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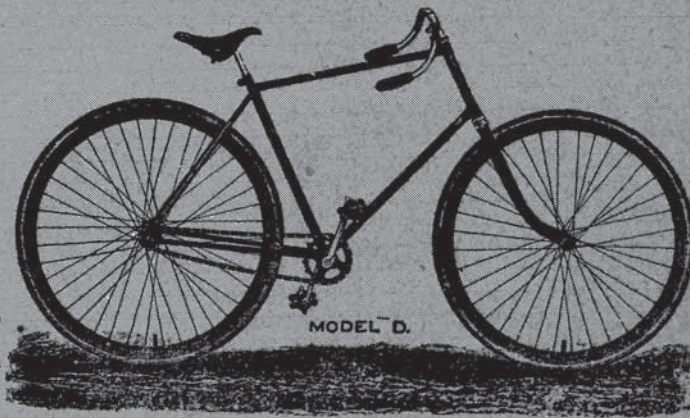
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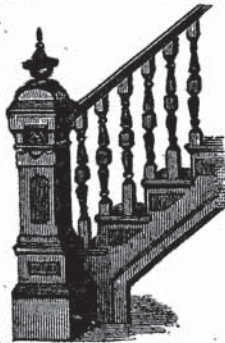
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PREFACE.

The index to contents on pages 20 and 21 of this, the seventh volume of the Naumkeag Directory, indicates the great variety of information furnished in the book, and an examination of the twelve hundred pages which follow will give the careful observer some indication of the vast amount of labor and detail necessary to its completion.

The liberal and ever increasing patronage accorded this publication, is a source of gratification to the publisher, and an evidence that his endeavor to make the Naumkeag the best directory published in Massachusetts, and thereby in some measure advance the business interests of this community, is fully appreciated. A glance at the advertising pages must convince any one that the business concerns represented therein are satisfied that the Naumkeag is a most valuable advertising medium. No business place is complete without it, and every family desirous of having a book of ready reference to matters of historic and local interest, should purchase a copy. The advertisements on pages 493-524 indicate the enterprise of those connected with the leather industry.

This edition contains much new material and many changes. The buildings on about one-third of the streets in Salem have been re-numbered since the last edition, entailing a vast amount of extra care and labor in the canvass and compilation. A diagram of the seats in the new Peabody Institute in Danvers; also, diagrams of the new Keith's and Castle Square theatres, and the remodelled Museum, in Boston; also, of the Lynn theatre, have been added to the other diagrams of halls and theatres. A new feature, and one never published in any other directory, is the lists of business changes that have taken place since the publication of the last book, and which can be readily found by referring to the index to contents.

In the Beverly department there is a new street and householders' directory, adding greatly to the value of the book. This department also contains a description of the new ward lines, and the same are also located on the map, with many streets of recent construction in Beverly.

A brief description of each city and town in Essex county, giving date of incorporation, can be found on page 652-G. The illustrations appear in different parts of the book and contain several views reproduced from old publications.

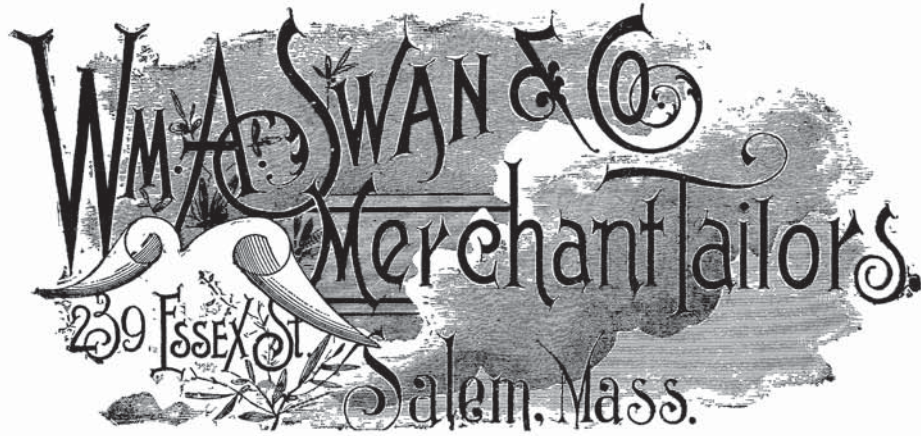
The great variety of useful and interesting matter contained herein, renders the book invaluable for reference, and when compared with similar works of the same price, will be found to surpass all in completeness and detail.

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	<i>Salem.</i>	<i>Bev.</i>	<i>Dan.</i>	<i>Mhd.</i>	<i>Pea.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
1895 Names	17,637	6515	3707	4504	4729	37,092*
1893 Names	17,411	5816	3601	4515	4746	36,089*
1895 Deaths and Removals	1632	494	351	264	478	3219
1893 Deaths and Removals	1488	428	347	293	469	3025
1895 Names in Essex, 757; Names in Manchester, 826.						Total, 1583.
1893 Names in Hamilton, 635; Names in Topsfield, 528.						Total, 1163.
1895 Total number of names, including Essex and Manchester, 38,675*						
1893 Total number of names, including Hamilton and Topsfield, 37,252*						

* Including deaths and removals.



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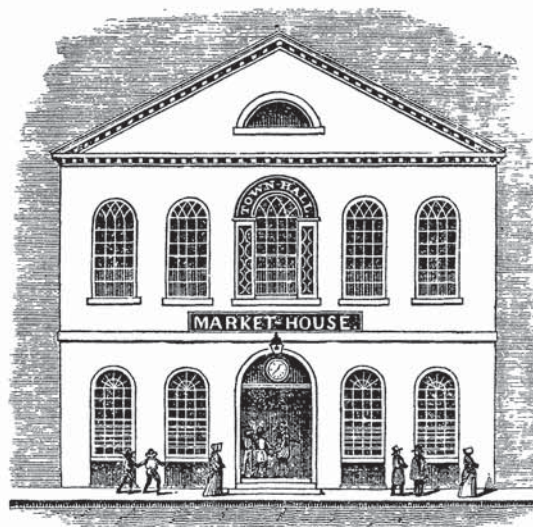
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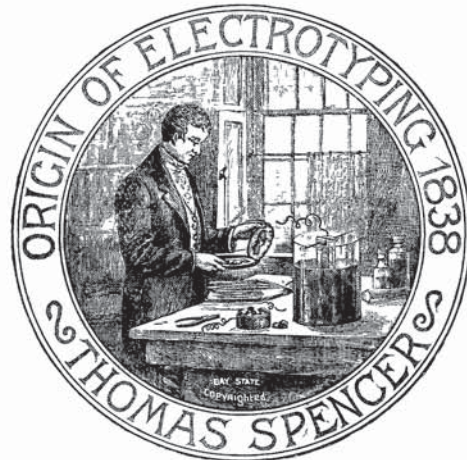
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FINE WATCH AND JEWELRY WM. S. LEE & CO.'S, 288 Essex St.,
REPAIRING AT SALEM.

**BARGAINS IN PARLOR AND CHAMBER
SETS, AT 259 & 261 ESSEX ST., SALEM, J. L. LOUGEE'S.**

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REMOVALS, ADDITIONS, ETC.

**REMOVALS, ADDITIONS, ETC., TOO LATE FOR INSERTION
IN THE GENERAL DIRECTORY.**

These changes will be of much benefit if written in their proper places in the body of the book.

SALEM.

Allen Mary M. Miss died Feb. 11, 1895.
Alley John died Feb. 9, 1895.
Anketelle William 33 Bow, died Jan. 28, 1895.
Ashby Charles B. died Jan. 15, 1895.
AYLWARD & HUNTRESS
(George A. Aylward and Charles W. Huntress) printers, 4 Central. *See page 1145.*
Barrows Abbie S. Miss died Jan. 20, 1895.
Barry James 9 Ward, died Feb. 15, 1895.
BOUCHER, JOSEPH O.,
groceries and provisions, 24 Congress, h. 16 E. Gardner. *See page 1176.*
Braden James, died Feb. 25, 1895.
Bradshaw Josiah F. removed to 6 Burnside.
Brennan Bartholomew F. groceries and provisions, 55 School, h. 53 do. (removed from 23 Mason.)
Bridges Benjamin G. 14 Federal, died Feb. 16, 1895.
Brigham Lincoln F. died Feb. 27, 1895.
Broadhead F. B. and Son, removed to 228 Essex.
Brown Roger S. removed from 286 Essex to 77 Washington.
Buxton Charles H. died February 18, 1895.
Byrne James removed to 19 1-2 Warren.
Call Mary A. widow of Thomas H., died Jan. 16, 1895.
Campbell Elizabeth widow of Francis, h. 1 Oak.
Campbell Francis died Jan. 9, 1895.
Carr Eliza widow of Patrick, died Feb. 12, 1895.
Carroll William horsehoer, 135 Boston, h. at Peabody.
Casey James C. removed from 213 Essex to 78 Washington.
Chisholm George A. removed to 28 Winthrop.
Chute James E. died Jan. 16, 1895.
Clement Frank plumber, h. Jefferson ave.
Clements Austin removed to Woburn.
Collins John P. (D. F. Hartnett & Co.) 124 Boston, b. 133 1-2 do.
Connors Honora widow of Owen, died Feb. 8, 1895.
Crandell John H. h. 64 Summer.
Crescent Cloak Co. will remove from 207 to 219 Essex.
Crimmins Ellen widow of Timothy, died Feb. 21, 1895.
Curtis Thomas H. removed to Grosvernordale, Conn.
Davis Sylvester P. died Feb. 25, 1895.
Davis William W. removed from Essex House to Hotel Seymour, Lynn.

Deralean & Pelletier dissolved; latter continues.
Dodge Margaret H. widow of William M. died Jan. 19, 1895.
Egell Edward M. mason, 10 Essex, h. do.
Ellard Daniel W. removed to 7 1-2 Boston.
Emerald Emanuel J. antique furniture, 23 Brown, b. 7 Howard.
Essex County Advertising Circular Co. 165 Washington.
Fairfield Edward W. removed business to 245 Essex.
Farmer & Egell dissolved.
Ford Albert A. morocco dresser, b. 122 Essex.
Ford Samuel A. removed to 122 Essex.
French John H. removed residence to 1 Howard and business to 295 Essex.
Giddings John E. died Feb. 13, 1895.
Gordon Lizzie widow of William B. h. 12 Beacon.
Gordon William B. died Feb. 5, 1895.
Grason Mary H. Mrs. removed to Beverly.
Great Overland & Pacific Tea Co. (will remove from 203 to 177 Essex.)
Hathaway Samuel R. died Feb. 4, 1895.
Hill James L. Rev. will remove to 225 Lafayette.
Hill Mary C. Miss died Feb. 20, 1895.
Howe Margaret J. widow of Samuel B. died February 17, 1895.
Ide Edwin R. discontinued business.
Kimball Harry W. removed to 2 Messervy.
Kollock Mary Miss died Feb. 10, 1895.
Leary Daniel died Feb. 14, 1895.
Leary Hannah E. Miss, died Feb. 15, 1895.
Lord Caleb K. died Feb. 18, 1895.
McIntire Wm. S. & Co. iron founders. 272-274 Derby.
Malone Nicholas died Feb. 11, 1895.
Mason C. V. & Co. removed to 288-292 Derby
Metropolitan Business College discontinued.
O'Connell John 12 Rawlins, died February 11, 1895.
Perkins Benjamin M. died Feb. 9, 1895.
Perkins Martha widow of Benjamin M. h. 25 Pleasant
Power D. B. H. & Co. removed business to Lynn.
Power Jennie D. widow of Stephen W. h. 1 Barton Sq.
Power Stephen W. died Feb. 17, 1895.
Putnam Clarence S. bicycles, North cor. Federal, b. at Danvers.
Rogers Mary A. widow of Russell, died Feb. 14, 1895.
Sheplee & Scott removed from 59 to 64 Washington.
Silsbee Hannah H. Miss died Feb. 16, 1895.

SMOKE M. & C. 5 CENT CIGAR.
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Strong C. R. piano dealer, 24 Federal, h. at Boston.
Tierney Timothy F. will remove from 209 Essex to 151 Essex.
Upton J. F. & Co. changed to Upton & Hennessey.
Victorato Constantine died Feb. 20, 1895.
Wentworth Susan M. widow of George S. died Feb. 20, 1895.

BEVERLY.

Addison Daniel D. Rev. removed to Brookline.
Allen John P. died Feb. 6, 1895.
Appleton Isaac, died Jan. 31, 1895.
Baker Lydia S. widow of Issachar W. died Feb. 8, 1895.
Barker Mary A. widow of Daniel, removed to Salem.
Bennett Allen H. removed from 23 Vestry to Quincy Park.

BEVERLY NOVELTY WORKS

D. D. Fraser, general manager, mfrs. of wooden novelties, etc., 60 Water. See page 624.
Boyes Silas (Wenham Lake Ice Co.) 12 Enon, h. do.
Boynton George H. removed to 154 Park.
Broughton Charles E. removed to 7 Lake View Ave.
Burnham Elizabeth Mrs. Thorndike st. died Feb. 18, 1895.
Burnham Nancy L. widow of Austin, died Feb. 18, 1895.
Chiesa Joseph removed from 74 Rantoul to 29 Vestry.
Cone Erwin W. removed from 59 Lathrop to Quincy Park.
Cunningham Lawrence shoe dealer, post office bldg., Bev. Farms.
Curran Edward P. died Jan. 30, 1895.
Dennet Mark died Feb. 6, 1895.
Dexter & Davis dissolved.
Dolan John J. removed to Salem.
Dyer William R. h. 14 Cabot.
Eaton George removed to Manchester, N. H.
Frost Flora D. Mrs. restaurant, 161 Rantoul.
Geoghegan William B. clergyman, b. 23 Bow.
Goudey George H. removed to 283 Cabot.
Grason Mary H. Mrs. dressmaker, 27 Chase, h. do.
Hagerty Daniel T. removed to Salem.
Hall Joseph b. 190 Rantoul.
Harris Allen drug clerk, 95 Cabot, rooms 25 Railroad ave.
Higgins Edward H. removed to Lynn.
Kilham Hannah R. widow of Joseph W. died Jan. 19, 1895.
Kingman Frederick insurance solicitor, h. 136 Rantoul.
McFeeley Ronald F. h. 2 Quincy park.
Meacom Charles C. died Feb. 24, 1895.
Merrill Leslie A. manufr of shoe tips, 47 Park.
O'Hagen Mary Mrs. rem. to West Dane st.

Peabody William M. & Co., provisions, Home cor. Rantoul.
Perkins E. F. real estate and insurance, 122 Cabot, room 7, h. at Wenham.
Porter Sylvanus grocer, 150 Rantoul.
Ramsdell Sarah widow of George, died Jan. 23, 1895.
Roberts Ernest F. hairdresser, 34 Cabot.
St. Clair Harry M. removed from 62 River to foot of Creek.
Smith Benjamin E. died Jan. 19, 1895.
Smith & Holt confectioners, 90 Cabot, dissolved; Smith continues.
Strong William E. Rev. removed to Jackson, Mich.
Watson Lawrence J. postmaster at Beverly Farms.
Wilson George E. removed to West Wenham.
York Frank S. boarding house, 22 and 24 Railroad ave.

DANVERS.

