildings destroyed by fire at Marong, Philippine islds.
- July 4. Loss of Prof. Geo. A. Rogers and companion in balloon at Boston.
- July 6. Labor trouble at Homestead, Pa.; 15 killed.
- July 8. Nine men escaped from Charlestown prison.
- July 8. Fire at St. Johns, N. F.; 15,000 people homeless; loss \$15,000,000.
- July 10. Barn of W. W. Caldwell at No. Beverly, burned.
- July 11. Descent of glacier in Savoy; many lives lost.
- July 12. Death of Cyrus W. Field at Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.
- July 12. Excursion boat capsized on Lake Peoria, Ill.; 12 drowned.
- July 17. Death of Gen. James A. Cunningham, supt. of soldiers home, Chelsea.
- July 24. Loss of Vanderbilt yacht Alva.
- July 24. Fire in Thomas' block, Peabody.
- July 28. Three children smothered in closet at Medford.
- Aug. 2. Fire destroyed Daniel Goodhue house, Danvers.
- Aug. 4. Murder of A. J. Borden and wife at Fall River.
- Aug. 5. Heavy thunder storm; one man killed in Salem and one in Peabody.
- Aug. 8. New York yacht club at Marblehead.
- Aug. 10. Wm. H. Glover, conductor N. S. R. Co. killed at Marblehead.
- Aug. 11. Town of Beverly vote to build sewer in Rantoul St.
- Aug. 11. Launch of U. S. cruiser Marblehead at So. Boston.
- Aug. 12. Severe thunder storm.
- Aug. 13. Bev. & Dan. St. Ry. sold to Naumkeag St. Ry. Co.
- Aug. 17. R. R. accident at Paradise crossing, Beverly; 1 killed, 8 injured.
- Aug. 17. Fire in lodging house, London, Eng.; 11 killed.
- Aug. 18. Celebration of introduction of water at Manchester.
- Aug. 23. Receiver for Iron Hall appointed at Indianapolis, Ind.
- Aug. 25. Great parade at Gloucester; 250th anniversary.
- Aug. 27. Fire destroyed Metropolitan Opera House, N. Y.
- Aug. 28. Resignation of Rev. A. G. Rogers, Univ. ch., Salem.
- Aug. 30. Steamer "Western Reserve" lost on lake Michigan and 26 lives.
- Aug. 31. Arrival at New York of Steamer Moravia; 22 deaths from cholera on voyage.
- Aug. 31. President orders quarantine of 20 days to prevent contagion from cholera.
- Aug. 31. Death of Geo. Wm. Curtis at West Brighton, S. I.
- Sept. 5. Death of Daniel Dougherty orator at Phil.
- Sept. 7. Death of John G. Whittier, poet, at Hampton Falls. [South Salem.]
- Sept. 7. Four girls accidentally shot in Sept. 7. Corbett defeated Sullivan in prize fight at New Orleans.
- Sept. 10. Accident on Fitchburg R. R. at W. Cambridge; 9 killed.
- Sept. 11. Arrival of Peary Arctic expedition at St. John's, N. F.
- Sept. 20. Natl. encampment of G. A. R. at Washington, and great parade.
- Sept. 20. Great fire at Rockaway Beach, L. I.; several hotels burned.
- Sept. 21. R. R. accident near Shreve, O.; 13 killed.
- Sept. 21. R. R. accident near Osage city, Kansas; 4 killed.
- Sept. 24. Death of P. S. Gilmore, bandmaster, at St. Louis; aged 63 yrs.

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Salem Fire Alarm.—Location of Boxes.

