

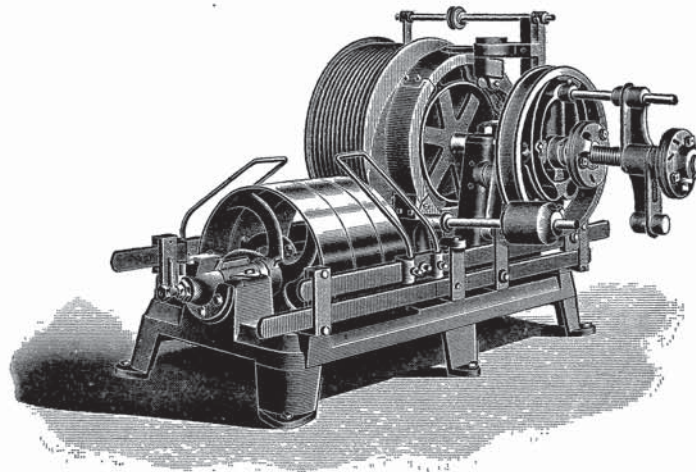
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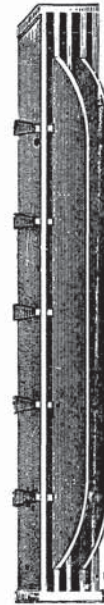
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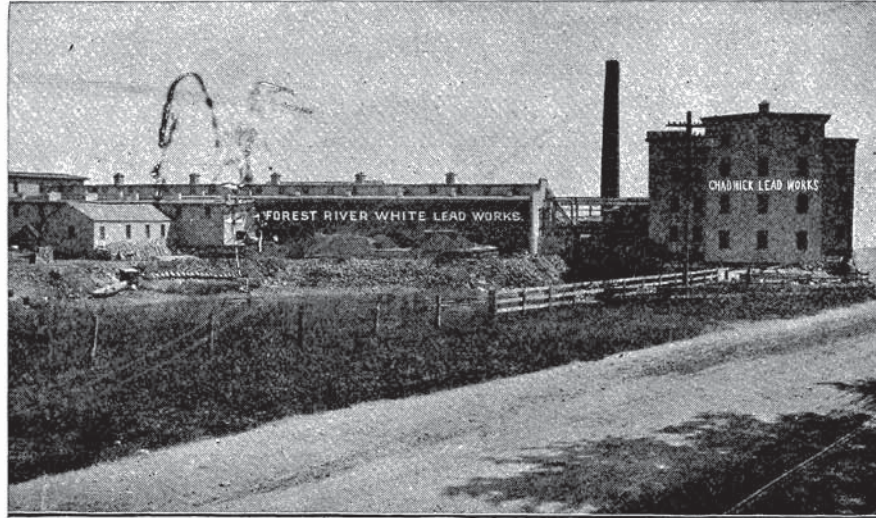
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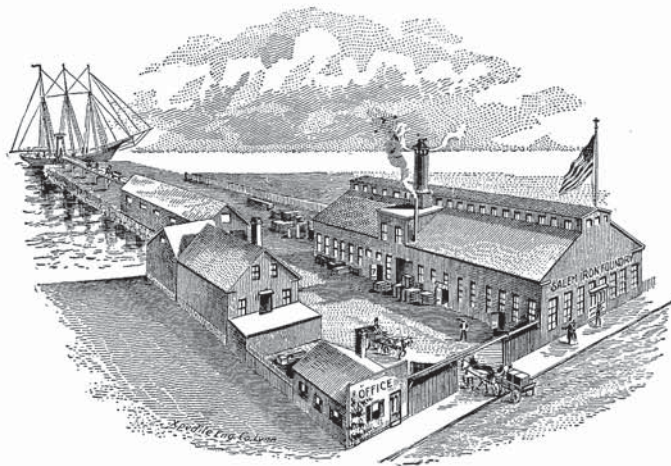
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Beverly,	7,115	618
Danvers,	3,771	321
Marblehead,	4,425	310
Peabody,	5,696	479
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 shire, Cambridgeport 493

Paints, Oils and Glass.
 Gould & Cutler (inc.), 69 to 75 Union,
 Boston 1312
 The Brockway-Smith Corporation,
 61 Munroe, Lynn *front cover*

Patent, Copyright and Trade Mark Law.
 Clarke, Raymond & Coale, 35 Court,
 Boston 1313

Patent Solicitors and Experts.
 Clarke, Raymond & Coale, 35 Court,
 Boston 1313
 Spencer A. H. 53 State, Boston 1314

Paving Blocks.
 Rockport Granite Co. 31 State, Bos-
 ton 13

Piano Tuner.
 Killam Amos F. Maple st. Danvers 1172

Pianos and Organs.
 Killam Amos F. Maple st. Danvers 1172

Pictures and Frames.
 Perry Pictures Co. 42 Dartmouth,
 Malden opp. 156

Pipe Lead and Tin.
 Chadwick Boston Lead Co. 162 Con-
 gress, Boston 7

Planing Mills.
 The A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. Ne-
 ponset 1316

Plumbers' Supplies.
 Mowry & Phillips, 107 North, Boston 1048

Printers.
 Plimpton H. M. & Co. 655 Atlantic
 ave. Boston 1317

Printers (Wood).
 Geo. G. Page Box Co. 3 to 13 Hamp-
 shire, Cambridgeport 493

Printers' Inking Rollers.
 Osgood J. H. & Co. 100 Milk, Boston

Publishers.
 Walker Geo. H. & Co. 12 Harcourt,
 Boston 14

Pumps—Copper and Iron.
 Chadwick Boston Lead Co. 162 Con-
 gress, Boston 7

Real Estate.
 Stone Charles E. 95 Water, Boston 1045

Road Maps.
 Walker Geo. H. & Co. 12 Harcourt,
 Boston 14

Roofing (Duck).
 Batchelder C. H. & Co. 234 State,
 Boston 1314

Rubber Stamps.
 Dimond H. C. & Co. 42 Arch, Bos-
 ton 1314

Rustless Iron Water Pipe.
 Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Cause-
 way, Boston 1312

Sash, Doors and Blinds.
 Carlisle E. A. Pope & Co. successors
 to Levi Boles & Son, Haymarket
 sq. cor. Sudbury, Boston

FINE QUALITIES in Flowers,
 Feathers,
 Laces, etc., at

Reith's, 204 Essex St.
 SALEM.