Averill Leverett P. died Oct 1, 1894.
Barnard John W. died Jan. 24, 1895.
Barnes George & Co. cigar manufrs, Maple n. School.
Batson Mary E. discontinued business.
Battye Louis K. died Jan. 28, 1895.
Beckford Otis F. removed to Topsfield.
Burbank Ellen M. widow of William T., died Feb. 24, 1895.
Collis Sydney M. removed to 71 High.
Cook W. H. & Co., necktie manufrs, 10 Holten.
Coughlan Daniel removed from 4 Locust to Maple st.
Crosby Isaiah removed to Hobart st.
Danvers Custom Laundry Wm. H. Damon, propr., 26 Maple.
Danvers Steam Laundry S. B. Hoar, propr., 52 Maple.
Flynn Katie M. Miss removed to Peabody.
Fuller Hannah Mrs. removed to Holten st.
Geer C. M. pastor of First Church, Danvers Centre.
Gloucester Fish Co. H. G. Johnson, manager, Chase Block.
Goodale William died Feb. 25, 1895.
Griffin Eben J. removed to Poplar st.
Holt George W. died Nov. 3, 1894.
Hood Clarence O. removed to Beverly.
Hood Frank E. died Feb. 16, 1895.
Kimball Horace removed to Ash st.
Kimball Lydia F. Mrs. died Dec. 31, 1894.
Kirby Patrick Mrs. died Feb. 25, 1895.
Kuell David H. removed to Pillsbury ave.
Mackenzie Charles S. removed to Ashmont.
McCrillis R. F. discontinued laundry business.
McGinn John F. morocco dresser, b. Mill, n. Water, D. Port.
Martin Joseph G. died Feb. 25, 1895.
Miller Arthur J. removed to Marblehead.
Moore Chas. S. removed to 17 High.
Moulton Elmer K. removed to Salem.
Naumkeag Leather Works, Geo. E. Plumer & Co., D. Port.

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BARGAINS IN PARLOR and CHAMBER SETS, at 259 & 261 ESSEX ST., SALEM **J. L. LOUGEE'S.**

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Newhall Henry & Co. dissolved; H. Newhall continues.
 Palmer Jacob died Feb. 9, 1895.
 Pead Mark A. died Oct. 19, 1894.
 Preston Elizabeth C. widow of Daniel J. died Oct. 3, 1894.
 Purdy Stephen died Jan. 9, 1895.
 Rice Charles B. Rev. removed to Burley ave. cor. Lindall.
 Ropes Margaret D. Mrs. died Jan. 8, 1895.
 Ross L. E. Mrs. h. Purchase, n. High, D. Port.
 Scott John S. removed to Plainville.
 Smart Willis E. removed to Conant st.
 Spalding Samuel A. grocer, 1 Locust, b. 21 Cherry.
 Splaine John removed to Purchase st.
 Stetson A. J. & Co. discontinued business.
 Thompson Allen died Oct. 6, 1894.
 Towne A. L. Danvers, Peabody and Salem express, h. 42 High.
 Trask Frank B. removed to Everett.
 Webb Putnam died Feb. 5, 1895.
 Wilkins E. Lyman died Oct. 3, 1894.
 Woodis Alden B. removed to Melrose.
 Woodward David E. electrician and electric supplies, Centre, n. Dayton.

MARBLEHEAD.

Bessom Michael B. died Feb. 19, 1895.
 Boyle Edward J. provisions, 13 State.
 Condon Michael, died Dec. 24, 1894.
 Cropley J. M. & Bro. removed business and office to Reading.
 Davis Thomas G. died Oct. 16, 1894.
 Fitzgerald Catharine widow of William, died Aug. 27, 1894.
 Folsom James P. died Jan. 10, 1895.
 Foote Henry L. rector St. Michael's church.
 Frost & Son, discontinued business.
 Glass Hannah widow of Joseph, died Feb. 6, 1895.
 Glover Daniel removed business to Salem.
 Haley William W. discontinued business at 13 State.
 Hardy Clara W. Miss, dressmaker, Snow bldg.
 Hargraves Sarah F. Mrs. removed to Fitchburg.
 Harris J. F. removed business to Lynn.
 Hathaway D. R. & Son changed to G. R. Hathaway.
 Huntress Charles W. retired from N. A. Lindsey & Co.
 Ingalls Frank died Nov. 18, 1894.
 Lefavour Robert C. died Oct. 17, 1894.
 Lent Charles C. died Jan. 2, 1895.
 Lincoln William F. removed business to Bank square.
 Loftus & Harrington removed to Salem.
 Orne Willard G. died Jan. 27, 1895.
 Proctor Charlotte widow of Thomas, died Feb. 4, 1895.

Rix James J. died Oct. 30, 1894.
 Roads Benjamin C. S. admitted to firm of N. A. Lindsey & Co.
 Rogers Elizabeth widow of William, died Dec. 12, 1894.
 Sanborn P. L. Dr. removed to new house on Pleasant st.
 Smith Benjamin P. removed to Fitchburg.
 Sprange Walter editor and publisher, b. C. E. Kelsey's, Swampscott road.
 Stacey Hervey P. died Feb. 15, 1895.
 Standley George W. died Jan. 31, 1895.
 Titus Frank removed to Topsfield.
 Union Robert H. removed business to Salem.
 Walsh Ruth widow of Robert, died Feb. 11, 1895.
 West Arthur H. died Jan. 24, 1895.
 Woodfin John S. removed to Cleveland, Ohio.

PEABODY.

Adams Horace E. died Feb. 24, 1895.
 Buxton Charles H. discontinued business.
 Clothey Annie B. Miss, died Jan. 29, 1895.
 Coburn Gilman R. died Feb. 25, 1895.
 Collins Louise Mrs. removed to New York.
 Conway Martin D. removed to Salem.
 Curtis Charles A. removed to South Boston.
 Dowling John, removed to Salem.
 Dowling & Denot fish dealers, Foster st.
 Eastman Erving L. removed to Riverdale, N. H.
 Fellows George G. painter 5 Mill, h. 15 School.
 Fox James removed to Salem.
 Gould Leverett F. died Feb. 9, 1895.
 Hutchinson Benjamin, grocer Andover st.
 Kehoe & Sutton provisions, 161 Washington.
 Mason Clarence M. died Nov. 18, 1894.
 Murphy John Fulton st., died Feb. 22, 1895.
 Patterson Elizabeth R. widow of N. P. C. died Feb. 16, 1895.
 Peirce Lucy G. widow of George C. died Feb. 20, 1895.
 Pike Forest W. Dr. removed to Fitchburg.
 Pike Mary L. Mrs. died Nov. 27, 1894.
 Putnam Daniel W. died Dec. 12, 1894.
 Putnam & Murphy (Frank E. Putnam and James S. Murphy), hardware, 27 Walnut.
 Rand George H. died Feb. 6, 1895.
 Rust Elbridge died Feb. 16, 1895.
 Swett Joseph H. removed to Passaic, N. J.
 Teel Abigail E. widow of George M. died Dec. 27, 1894.
 Timmins Garrett died Nov. 28, 1894.
 Wall Michael removed to Baltimore, Md.
 Weeden Helen Mrs. died Feb. 24, 1895.
 Whittaker James removed to New York.
 Wilson Albert R. died Nov. 23, 1894.
 Winslow Henry B. removed to Washington, D. C.

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FIRE ALARM AND FIRE LIMITS.

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SALEM FIRE ALARM.—LOCATION OF BOXES.

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| <p>7—Ocean View House, Juniper.
8—Almshouse.
9—Salem Willows.
12—Pennsylvania Pier.
13—Essex, near English St.
14—Phillips Wharf.
15—Derby cor. Bentley St.
16—Allen cor. Webb St.
17—Derby cor. Becket St.
18—Police Station.
19—Charter cor. Elm St.
21—Derby cor. Central St.
23—Derby cor. Union St.
24—Essex opp. No. 67.
25—Spring cor. Webb St.
26—Briggs cor. Washington Sq.
27—Bridge cor. March St.
28—Bridge, near Beacon St.
29—Salem Jail.
31—Salem Hospital.
32—Bridge cor. Northey St.
34—West Yard.
35—St. Peter, opp. Church St.
36—Bridge, opp. Ash St.
37—Franklin Building.
38—Essex cor. Central St.
39—Washington, near Federal St.
42—Mill, opp. High St.
43—City Hall.
45—Jefferson Ave. and Winthrop st.
47—Endicott and Summer St.
49—Flint cor. Broad St.
51—Highland Ave.
52—Highland Ave., opp. Jackson St.
53—Essex St. opp. Public Library.
54—Chestnut, cor. Pickering St.
56—Broad cor. Summer St.
57—Essex cor. North St.
58—Essex cor. Boston St.</p> | <p>59—Federal cor. Flint St.
61—Bridge cor. North St.
62—Boston cor. Beaver St.
63—Bridge near Carpenter Sts.
64—Bridge cor. Goodhue St.
65—Nichols, cor. Prospect Sts.
66—Federal, cor. Beckford Sts.
67—Boston St., near Prospect Ave.
68—Rawlins, near Prospect St.
69—Bow and Logan Sts.
71—Poor's Tannery, Ocean Ave.
72—Salem, cor. Harbor St.
73—Naumkeag Mills.
74—Lafayette, opp. Gardner St.
75—Lafayette, cor. Ocean Ave.
76—Lafayette, cor. Laurel St.
78—Leach, cor. Summit Ave.
79—Roslyn, cor. Cabot St.
81—Barr, cor. Harmony St.
82—Mason cor. Friend St.
83—Cabot Farm.
84—Mason, cor. Grove St.
85—Mason, cor. Myrtle St.
86—Tremont, cor. School St.
87—Dearborn, near Walter St.
89—Hose House on North St.
92—North, cor. Franklin St.
93—Kernwood.
94—North, cor. Nursery St.
95—Chandler, cor. Symonds St.
122—Lafayette, cor. Loring Ave.
123—Castle Hill district.
124—Electric Light Station.
125—Washington, opp. Dodge St.
126—Palmer, cor. Pingree St.
127—Salem and Everett Sts.
128—Washington cor. Lafayette St.
134—Lafayette St. opp. No. 214.
136—Loring Farm.</p> |
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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 7.55 A. M. indicate "no school" in the forenoon 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.

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 street 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.

U. S. AND FOREIGN POSTAGE STAMPS, **WM. S. LEE & CO., SALEM.**
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**REGULATIONS FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES
IN THE CITY OF SALEM**

Adopted January 31, 1881, by Board of 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.

SECTION 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 Lafayette street and Lynn Road, the Glue Works on Highland Avenue, Prospect, Varney, Rawlins, Watson, Grove, Mason, Myrtle, School and Northend streets, Liberty, Hill Road, Appleton and Orne streets, and Beverly Bridge, or vice versa; thirty-five cents each.

SECTION 3. For one or more adult passengers from one extreme to another extreme, of the limits described in the second section, fifty cents each.

SECTION 4. From Washington street to the depots, or any place in the city east of Washington street, and between North and South Rivers to the Willows, Juniper or Winter Island, or vice versa, for one adult passenger, seventy-five cents; or two adult passengers,

fifty cents each; for 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.

SECTION 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.

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

SECTION 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.

SECTION 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.

SECTION 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.

SECTION 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.

SECTION 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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CENSUS OF MASSACHUSETTS, 1890.

Total, - - 2,238,943.

BARNSTABLE Co.29,172	DUKES Co.4,369	HAMPDEN Co. 135,713	Hudson4,670
Barnstable.....4,023	Chilmark.....353	Agawam.....2,352	Lexington.....3,197
Bourne.....1,442	Cottage City.....1,080	Blandford.....871	Lincoln.....987
Brewster.....1,003	Edgartown.....1,156	Brimfield.....1,096	Littleton.....1,025
Chatham.....1,954	Gay Head.....139	Chester.....1,295	Lowell.....7,696
Dennis.....2,899	Gosnold.....135	Chicopee.....14,050	Malden.....5,031
Eastham.....602	Tisbury.....1,506	Granville.....1,061	Maldenborough.....13,805
Falmouth.....2,567		Hampden.....351	Maynard.....2,700
Harwich.....2,734	ESSEX Co.299,995	Holland.....201	Medford.....11,079
Mashpee.....298	Amesbury.....9,798	Holyoke.....35,637	Melrose.....8,519
Orleans.....1,219	Andover.....6,142	Long Meadow.....2,183	Newton.....24,379
Provincetown.....4,642	Beverly.....10,821	Ludlow.....1,939	N. Reading.....874
Sandwich.....1,819	Boxford.....865	Monson.....3,650	Pepperell.....3,127
Truro.....919	Bradford.....3,720	Montgomery.....266	Reading.....4,088
Wellfleet.....1,291	Danvers.....7,454	Palmer.....6,520	Sherborn.....1,381
Yarmouth.....1,760	Essex.....1,713	Russell.....879	Shirley.....1,119
	Georgetown.....2,117	Southwick.....914	Somerville.....40,152
BERKSHIRE Co.81,108	Gloucester.....24,651	Springfield.....44,179	Stoneham.....6,155
Adams.....9,213	Groveland.....2,191	Tolland.....393	Stow.....903
Alford.....297	Hamilton.....961	Wales.....700	Sudbury.....1,197
Becket.....946	Haverhill.....27,412	Westfield.....9,805	Tewksbury.....2,515
Cheshire.....1,308	Ipswich.....4,439	W. Springfield.....5,077	Townsend.....1,750
Clarksburg.....884	Lawrence.....44,654	Wilbraham.....1,814	Tyngsboro.....662
Dalton.....2,885	Lynn.....55,727		Wakefield.....6,982
Egremont.....845	Lynnfield.....787	HAMPSHIRE Co. 51,859	Waltham.....18,707
Florida.....436	Manchester.....1,789	Amherst.....4,512	Watertown.....7,073
Gt. Barrington.....4,612	Marblehead.....8,202	Belchertown.....2,120	Wayland.....2,060
Hancock.....506	Merrimac.....2,633	Chesterfield.....608	Westford.....2,250
Hinsdale.....1,739	Methuen.....4,814	Cummington.....787	Weston.....1,664
Lanesborough.....1,018	Middleton.....924	Easthampton.....4,395	Wilmington.....1,213
Lee.....3,785	Nahant.....880	Enfield.....952	Winchester.....4,819
Lenox.....2,889	Newbury.....1,427	Goshen.....297	Woburn.....13,469
Monterey.....495	Newburyport.....13,947	Granby.....765	NANTUCKET Co. 3,268
Mt. Washington.....148	N. Andover.....3,742	Greenwich.....526	Nantucket.....3,268
New Ashford.....125	Peabody.....10,158	Hadley.....1,669	
New Marlboro.....1,305	Rockport.....4,087	Hatfield.....1,246	NORFOLK Co. 118,950
North Adams.....16,074	Rowley.....1,248	Huntington.....1,385	Avon.....1,384
Otis.....583	Salem.....30,801	Middlefield.....455	Bellingham.....1,334
Peru.....305	Salisbury.....1,316	Northampton.....14,990	Braintree.....4,848
Pittsfield.....17,281	Saugus.....3,673	Pelham.....486	Brookline.....12,103
Richmond.....796	Swampscott.....3,198	Plainfield.....435	Canton.....4,538
Sandisfield.....807	Topsfield.....1,022	Prescott.....376	Cohasset.....2,448
Savoy.....569	Wenham.....886	South Hadley.....4,261	Dedham.....7,123
Sheffield.....1,954	W. Newbury.....1,796	Southampton.....1,017	Dover.....727
Stockbridge.....2,132		Ware.....7,329	Foxboro.....2,933
Tyringham.....412	FRANKLIN Co. 38,610	Westhampton.....477	Franklin.....4,831
Washington.....434	Ashfield.....1,025	Williamsburg.....2,057	Holbrook.....3,474
W. Stockb'ge.....1,492	Bernardston.....770	Worthington.....714	Hyde Park.....10,193
Williamstown.....4,221	Buckland.....1,570		Medfield.....1,493
Windsor.....612	Charlemont.....972	MIDDLESEX Co. 431,167	Medway.....2,985
	Colerain.....1,671	Acton.....1,897	Millis.....786
BRISTOL Co.186,465	Conway.....1,451	Arlington.....5,629	Milton.....4,278
Acushnet.....1,027	Deerfield.....2,910	Ashby.....825	Needham.....3,035
Attleboro.....7,577	Erving.....972	Ashland.....2,532	Norfolk.....913
Berkley.....894	Gill.....960	Ayer.....2,148	Norwood.....3,733
Dartmouth.....3,122	Greenfield.....5,252	Bedford.....1,092	Quincy.....16,723
Dighton.....1,889	Hawley.....515	Belmont.....2,098	Randolph.....3,946
Easton.....4,493	Heath.....503	Billerica.....2,380	Sharon.....1,634
Fairhaven.....2,919	Leverett.....702	Boxborough.....325	Stoughton.....4,852
Fall River.....74,398	Leyden.....407	Cambridge.....70,028	Walpole.....2,604
Freetown.....1,417	Monroe.....282	Carlisle.....481	Wellesley.....3,600
Mansfield.....3,432	Montague.....6,296	Chelmsford.....2,695	Weymouth.....10,866
New Bedford.....40,733	New Salem.....856	Concord.....4,427	Wrentham.....2,566
No. Attleboro.....6,727	Northfield.....1,869	Dracut.....1,996	
Norton.....1,785	Orange.....4,568	Dunstable.....416	PLYMOUTH Co. 92,700
Raynham.....1,340	Rowe.....541	Everett.....11,068	Abington.....4,260
Rehoboth.....1,786	Shelburne.....1,553	Framingham.....9,239	Bridgewater.....4,244
Seekonk.....1,317	Shutesbury.....453	Groton.....2,057	Brockton.....27,299
Somerset.....2,106	Sunderland.....663	Holliston.....2,619	Carver.....994
Swansea.....1,456	Warwick.....565	Hopkinton.....4,088	
Taunton.....25,448	Wendell.....505		
Westport.....2,599	Whately.....779		

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CENSUS.