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| 7 Ocean View House, Juniper. | 58 Essex cor. Boston st. |
| 8 Almshouse. | 59 Federal cor. Flint st. |
| 9 Salem Willows. | 61 Bridge cor. North st. |
| 12 Pennsylvania Pier. | 62 Boston cor. Beaver st. |
| 13 Essex near English st. | 63 Bridge near Carpenter st. |
| 14 Phillips wharf. | 64 Bridge cor. Goodhue st. |
| 15 Derby cor. Bentley st. | 65 Nichols cor. Prospect st. |
| 16 Allen cor. Webb st. | 66 Federal cor. Beckford st. |
| 17 Derby cor. Becket st. | 67 Boston near Prospect ave. |
| 18 Police Station. | 68 Rawlins near Prospect. |
| 19 Charter cor. Elm st. | 69 Washington cor. Lafayette st. |
| 21 Derby cor. Central st. | 71 Poor's tannery, Ocean ave. |
| 23 Derby cor. Union st. | 72 Salem cor. Harbor st. |
| 24 Essex st. opp. No. 67. | 73 Naumkeag Mills |
| 25 Spring cor. Webb st. | 74 Lafayette opp. Gardner st. |
| 26 Briggs cor. Washington Sq. | 75 Lafayette cor. Ocean ave. |
| 27 Bridge cor. March st. | 76 Lafayette cor. Laurel st. |
| 28 Bridge near Beacon st. | 78 Leach cor. Summit ave. |
| 29 Salem Jail. | 79 Roslyn cor. Cabot st. |
| 31 Salem Hospital. | 81 Barr cor. Harmony st. |
| 32 Bridge cor. Northey st. | 82 Mason cor. Friend st. |
| 34 West yard. | 83 Cabot Farm. |
| 35 St. Peter opp Church st. | 84 Mason cor. Grove st. |
| 36 Bridge opp. Ash st. | 85 Mason cor. Myrtle st. |
| 37 Franklin Building. | 86 Tremont cor. School st. |
| 38 Essex cor. Central st. | 87 Dearborn near Walter st. |
| 39 Washington near Federal st. | 89 Hose House on North st. |
| 42 Mill opp. High st. | 92 North cor. Franklin st. |
| 43 City Hall. | 93 Kernwood. |
| 45 Chestnut cor. Pickering st. | 94 North cor. Nursery st. |
| 47 Prescott cor. Summer st. | 122 Lafayette cor. Loring ave. |
| 49 Flint cor. Broad st. | 123 Castle Hill district. |
| 52 Highland Ave. opp. Jackson st. | 124 Electric light station. |
| 53 Essex st. opp. Public Library. | 125 Washington cor. Dodge st. |
| 54 Broad cor. Pickering st. | 126 Palmer cor. Pingree st. |
| 56 Broad cor. Summer st. | 127 Salem and Everett sts. |
| 57 Essex cor. North st. | |

One stroke will be given daily at 11.45 A. M. and 6.15 P. M. to test the alarm.

Two strokes signify that the fire is out.

Four strokes, second alarm; calls steamer only.

General alarm, same number of box repeated once.

Five strokes repeated four times, signify call for fire out of the city.

Ten strokes repeated three times, indicate police call.

Three strokes at 11.15 A. M. indicate double session in primary schools.

Three strokes at ten minutes before time for closing, double session in grammar schools.

Three strokes at 8.15 A. M. indicate "no school" for all the schools.

Three strokes at 1.30 P.M. indicate that no afternoon session of the schools will be held.

Fire Limits of Salem.

(Chap. 22nd. of the Revised Ordinances.)

The fire limits include all that part of the city lying and being within the following described boundaries, to wit: beginning at the corner of Essex and North streets, thence running northerly through the center of North street to Lynde street, thence easterly through the center of Lynde, Church and Brown streets to Newbury street, thence southerly through the center of Newbury and Elm streets to Derby street, thence westerly through the center of Derby street to an angle in said street near the estate of Fabens, thence continuing westerly across land of Fabens and the dock to the Lafayette street bridge, thence westerly by the channel of South river to Washington street, thence northerly through the center of Washington street to Norman street, thence westerly through the center of Norman street to Summer street, thence northerly through the center of Summer street to the point begun at.

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PASTORS OF THE SALEM CHURCHES.

FIRST CHURCH.