Saw Mills.	
The A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. Neponset	1316
Screens (Door and Window).	
The Brockway-Smith Corporation, 61 Munroe, Lynn	<i>front cover</i>
Sheet Lead.	
Chadwick Boston Lead Co. 162 Congress, Boston	7
Shingles.	
The A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. Neponset	1316
Ship and Boat Trimmings.	
The Brockway-Smith Corporation, 61 Munroe, Lynn	<i>front cover</i>
Shoe Box Shooks.	
Geo. G. Page Box Co. 3 to 13 Hampshire, Cambridgeport	493
Shoe Machinery.	
Winkley E. E. & Co. 416 Union, Lynn	1194
Shooks.	
Geo. G. Page Box Co. 3 to 13 Hampshire, Cambridgeport	493
Solder.	
Chadwick Boston Lead Co. 162 Congress, Boston	7
Mowry & Phillips, 107 North, Boston	1048
Solicitors of Patents.	
Clarke, Raymond & Coale, 35 Court, Boston	1313
Spencer A. H. 53 State, Boston	1314
Stair Work.	
Bailey J. W. & Sons Co. 14 Charlestown, Boston	1314
Steam Engines.	
Walworth Mfg. Co. 132 Federal, Boston	1314
Steam Fitters.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Steam, Gas and Water Pipe.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Steam, Gas and Water Supplies.	
Walworth Mfg. Co. 132 Federal, Boston	1314
Steam Heating Apparatus.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Steam Jacket Kettles.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Steam Pumps.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Walworth Mfg. Co. 132 Federal, Boston	1314
Steam Radiators.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Steam and Water Gauges.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Walworth Mfg. Co. 132 Federal, Boston	1314
Stocks and Bonds.	
Tower, Giddings & Co. 105 Devonshire, Boston	14
Stone Dealers.	
Dearborn Bros. & Co. 459 Union, Lynn	1167
Stone Quarries.	
Dearborn Bros. & Co. 459 Union, Lynn	1167
Rockport Granite Co. 31 State, Boston	13
Street Railway.	
Boston & Northern St. Rwy. Co. 333 Union, Lynn	1229
Tailors.	
Macdonald J. C. & Co. 9 Hamilton pl. Boston	<i>back cover</i>
Tanks and Vats.	
The A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. Neponset	1316
Telephones.	
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. 119 Milk, Boston	1230
Tents and Awnings.	
Batchelder C. H. & Co. 234 State, Boston	1314
Timber.	
The A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. Neponset	1316
Tin Pipe.	
Chadwick Boston Lead Co. 162 Congress, Boston	7
Trust Companies.	
American Loan and Trust Company, 53 State, Boston	30
Typewriters.	
United Typewriter & Supplies Co. 21 Milk, Boston	1313
Typewriters' Supplies.	
United Typewriters and Supplies Co. 21 Milk, Boston	1313
Valves - Steam, Water and Gas.	
Braman, Dow & Co. 239-245 Causeway, Boston	1312
Varnishes and Japans.	
Gould & Cutler (inc.), 69 to 75 Union, Boston	1312
Wagon Manufacturer.	
McLane J. B. No. Reading	<i>foot lines</i>

If you want a GOOD WAGON for any business, call on or write to **J. B. McLane**, North Reading.

Water Leaders.		Witherell Warren F. Co. 91 Causeway, Boston . . . opp. 490
The A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. Neponset 1316		Wood Printers.
White Lead.		Geo. G. Page Box Co. 3 to 13 Hampshire, Cambridgeport . . . 493
Chadwick Boston Lead Co. 162 Congress, Boston 7		Wood Turners.
Wines and Liquors.		The A. T. Stearns Lumber Co. Neponset 1316
Cassidy John E. & Son, 50 Broad, Boston		Wooden Boxes.
Griffin & West, P. Henry Devine, mgr. 516 Washington, Lynn		Geo. G. Page Box Co. 3 to 13 Hampshire, Cambridgeport . . . 493
Morap John J. 75 Central ave. Lynn 1054 <i>back cover</i>		

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, SALEM.

THIS School, for ladies only, was opened Sept. 12, 1854. Richard Edwards, L. L. D., was Principal three years. Prof. Alpheus Crosby, eight years. Dr. Daniel B. Hagar, thirty-one years. The present Principal began service Sept. 1, 1896. The regular course of study occupies two years; the advanced course two years more. Tuition and text books are free. Pecuniary aid is given to needy pupils. The Normal School building, corner Broad and Summer streets was dedicated Sept. 14, 1854, and was remodelled in 1871. The fine new school building at the corner of Lafayette street and Loring avenue was dedicated Jan. 26, 1897.

Principal—Walter P. Beckwith. *Assistants*—Ellen M. Dodge, Harriet L. Martin, Jessie P. Learoyd, Charles E. Adams, Charles F. Whitney, Mary A. Comey, William C. Moore, M. Alice Warren, Florence M. Snell, Vesta H. Sawtelle, Florence P. Salisbury, Isabella G. Knight, Gertrude B. Goldsmith, Maude M. Brickett, Fannie B. Deane. *Teachers of Model Schools*—Maud S. Wheeler, Mabel T. Burnham, Cassie L. Paine, Mary E. James, D. Frances Campbell, Maud M. Vanston.

Ready to Wear **Hats and Bonnets at Reith's,** 204 Essex St., SALEM.

Removals, Additions, etc. Received Too Late for Regular Insertion.

SALEM.

Ames Sarah D. widow of Edward B. died Aug. 3, 1901

Archer Henry, rem. to 38 Buffum

Bassett Belle S. Miss, teacher of music, Public Schools, h. at Brookline

Birmingham Stephen J. rem. to 19 Hathorne

Blau Edward, bric-a-brac, etc. 286 Essex, h. at Newark, N. J.