CENSUS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Duxbury.....1,908	SUFFOLK Co.....484,780	Fitchburg.....22,037	Phillipston.....502
E. Bridgewater...2,911	Boston.....448,477	Gardner.....8,424	Princeton.....982
Halifax.....562	Chelsea.....27,909	Grafton.....5,002	Royalston.....1,030
Hanover.....2,093	Revere.....5,668	Hardwick.....2,922	Rutland.....980
Hanson.....1,267	Winthrop.....2,726	Harvard.....1,095	Shrewsbury.....1,449
Hingham.....4,564	Worcester Co..280,787	Holden.....2,623	Southborough...2,114
Hull.....989	Ashburnham.....2,074	Hopedale.....1,176	Southbridge.....7,655
Kingston.....1,659	Athol.....6,319	Hubbardston...1,346	Spencer.....3,747
Lakeville.....935	Auburn.....1,532	Lancaster.....2,201	Sterling.....1,244
Marion.....871	Barre.....2,239	Leicester.....3,120	Sturbridge.....2,074
Marshfield.....1,713	Berlin.....884	Leominster.....7,289	Sutton.....3,180
Mattapoisett...1,148	Blackstone.....6,138	Lunenburg.....1,146	Templeton.....2,999
Middleboro.....6,065	Bolton.....827	Mendon.....919	Upton.....1,878
Norwell.....1,635	Boylston.....770	Milford.....8,780	Uxbridge.....3,408
Peabody.....7,314	Brookfield.....3,352	Millbury.....4,428	Warren.....4,651
Plymouth.....7,597	Charlton.....1,847	New Braintree..573	Webster.....7,031
Plympton.....597	Clinton.....10,424	Northborough..1,952	Westborough...5,195
Rochester.....1,021	Dana.....700	Northbridge...4,603	W. Boylston...3,019
Rockland.....5,213	Douglas.....1,908	N. Brookfield..3,871	W. Brookfield..1,592
Seaford.....2,318	Dudley.....2,944	Oakham.....738	Westminster...1,688
Wareham.....3,451	Fitchburg.....22,037	Oxford.....2,616	Winchendon...4,390
W. Bridgewater..1,917	Gardner.....8,424	Paxton.....445	Worcester.....84,655
Whitman.....4,441	Hanover.....2,093	Petersham.....1,050	

SALEM NICKNAMES. From the Salem News.

Salem is unusually prolific in local nomenclature. There is hardly a lane or alley, hill or hollow, which has not borne some nickname more or less appropriate at some period of its history. In this age of directories such names become lost, giving place to the recognized title.

All down town, below Pleasant street, was formerly known as Wapping, so named from Wapping in London.

North Salem was christened Pigeonville, and many still call it North Fields, a later title.

Castletonville now nicknamed Nauvoo, was a locality where Winthrop and Endicott streets now are. A man named Joe Smith built a house there about the same time that Joe Smith the Mormon settled Nauvoo.

Roast meat hill applied to the rising ground back of High street.

Knocker's hole was in the vicinity of Mill and Margin streets. There was a shipyard there in the last century.

Button hole was near the jail, and the Button hole toughs used to have fights with the Knockers' hole gang.

Vinegar hill was on Broad street.

Circus lane is now Hathorne street, the fields out that way being let years ago for circus performances.

Liberty hill is in North Salem, off Appleton street. There was a little picnic ground there years ago, and quite a story could be written of its history.

Buffum's corner was at the junction of Boston and Essex streets named after a Buffum who kept store there about 150 years ago.

Neck gate denoted the end of Derby street.

Blubber hollow was from Federal to Goodhue street; also known as Town bridge.

Johnny Cake hill stood between Blubber hollow and the big tree on Boston street.

Carletonville is a section of North Salem on Mason street.

From the big tree to the Peabody burying ground was called Trask's plain.

The Nubble was a locality near the Peabody burying ground.

Goose lane ran from Federal to Fowler street.

Lovers' lane was off Tremont street.

Plank alley was a part of Elm street between Charter and Essex.

Baptist hill, in the rear of Federal street, named from the First Baptist church, now called Odell square. They used to baptize in a pond near by.

Gallows hill, in the rear of Boston street, the scene of the witchcraft executions of 1692 is too well known to require anything beyond mere mention. As also the town pastures and Castle hill, which still hold their names.

Creek street is so named because it is built over what was a creek, but is now culverted over.

School house lane was the early name given Washington street, afterwards Court street.

"Nahum Keike," or Naumkeag, was the original Indian name for North river.

Federal street was so named in 1766, as an indication of the united feeling in favor of something better than an eight-foot way along the North River. The portion from Washington to North was previously called Marlborough street, and the eastern portion County street.

Old Paved street was the name of Essex between Washington and North for many years, it being paved about 1773. King street and Main street are also names which have been applied to Essex street.

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HOLIDAYS AND WARD BOUNDARIES.

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LEGAL HOLIDAYS.

Washington's Birthday, February 22d; Patriot's Day, April 19th; Memorial Day, May 30th; Independence Day, July 4th; Labor Day, first Monday in September; Thanksgiving Day; Christmas Day. When the 22d of February, the 19th of April, the 30th of May, the 4th of July, or Christmas Day, fall upon Sunday, the following Monday is a legal holiday.

All promissory notes, checks, drafts or bills of exchange which fall due on Sunday or any legal holiday shall be payable and presentable for payment on the secular or business day next succeeding such Sunday or holiday. [Chap. 333, Acts of 1894.]

WARD BOUNDARIES.

WARD 1. All that portion of the city lying east of Washington street, and between Essex street and the South River; also, Salem Neck, and the islands.

WARD 2. All that portion of the city lying east of Washington street, and between Essex street and the North River.

WARD 3. All that portion of the city lying west of Washington street, south and east of Essex street and Highland avenue, and west of the B. & M. railroad main line.

WARD 4. All that portion of the city lying west of Washington street, north and west of Essex street and Highland avenue, and south and west of North River and the new canal.

WARD 5. All that portion of the city lying south of South River, and east of the B. & M. railroad main line, including South Salem.

WARD 6. All that portion of the city lying north of North River and the new canal, including North Salem.

**POPULATION OF SALEM AND SURROUNDING PLACES
FROM 1776 TO 1890.**

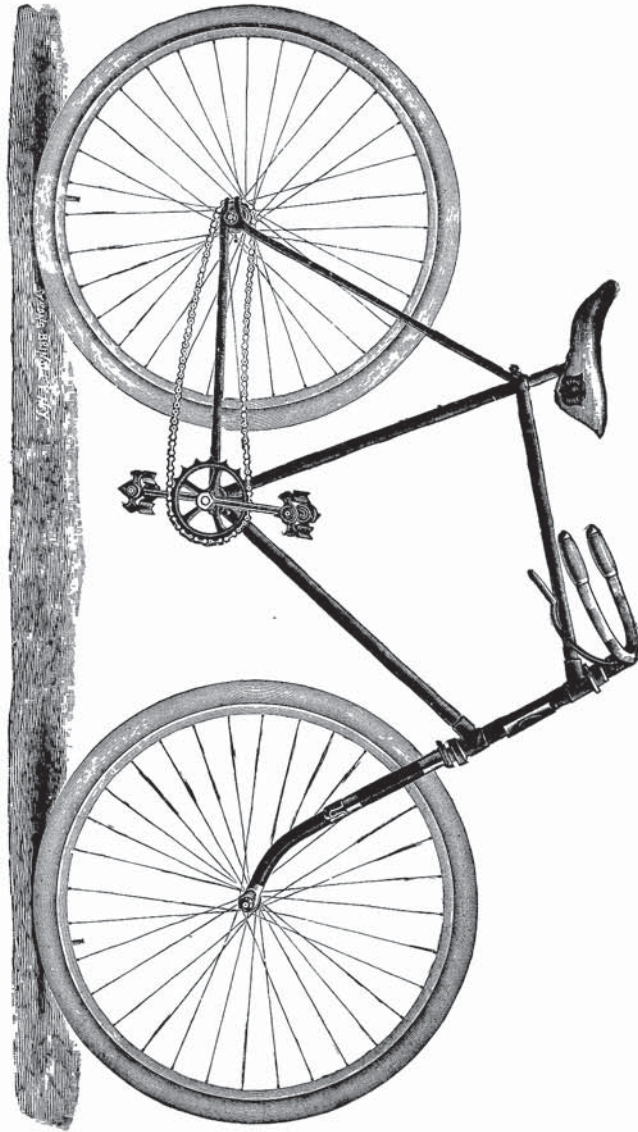
Census.	Salem Inc. 1629.	Beverly Inc. 1668.	Danvers Inc. 1752.	Marbleh'd Inc. 1649.	Peabody Inc. 1855.	Wenham Inc. 1643.	Total
1776 . .	5,337	2,754	2,284	4,386		638	15,399
1790 . .	7,921	3,290	2,425	5,661		502	19,799
1800 . .	9,457	3,881	2,643	5,211		476	21,668
1810 . .	12,613	4,608	3,127	5,900		554	26,802
1820 . .	12,731	4,283	3,646	5,630		572	26,862
1830 . .	13,895	4,073	4,228	5,149		611	27,956
1840 . .	15,082	4,689	5,020	5,575		689	31,055
1850 . .	20,264	5,376	8,109	6,167		977	40,893
1855 . .	20,934	5,944	4,000	6,928	5,348	1,073	44,227
1860 . .	22,252	6,154	5,110	7,646	6,549	1,105	48,816
1865 . .	21,189	5,942	5,144	7,308	6,051	918	46,552
1870 . .	24,117	6,507	5,600	7,703	7,343	985	52,255
1875 . .	25,958	7,271	6,024	7,677	8,066	911	55,907
1880 . .	27,563	8,456	6,598	7,467	9,028	889	60,001
1885 . .	28,090	9,186	7,061	7,517	9,530	871	62,255
1890 . .	30,801	10,821	7,454	8,202	10,158	886	68,322

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HISTORICAL AND INTERESTING EVENTS.

SALEM.

1626 TO 1894.

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| <p>1626.
Salem, then called Naumkeag, first settled by Roger Conant, John Woodbury, John Balch, Peter Palfrey, and others.</p> <p>1628.
Sept. 6. Arrival of Capt. John Endicott with a company of about one hundred.</p> <p>1629.
It was the rule of every inhabitant of the plantation to cease from labor at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and make preparations for the Sabbath.
Darby Fort erected at Naugus Head.
April 30. Captain Endicott appointed Governor of the Plantation.
June 29. Arrival of Rev. Francis Higginson, Rev. Samuel Skelton and a company of about three hundred and eighty.
August 6. A church is established, the first organized Congregational Church in the country.</p> <p>1630.
June 12. Arrival of Gov. John Winthrop with the charter.
August. Lady Arabella Johnson, a daughter of the Earl of Lincoln, died here.
August 6. Rev. Mr. Higginson died, aged 43.</p> <p>1631.
Roger Williams came to Salem from Boston.</p> <p>August. Indian alarm.</p> <p>1634.
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 theire goates there at other tymes, but bring them to the (hill?) that grasse may grow against the Lords dayes."</p> <p>1635.
The township of Salem at this time included Salem, Beverly, Danvers, Manchester, Marblehead, Middleton, Pea-</p> | <p>body, and a part of Topsfield, Wenham and Lynn.
Oct. 6. Arrival of Hugh Peters.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>1637.
June 1. Severe earthquake.
Sept. 25. Ferry to Naugus Head from Turner's lane; abandoned about 1785.</p> <p>1638.
Glass works were erected off Boston st. previous to this year; probably the first in New England.</p> <p>1639.
First record of tanning business. Philemon Dickinson is granted land "to make tan-pits and to dress goatskins 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."</p> <p>1641.
First free school in Salem.</p> <p>1643.
May 10. Wenham set off and incorporated.</p> <p>1644.
25th of 1st mo. "It is ordered that every inhabitant in the towne shall procure a ladder for his house, before the xxiiijth 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."</p> <p>1645.
Way laid out to Winter Island.
May 14. Manchester set off and incorporated.</p> |
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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 River, 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 hereof receive or take in any forayner 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.)
- Dec. 19. Capt. Joseph Gardner and six others killed at the Narragansett swamp fight.
1677.
 First Court house built.
1680.
 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.
- 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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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

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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 New Hampshire 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 the 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 Samue

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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.
 Jan. 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 street 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. Barque "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, searing the leaves of all trees within its touch.
- 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, etc.
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 Munroe 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. Salem 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 street 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. Roge's & 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 flagstaff 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. 18. Essex Historical Society celebrated the bi-centennial anniversary of the landing of Endicott.
1829.
 Jan. 29. Col. Timothy Pickering died.
 March 5. Loss of ship Persia and crew near Eastern point.
 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 in North river by sinking of boat.
 June 23. Police court established.
 July 8. Town voted to remove town 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 years, 185 days.
- 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.
- May 11. School Committee first elected by the city council in convention.
- June 22. North church, built of stone, off Essex st., dedicated. Cost, \$32,509.
- Aug. 3. Clock on North church ordered by city to be removed to South church.
- 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.
- Oct. 3. Report of census ordered taken by city.
- Dec. 5. City voted to sell engine house, No. 8 and erect new one.
- 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.
- Feb. 20. City accepted Act concerning Wards; Common Council; Health Com- mrs.; and organization of Government.
- 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.
- May 19. City appropriated \$15,000, to purchase estate of Josiah Orne in Court- st., and erect City Hall afterwards in- creased to \$17,000.
- June. First permanent military band or- ganized.
- Aug. 21. City ordered new engine for Company No. 5, and the sale of engines "Exchange" and "Essex."
- Aug. 31. Brewery and malt house on May street totally consumed.
- Oct. 30. Indian chiefs invited to Salem.
- 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.
- Jan. 15. City Council approved writing master for schools.
- March 5. City appropriated \$4,190.13 to complete City Hall.
- 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 \$22,878.69; paid from surplus revenue of the U. S.
- July 4. Celebration of the day. First balloon ascension in Salem. First ap- pearance 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.