George W. Briggs.....1853-1867
James T. Hewes.....1868-1875
Fielder Israel.....1877-1888
George C. Cressey.....1890

EAST CHURCH.

Dexter Clapp1851-1864
Samuel C. Beane... ..1864-1878
George H. Hosmer.....1879-1885
William H. Ramsey.....1887-1889

NORTH CHURCH.

Edmund B. Willson.....1859

TABERNACLE CHURCH.

Samuel M. Worcester.....1834-1860
Charles Ray Palmer.....1860-1872
Hiram B. Putnam .. .1873-1876
DeWitt S. Clark.....1879

SOUTH CHURCH.

Brown Emerson... ..1805-1872
Israel E. Dwinell1849-1863
Edward S. Atwood.....1864-1888
James F. Brodie.....1889

HOWARD STREET CHURCH.

Charles C. Beaman1857-1864

CROMBIE STREET CHURCH.

Joseph H. Thayer.....1859-1864
Clarendon Wait.....April, 1866 to Dec. 1866
Hugh Elder.....1868-1884
Louis B. Voorhees.....1885-1889
John W. Buckham.....1890

INDEPENDENT CONG. CHURCH.

Augustus M. Haskell.....1862-1866
George Batchelor.....1866-1882
Benjamin F. McDaniel.....1883-1886
Frederick B. Mott.....1887-1891

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

George Leeds.....1853-1860
William R. Pickman.....1861-1865
James V. Scripture.....1866-1868
Edward M. Gushee.....1872-1875
Charles Arey.....1876-1890
Henry Bedinger.....1891

GRACE CHURCH.

George D. Wildes... ..1859-1867
Joseph Kidder1867-1870
James P. Franks.....1870

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Robert C. Mills.....1848-1876
George E. Merrill.....1877-1885
Galusha Anderson.....1885-1887
Edwin P. Farnham.....1888

SECOND OR CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Daniel D. Winn.....1855-1866
S. Hartwell Pratt.....1867-1870
David Weston.....Feb. 1872 to Oct. 1872
W. H. H. Marsh.....1873-1880
Charles A. Towne.....1881-1890
Samuel B. Nobbs... ..1891

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

S. Hartwell Pratt.....1870-1873
D. Henry Taylor.....1874-1877
William A. Keese.....1877-1883
Samuel H. Emery.....1884-1887
Gideon Cole.....1888-1892

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Willard Spaulding.....1860-1869
Edwin C. Bolles... ..1871-1887
Arthur G. Rogers.....1888-1892

LAFAYETTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

A. F. Herrick.....1857-1859
John H. Mansfield.....1859-1861
E. A. Manning.....1861-1862
Gershom F. Cox.....1862-1864
L. Crowell.....1864-1867
S. Freeman Chase.....1867-1869
Daniel Dorchester.....1869-1872
J. S. Whedon.....1872-1875
G. L. Collyer.....1875-1878
Daniel Steele.....1878-1881
George W. Mansfield... ..1881-1882
C. L. Eastman.....1882-1883
William P. Ray.....1883-1886
Samuel L. Gracey.....1886-1889
George A. Phinney.... ..1889-1892
George F. Eaton.....1892

WESLEY CHURCH.

Joshua Gill.....1872-1874
William J. Hambleton.....1874-1877
William H. Meredith.....1877-1880
Charles F. Rice.....1880-1883
Willis P. Odell .. .1883-1886
Thomas W. Bishop.....1886-1889
Joel M. Leonard.....1889-1892
Raymond F. Holway.....1892

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH.

Leonard G. Jordan.....1868-1871
Albino S. Frost.....1872-1879
William B. Hayden.....1879-1881
Joseph S. David.....1882-1883
D. V. Bowen.....1884-1887
Michael J. Callan.....1888-1889
John A. Hayes.....1892

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Thomas H. Shehan.....1858-1862
Michael Hartney.....1862-1868
William Halley.....1868-1887
Patrick J. Hally.....1888

ST. JAMES' CHURCH.