BOSTON & NORTHERN STREET RAILWAY CO. office 233 Essex. See page 1229

Breed Nathaniel P. physician, b. 83 Federal

Buckley Patrick, died July 27, 1901

Cameron Robert, rem. to 15½ River

Donovan Thomas J. died Aug. 1, 1901

Dunn Lewis D. supt. 240 Essex, h. 256 Lafayette

Ellis Linda M. widow of James T. died Aug. 15, 1901

Estes Susan J. widow of Joshua, died July 30, 1901

HARDY EXPRESS CO. (Fred D. Hardy and A. A. Wilder), 20 Dodge. successors to Lakeman & Co. Boston express. See page 1309

Hardy Fred, (Hardy Express Co.), 20 Dodge, h. 29 Hathorne

Howes William, rem. to 253 Bridge

Kelleher Julia Miss, died Aug. 5, 1901

Kerfut Thomas, rem. to New York City

Lakeman John R. clerk, Hardy Express Co. h. 17 North

LEVIN MAX, (Salem Cleaning and Pressing Co.), 15½ Central, h. do. See page 15

LORD MARY D. MISS, nurse, b. 34 Lynde

MANSSELL WILLIAM H. rem. to 115 Boston

Mullen Richard, died Aug. 25, 1901

Pond Annie L. Mrs. died Aug. 9, 1901

SALEM CLEANING AND PRESSING CO. (Max Levin), 15½ Central. See page 15

Wilder A. A. (Hardy Express Co.), 20 Dodge, h. at Chelsea

BEVERLY.

Allen Nathaniel P. died Aug. 24, 1901

Bell Harry L. rem. to 18 Butman

Beverly Fish Market, William J. Rich, mgr. 250 Cabot

Burnham Ellis J. rem. to Central st.

Colonial Antique Furniture Co. 116 Cabot

Cook Thomas H. died July 24, 1901

Dickey Sumner N. died Aug. 5, 1901

Dolloff Albert S. Dr. rem. to New Hampton, N. H.

Dwyer Philip, rem. to Newark, N. J.

Eldredge Eliza A. widow of James T. died July 18, 1901

Estes Edward E. groceries and provisions, 89 Cabot

Faye Thomas, rem. to Danvers

Friend Seth, died Aug. 1, 1901

Hall Harry M. rem. to Rantoul st

Hewitt Starr C. jeweler (Salem), h. 99 Lovett

Kilham Edward, 11 Ives, died July 11, 1901

Kilham Oliver F. rem. bus. to 85 Cabot

Larcom Edmund, died Aug. 22, 1901

LARCOM & PERRY, successors to James E. Humphreys

Maylott John T. sec'y. Y. M. C. A. b. 54 Lothrop

Nash John H. rem. bus. to 79 Cabot

Newhall William B. rem. to Utica, N. Y.

Plummer Frank G. rem. bus. to 91 Cabot

Raymond Thomas W. died Aug. 3, 1901

Riddle Bessie R. Mrs. rem. to Yarmouth, N. S.

Snow Melancthon O. died July 14, 1901

Standley Willard A. clerk, h. 186 Hale

Stetson Calvin M. died Aug. 6, 1901

Toomey William E. died Aug. 2, 1901

Twohig Cornelius P. stationery, etc., 83 Cabot

Webber H. A. & J. W. out of business

Wilson George, died June 26, 1901

Woodbury Maria O. widow of Zebulon, died Aug. 2, 1901

Woodward & Adams, out of business

DANVERS.

Allen Martha M. widow of Albert G. died July 1, 1901

Babbitt John W. rem. to Wakefield

Barnes Arthur M. rem. to Oak st.

Batson Mary O. widow of Nathaniel, died April 28, 1901

Berkley John, rem. to 52 Liberty

Boutelle Harry C. physician, 15 Putnam, b. do.

Burnham Fred, rem. to Cambridge

Butler Ferdinand A. rem. to Putnam st.

Carroll Philip jr. rem. to Mill st.

Casey William C. died July 16, 1901

Cashman Hannah, widow of Patrick, died June 17, 1901

Cassidy Alice, widow of Patrick, rem. to Peabody

Clark Geo. B. & Co. fish dealers, Maple st. Coulson George, died June 7, 1901

Coulthurst Charles, rem. to Holten st.

Day George H. died May 9, 1901

Donovan D. J. & Co. rem. to Salem

Easter Butter and Egg Co. 24½ Maple

Edgecomb Mary E. widow of Ivory, died June 20, 1901

Evans Samuel A. died May 22, 1901

Write for Wagon Prices J. B. McLane, North Reading.

TO

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Fennessey William J. died May 7, 1901
 Fogg Luther S. died June 4, 1901
 Foster J. Charles, h. Oak
 Fowler Harriet P. Miss, died July 28, 1901
 French & Woodman, dissolved, William
 A. Woodman continues

GIBBS SUSAN H. MISS, physician,
 3 Putnam, b. do. office hours 1
 to 3 P. M. 6½ to 7½ P. M. Tel.

Grant M. W. Miss, masseuse, Perry's blk.
 rm. 1

Hatch Orlando, rem. to Maine

HILLERY THOMAS, agent, Wash-
 ington Life Ins. Co. h. 50 Elliott.
See page 1225

Holley Georgie O. Miss, died May 9, 1901

Hood Joseph E. died May 8, 1901

Hutchins Alonzo B. died June 5, 1901

Hutchins Fred E. rem. to Sacramento.
 Cal.

Jackson Eliza, widow of William A. died
 April 11, 1901

Johnson Anna N. widow of George E.
 died July 16, 1901

Jordan Michael J. died Aug. 19, 1901

Kelley Elmer, rem. to Holten st.

Kelley & Dutaud, rem. to Elm. st.

Lyons Julia Mrs. rem. to High st.

Manning Michael T. died July 4, 1901

Marling Rebecca, widow of John W. died
 April 19, 1901

Morgan Bros. successors to Fennessey
 Bros.