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- Nov. 26. Resignation of L. Saltonstall, mayor.
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.
- March 15. City council authorized city treasurer to receive from Oliver M. Whipple of Lowell \$152.83 in full for unexpired portion of lease of upland and flats at Palmer's Head, Winter island, which lease was granted Richard Derby for 1000 years from March 1, 1756, at one shilling per year.
- March 23. Act accepted authorizing laying of drains and sewers.
- 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 25. City authorized purchase of land to be given County for new Court House; the county to relinquish all right in old Registry of Deeds Bldg.
- May 27. Visit of First Corps Cadets, Boston.
- June 15. City assented to opening of streets by Salem & So. Danvers Aqueduct Co., and regulated same.
- June 24. City appropriated \$1,100 for enlarging West school house.
- July 20. Brass Foundry of J. Waters & Son, near North bridge, burned.
- 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.
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 Suttou'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 North 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 North 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.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

- 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; \$1713 collected.
- Dec. 6. Anti-slavery 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 South Danvers.
- Feb. \$3,438.97 contributed for the destitute in Ireland.
- 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 end 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 "LaGrange" 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.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

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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. Crowinshield, 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.
- 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 street 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 street Methodist church laid; dedicated Jan. 6, 1853.
- May 24. Fowler street school house dedicated.

- June. Choate block on Essex street 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 street for Normal school.

1853.

- Feb. 2. Saugus Branch railroad opened.
- March 8. Large mansion house near Orne's Point totally burned.
- March 21. Street names changed and renumbered; Federal, Mariboro 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 street; loss \$3,000.
- 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. North 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 street commenced.
- Nov. 16. Nonantum Hall dedicated.

1854.

- Asiatic Bank building constructed.
- Feb. 2. Fire destroyed patent leather factory of C. P. Gould, and currying shop of James Sanborn in North 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.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

- 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.
- 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, \$8,000.
- 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, \$8,500.
- Jan. 10. Fall of Pemberton Mills at Lawrence.
- March 6. 1500 shoemakers (strikers) of Lynn, march to Salem, So. Danvers and return.

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- 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 State Normal School.
- April 12. Fort Sumter 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 enlisting for the war. [Other appropriations subsequently made.]
- April 20. Salem Mechanic Light Infantry, Capt. Geo. 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, 2d Regiment, Capt. William Cogswell, left Salem to join the regiment.
- July 22. Essex Cadets (company raised by A. Parker Brown), Captain 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 (Captain 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, Captain 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; regiment 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.
- Nov. 27. Fire destroyed Pickering's school house, corner North and Dearborn streets.
- Dec. 3. Old Ladies' Home opened.
- Dec. 9. Capt. John Daland's and Capt. George F. Austin's companies left the State for the front; both were in the 24th regiment, Col. Stevenson; Gilmore's band accompanied the Regiment.
- Dec. 10. Salem Light Infantry, under Captain Chas. U. Devereux, left for the seat of war.
- 1862.
- Jan. 3. Captain J. F. Devereux's company left Salem to join the 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. Vols.
- March 27. Fire at C. H. & J. Price's store, loss \$20,000.
- May 26. Second Company of Cadets, Major 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.

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- Aug. 22. Capt. S. C. Oliver's company in 35th Regt. left the State.
- Sept. 8. 40th Regiment, 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 Regiment, Captain 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 Fort 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.
- 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 Wm. 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. Pierson, 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 front of Petersburg.
- Sept. 22. Salem Freedmen's Aid Society formed; president, Alpheus Crosby.
- Oct. 5. Steam fire engine No. 3 received.
- 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.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

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- 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 \$140,000 for the promotion of science, etc., to be used under auspices of Essex Institute.
 March 2. Peabody Academy of Science organized.
 April 2. Act annexing part of Salem to Swampscott.
 May 6. Board of Engineers voted to discontinue sail carriages and sails as part of fire department.
 June 1. Act passed for reorganizing fire department.
 June 28. Howard st. church sold.
 July 30. Great auction sale of lots on Derby estate. Second sale Sept. 16, 1868.
 Sept. 3. Second Brigade, Gen. Peirson, march from Salem Common to Swampscott and encamp five days.
 Sept. 26. Fire in Naumkeag block, corner of Essex and Central streets; 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 \$6300 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.
 Jan. Velocipede mania.
 Jan. 13. Fire destroyed barn of Horace C. Ware and forty head of cattle.
 Feb. 1. First public performance of Salem Oratorio Society, "Haydn's Creation."
 Feb. 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.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

- 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' orchestra.
 May 1. Last entry from Zanzibar; barque "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.
 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; addressed 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 church 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 street.
 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 Richard 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 summer residences from Marblehead Neck to Juniper point.
 Aug. 5. Lowell Island house, etc., sold at auction for \$73,000.
 Sept. Seamen's Bethel on Herbert st. sold to French Catholics.
 Sept. 11. Washington st. extension open to travel.
 Oct. 1. Fire at Anderson & Reynold's shoe factory.

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- 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 Bradlaugh, of England.
 Jan. 20. Fire destroyed currying shop of Driscoll & Looney on Mason st.
 Feb. 26. Centennial anniversary of Leslie's Retreat at North Bridge, Salem, noticed by the city authorities; addresses by the Mayor, Hon. G. B. Loring and Rev. E. B. Willson.
 March 11. First Art Exhibition by the 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, 7th 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.
 July 22. Revere Beach railroad opened.
 Aug. 26. City Council appropriated \$16,000 for extending City Hall.
 Sept. Allen farm at the Neck sold to D. B. Gardner.
 Oct. 20. New orphan asylum on Lafayette street dedicated.
 Dec. 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 new avenue to the Neck and widen East Webb street.
 June. Contributions of \$4335 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.

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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' factory at head of Essex street during violent storm.
 Oct. 24. Dedication of new Orphans' Home on Carpenter street.
 Oct. 24. Death of Gen. George H. Devereaux, 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, Messrs. Rowell, Pifield and Pinkham, drowned in the harbor.
 June 24. Celebration of 100th anniversary of Essex Lodge, F. & A. M.
 July 16. Severe thunder storm; excursion of "Wm. Chase" steam fire engine company.
 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.

March 14. Arrived from Calcutta barque Chalmette, Capt. B. W. Chadbourne, with jute butts to Nevins Bagging Co. The first arrival at this port from Calcutta since Dec. 20, 1842.

March 15. City Council appropriated \$30,000 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 22. Fire destroyed tannery of N. R. Treadwell; loss \$50,000.

July 9. Nathaniel Silsbee, fifth mayor of Salem, died at Milton, aged 76.

Sept. 6. Yellow day.

Sept. 19. Death of President James A. Garfield; funeral Sept. 26; business suspended.

Dec. 20. The electric lights were satisfactorily lighted by the Salem Electric Light Co., for the first time, and burned with great brilliancy.

1882.

Cate's block constructed.

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- 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, about \$120,000 to Salem Hospital, and \$60,000 to Old Ladies' Home.
- April 7. Eastern Railroad depot burned.
- April 23. Fire destroyed great quantities of jute at Phillips Wharf.
- May 9. Fire destroyed Callahan's currying shop and Poor's tannery on Mason 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 28. Visit of Malagasy Embassy.
- June 1. Dedication of new convent building on Walnut street.
- 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 13. Death of Hon. Otis P. Lord.
- April 5. Arrival of Salvation Army.
- 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.
- Nov. 2. Gen. Wm. Cogswell first elected to Congress.
- Nov. 5. Dedication of soldiers' monument erected by Sons of Veterans at Greenlawn cemetery.
- Nov. 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," "Eliza 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.
- Feb. 19. Salem electric fire alarm put in operation.
- March 19. Last issue of Salem Evening Telegram.
- March 21. First issue of Salem Evening Times.
- March 25. Fire destroyed round house and four locomotives.
- April 16. Danvers Street Railway sold to Naumkeag Street Railway Co.
- April 23. First issue of Salem Public.
- April 25. City Government appropriated \$3300 for iron fence around Greenlawn Cemetery.
- May 30. Dedication of soldier's monument at Harmony Grove.
- June 11. Work on new court house commenced.
- June 14. Five fires, including Mack Bros.' currying shop, loss \$5000; Salem & So. Danvers Oil Works, loss \$15,000.
- June 20. Opening of new building of Essex Institute.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF SALEM.

- July 7. Leak in water main at Beverly bridge.
- July 9. Balloon ascension; landing in Newbury.
- July 29. Severe thunder storm from 5 to 7 P. M.
- July 30. Opening of new hotel at Baker's Island.
- Sept. 8. Boston & Maine R. R. granted permission to fill river at Forest river bridge.
- Sept. 12. Fire at R. Muhlig's tannery; loss \$4000.
- 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 temperance societies.
- Oct. 11. Boston & Lowell R. R. passed into the hands of B. & M. R. R.
- Oct. 25. Dedication of "Leslie monument" at North bridge.
- Dec. 5. Bertram estate donated to City of Salem for Public Library.
- 1888.
- Jan. 22 to 30. Severe cold weather; 10 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 Gratton Esmonde and Hon. John Stuart at Mechanic Hall.
- Feb. 2. Visit of Gen. Phil H. Sheridan.
- Feb. 6. Salem Times suspended publication.
- March 4. Fire in Newcomb block.
- March 11. Death of William P. Endicott, Esq.
- March 12. Severe snow storm; trains and mails blockaded for several days.
- April 2. First issue of new Salem Daily Telegram.
- April 16. First issue of Salem Daily Sun.
- May 13. Death of Rev. E. S. Atwood, aged 55 years.
- June 14. Fire destroyed Salem Lead Works; loss \$30,000.
- July 11. Death of Hon. George F. Choate, Judge of Probate, aged 66.
- Aug. 2. First electric cars to the Willows.
- Sept. 24. 100th anniversary of opening of Essex bridge celebrated.
- Nov. 1. Hose Cos. 1 and 3 disbanded.
- 1889.
- Jan. 4. Sudden death of Rev. Fielder Israel.
- Jan. 10. Remarkably warm and pleasant weather for previous two weeks.
- Jan. 31. Salvation Army finished labors in Salem.
- Feb. 2. Dedication of new court house; cost \$130,000.
- Feb. 28. Board of trade formed.
- Mch. 2. Salem Flambeaux and 8th Regt. M. V. M. depart for Washington.
- April 14. Five prisoners escaped from jail.
- April 17. Fire destroyed Carleton currying shop.
- April 25. Wesley church dedicated.
- April 29 to May 1. Celebration at New York of Gen. Washington's inauguration. Salem Cadets present.
- May 13. Flats in South River between Lafayette and Washington streets taken by vote of City Council.
- June 27. City Council appropriated \$5000 for steam road roller.
- June 28. New flagstaff erected on common.
- 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 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 Essex 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 disbanded.
- Dec. 17. Dedication of new Universalist chapel; cost \$18,500.
- Dec. 19. Salem Building Association organized; 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 express to Salem.
- Jan. 25. First issue of "Salem Witch."
- Jan. 29. Fire at Hamilton Hall.
- Feb. 13. Opening of Essex Riding Academy. [hail.]
- Feb. 18. Thunder storm with snow and hail.
- 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 purchase Peabody mansion.
- April 16. Work commenced on new water main.
- April 18. Draw of Lafayette st. bridge discontinued.
- May 22. New factories at Castle hill dedicated.
- May 29. First issue of "Salem Visitor."
- June 6. Severe thunder shower. Cotton store house on Union st. struck by lightning; loss \$16,000.

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- June 9. Naumkeag St. Ry. Co. sold to a syndicate.
 June 9. City Council appropriated \$60,000 for Canal st.
 June 20. Fire at store house of Naumkeag mills; loss \$16,000.
 June 26. Fire on Burnside st. destroying ice houses, etc.
 July 13. Dedication of new Marine Bethel on Turner st.
 July 28. Filling of mill pond commenced by B. & M. R. R.
 Aug. 4. Work begun on Canal st.
 Aug. 11. Reception to Gen. Alger.
 Aug. 21. Electric cars to the Willows.
 Sept. 17. Rev. J. W. Buckham installed at Crombie st. church.
 Sept. 23. Mass. Naval Battalion land at Willows and make sham attack on Fort Lee.
 Sep. 29. Removal of Second Corps Cadets to Peabody mansion.
 Oct. 5. Church of the Immaculate Conception consecrated.
 Oct. 6. New tariff law took effect.
 Oct. 7. First trip of new steamboat line to Boston.
 Oct. 10. First issue of Salem Daily Call.
 Oct. 13-16. Session of Minister's Institute (Unit.)
 Oct. 27. Excessive high tides.
 Nov. 3. Regular running of cars on Essex Elec. St. Ry.
 Nov. 19. Boiler explosion at Legg's hill; 2 killed and 4 injured.
 Dec. 4. Rev. George C. Cressey installed at First church.
 Dec. 8. Opening of Cadet fair; first use of new drill hall.
 Dec. 13. Murder of James W. Lane.
 Dec. 17. Fire in Kimball blk.; also, two dwellings of P. Collier near gas works.
 Dec. 26. Great snow storm.
 Dec. 27. Essex Electric St. Ry. Co. granted location to Willows.
- 1891.
- Jan. 7. New Advent church in North Salem dedicated.
 Jan. 11-12. Severe rain storm; barometer 28.8; lowest for years.
 Jan. 17. Severe storm, covering trees and wires with sleet.
 Feb. 14. Fire at P. Marrin's factory.
 Feb. 25. Hon. A. A. Low of Brooklyn donated \$10,000 additional for educational fund.
 Feb. 27. Fire destroyed building of W. J. Goldthwait, Lafayette st.
 March 2. Reception to Gov. Russell and officers of Mass. militia by Second Corps Cadets.
 March 4. Heavy snow storm; street railway travel interrupted for several days.
 March 4. U. S. Congress passed appropriation to settle French spoliation claims.
 March 24. First naturalization of a woman in Salem.
- March 31. City council abolished old water board and elected new one.
 May 12. City Council authorized removal of old wing of almshouse.
 May 12. City appropriated \$4000 for street watering; first time.
 May 13. Rev. S. B. Nobbs installed at Central Baptist church.
 May 14. Naumkeag Bank moved to First church building.
 May 18. W. S. Mowry first elected supt. of schools.
 June 9. Blessing of new bell on Immaculate Conception Church.
 June 18. H. W. Rogers, supt. of water works, resigned.
 June 24. Peabody bldg. commenced.
 July 6. J. W. Hart elected Lt. Col. of Cadets.
 July 7. Suspension of Salem Daily Call.
 July 11. Sisters of Notre Dame retire from St. Mary's parochial school after service of 36 years.
 Aug. 7. Fire at old Stimpson factory on Poston st. Victor Riviere burned to death.
 Aug. 30. Corner stone laid for new St. James church.
 Sept. 13. Death of Hon. George B. Loring.
 Sept. 18. Trial of Hopkins-Searles will case commenced.
 Nov. 10. W. H. Merrill appointed postmaster.
 Nov. 15. Total eclipse of moon.
 Nov. 18. Fire destroyed Saunders estate, Buffum st.
 Nov. 30. Essex Elec. St. Ry. Co. sold to Naumkeag.
 Dec. 3. Collision of two electric cars on Boston st.
 Dec. 14. Death of Hon. N. A. Horton.
- 1892.
- Jan. Prevalence of La Grippe.
 Jan. 3. Death of Col. George Peabody.
 Jan. 6. Snow storm and loss of U. S. rev. cutter Gallatin at Manchester.
 Jan. Marine railway on East Gardner street torn down; probably first erected in this country.
 Feb. 12. Attempt to change Common Council representation on Water Board.
 Feb. 13. Finest display of aurora in years.
 Feb. 23-24. Severe snow storm.
 March 2. Death of ex-Mayor Stephen G. Wheatland.
 March 8. Settlement of Searles' will case.
 March 16. Office of city electrician established.
 March 23. First issue of Salem News from Peabody building.
 April 26. Removal of Lowell depot on Bridge street commenced; use discontinued June 26th.
 April 28. Fire destroyed factory on Robertson ct.
 May 10. Concert by Gilmore's band.
 June 17. Severe thunder storms.