Thomas H. Shehan.....1850-1864
William J. Daley.....1865-1868
John J. Gray.....1868

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH.

Francois X. L. Vezina.....1873-1885
Joseph O. Gadoury.....1885

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REGULATIONS FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES IN THE CITY OF SALEM

Adopted January 31, 1881, by Board or Aldermen.

ORDERED. That, until otherwise ordered, the price or rates of fare, to be taken by, or paid to, the owner, driver, or other person having charge of any licensed hackney carriage, except omnibuses and barges, shall be as follows:

SECTION 1. For the conveyance, from one place to another within the limits of that part of the city, lying and being within the following described boundaries, viz: Commencing at the junction of Essex and Webb streets, thence running southerly through Webb street to Salem Harbor, thence westerly by said harbor to Union street bridge, thence easterly and southerly by said harbor to Ocean Avenue, thence by Ocean Avenue to the track of the Eastern Railroad Co., thence northerly by said track to Margin street, thence southerly and westerly by Margin street and the Mill Pond to the southern end of Hathorne street; thence westerly by the eastern line of the Great Pastures to Highland Avenue, thence, by Essex, Boston, Grove, Mason, Barr, School and Orne streets to Walter street; thence through Walter street to the eastern end thereof, and continuing on the same course to North river, thence westerly by said river to the bridge on North street; thence easterly by the southern line of North River to the northern end of March street; thence by March, Bridge and Osgood streets to Collins Cove; thence westerly by Collins Cove to Webb street; thence southerly through Webb street to the point begun at; of one or more adult passengers, twenty-five cents each.

SECT. 2. For one or more adult passengers from any place in the city within said limits to any place in the city beyond said limits, but within Block-house square, the junction of Fayette street and Lynn Row, or to any place on Highland Avenue, Rawlins, Watson, School and North Hill Road, Appleton Hill Road, or to the Beverly Bridge, or to any place beyond the same, twenty-five cents each.

For one or more adult passengers from any place in the city to any place in the city beyond said limits, but within Block-house square, the junction of Fayette street and Lynn Row, or to any place on Highland Avenue, Rawlins, Watson, School and North Hill Road, or to the Beverly Bridge, or to any place beyond the same, twenty-five cents each.

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three or more adult passengers, thirty-five cents each.

From any place in the city beyond the limits hereinbefore stated in this section, but within Ocean Avenue, Boston, Grove, Mason, School and Orne streets, to the Willows, Juniper or Winter Island, or vice versa, for one adult passenger, one dollar; for two or more adult passengers, fifty cents each.

SECT. 5. From any place within the limits mentioned in Section One, to Harmony Grove, for one adult passenger, seventy-five cents; for two adult passengers, fifty cents each; for three or more adult passengers, thirty-five cents each. For returning therefrom with same passengers and without delay, fifty cents; whether for one or more passengers.

SECT. 6. For the conveyance of persons to any place not hereinbefore specified, and for funerals, special reasonable rates may be charged.

SECT. 7. The charge for hackney carriages drawn by two horses, when hired by the hour, shall be one dollar and one-half a dollar for each hour, and when drawn by one horse, one dollar for each hour; and for parts of hours after the first hour, a proportional part of the rate for one hour shall be charged.

SECT. 8. For children under six years of age, with an adult, no charge will be made. For children between six and twelve years of age when accompanied by an adult, the fare shall be half the price charged for an adult, and when not accompanied by an adult, full fare may be charged.

SECT. 9. Between the hours of ten o'clock at night and half past six o'clock in the morning, double the above established rates may be charged.

SECT. 10. No charge shall be made for one trunk, and the valise, carpet-bags, portmanteaus, bundles and baskets, of each passenger, but for each additional trunk, more than one, fifteen cents may be charged; and the owner or driver of any hackney carriage, shall not be required to take or deposit the baggage of any passenger, except from or in the hall or vestibule, of any residence or building in the city.

SECT. 11. When any street is mentioned in this order as the boundary of any limit, both sides of the street shall be deemed to be, and is included, within such limit.

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