Nightingale J. E. & Co. dissolved, J. E.
 Nightingale continues

Paton Mary S. widow of Andrew, died
 May 2, 1901

PERRY BENJAMIN W. milk and ice
 dealer, Maple cor. Summer, h.
 do. *See page 856*

Philbrick Julia A. widow of John D.
 died July 29, 1901

Roberts Clarence O. rem. to Holten cor,
 Collins st.

Roberts L. A. & Co. cream of chocolate
 mnfrs. Burns factory

Russell Thomas, died June 21, 1901

Sheldon Harriet E. Miss, died July 25,
 1901

Smith Susan C. widow of Michael, died
 July 3, 1901

Tapley George, died Aug. 27, 1901

Tebbetts F. P. rem. to Bedford

Tidey John, rem. to School st.

Upton Charles S. died July 5, 1901

Worcester William L. died June 9, 1901

MARBLEHEAD.

Bell George F. died May 27, 1901

Breare Harold B. rem. to 8 Jersey

Buckley Patrick, died July 12, 1901

Caswell William, died June 13, 1901

Chapman William P. rem. to Portland,
 Oregon

Connell Charles, rem. business to 154
 Washington

Douglass Albert E. died July 24, 1901

Graves Thomas C. S. died May 17, 1901

Handy Josephine L. Miss, died July 5,
 1901

Hooper Mary E. widow of Asa, died
 June 15, 1901

Humphrey Samuel D. died July 7, 1901

Knight Jefferson, died May 19, 1901

Main Elizabeth S. widow of William P.
 died July 10, 1901

Marden William S. died July 5, 1901

Martin Sarah E. widow of Henry, rem.
 business to Mugford bldg.

Mason Francis A. died June 25, 1901

North Edward D. died June 29, 1901

Peach Arthur E. rem. to 27 Lincoln ave.

Peach Stephen B. died Aug. 5, 1901

Peachey Charles, died June 7, 1901

Reed George H. rem. to Revere

Reynolds Joel W. principal High school

Shepherd William W. died May 19, 1901

Stacey Everett B. died June 1, 1901

Tucker Annie G. widow of Richard, died
 July 2, 1901

Widger John H. died June 27, 1901

Wooldridge Hannah R. widow of Joseph
 G. died June 2, 1901

PEABODY.

Ahearn & Millea, (James S. Ahearn and
 Edward J. Millea), restaurant,
 Foster ct.

Bancroft Elizabeth O. Miss, died July 8,
 1901

Bowers & Shaw, dissolved, William H.
 Bowers continues under same
 name

Cram Charles H. h. 29 No. Central

Charland Henry L. rem. to Salem

Crehore J. S. & Co. rem. to Boston

Downey W. H. Dr. rem. to 65 Main

Hayes John E. rem. to Stevens st.

Littlefield Charles A. rem. to Somers-
 worth, N. H.

Littlefield Leather Co. rem. to Somers-
 worth, N. H.

Littlefield Stephen S. rem. to Somers-
 worth, N. H.

McCarthy Maurice E. rem. to 14 Sum-
 mer

Merrow Mark M. died July 23, 1901

Murphy Patrick, coal and wood, 47 Wal-
 nut, h. 48 Fulton

Nagle Philip, died June 17, 1901

O'Brien Mary, widow of James, died
 July 16, 1901

O'Regan Dennis, died Aug. 15, 1901

Smith Abigail, widow of Samuel, died
 June 4, 1901

Sullivan Bartholomew, 31 Oak, died
 June 23, 1901

Webster Eben W. (Davis & Webster),
 210 Lynn, h. at Lynn

Good Work
 and Stylish
 Trimming at

**REITH'S MILLINERY STORE, 204 Essex St.,
 SALEM.**

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.

SECT. 2. For one or more adult passengers from any place in the city within said limits to any place in the city beyond said limits, but within Block-house square, the junction of 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.

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

SECT. 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.

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

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

SECT. 7. The charge for hackney carriages drawn by two horses, when hired by the hour, shall be not exceeding one dollar and fifty cents per hour; and when drawn by one horse one dollar per hour and for parts of hours after the first hour, a proportional part of the rate for one hour. When a carriage is to be used for three or more consecutive hours, such charge not exceeding one dollar per hour for a two horse carriage and seventy-five cents per hour for a one horse carriage, may be made, as may be agreed upon between the owner and the party hiring the same. (*As amended, Feb. 23, 1898.*)

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

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

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

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

Try a McLANE MILK WAGON; It Will Please You.

SALEM FIRE ALARM—LOCATION OF BOXES.

- 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 n. 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.
 41—Highland Ave.
 42—Mill opp. High St.
 43—City Hall.
 45—Jefferson Ave. cor. Winthrop St.
 47—Endicott cor. Summer St.
 49—Flint cor. Broad St.
 51—Vinnin Sq. Swampscott Line.
 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.
 59—Federal cor. Flint St.
 61—Bridge cor. North St.
 62—Boston cor. Safford St.
 63—Bridge opp. Lynn St.
 64—Bridge cor. Goodhue St.
 65—Nichols cor. Prospect St.
 66—Federal cor. Beckford St.
 67—Boston St. near Prospect ave.
 68—Rawlins near Prospect St.
 69—Bow cor. Logan St.
 71—Poor's Tannery, Broadway.
 72—Salem cor. Harbor St.
 73—Harbor cor. Peabody St.
 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—Engine House on North St.
 92—North cor. Franklin St.
 93—Kernwood.
 94—North cor. Nursery St.
 95—Chandler cor. Symonds St.
 121—Plummer Farm School.
 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 opp. Everett St.
 128—Washington cor. Lafayette St.
 134—Lafayette St. opp. No. 437.
 136—Loring Farm.
 212—Gas House.
 213—Bridge cor. Hubon St.
 214—Car Shops, Bridge St.
 312—Norman cor. Crombie St.
 412—Proctor cor. Pope's Ct.
 512—Naumkeag Mills.
 521—Chadwick Boston Lead Mills.
 612—Dearborn cor. Felt St.