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- Aug. 5. Heavy thunder storm; one man killed.
 Aug. 13. Beverly & Danvers St. Ry. sold to Naumkeag.
 Aug. 28. Resignation of Rev. A. G. Rogers (Univ.)
 Sept. 7. Four girls accidentally shot.
 Sept. 24. Death of P. S. Gilmore, noted band leader.
 Sept. 28. Reunion of scholars of Pickering School.
 Sept. 29. Fall field day of Cadets; visit of City Clerks' Association.
 Oct. 5. Parade of A. O. U. W. of Salem, Waltham and Dorchester.
 Oct. 17. First issue of Salem Daily Gazette.
 Oct. 21. Columbus day celebrated.
 Nov. 10. First issue of "return postal cards" at Salem post office.
 Dec. 1. Electric cars to Danvers.
 Dec. 15. Dynamite explosion on Loring ave. two men killed.
 Dec. 17. A. A. Low of Brooklyn donated \$500 to public library.
 Dec. 18. Crombie st. church rededicated.
 Dec. 22. Fire in Fairfield's and Rushford's stores.
 Dec. 27. Fire at Devlin Bros.' factory.
 1893.
 Jan. 3. First issue of Columbian postage stamps.
 Jan. 14. Opening of new electric street railway to Lynn via Loring ave.
 Jan. 20. Electric street lights entirely supersede oil and gas
 Jan. 24. Fire in tannery on Mason st.
 Feb. 8. Lecture at Cadet hall by Lieut. R. E. Peary, Arctic explorer.
 Feb. 13. Five Cents Savings Bank removed to new Gardner block.
 Feb. 14. Dedication of new French parochial school house.
 Feb. 22. Severe snow storm.
 Feb. 25. First National Bank removed to Gardner block.
 Feb. 27. Death of Dr. Henry Wheatland, pres. of Essex Institute; 81 years.
 March 5. New St. James church opened in basement for worship.
 April 3. Fire on Flint st.
 April 13. Dickens carnival at Cadet hall.
 May 2. Aldermen refuse to grant liquor licenses to apothecaries.
 May 3. Geo. D. Latimer installed assistant pastor at North church.
 May. 11. Rev. Alfred Manchester installed at Barton sq. church.
 May 22. Salem Register suspended publication under old management.
 May 23. Fire at Poor's tannery; loss \$150,000.
 May 29. Salem Register re-issued in new form and by new firm.
 June 8. Death of James Dugan.
 June 29. Rev. C. H. Puffer installed at Universalist church.
 July 1. Post office ranked as first class.
 July 7. Read fund picnic at Willows.
 July 8. Barnum's circus.
 July 20. Dedication of rooms of Master Builders' Assoc.
 July 23. Severe squall; A. M. Liebsch and two others drowned.
 July 26. Severe thunder storm.
 July. Great financial and business depression began.
 Aug. 7. Severe thunder storm. Snow at Haverhill and Amesbury.
 Aug. 19. Shut down at Naumkeag mills.
 Aug. 21. Severe storm and damage to trees.
 Aug. 24. Severe storm. Firemen's muster at Centennial Grove.
 Sept. 4. Labor day. Parade of workingmen.
 Oct. 9. Opening of new (A. A. Low) school house on Nichols st.
 Oct. 10. Disappearance of H. C. Shapleigh.
 Oct. 12. Union parade of Cadets and Infantry.
 Oct. 18. Evening bicycle parade.
 Nov. 6. Wm. F. Cass appointed postmaster.
 Nov. 6. Essex Lodge I. O. O. F. dedicate new hall.
 Nov. 25. Wm. Boulanger shot by Fabien Vanier.
 Nov. 26. Death of Rev. John J. Gray.
 Nov. 27. Severe storm. Schooner lost off Swampscott with all hands.
 Nov. 29. Lynn & Boston R. R. power station on Mason street completed.
 Dec. 2. Embezzlement at Salem Savings Bank announced.
 Dec. 4. Fire at M. Hamburger's and G. A. Collins'.
 Dec. 5. New iron bridge on Union street opened for travel; cost \$20,000.
 Dec. 5. Heavy snow storm. Sch. Jefferson wrecked on Baker's island.
 Dec. 9. Fire at A. B. Russell's and Merrill & Mackintire's.
 Dec. 12. James H. Turner elected mayor.
 Dec. 13. Break in water main on Bridge near Williams st.
 Dec. 14. Corn festival opened at Cadet hall.
 1894.
 Jan. 20. Brilliant meteor.
 Jan. 25. Tug Montana lost off Baker's Island.
 Jan. 27. Heavy snow storm.
 Jan. 29. Wm. C. Waters appointed collector of port.
 Jan. 30. Severe storm.
 Feb. 13. Great snow storm.
 Feb. 24. Coldest day for years; 14 to 20 below zero.
 March 1. Defalcation of treas. of Salem Savings Bank announced.
 March 19. School committee vote to hold no session of schools on Saturdays.
 March 20. Tunnel blocked by freight cars.
 March 22. Fire at Ropes' house on Essex street.

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| <p>March 23. Death of James B. Curwen.
 March 28. Fire at Cath. cemetery.
 March 30. Brilliant aurora.
 March. Warmest March on record.
 April 1. Essex Mut. Fire Ins. Co. enlarged business.
 April 2. Brilliant meteor.
 April 8. Severe snow storm.
 April 19. First observance as "Patriot's Day"; new holiday.
 April 21. Dwight L. Moody, evangelist, began work.
 April 21. Mrs. G. W. Pepper of Peabody fatally injured at North st. crossing.
 April 24. Special election for councilman in Ward 6.
 April 25. Elmer Jeffs killed by electric car.
 May 5. May breakfast of Thought and Work Club and entertainment of Authors' Guild.
 May 7. Barn of A. Goodell, near Beverly bridge, burned.
 May 8. First issue of the Courier du Massachusetts.
 May 12. Arrival of ship Mindora for dockage.
 May 17. Dedication of Dickson Memorial Chapel at Greenlawn.
 May 26. Sudden death of Alderman A. J. Fabens at Bridgeport, Conn.</p> | <p>June 12. Arrington block sold for \$86,-350.
 June 17. Death of Hon. Caleb Foote at Mattapan.
 July 2. Clock on First Baptist Church first illuminated.
 July 7. Fires at Laboratory building and No. 9 Gardner st.
 July 25. Severe thunder storm; child killed in North Salem.
 Aug. 6-11. Cadets in camp.
 Aug. 19. Fire destroyed repair shops of B. & M. R. R.; loss \$40,000.
 Aug. 24. Steamer "City of Portsmouth" grounded on Aqua Vitæ ledge in Salem harbor and burned.
 Aug. 27. Child fell from window on Salem street (36 feet), and uninjured.
 Aug. 30. General meeting of citizens on water question.
 Sept. 2. Yellow day.
 Sept. 30. Death of Alderman F. W. Perkins at Washington.
 Oct. 8. Work began on dam at Longhaz meadow.
 Oct. 10. Loss of schooner Hero in Salem harbor.
 Oct. 11. Installation of Rev. H. M. Warren, Central Baptist Church.
 Oct. 25. First issue of L'Aigle.
 Nov. 5. Heavy snow storm.</p> |
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BEVERLY.

1668 TO 1894.

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| <p>1668.
 Oct. 14. Beverly set off from Salem and incorporated. Original name Bass River.
 1672.
 March 18. Bounds between Beverly and Manchester settled.
 1674.
 School house ordered to be built near meeting house; to be also used for watch house.
 1675.
 Forts ordered built by the town.
 Expedition against the Indians at Fort Narragansett. Sept. 18, Capt. Thomas Lothrop and six other citizens killed at Deerfield by the Indians.
 1676.
 Dec. 5. Town chose two constables.
 1677.
 May 12. Agreement with Samuel Hardie to teach school.</p> | <p>1681.
 Great excitement produced by claim of heirs of John Mason to all the land between Merrimac and Naumkeag rivers.
 1682.
 First parish meeting house, which was erected in 1656, sold, and new house erected.
 1683.
 Beverly became a port of entry.
 1684.
 Town voted to purchase land to enlarge common.
 1687.
 Town voted to impose fine of ten shillings on all future absentees from town meetings.
 1690.
 Expedition against Quebec; a company was raised in Beverly and sent under command of Capt. Wm. Rayment.
 Fort built for defence.</p> |
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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF BEVERLY.

- April 11. Andrew Elliot elected first town clerk.
1695.
- Road from first parish meeting house to Manchester laid out.
1698.
- Jan. 5. Ferry landing laid out.
1700.
- A grammar school was established.
- May 2. Severe storm of rain and hail, lasting three days.
- May 15. Death of Rev. John Hale.
1705.
- March 13. Training field or common deeded to the town.
1706.
- Standard weights and measures provided by the town.
1713.
- Land granted to erect school house at Farms.
- Oct. Second parish incorporated, and meeting house erected.
1715.
- First burial place in second parish opened.
- Dec. 28. Second church organized.
1727.
- Oct. 29. Severe earthquake.
1733.
- Bartlett street laid out.
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.
1750.
- "Browne Hall," a costly mansion, erected on Browne's hill.
1752.
- Rial Side united to Beverly.
1754.
- The number of slaves in town was 28.
- Measures taken for destruction of wolves.
- June 6. Act passed to prevent mischief being done by unruly dogs in Beverly.
1755.
- Nov. 18. Severe earthquake.
1767.
- Death of Col. Robert Hale.
- Powder house built on the common.
1769.
- Feb. 11. Harbor frozen to Baker's Island.
1770.
- June 27. First parish meeting house taken down and the third building erected; cost \$4,333.
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.
- Nov. 17. Town voted to excuse from jury duty, etc., men who would organize a fire company.
1775.
- Feb. 27. Town voted to establish a watch and to raise fifty-four minute men.
- April 19. One citizen killed and three wounded at battle of Lexington.
- Sept. 3. The "Hannah" of Beverly commissioned as the first privateer of the Revolution.
- Oct. Breastworks erected at Woodbury's Point and Paul's Head.
1777.
- July 7. Col. Ebenezer Francis of Beverly killed in engagement near Whitehall, N. Y.
- 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.
1779.
- Forty men from Beverly lost at sea this year.
1780.
- May 19. Dark day.
1781.
- Rev. Joseph Willard elected President of Harvard College, and continued until his death in 1804.
1783.
- French troops passed the night in second parish on their way to Portsmouth.
1788.
- First cotton mill in U. S. erected in this town, at junction of Cabot and Dodge streets.
- Land near the common purchased for burial purposes.
- Sept. 24. Beverly bridge opened for travel; cost \$16,000.
1789.
- Washington visited Beverly and inspected the cotton factory.
1790.
- Feb. 22. Barn of Richard Derby and 36 head of cattle burned.
1796.
- First town clock.
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.

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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 \$6,000 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.
Jan. 4. Annable's cabinet maker's shop [burned].
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's 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 \$9,387; 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

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- into town hall; opened for public purposes, Oct 26.
 May 20. Foster & Lovett's store on Foster's wharf burned.
 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.
 July 4. Union celebration by Sunday school children.
1843.
 Jan. Town history published by Rev. E. M. Stone.
 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.
 Nov. 21. New Baptist meeting house at Farms dedicated.
1846.
 Universalist church erected.
 June 7. First divine service of the Protestant Episcopal church.
 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.
 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.
 Jan. 23. Atlantic House totally burned, a large three story brick block; loss \$8,000.
 Feb. 21. Bass River Lodge, I. O. O. F. organized.
 May 15. Act incorporating proprietors of the Commons or Sheep pasture.
 May 15. Act for protection of the harbor.
 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.
 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.
 March 13. By-law against smoking in the streets repealed.
 Oct. 24. Schooner of 140 tons launched from wharf of R. & J. Pickett.
 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.
 Jan. 31. Eastern R. R. train thrown from track at No. Beverly.
 June 17. Death of Dr. Ingalls Kittredge; aged 86.
1857.
 Feb. 15. Fire at Eagle India Rubber factory; loss \$15,000.
 April 27. Part of Beverly annexed to Danvers.
1858.
 June 14. Death of Albert Thorndike.
 Oct. 24. Death of Robert Rantoul; aged 80.
1859.
 "Beverly Citizen" reestablished.
 Beverly Gas Light Co. incorporated.
1860.
 Apr. 27. Fire at the Kerosene Works.
 May. Town indicted a second time for not sustaining a high school.
 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.
 April 16. Beverly Light Infantry left for war; arrived home Aug. 1.
 July 18. Two barns, nine cows, etc., burned at Rial Side, owned by Henry Collins.
 Oct. 15. "Rantoul Guard," Capt. John W. Raymond, leave for camp at Lynnfield.
 Nov. 13. Fire at Kerosene Works.
1862.
 Jan. 26. Fire at buildings of R. & J. Pickett and J. S. Cushing.
 March 5. Rubber factory totally destroyed; loss \$70,000.
 July 10. Town voted to pay \$100 bounty to soldiers.
 Aug. Capt. C. L. Giddings' company left for camp at Lynnfield; left for seat of war Sept. 8.

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- Nov. 15. Fire destroyed J. & J. Wilson's ropewalk on Lothrop st.; loss \$4,000.
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. 23rd Regt., Capt. Raymond.
1865.
June. Completion of new Gothic church (St. Peter's); consecrated Sept. 4.
Aug. 4. Grand reception to returned heroes of the war.
Dec. 19. Fire at cabinet works of Wm. H. Allen; loss \$8,000.
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 37
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.

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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 car to northern junction of Cabot and Rantoul sts.

1884.

Jan. 9. Death of Lt. Col. Henry P. Woodbury; aged 48.

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.

Sept. 15. Beverly & Danvers street railway began regular trips to Dan. plains.

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Sept. 20. First issue of Beverly Chronicle.
 Sept. 23-24. Cattle show.
 Oct. 7. First trip of new steamboat line to Boston.
 Oct. 8. Arrival of two new hose wagons.
 Oct. 10. Parade of 8th Regt.
 Oct. 20. Fire destroyed barn of F. Haven.
 Nov. 29. Naumkeag St. Ry. Co. refused permit to erect poles and wires.
 Dec. 1. Schooner Daniel C. Marcy lost with all hands.
 Dec. 30. Town accepted Australian ballot law for election of town officers.

1891.

Jan. 8. Fire destroyed barn and stock of S. E. Glines.
 Jan. 27-31. D. L. Moody, revivalist, at Baptist church.
 Feb. 16. House of J. R. McNeal burned.
 March 18. Bev. Hist. Society organized.
 April 6. Town voted ten years' contract for 80 electric street lights.
 April 23. Body of C. M. Robes found in pastures at No. Beverly.
 June 1. New flag staff erected in depot square.
 June 7. Rev. Harold Marshall installed at Universalist church.
 June 11. Bell removed from Ave. M. E. church.
 June 22. Suicide of W. G. C. Shaw and attempted murder of three persons.
 June 22. Col. J. W. Raymond appointed probation officer.
 Aug. 28. Triplets born.
 Aug. 31. Property of Union Elec. Car Co. shipped from town.
 Aug. 31. Several small incendiary fires during previous week.
 Oct. 7. Enlargement of Beverly Times
 Nov. 1. Fire destroyed Allen's box factory, Woodbury's shoe factory, and several other buildings; loss \$150,000.
 Nov. 20. Dedication of new Armory of Beverly Light Infantry.
 Nov. 23. Town appropriated \$10,000 for 12 inch water main in burnt district.
 Nov. 24. Queen hotel destroyed by fire; loss \$75,000.
 Nov. 28. Selectmen vote in favor of trolley wires on Rantoul street.
 Dec. 8. Fire at Baker's grain store.
 Dec. 10. Fire in Stopford bldg. Rantoul street.
 Dec. 16. Will of Edward Burley filed; homestead given to Hist. Society.

1892.

Jan. 3. Resignation of Rev. Sherrod Soule, Dane st. church.
 Jan. 30. Fire destroyed Hinman's planing mill.
 Feb. 12. Birth of Indian papoose.
 March 25. Burning of Hotel "Massasoit" at Wenham lake.
 June 16. Rev. Wm. B. Geoghegan installed at Dane street church.
 July 10. Barn of W. W. Caldwell burned.

Aug. 11. Town voted to build sewer in Rantoul street.
 Aug. 17. R. R. accident at Paradise crossing; 1 killed, 8 injured.
 Oct. 6. Death of Col. Francis E. Porter.
 Dec. 22. J. Bowden, supt. of deaf mute school, killed by cars.

1893.

Jan. 1. Tug "White Fawn" burned.
 Jan. 30. Dedication of new shoe factory leased by Woodbury Bros., built in 38 days.
 Jan. 31. Town voted in favor of electric street cars; 706 to 182.
 Feb. 2. Fire at Beverly Times Office; loss \$4,900.
 Feb. 10. Selectmen granted permit for electric cars.
 Feb. 27. Death of Robert G. Bennett; 71 years.
 March 10. Fire destroyed school house at Cove.
 April 17. Death of Lucy Larcom, at Boston.
 April 24. Act passed authorizing town to lay sewers.
 April 24. Goodwin mansion at Farms burned; loss \$4000.
 June 2. Fire at Thissell's shoe factory.
 June 11. Fire at A. Gillis' house, No. Beverly.
 June 26. Fire at grocery of A. F. Place.
 June 27. Fire at Putnam & Pope's mill.
 July 10. Fire at Kenney's heel factory.
 Aug. 5. Town accepted new water act.
 Aug. 10. Arrival of Ex-Pres. Harrison.
 Aug. 14. First electric street cars.
 Sept. 3. Death of Col. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte.
 Sept. 7. Town voted in favor of city charter; 725 to 177.
 Sept. 10. Fire at Mrs. W. R. Gordon's house.
 Oct. 5. First issue of Bev. Daily Times.
 Oct. 6. Chas. L. Dodge elected Col. of 8th Reg't.
 Oct. 14. Town celebrated 225th anniversary.
 Oct. 28. Fire at morocco factory; Congress street.
 Dec. 1. Fire at Washington st. Chapel.
 Dec. 5. Town voted to refer city charter to annual meeting; 155 to 119.
 Dec. 14. Fire at dwelling of H. S. Bray.
 Dec. 21. Town voted to apply for city charter; 819 to 76.
 Dec. 31. Fire at Grey's planing mill; loss \$15,000.

1894

Feb. 14. Act passed authorizing town to fund water loan.
 March 22. Dedication of new Univ. church; cost with land \$23,000.
 March 23. Act creating city of Beverly signed by governor.
 March 27. Opening of white bazaar.
 March 31. Town accepted four new streets at Pleasant View, and appro-

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<p>riated \$5,000 for same; also, voted to issue sewer loan of \$100,000.</p> <p>April 5. Melinda Hughes, a child, fatally burned on beach.</p> <p>April 5. Burglary at Whitcomb & Carter's.</p> <p>May 1. Town accepted city charter; 479 to 58.</p> <p>May 1. Announcement of public bequests of Mrs. Anna B. Cross.</p> <p>May 13. Resignation of Rev. E. C. Butler.</p> <p>May 20. Fire at Collier block.</p>	<p>June 9. Fire at Lefavour's shoe factory; loss \$7,214.96.</p> <p>Aug. 3. Josiah Woodbury appointed postmaster. [Beverly]</p> <p>Aug. 30. Assault on S. A. Day at No.</p> <p>Sept. 27. Dedication of new Dane st. chapel. [meadow.]</p> <p>Oct. 8. Work begun on dam at Longham</p> <p>Oct. 12. Parade of Essex County Temperance Societies.</p> <p>Oct. 19. Firemen's Parade.</p> <p>Dec. 3. Fire destroyed M. E. Grey's store house, River st.</p>
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DANVERS.

1752 TO 1894.

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<p>1752.</p> <p>Jan. 25. Danvers set off from Salem, and incorporated; it included the Village and middle parishes of Salem.</p> <p>1757.</p> <p>June 9. Act passed conferring full powers of a town.</p> <p>1759.</p> <p>Sealer of Weights and Measures first chosen.</p> <p>1765</p> <p>Town voted to build school house on land belonging to Middle Parish.</p> <p>1770.</p> <p>May 28. People voted not to drink tea, and to endeavor to prevent its use.</p> <p>1771.</p> <p>April. Lightning killed a large number of horses and cattle.</p> <p>1772.</p> <p>July 14. Act regulating town meetings passed.</p> <p>July 14. Act passed subjecting inhabitants of Danvers Neck to the charge of maintaining certain bridges and highways.</p> <p>1774.</p> <p>Steeple built on west end of South Parish meeting house.</p> <p>June 5. Thomas Gage, royal governor of Mass. removed from Boston to the Collins house.</p> <p>July 21. Two companies of 64th Regiment Royal troops arrived and remained until Sept. 5th. when they returned to Boston.</p> <p>1775.</p> <p>Feb. 26. Col. Leslie at North Bridge, Salem; Capt. Samuel Eppes and company marched at once to the place.</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>Sept. 14. Col. Benedict Arnold on his way from Cambridge to Quebec encamped at Danvers.</p> <p>1785.</p> <p>April 11. North parish vote to build new meeting house of wood.</p> <p>1788.</p> <p>July 25. Death of Eliza Wharton.</p> <p>1795.</p> <p>Feb. 18. George Peabody born.</p> <p>1797.</p> <p>March 9. Salem & Danvers Aqueduct Co. incorporated.</p> <p>1800.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>1805.</p> <p>Sept. 24. North parish meeting house burned; a new house of brick was immediately built at cost of \$11,300.</p> <p>1811.</p> <p>Feb. 2. Great snow storm. lasting three days; drifts 15 feet high.</p> <p>1814.</p> <p>New bell purchased for South parish meeting house.</p> <p>Feb. Danvers Moral Society (first temperance society) organized.</p> <p>1816.</p> <p>Jan. 2. Death of Samuel Holten; aged 77.</p>
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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 Matthew 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 South Danvers.
Sept. 30. Cattle show at South 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 North Danvers.
Village Bank incorporated.
- Sept. 28. Cattle show at South Danvers.
Oct. 18. Lexington monument completed; cost about \$800.
1839.
July 4. Celebration of the day by processions, 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 street, 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.

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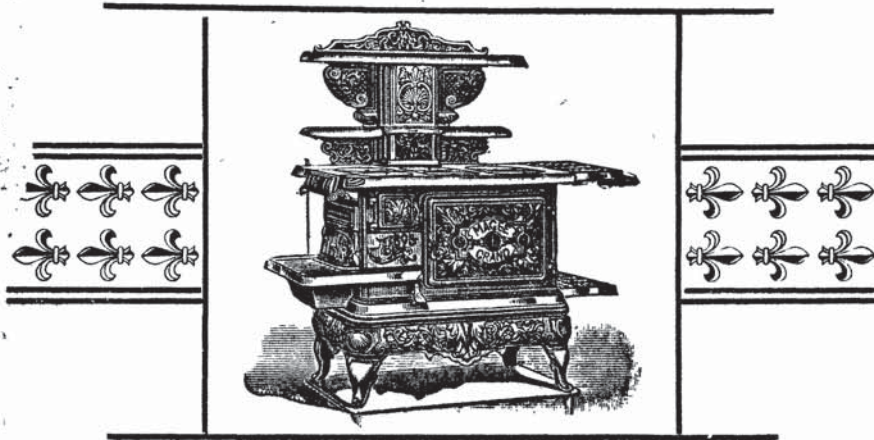
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- Sept. 6. Fire at New Mills destroyed Baptist church, vestry and dwelling.
 Nov. Very warm weather until Dec. 16th. Trees budded as in Spring.
 1848.
- March 15. Wild cat killed in vicinity of Hog Hill.
 Sept. 5. Essex railroad opened to Lawrence.
 Nov. 1. Fire destroyed shop of A. Wiley in South Danvers.
 1849.
- April 9. Fire destroyed slaughter-house, barn, etc., 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.
 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 \$7000, 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 \$6000.
 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. 23, 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.

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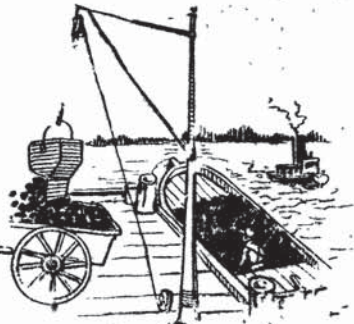
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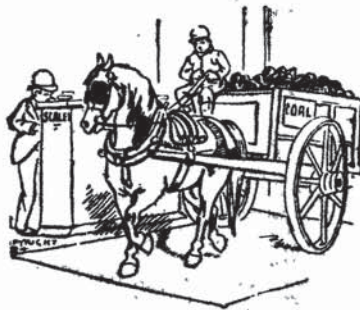
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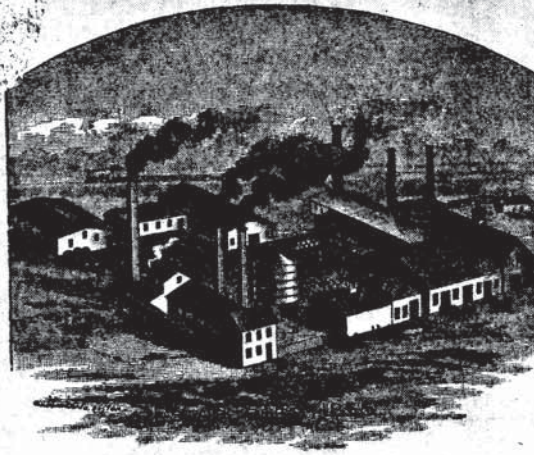
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- Nov. 6. Town lighted by gas for the first time.
1861.
- March. Town voted \$10,000 for relief of soldiers' families.
- Aug. 30. Company C, 17th Mass. Regt., Capt. N. P. Fuller, left Lynnfield for Washington.
1862.
- June 4. Burglary at store of George C. Cook, tailor; loss \$1200.
- 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 33d 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 \$6300.
- Dec. 3. New schoolhouse at Tapleyville 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 rededicated.
- March 27. Methodist Episcopal church, Tapleyville, 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 \$30,200.
- June 3. Arrival of new steam fire engine.
- 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.

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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 and 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.
 Sept. 15. Regular trips of Beverly & Danvers Street Railway to plains.
 Sept. 30. Death of Hon. Edwin Mudge.
 Dec. 16. Burglary at Eastern depot.
 Dec. 21. Burglary at G. H. Jacob's store.
1891.
 March 7. Enlargement of Danvers Mirror.
 March 9. Death of Capt. Geo. W. Kenney, postmaster.
 March 25. Co. K. 8th Regt. mustered in.
 April 1. Four alarms of fire.
 July 3. Burning of coal pockets at Beaver Brook.
 July 4. Celebration.
 July 14. Fire at Mrs. John Pike's house.
 Aug. 20. Sale of Spring estate to Xaverien Bros.
 Aug. 22. Mrs. E. Duncan burned to death from explosion of oil stove.
 Aug. 26. Dedication of Armory.
 Sept. 2. Dedication of new First church, Tapleyville.
 Sept. 29. Parade of 8th Regt.; several soldiers injured.
1892.
 Feb. 3. Farwell's shoe factory burned; loss \$60,000.
 Feb. 17. Meeting of Historical society commemorative of witchcraft delusion of 1692.
 March 29. Town seal adopted.
 Aug. 2. Fire destroyed D. Goodhue's house.
 Sept. 7. Death of John G. Whittier, poet, at Hampton Falls.
 Sept. 29. Arrival of new hook and ladder truck.
 Oct. 10. Parade of temperance societies.
 Oct. 19. New Peabody Institute dedicated.
 Dec. 1. Electric cars from Salem.
1893.
 Jan. 17. Fire at house on High st.
 April 13. Town appropriated \$12,000 for new school house at Port.
 April 14. Glover's shoe factory burned.
 May 23. Two sons of Rev. E. C. Ewing ordained to foreign missions.
 June 17. First electric cars to Asylum.
 July 5. House of John Swinerton burned.
 Oct. 18. First Baptist church, Danversport, celebrated century of existence.
 Oct. 30. Narrow escape from railroad collision at Asylum station.

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| <p>Nov. 10. Town appropriated \$1525 for widening Locust street.
 Nov. 25. Fire at M. Manning's house, Porter st.
 1894.
 Jan. 20. Red Men's hall burned.
 Jan. 24. Burglary at Oak Knoll.
 March 26. Town voted to purchase horses for fire dept.
 April 11. Town authorized employment of superintendent of schools.
 April 11. Fire at dwelling of G. H. Scampton.
 April 29. Buildings of J. C. Watson burglarized and burned.</p> | <p>June 3. Resignation of Rev. C. B. Rice.
 June 30. Dedication of boulder on training field.
 July 11. Burning of Danvers Iron Works.
 Aug. 16. Fire in Essex Block.
 Aug. 22. Death of Conrad Juul at Lexington.
 Aug. 25. Barn on Pedrick farm burned.
 Aug. 30. Bradstreet barn on Putnam street burned.
 Sept. 1. New school house dedicated at Danversport.
 Sept. 19. Essex Agricultural Society voted to locate permanently in Danvers.
 Oct. 1. Street car fares reduced.</p> |
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MARBLEHEAD.

1648 TO 1894.

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| <p>1648-9.
 May 2. Marblehead set off from Salem and incorporated. Original name Marble harbor.
 1660.
 Highway to Salem laid out.
 1666.
 Fort built.
 Company organized so that the fishermen might be drilled and disciplined in military tactics.
 1668.
 Oct. Death of William Walton, the missionary.
 1675.
 Watch house built.
 First school in town.
 1684.
 First organization of a church.
 1692-3.
 June 27. Naval office established at Salem for this town.
 1698.
 June 27. Marblehead (with Salem) adjudged to be a lawful port.
 Nov. School opened by Mr. Josiah Cotton.
 1714.
 Episcopal church erected; frame and materials brought from England.
 1716.
 Second Cong. church erected.
 1727-8.
 Town house erected.
 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.
 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.
 1737.
 May 30. Rev. Edward Holyoke chosen President of Harvard College.
 1742.
 Fort Sewall built; general court appropriated 716 pounds therefor.
 1744.
 Visit of Whitefield and great religious excitement.
 July 17. Elbridge Gerry born.
 1747.
 May. School for poor children established by Robert Hooper, jr.
 1751.
 March 19. First engine presented to town by Robert Hooper, Esq. and fire department organized.
 1752.
 Epidemic of small-pox.
 March. By-law adopted, imposing fine of ten shillings for pitching pennies.</p> |
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1754.
Act of general court imposing excise duties opposed by the inhabitants.
1755.
French and Indian war; powder house erected.
1756.
Dec. Sch. "Swallow" captured by French cruisers.
1759.
Thirty-three persons enlisted in naval service, and sailed for Halifax, taking part in siege of Quebec.
1761.
Work house erected on Back St.
- Jan. 30. Act passed to prevent damage from fire, by prohibiting sailmakers and riggers from carrying on business, except where licensed.
1762.
Streets ordered to be named.
1763.
Aug. Market first opened in lower part of town house.
1764.
Small-pox hospital erected in pasture, near almshouse.
1765.
Nov. 1. Stamp act went into effect; bells tolled, minute guns fired, etc.
1768.
Nine fishing vessels and crews lost during the year.
- Lee mansion built, costing over ten thousand pounds.
1769.
Fourteen fishing vessels and crews lost.
1773.
Many deaths from small-pox.
- June 29. Act incorporating Marine Society passed.
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.