One stroke will be given daily at 6.45 A. M., 12.45 and 6.15 P. M. to test the alarm.

Two strokes signify that the fire is out.
 Four strokes, second alarm.

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.

Fine Styles of Trimmed **Millinery at Reith's,** 204 Essex St., Salem.

SALEM FIRE LIMITS.*(City Ordinances, Chap. 4, Sec. 8.)*

SECTION 8. The fire limits of the city of Salem shall include all that part of the city inclosed by the following described lines, to wit: beginning at the junction of Essex and North streets, thence running northerly through the middle of North street to Lynde street, then easterly through the middle of Lynde street to a point one hundred feet distant from the westerly line of Washington street, then northerly and parallel to the westerly line of Washington street and one hundred feet distant therefrom to the middle of Federal street, thence easterly through the middle of Federal street to a point one hundred feet distant from the easterly line of Washington street, thence southerly and parallel to the easterly line of Washington street and one hundred feet distant therefrom to the middle of Church street, thence easterly through the middle of Church and Brown streets, to Washington square (west), thence southerly through the middle of Washington square (west) and Elm street across Derby street and continuing on the same course and in a straight line to the channel of South river, thence northwesterly by the channel of South river to and across Lafayette street, thence southerly by the westerly line of Lafayette street to a point in said line one hundred feet distant from the southern line of Dodge street, thence westerly and parallel to the southern line of Dodge street and one hundred feet distant therefrom to a point one hundred feet distant from the easterly line of Washington street, thence southerly in a straight line to the middle of Washington street at a point opposite the center of Pond street, thence westerly and northerly through the middle of Washington and Mill streets to the middle of Norman street, thence westerly through the middle of Norman street to Summer street, thence northerly through the middle of Summer street to the junction of Essex and North streets and point begun at."

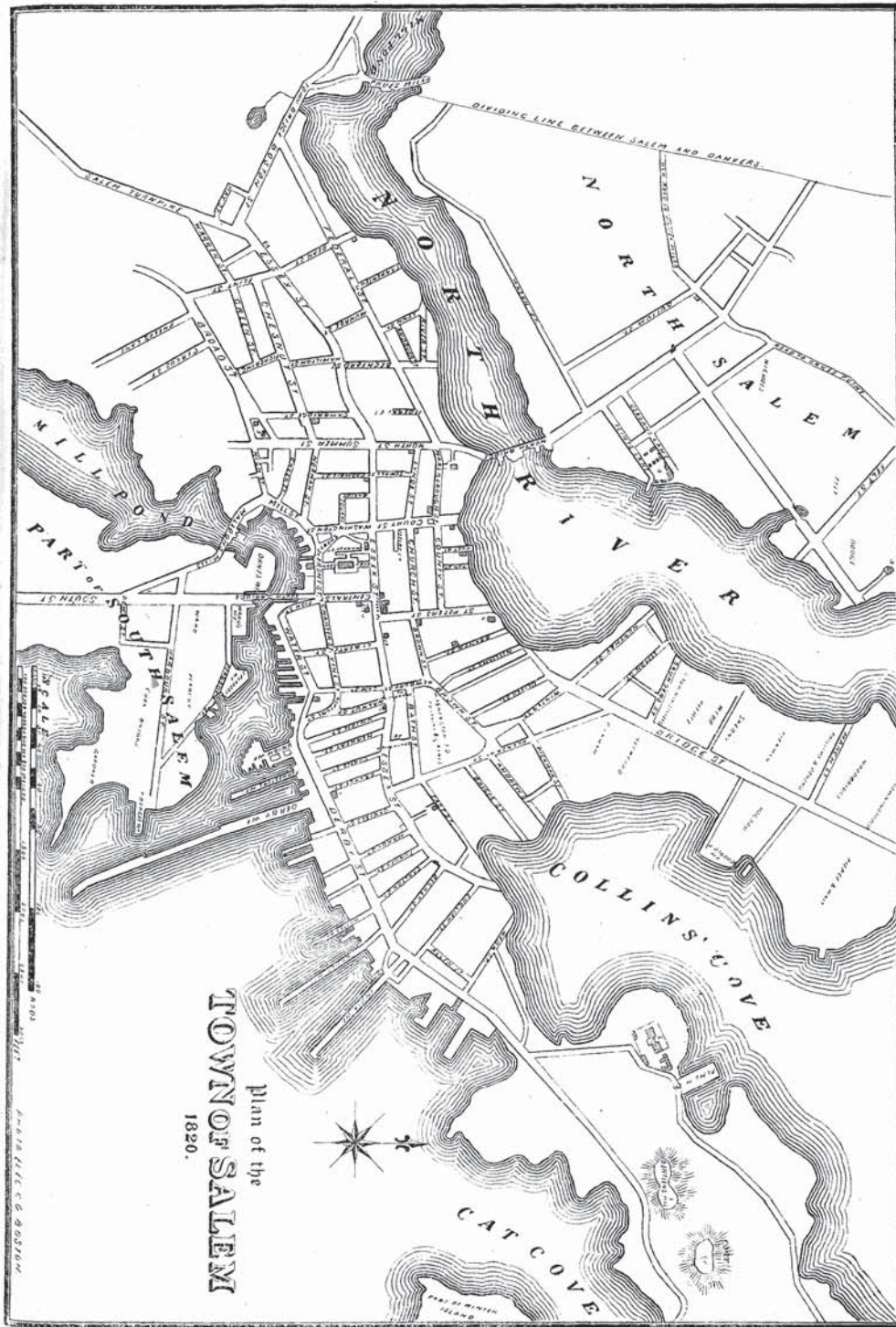
LEGAL HOLIDAYS.

Washington's Birthday, February 22d; Patriot's Day, April 19; 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.

POPULATION OF SALEM & VICINITY FROM 1776 TO 1900.