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| <p style="text-align: center;">1799.</p> <p>Hon. Samuel Sewall elected member of Congress.</p> <p>June 6. Col. Azor Orne died at Boston.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1800.</p> <p>Jan. 2. Impressive ceremonies on death of Gen. Washington, which occurred Dec. 14, 1799.</p> <p>Epidemic of small-pox in the fall; 64 deaths; aid received from neighboring towns; \$5600 contributed by Salem.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1802.</p> <p>Feb. 22. Act authorizing Board of Health.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1804.</p> <p>March 7. Marblehead Bank incorporated.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1806.</p> <p>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.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1808.</p> <p>Sept. 26. Town ceded to U. S. part of land on work house lot for erection of gun house.</p> <p>Nov. Skipper Ireson's ride.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1809.</p> <p>June. Marblehead Light Infantry organized.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1810.</p> <p>Feb. First Baptist church organized.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1811.</p> <p>Elbridge Gerry elected Vice President of U. S.</p> <p>Town voted to erect suitable building for occupation of the poor.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1812.</p> <p>June 18. War declared with Great Britain.</p> <p>July 4. Great celebration of the day.</p> <p>July 20. Ship "Orient" captured by British sloop of war.</p> <p>Aug. 19. Naval battle between "Constitution" and "Guerriere."</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1813.</p> <p>Many fortifications erected.</p> <p>June 1. Naval battle in bay back of Marblehead Neck, between "Chesapeake" and "Shannon."</p> <p>Aug. Six coasting vessels captured by British cruisers off Neck.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1814.</p> <p>Feb. Number of British prisoners brought here and confined at Fort Sewall.</p> <p>April 3. "Constitution" chased into harbor by two British frigates.</p> <p>Nov. 23. Death of Elbridge Gerry at Washington.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1815.</p> <p>Feb. Peace declared; at close of the war 700 citizens of Marblehead were in confinement in British prisons, 500 of them in Dartmoor.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">1817.</p> <p>July 8. Visit of President Monroe.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1818.</p> <p>Sabbath schools first organized.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1824.</p> <p>"Columbian Society" incorporated.</p> <p>Public streets named by vote of town.</p> <p>Aug. Second visit of Gen. Lafayette and first parade of Lafayette Guards.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1825.</p> <p>July 21. New stone church on Washington st. dedicated.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1829.</p> <p>June 11. Act establishing Fire Department.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1830.</p> <p>March 13. "Marblehead Register," the first local newspaper, issued.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1831.</p> <p>Lighthouse erected on Point Neck.</p> <p>March 18. Grand Bank incorporated; stone building erected on Hooper st. and business begun Nov. 18 in new building.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1832.</p> <p>"The Gazette" first published.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1833.</p> <p>Methodist Episcopal church erected.</p> <p>Jan. 2. Dedication of new Second Cong. church.</p> <p>Feb. 13. New Baptist church on Pleasant st. dedicated.</p> <p>June 26. Visit of President Jackson.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1834.</p> <p>July 4. Two rival celebrations, owing to hostility between the Democratic and Whig parties.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1835.</p> <p>Fire department reorganized and two new engine houses erected.</p> <p>March 31. Act ceding to U. S. site for lighthouse on Neck.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1836.</p> <p>Universalist Society organized; new church erected, and dedicated March 1, 1837.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1837.</p> <p>High school established.</p> <p>Town received \$13,000 from U. S. surplus revenue.</p> <p>March 21. Carpenter shop of J. & J. Chapman consumed; first building burned for 26 years.</p> <p>May. Hon. Wm. Reed died, and bequeathed \$68,000 for benevolent purposes.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1839.</p> <p>March 20. Town farm sold for \$11,300.</p> <p>Dec. 10. Eastern railroad opened to Salem.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1844.</p> <p>Lyceum Hall erected.</p> |
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| <p>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.</p> <p>1846.
 Sept. 19. Severe storm on Grand Banks; 11 vessels belonging in Marblehead lost, containing 65 men and boys.</p> <p>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 September, 1846.
 Nov. 2. Accident on Marblehead Branch railroad at Salem, six persons killed and five seriously wounded.</p> <p>1849.
 "The People's Advocate" first published.
 Oct. 31. Ship Robert Hooper, 760 tons, launched at "Red Stone" cove; observed as a holiday.</p> <p>1850.
 Hook and Ladder carriage purchased for fire department.
 Dec. 5. Fine ship owned by E. Kimball launched.</p> <p>1851.
 Present almshouse erected.
 Feb. 2. Fire destroyed house and two barns of John Chapman on State st.
 July 4. Floral procession.</p> <p>1852.
 Glover Light Guards organized.
 July 4. Procession, with oration, by Hon. Anson Burlingame.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p>1856.
 Jan. 22. New ship of 1200 tons launched.
 July 4. Greatest celebration of the day ever known in town.</p> <p>1858.
 Third Cong. church society organized.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>1860.
 Jan. 29. Bassett's hall destroyed by fire and Gen. Glover engine house.
 March. Great strike of shoemakers in Marblehead and Lynn, lasting six weeks.
 Oct. 9. South church dedicated.
 Nov. 2. Train thrown from track at Forest River Mills.</p> <p>1861.
 April 12. Fort Sumter 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 President 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.</p> <p>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. Sutton 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. 23d Mass. Regt.</p> |
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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 Light 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 \$8000 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.

July 12. First regatta of Eastern Yacht Club.
 Dec. New depot completed.
 Dec. 16. New school house on Orne st. dedicated.

1871.

Jan. Hinckley 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.
 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.

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- 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. Dennis Kearney lectured at Abbot Hall.
- Aug. 28. Dedication of new Rechabite Hall.
- Sept. Signal station established at Abbot Hall.
- Dec. 21. Wreck of schooner "Ancoua" 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. George W. Homan.
- 1881.
- Jan. 6. "Essex State-man" 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.
- Marblehead Water Co. organized.
- March 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 26. 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.

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1888.

April 18. St. Michael's church rededicated.
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.
Jan. 28. Town voted to establish fire limits.
Jan. 31. Allerton building company organized.
Jan. 31. Survey of town by C. A. Putnam completed.
March 19. Town appropriated \$12,000 for extending water pipes.
March 30. Fire at Devereux mansion.
June 2. Burglary at W. J. Goldthwait's.
June 13. Town appropriated \$33,000 for water works.
Aug. 25. Rededication of Unitarian church.
Oct. 31. Dedication of new Rechabite hall.
Oct. 31. Town appropriated \$7500 for new fire engine house.
Nov. 21. Two deaths from hydrophobia.
Dec. 10. Marblehead Building Association organized.
Dec. 15. Cottage of H. C. Little at Neck burned.
Dec. 23. House of P. Cortee burned.

1890.

Feb. 12. Marblehead Building Association incorporated.
April 11. Supt. of schools elected.
April 14. Firewards voted to reorganize 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 \$5000 for an armory; also, accepted custody of Fort Sewall.
Sept. 25. Arrival of new hook and ladder truck.
Oct. 8. First issue of Marblehead Enterprise.
Oct. 27. Jersey st. accepted and \$7500 appropriated by town.
Nov. Renumbering of houses.
Dec. 16. Death of Jona. H. Orne.

1891.

Feb. 17. Fire at Hathaway blk.
Feb. 24. Fire at American House.

Aug. 11. Selectmen granted Naumk. S. R. Co. permit to erect trolley system.
Sept. 4. Loss of W. O. Tucker and W. T. Goodwin, while on dory trip, announced.
Sept. 5. Gov. Russell in town.
Oct. 4. First electric street cars from Salem.
Dec. 10. Fire destroyed cottage of T. P. Gooding.
Dec. 30. W. D. T. Trefry appointed savings bank commissioner.

1892.

Jan. 27. Barn of G. B. Courtis burned.
Feb. 24. Barn of T. T. Paine burned.
March 25. Institute of Essex Agricultural Society held in town.
April 4. Body of unknown man found in pastures near Salem.
April 5. Rev. F. B. Sleeper installed at Baptist church.
April 9. Stable of W. F. Sinclair burned.
May 7. Gas first supplied at Clifton by local gas company.
May 27. Dedication of new armory.
Aug. 8. New York Yacht Club arrive.
Aug. 10. W. H. Glover, conductor on N. S. R. Co., killed.
Aug. 11. Launch at So. Boston of U. S. cruiser Marblehead.

1893.

Jan. 4. Fire in Hathaway block.
Jan. 31. Two cottages burned at Hathaway point.
March 7. Schooner Martin L. Smith wrecked at Peach's point.
March 27. Clifton House burned.
May 31. Burning of Haile cottage at Neck.
Sept. 21. Parade of Knights of Pythias.
Oct. 10. Parade of temperance societies.
Oct. 18. Hathaway cottage, Clifton, burned.
Dec. 3. Fire at J. H. Homan's grocery.

1894.

Jan. 17. Fire at Titus Bros.' shoe factory.
March 8. Haskell E. Knowland appointed postmaster.
March 15. Town appropriated \$60,000 for electric light plant.
March 23. Sudden death of Isaac Atkins, chief engineer.
April 2. U. S. cruiser Marblehead put into commission.
May 2. Fire at E. F. Glover's factory.
July 17. Burning of Harris' shoe factory.
July 30. Boat capsized in Marblehead harbor.
Aug. 28. Barn on Summit st. burned.
Sept. 27. Firemen's muster.
Nov. 11. Fire at Hathaway block.

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1855 TO 1894.

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| <p>1855.
May 18. Peabody set off from Danvers and incorporated under name of South Danvers. First election of town officers June 7.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>1858.
Jan. 4. New school house, District No. 3, dedicated with interesting ceremonies.</p> <p>1859.
"The Wizard," a weekly newspaper established.
May 3. First Market-day for County of Essex held.</p> <p>1860.
Jan. Sutton Hall completed.
Feb. 2. Methodist Episcopal church rededicated.
March 25. Death of Elijah Upton.
May 17. Planing mill and box factory of J. Taylor burned; loss, \$7000.
Sept. 25, 26. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>1865.
Jan. 2. Town appropriated \$8000 for soldiers' bounties.
April 22. Steam fire engine "Gen. Sutton" arrived; cost, \$3,500.
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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>1867.
Aug. 29. Balloon ascension by Mr. Wells.</p> |
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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF PEABODY.

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- 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 in 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 Guards, 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 death, donated various sum 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.

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HISTORICAL EVENTS OF PEABODY.

1878.
 Jan. 19. Death of Henry Poor, Esq., aged 79.
 Oct. 14. Dennis Kearney in town.
1879.
 Feb. 5. Fire at Sutton block.
 Feb. 20. Fire destroyed bakery of George Davis on Lowell st.
 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, South 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.
 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.
 March 21. Town voted for electric fire alarm.
 Aug. 7. Labor riot.
 Nov. 15. Death of Major Lewis Allen; aged 92.
 Nov. 28. End of great strike at tanneries.
 Dec. 7. Rededication 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.
1888.
 Jan. 25. Peabody Press began publishing semi-weekly.
 Jan. 28. Fire at J. A. Lord's tannery; loss \$15,000.
 Feb. 16. Rededication 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 Caller 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.
 March 10. Town voted for license; yes, 627; no, 574.
 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.

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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST.

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Aug. 8. Town appropriated \$30,000 for electric light plant.
 Sept. 29. Formal opening of Naumkeag St. Ry. electric svstem from Salem.
 Oct. 28. Post Office moved into Allen's block.
 Nov. 3. Regular trips on Essex Electric St. Ry. by horses.
 Nov. 25. Home for Aged Women opened.
 Dec. 19. Fire destroyed J. S. Crehore's currying shop; loss, \$15,000.

1891.

Jan. 30. Fire at Merritt Cook's tannery.
 May 5. M. J. Callahan sentenced for murder of J. W. Lane at Salem.
 June 14. John O'Callahan's tannery burned.
 June 18. Town voted in favor of electric lighting; 614 yeas, 87 nays.
 Aug. 11. Fire at Aulson & Mohan's morocco factory.
 Aug. 20. Town voted for electric lighting, 451 to 22.
 Sept. 4. Gov. Russell visited the town.
 Sept. 29. Town appropriated \$50,000 for electric light plant.
 Oct. 3. Fire at M. B. Paige's pottery
 Dec. 22. Fire at Peabody Press office.

1892.

Jan. 15. Postmaster Jackman reappointed.
 Jan. 28. Board of Trade organized.
 March 28. Bequest of Isaac Munroe for orphan's home announced.
 March 29. Bequest of Miss Augusta Proctor announced; \$10,000 for Old Ladies' Home and \$10,000 for public park.
 March 31. Town appropriated \$2800 for new house for Hose Co. No. 2, and \$3000 for drain on Lynn st.

June 20. Fire at A. J. Torr's factory.
 July 24. Fire in Thomas' block.
 Aug. 5. Heavy thunder storm; one man killed.
 Sept. 27. Streets first lighted by electric lights.
 Oct. 22. Several buildings on Allen's lane burned.

1893.

April 14. A. McKay lost both hands by accident.
 April 29. Fire in Thomas' block.
 May 24. Burglaries on Lowell st.
 June 27. Town voted to add incandescent system to electric plant.
 Sept. 23. Parochial school building completed.
 Nov. 10. Three men injured at quarry.
 Nov. 11. Peabody Reporter changed to Peabody Advertiser.
 Nov. 29. Fire at T. Daley's factory.

1894.

Jan. 25. Fire at Downing-Knapp factory.
 Jan. 27. Death of Dr. Charles C. Pike.
 March 4. J. E. Trask shot by C. M. Mason.
 March 17. Death of James P. King; 77 years.
 March 22. Attempted abduction of child.
 March 29. Town voted \$2000 for widening Lowell st.
 April 29. Buildings at Gardner farm burglarized and burned.
 May 31. C. M. Mason sentenced to one year imprisonment.
 July 24. Fire at D. P. McCarthy's store.
 Sept. 21. Assault on William Distin.
 Oct. 17. Fire at Blaney & Buxton's morocco factory.
 Oct. 18. Firemen's muster.

**EVENTS OF GENERAL INTEREST,
 1892 TO 1894.**

1892.

Sept. 28. Steamer "Watertown" burned and the "H. M. Whitney" sunk off Boston Harbor.
 Oct. 2. Death at Paris of Joseph Ernest Renan, distinguished author.
 Oct. 6. Death of Alfred Tennyson, poet laureate, at Aldworth, Eng.
 Oct. 11. Accident on elevated railroad, N. Y., 40 injured.
 Oct. 14. R. R. accident near Harrison, Conn.; 5 killed.
 Oct. 21. Explosion at Los Angeles, Cal.; 7 killed.
 Oct. 24. R. R. accident at Flat Rockdam, Pa.; 8 killed.
 Oct. 24. Collapse of bridge at Spokane Falls; 7 killed.

Oct. 25. Death of Mrs. Harrison, wife of the President, at Washington.
 Oct. 25. Consolidation of B. & M. R. R. with Phil. & Reading R. R. announced.
 Oct. 27. Loss of steamer Roumania off Portugal; 113 drowned.
 Oct. 28. Great fire at Milwaukee, Wis.; loss \$5,000,000.
 Oct. 31. Death of Wm. M. Strachan, Col. of 9th Regt. M. V. M.
 Nov. 8. Grover Cleveland elected president of United States.
 Nov. 10. Great fire at Camden, Me.; loss \$300,000.
 Dec. 2. Death of Jay Gould at New York.
 Dec. 18. Wreck of freight train in Minnesota; 8 killed.

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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST.

- Dec. 21. Car house at Everett burned; 4 lives lost.
- Dec. 27. Corner stone laid of the cathedral of St. John the Divine at New York.
- Dec. 27. John D. Rockefeller donated \$1,000,000 to Chicago University; his fourth donation; total \$3,600,000.
- Dec. 28. Dynamite explosion at Long Island City, N. Y.; 5 killed and 30 injured.
- 1893.
- Jan. 1. Death of Prof. Horsford at Cambridge.
- Jan. 6. Death of C. A. Cappa, bandmaster of 7th Regt., New York.
- Jan. 7. Death of Hon. A. A. Low at Brooklyn, N. Y., 81 years.
- Jan. 10. Fire on Federal and Summer sts., Boston; loss \$1,500,000.
- Jan. 10. Explosion in mine at Como, Col.; 24 miners killed.
- Jan. 11. Death of Gen. B. F. Butler at Washington, D. C., aged 75.
- Jan. 14. Revolution in Hawaii; queen deposed.
- Jan. 16. Funeral of Gen. Butler at Lowell.
- Jan. 17. Death of Ex-Pres. Rutherford B. Hayes at Fremont, O.; 70 years.
- Jan. 17. Resignation of H. B. Lovering, warden of Charlestown state prison.
- Jan. 18. R. R. accident to sleighing party at Lonsdale, R. I. 9 killed, several injured.
- Jan. 18. Henry Cabot Lodge elected U. S. senator.
- Jan. 19. Death of Julius Eichberg, violinist, at Boston.
- Jan. 21. Railroad disaster near Alton, Ill.; 21 persons killed by explosion of oil tanks.
- Jan. 23. Death of Phillips Brooks, Bishop of Mass., aged 58.
- Jan. 23. Cyclone in Mississippi; damage \$2,000,000; 18 deaths.
- Jan. 23. Death of Lucius Q. C. Lamar, justice of U. S. Supreme Ct. at Macon, Ga.
- Jan. 27. Death of James G. Blaine, at Wash., D. C.
- Jan. 31. Destructive and fatal earthquake at Zante, Greece.
- Feb. 1. United States protectorate established at Hawaiian islands.
- Feb. 3. Loss of British stmr. "Trinacria" off Spain; 37 lives.
- Feb. 4. Loss of Captain and eleven of crew of steamer "Pomeranian" from Glasgow to New York.
- Feb. 6. Loss of bark "Alice" at Long Beach, N. J.; 5 sailors drowned.
- Feb. 7. Death of Sarah B. Braman of Georgetown, Mass, 102 yrs.
- Feb. 9. Fire destroyed insane asylum at Dover, N. H.; 44 inmates burned to death.
- Feb. 12. Six workmen killed at marble quarry, Rutland, Vt.
- Feb. 13. New express train, Boston to Portland; time 3 hours.
- Feb. 18. Brig Baltic wrecked off Nahant.
- Feb. 20. Death of Gen. Beauregard at New Orleans, aged 75.
- Feb. 22. Inman line of transatlantic steamers transferred to American line.
- Feb. 24. John W. Mackay, shot by insane man, at California.
- Feb. 28. Seven persons killed by falling walls at Chicago.
- March 8. Death of O. A. Taft, propr. of Pt. Shirley house, 75 yrs.
- March 10. Great fire on Lincoln and Essex sts., Boston; several lives lost.
- March 10. Death of Rev. A. P. Peabody, D. D., at Cambridge; 82 years.
- March 13. Failure of Atkinson House Furnishing Co., Boston.
- March 17. Death of M. Jules Ferry, pres. of French Senate, at Paris.
- March 19. Burning of Tremont Temple, Boston.
- March 24. Death of Elliott F. Shepard, proprietor of New York Mail and Express, N. Y.
- March 28. Death of Gen. E. Kirby Smith, confederate, at Sewanee, Tenn.
- April 1. Explosion at Shamokin, Pa., killing ten miners.
- April 1. Fire in hotel at Bradford, Pa.; five deaths.
- April 1. Fire destroyed Joe Jefferson's mansion at Buzzard's Bay.
- April 6. Great Mormon temple at Salt Lake City dedicated.
- April 7. Nine men killed by crushing of building at Romeo, Ill.
- April 12. Lightning struck barn near Gallatin, Tenn.; 25 valuable brood mares instantly killed.
- April 13. U. S. flag hauled down at Hawaii.
- April 15. Duke of Veragua, lineal descendant of Columbus, arrived at New York.
- April 17. Another destructive earthquake at Zante, Greece.
- April 20. Eleven men drowned in tunnel under Lake Michigan.
- April 20. Failure of Australian Joint Stock Bank for \$13,000,000.
- April 25. Two cyclones in Oklahoma; over 100 lives lost.
- April 28. International naval review at New York.
- April 28. Cisco, Texas, destroyed by cyclone; 30 killed.
- May 1. Opening of World's Fair at Chicago.
- May 4. Dean William Lawrence of Cambridge elected bishop (Epis.) of Mass.
- May 7. Boiler explosion on steamer Ohio, Miss. river; 12 killed.
- May 7. R. R. accident at Lafayette, Ind.; 10 killed.

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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST.

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- May 10. 20th anniversary of Wenham celebrated.
- May 12. Death of Gen. S. C. Armstrong, at Hampton, Va.
- May 13. Ship Countess Evelyn lost off Cornwall and 25 lives.
- May 14. Ten miners killed at Calumet and Hecta mine.
- May 16. Frank C. Almy, murderer, hung at Concord, N. H.
- May 17. Twenty-five lives lost in storm on Lake Erie.
- May 17. Six deaths by explosion in glucose factory at Geneva, Ill.
- May 18. Arrival of Infanta Eulalie of Spain at New York.
- May 19. Death of James E. Murdock, actor, at Cincinnati.
- May 25. Death of Prof. Moses G. Farmer at Chicago.
- May 30. R. R. accident to circus train at Vail Station, Pa.; five persons killed.
- June 7. Death of Edwin Booth, actor, at New York, aged 60.
- June 7. James Gordon Bennett injured at Paris.
- June 7. Great fire at Fargo, N. D.; 3000 people homeless.
- June 8. Convent of Ville Marie, at Montreal, burned; loss, \$1,000,000.
- June 9. Collapse of Ford's old theatre building, Washington, D. C.; 22 government clerks killed, 50 injured.
- June 9. Riot near Chicago, Ill.; eight killed.
- June 14. Lightning killed four brothers named Wright, while standing under tree at Adrian, Mo.
- June 17. The Viking ship from Norway arrived at New York.
- June 20. R. R. accident at Parkville, L. I.; 9 killed.
- June 20. Lizzie Borden acquitted of murder at Fall River.
- June 21. Centennial celebration at Hamilton.
- June 21. Death of Senator Leland Stanford at Palo Alto, Cal.
- June 21. Circus tent struck by lightning at River Falls, Wis.; 8 killed.
- June 21. Explosion in chemical works at Odessa; 16 killed.
- June 23. Loss of British battle-ship Victoria off Tripoli and 400 lives.
- June 26. Gov. Altgeld of Illinois pardoned several anarchists.
- June 28. Dedication of Farragut statue, So. Boston.
- June 30. President's proclamation for extra session of Congress for August 7th.
- July 2. The Falcon, with Lieut. Peary's party, started for Arctic regions.
- July 3. R. R. accident on West Shore road, N. Y.; 5 killed.
- July 6. Cyclone at Pomeroy, Iowa; 80 killed.
- July 10. Fire at World's Fair, Chicago; 13 lives lost, mostly firemen.
- July 13. R. R. accident at Newburgh, N. Y.; 6 killed, 20 injured.
- July 16. Glen House, White Mountains, burned.
- July 17. Collision of steam and horse cars at Chicago; 4 killed.
- July 18. Bank panic in Denver.
- July 25. Snow storm off Long Island.
- July 25. 350,000 English miners out on strike.
- July 29. Siam accepted ultimatum of France in boundary dispute.
- July 31. Five men killed by boiler explosion near Newark, O.
- Aug. 3. Accident at Chelsea yacht club building; 4 killed.
- Aug. 3. Sinking of pleasure steamer on Lake George, N. Y.; 9 drowned.
- Aug. 6. Rowboat swamped in Wales; 22 drowned.
- Aug. 7. Special session of U. S. Congress commenced.
- Aug. 8. Explosion at powder mill, Belleville, Ill.; 7 killed.
- Aug. 9. Death of George Makepeace Towle, historian, at Brookline.
- Aug. 12. Fire at Minneapolis; loss, \$2,000,000.
- Aug. 14. Ten persons killed at fire in Chicago, Ill.
- Aug. 14. Stmr. Annie Faxon destroyed in Oregon; 6 killed.
- Aug. 15. Decision of Behring sea tribunal announced.
- Aug. 16. R. R. accident at Milton, Va.; 7 killed.
- Aug. 20. Carriage struck by train at Le Roy, N. Y.; 6 killed.
- Aug. 22. Lucius Tuttle elected president of B. & M. R. R.
- Aug. 23. 200 buildings burned in Chicago; 5,000 people homeless.
- Aug. 23. Collier and barge wrecked off Southampton, N. Y.; 17 drowned.
- Aug. 24. Hurricane; many lives lost.
- Aug. 26. R. R. accident near Brewster, N. Y.; 5 killed.
- Aug. 27. R. R. accident near Long Island city; 15 killed, 17 injured.
- Aug. 28. U. S. House of Rep. pass silver repeal bill; 240 to 110.
- Aug. 28-29. Cyclonic storm on Atlantic coast; great loss of life.
- Aug. 28. Loss of steamship Savannah off South Carolina.
- Aug. 31. R. R. accident at Chester, Mass.; 13 killed.
- Aug. 31. Collapse of miners' strike in Wales.
- Sept. 3. Runaway electric car at Cincinnati, O.; 6 killed.
- Sept. 6. Capt. J. G. B. Adams of Lynn, elected National Commander of G. A. R.
- Sept. 6. Haytien war ship "Alexander" foundered; 80 lives lost, including distinguished diplomats.
- Sept. 7. R. R. accident near Colehour, Ill.; 11 killed, 15 injured.

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EVENTS OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST.

- Sept. 7. Death of Hon. Hamilton Fish, at Garrison's, N. Y., 85 years.
- Sept. 13. Sudden death of Fred L. Ames of Boston, on stmr. Pilgrim.
- Sept. 14. Rebel warships bombarded forts at Rio Janeiro.
- Sept. 16. Six million acres in Cherokee strip opened to settlers.
- Sept. 18. R. R. accident at Manteno, Ill.; 7 killed.
- Sept. 19. Death of Sir Alexander F. Galt, at Montreal.
- Sept. 20. Six killed by militia at Roanoke, Va., for attempting to lynch a negro.
- Sept. 22. R. R. accident at Kingsbury, Ind.; 11 killed.
- Sept. 29. James A. Trefethen acquitted of murder of Tena Davis of Malden.
- Sept. 29. Disaster in Michigan mine; 28 killed.
- Oct. 1. Terrible storm in Louisiana and Gulf states; 1500 drowned.
- Oct. 7. Yacht "Vigilant" wins race with "Valkyrie."
- Oct. 9. Chicago day at World's fair; over 700,000 visitors.
- Oct. 9. Yacht "Vigilant" wins second race with "Valkyrie."
- Oct. 13. "Vigilant" wins third and final race with "Valkyrie."
- Oct. 13. R. R. accident at Jackson, Mich.; 12 killed, 20 injured.
- Oct. 14. Disastrous storm on great lakes; propeller lost and 20 lives.
- Oct. 16. Death of Charles Bell Birch, sculptor, at London, Eng.
- Oct. 17. Death of Marshal McMahon, expres. of French republic.
- Oct. 17. Death of Lucy Stone Blackwell at Dorchester.
- Oct. 17. Dynamite explosion at Emington, Ill.; 5 killed.
- Oct. 18. Death of Charles Francois Gounod, composer, at Paris.
- Oct. 20. R. R. accident at Battle Creek, Mich.; 26 killed.
- Oct. 28. Carter Harrison, mayor of Chicago, assassinated.
- Oct. 30. Close of World's Fair, Chicago.
- Oct. 30. U. S. Senate passed silver repeal bill; 43 to 32.
- Nov. 1. U. S. House of Rep. passed silver repeal bill; 193 to 94.
- Nov. 2. Loss of steamer "City of Alexander" off Cuba; 35 lives.
- Nov. 2. Boiler explosion in New York city; 6 killed.
- Nov. 3. Explosion of dynamite at Santander, Spain; several hundred persons killed and great loss of property.
- Nov. 4. Nine men drowned in New York Harbor.
- Nov. 6. R. R. accident near Reno, Nevada; 6 killed.
- Nov. 6. Announcement of bequest by Mrs. Shute to city of Lynn, \$100,000 for public library; and \$30,000 for hospital.
- Nov. 7. Election day. Republican landslide.
- Nov. 7. Explosion of bomb at opera house in Barcelona, Spain; 30 killed.
- Nov. 8. Death of Francis Parkman, historian, at Jamaica Plain.
- Nov. 8. Death of Annie M. Pixley, actress, at London, England.
- Nov. 8. R. R. accident at Chicago; 5 killed.
- Nov. 17. Earthquake at Kuchan, Persia; 10,000 lives lost and town destroyed.
- Nov. 18. Trial of U. S. cruiser Columbia.
- Nov. 19. Furious storm on coasts of France and Great Britain.
- Nov. 20. First trains run into new Union depot at Boston.
- Nov. 21. Hotel burned at Beaver, Penn.; 6 lives lost.
- Nov. 21. Death of Ex-Gov. Jeremiah Rusk, at Viroqua, Wis.
- Nov. 22. Great fire at Springfield, Mass.; 8 blocks burned.
- Nov. 23. Fire in dry goods store in Detroit, Mich.; 7 lives lost.
- Dec. 2. Death of Pauline Cushman, noted Union scout, at San Francisco.
- Dec. 4. Death of Prof. John Tyndall, scientist, at London, Eng.
- Dec. 6. Overseers of Harvard College recognize women's annex as Radcliffe College.
- Dec. 6. Loss of British ship "Jason" off Provincetown, with 24 lives.
- Dec. 9. Bomb thrown from gallery of Chamber of Deputies, Paris; two killed.
- Dec. 15. Fall of bridge at Louisville, Ky.; 20 killed.

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- Jan. 1. Haymarket square depot, Boston, discontinued.
- Jan. 2. Globe theatre in Boston destroyed by fire.
- Jan. 2. Dynamite explosion at Roxbury; 3 men killed.
- Jan. 4. Death of Miss Elizabeth P. Peabody, author, at Jamaica Plain, aged 89.
- Jan. 8. British bark "Cooleen" wrecked near Ballycotton; 10 drowned.
- Jan. 8. Fire destroyed several buildings at World's Fair grounds, Chicago.
- Jan. 12. Announcement of loss of fishing schooner "Spencer F. Baird" of Gloucester, and 14 lives.
- Jan. 13. Fire at Ipswich, help sent from Salem.
- Jan. 14. Loss of six of crew of steamer "Amsterdam."
- Jan. 15. Accident on Del. & Lack. R. R.; 11 killed, 50 injured.
- Jan. 17. R. R. accident at Chester, S. C.; 25 killed and injured.
- Jan. 17. Fire at Dummer Academy.
- Jan. 19. Death of Judge Chas. P. Thompson, Gloucester.
- Jan. 19. Death of Ex-Gov. Wm. Gaston.
- Jan. 24. Death of Laura Schirmer Mapleson, songstress, at New York.
- Jan. 24. Death of Miss Constance Fennimore Woolson, author, at Venice, Italy.

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