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
1895 . . .	34,473	11,806	8,181	7,671	10,507	886	73,524
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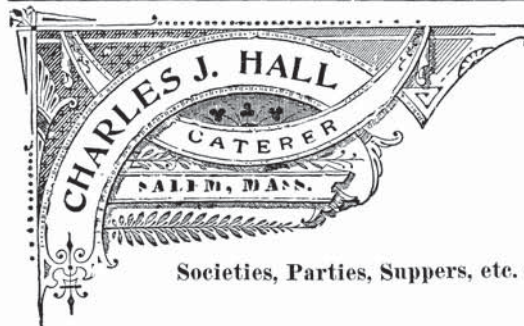
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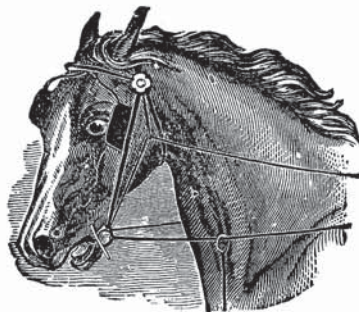
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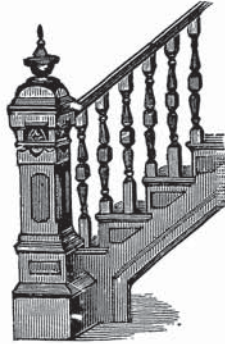
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1681.
June 28. William Hawthorne died lately, aged 73, having been in the town since 1636.

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 for witchcraft; though designated as "Salem Witchcraft," it had pervaded other places previous 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.

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, £5,000.

1700.
Sept. 2. 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 streets, opened for worship.

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- 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 street 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 street. [Hall.
April. First Printing Press, by Samuel
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 the execution.

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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 commanded 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 2,000 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

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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 degrees 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.
- April 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 Manila to Elias Hasket Derby; first entry at Salem from Manila.
- 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.
- 1790.
- 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.
- \$5,600 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 8 1-2 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 street built at expense of E. H. Derby and others; accepted by town in 1810 and rebuilt in 1821.

ICE WAGONS at J. B. McLane's
NORTH READING.

The pillory, stocks and whipping post ceased to be used as a means of punishment.

Jan. 1. New South Meeting House dedicated, at corner of Chestnut and Cambridge streets; 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 street 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 \$4,000. The office was removed to the Court House in October, 1842.

Jan. 1. First Baptist church on Federal street dedicated.

Jan. 16. Three large dwellings on Carpenter street burned.

June 16. Total eclipse of the sun.

1807.

Orne street cemetery first used.

July 4. Salem Mechanic Light Infantry first paraded under Perley Putnam.

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.

Mch. 12. Salem Athenæum incorporated.

May 20. Loss of ship "Margaret of Salem" and 28 lives.

June 1. Barque "Active," Capt. William 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.

June 21. Foye and Tuttle's rope walk burned.

June 26. Merchants' Bank incorp.; "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 "Caraven," Augustine Heard, commander.

June 19. War declared against Great Britain. Salem sent out 40 privateers, mounting 189 cannon, and manned by 2,142 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.

\$2,141 contributed for sufferers by fire at Portsmouth.

July 28. Benjamin Goodhue, U. S. Senator, died.

Sept. 25. Great alarm at 1 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.

Dec. 14. Rev. Daniel Hopkins died, aged 80.

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 \$8,000.

1816.

Double light on Baker's Island changed to single one.

Aug. 22. Great fire cor. Liberty and Water streets, 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.

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1817.

Aqueduct corporation purchased land on Sewall st. on which a reservoir of 22,000 gals. capacity was afterwards erected.
 \$9,000 contributed for Massachusetts Hospital.
 Substantial rail fence built around the common.
 July 4. Steamboat "Massachusetts" the first seen in this port, excited great curiosity.
 July 4. Simon Forrester died aged 69.
 July 8. President Monroe visited Salem, and was received in the new Town Hall, the first public use of this building. The hall cost \$12,000.
 Oct. 1. Salem Charitable Mechanic Association organized.

1818.

Small-pox hospital in great pasture destroyed.
 Present Custom House built by order of Congress.
 Jan. 29. 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 incorp. 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 streets.
 Jan. Wild cat killed in Front street.
 Apr. 21. Essex Historical Society organized.
 May 10. Stephen M. Clark of Newburyport, aged 17, hung on Winter island for setting fire to a stable in that city.
 Nov. Brig. "Thetis," Charles Fobes, master, arrived from Madagascar to N. L. Rogers & Bros.

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 \$8,000.
 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 street 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 system of Lyceum Lectures

1828.

Stage line to Danvers.

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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 13. Dr. E. A. Holyoke died, aged 100 years, 7 months.
 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 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 Peabody, 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 street 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 Pres. Jackson and Vice-Pres. Van Buren.
 Oct. 29. Visit of Henry Clay.
 Dec. Completion of New road from foot of Essex street 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 \$6,000.

1835.

Feb. Excitement over the 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 street burned; two others badly damaged; loss \$7,000.
 Sept. 28. Town authorized the numbering of houses and stores.
 Oct. 1. Public celebration by the Salem Charitable Mechanic Association.

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1836.

- Feb. 15. The town voted to adopt a city form of government.
 March 22. Act to establish the city of Salem passed the Legislature.
 April 4. City charter accepted; 617 yeas, 185 nays.
 April 14. Eastern Railroad incorporated.
 April 25. First city election.
 May 9. City Government organized; Leverett Saltonstall, Mayor; John G. King, President of the Common Council.
 May 11. School Committee first elected by the City Council in convention.
 June 22. North church, built of stone, off Essex street, 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 street, 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. Ropewalks of William Stickney and Joshua Safford, on Bridge street, entirely burned. Cold intense; 3 below zero. Loss \$30,000.
 Feb. 20. City accepted Act concerning Wards; Common Council; Health Commrs.; and organization of government.
 March 8. 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 treasury received \$29,790.13 from U. S. surplus revenue; disbursed as follows: City debt, \$8,000; 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 street and erect City Hall; afterwards increased to \$17,000.
 June. First permanent military band organized.
 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 street; 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 appearance of new Salem Brass Band.
 Aug. 27. Eastern Railroad opened for travel to Boston.
 Oct. 1. Visit of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston.
 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 bld'g.
 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.
 Nov. Mechanic Hall opened.
 Dec. 10. Eastern Railroad Branch from Salem to Marblehead opened.

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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.

Apr. 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 the Maryland Cadets.
Dec. 8. E. A. Hanson's tannery on Grove st. burned.

1843.

\$2534.58 contributed for sufferers by fire at Fall River.
March 23. Act authorizing Jonathan F. Carlton to erect bridge across North river at foot of Dean st.
Aug. 16. Hon. Benjamin Pickman died, aged 80.
Sept. 15. First exhibition of Tom Thumb at Salem.
Oct. Sidewalk ordered around Market House and clock on same.
Oct. 5. Parade of General Sutton's Brigade of militia.

1844.

Jan. 5. Joseph Peabody died, aged 86.

Feb. 11. Two young women baptized into the Mormon faith in South Mill Pond.

April 7. New organ at St. Peter's church.
June 3. Concert by Ole Bull.
June 7. Funeral of Capt. Jesse Smith, one of General 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 Nichols & Florence on Allen's wharf burned.

April 3. Second Baptist church partially burned; damage, \$18,000.

May 6. Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co. organized.

May 8. Hon. Leverett Saltonstall, first mayor of Salem died, aged 62.

June 7. Morocco shop of E. B. Arnold and currying shop of J. C. Pitman, on Boston st. burned.

Sept. 10. Joseph Story, Justice U. S. Supreme Court, died at Cambridge, aged 66.

1846.

Jan. 1. East church on Brown st. dedicated; built of freestone and brick; cost \$27,000.

May 5. Hon. John Pickering died at Boston, aged 69.

July 4. Floral procession.

July 13. Great fire at Nantucket; \$1,803.50 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 Doland; last entry at Salem for Sumatra.

Nov. 4. Hon. Dudley L. Pickman died, aged 67.

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- 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 William 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. \$3488.97 contributed for the destitute in Ireland.
- Feb. 8. Naumkeag Steam Cotton Company commenced weaving.
- Mch. 14. Dwelling of David A. Neal Esq. on Washington street, 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 street opened.
- July 3. Floral procession.
- July 5. President James K. Polk at Salem.
- July 26. City Council authorized construction of bridge from Derby street 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 South Salem opened.
- Dec. 17. Brig "Falconer" of Belfast wrecked off Ipswich Bar; 17 persons perished.
- Dec. 23. First telegraphic dispatch 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.
- Mch. 28. Salutes of artillery fired in honor of French Revolution.
- April 11. India Rubber Factory in South Salem burned. Loss \$12,000.
- July 4. Splendid display of fireworks.
- July 10. Gloucester Branch Railroad opened.
- Aug. 15. First number of "The Free World" newspaper issued.
- Sept. 3. Review of 4th Brigade Militia under Col. Andrews.
- Sept. 4. Essex Railroad opened to Lawrence.
- Sept. 20. A steam dredger began straightening and deepening channel of North River.
- Oct. 27. Brig "Mary and Ellen," owned by S. C. Phillips, Capt. J. H. Eagleston, cleared for Sandwich Isles via California; first vessel from Massachusetts after the gold discovery.
- Nov. 2. Accident on Marblehead Branch R. R.; 6 persons killed and 5 injured.
- Nov. 7. Veneering mill of Prime, Kenney & Co. burned.
- 1849.
- Jan. 26. Members of the Naumkeag Mutual Trading and Mining Co. sail from Boston for California.
- Feb. 11. Second Advent Society began meetings at Sewall Street Church.
- Mch. 5. U. S. Revenue flag displayed for first time on Custom House during office hours.
- Mch. 17. Barque "La Grange," sailed for California with 63 members of Salem Trading and Mining Co.
- June 12. First field meeting of Essex Institute at Danvers.
- June 21. Launching of yacht "Mystery," largest pleasure boat ever built in Salem.
- July 7. Salem Building Association organized.
- Aug. 1. Last number of the Salem Advertiser published.
- Sept. 16. Father Mathew in Salem.
- Sept. 24. First exhibition of Salem Charitable Mechanic Association.
- Sept. 25. Philharmonic Society organized.
- Sept. 27. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
- Oct. 1. Visit of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of Boston.
- Dec. 12. Essex Railroad commenced depot on Bridge st.
- 1850.
- Mch. 4. Salem Gas Light Co. organized.
- April 26. Barque "Argentine" launched.
- May 27. City Council appropriated \$7,000 for building iron fence around the common.
- June 17. The day celebrated at Cold Spring, North Salem.
- June 20. Fire at Smith's Oil Factory, South 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.

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July 14. Hon. Nathaniel Silsbee, U. S. Senator, died, aged 77 years.
 July 17. Jewelry store of E. K. Lake-man robbed; loss \$3,000.
 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, Lynn-field.
 Sept. South Reading Branch Railroad opened.
 Sept. 26. Exhibition of Essex Agricultural Society.
 Dec. 2. Mr. Ball's free school opened.
 Dec. 2. New common fence completed.
 Dec. 9. The stores lighted with gas for the first time. Portion of street lamps lighted Dec. 25.

1851.

Jan. 2. Free-will Baptist church organized.
 Feb. 3. Benjamin W. Crowninshield M. C. and U. S. Sec. Navy, died in Boston, aged 79.
 April 14. Great storm lasting three days; destruction of Minot's Ledge Light House.
 July 4. Floral procession.
 Sept. 22, 23. Muster of Fourth Brigade Militia.
 Sept. 26. 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 re-numbered; Federal, Marlboro and County streets called *Federal*; Charter, Vine and part of Neptune, between Elm and Water, called *Charter*; Forrester and Bridge, called *Bridge*; Warren and Green, called *Warren*; Fish, Water, part of Neptune and Derby, called *Derby*; Mill and South, called *Mill*.
 June 8. Fire destroyed enamelled leather factory off Mason street; loss \$6,000.
 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. Nonatum 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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Dec. 21. "Young America No. 2," fire engine received.

1855.

Brick block on Washington st. near depot, built by J. E. Fisk.

Capt. John Betram's brick residence built.

Gas pipes laid to So. 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 Cents 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 street 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 streets, 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 Manila, consigned to Benjamin A. West; last entry at Salem from Manila.

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. Flagstaff raised at Willows.

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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.

March 6. 1,500 shoemakers (strikers) of Lynn march to Salem and South Danvers.

Apr. 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 street.

Dec. 6. Ropewalk of S. Whitmore on Bridge street burned.

1861.

New Court House built.

Jan. 9. Steam fire engine "Salem" received.

March 29. Hon. Daniel A. White, first president 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. Devereaux, left Salem for Washington. [Three days after Pres. Lincoln's Proclamation.]

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 Regiment, 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. Ed-

ward 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), Capt. Seth S. Buxton, left Salem.

July 31. Return of Mechanic Light Infantry and City Guards from war.

Aug. 1. Salem Light Infantry (Zouaves) arrived.

Sept. 2. New Bentley school house first opened.

Sept. 3. First company of sharpshooters (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. Devereaux, 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 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 Regt., Col. Stevenson; Gilmore's band accompanied the regiment.

Dec. 10. Salem Light Infantry, under Capt. Charles U. Devereux, left for the seat of war.

1862

Jan. 8. Capt. 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.

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- 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 New York.
 July 10. City appropriated \$25,000 for soldiers' bounties; \$20,000 more appropriated Aug. 25.
 Aug. 22. Captain S. C. Oliver's company 35th Regt. left the State.
 Sept. 8. 40th Regt., Lieut. Col. J. A. Dalton, left the State for Washington.
 Sept. 8. Co. B, 40th Regt., Capt. D. H. Johnson, left camp for Washington.
 Sept. 8. Salem City Guards, 40th Regt., Capt. H. Danforth, left the State.
 Sept. 8. Company under Capt. R. Skinner, jr. (40th Regt.) left the State.
 Sept. 22. President Lincoln's proclamation of emancipation; went into effect Jan. 1st 1863.
 Sept. 27. Funeral of Captain 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. Geo. 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 street first opened.
 Dec. 19. Funeral of Capt. Charles A. Dearborn.
 Dec. 21. Co. F, 11th Regiment, 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 Major 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. George B. McClellan.

- March 19. Salem Union League formed, Rev. George 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, Adjutant of 33d Mass. Regt.
 Jan. 28. Grand demonstration to reenlisted 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 2nd and 23d Mass. Regts. (reenlisted), 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 5. Return of Co. F. 9th Mass. Regt. and reception.
 June 6. Four men drowned near Baker's Island.
 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.

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July 26. 8th Mass., Regt., Col. B. F. Peach, jr. left State for one hundred days' service.
 July 28. 5th Regt., Col. George H. Pier-son, 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 street 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. Geo. W. Gardner, 24th Regt.
 Apr. 3. Capture of Richmond, Va.
 Apr. 9. Surrender of Gen. Lee and the rebel army; great rejoicing on the 10th.
 Apr. 14. President Lincoln assassinated.
 May 22. City Council authorized commissioners to commence operations on the Water Works.
 June 29. Garrison withdrawn from Sa-lem forts.
 July 4. Great celebration and proces-sion 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 lec-tured 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 of Salem Lt. Infantry in honor of members who had served in the war.
 July 4. Great fire at Portland, Me.; Sa-lem 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. Good-hue; 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 In-stitute.
 March 2. Peabody Academy of Science organized.
 April 2. Act annexing part of Salem to Swampscott.
 May 6. Board of Engineers voted to dis-continue 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 Swamp-scott and encamp five days.
 Sept. 26. Fire in Naumkeag block, cor-ner of Essex and Central streets; loss \$13,000.
 Oct. Jute factory on English st. com-pleted. Building of Salem Lead Works commenced.
 Oct. 28. Gen. Phil. H. Sheridan passed through Salem.
 Oct. 31. Francis Peabody, third Presi-dent 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 Hart-ney; the bishop and 52 clergymen present.
 April 15. Commenced laying the dis-tribution pipes of Water Works.
 May. New mill of Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co. commenced.
 May 30. First observance of Memorial Day.
 June 8. City Council appropriated \$6,300 for new bridge over South river, at Lafayette st.
 Aug. 10. City Council appropriated \$23,000 for new school houses in Ward 1 (Herbert st.) and Ward 2.
 Aug. 13. City Council appropriated \$45,000 for new Bowditch school house in Dean st.; school opened March 14, 1870.
 Aug. 29. Death of J. Vincent Browne, Esq., aged 65.
 Oct. 9. Reservoir on Chipman Hill, in Beverly, completed.

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- 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.
 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. Waterworks 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.
 Apr. 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. Asahel 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 lighthouses 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 session in Salem.
 Oct. 8. Great fire at Chicago; over \$19,000 afterward contributed for the sufferers.
 Oct. 17. Gen. Grant passed through Salem.

1872.

- Soldiers' lot set apart in Orne street cemetery.

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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 street.
 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 \$73,900.
 Sept. Seamen's Bethel on Herbert st. sold to French Catholics.
 Sept. 11. Washington st. extension opened to travel.
 Oct. 1. Fire at Anderson & Reynolds' shoe factory.
 Nov. 17. Calvary Baptist ch. dedicated.
 Dec. Hale's Block completed.
 Dec. 16. 100th anniversary of the destruction of the tea in Boston harbor commemorated by the Essex Institute.

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 street 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 street 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.
 Mch. 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 \$8,500 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.

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- 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 \$9,000 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.
 Mch. 21. Last entry from Cayenne and close of the foreign trade of Salem; sch. "Mattie F." to C. E. & B. H. Fabens.
 Mch. 26. City Council voted to build new avenue to the Neck and widen East Webb street.
 June. Contributions of \$4,335 for sufferers by great fire at Marblehead on June 25; also \$770 for sufferers by fire at St. Johns, N. B.
 June 9. Horse cars to the Willows.
 July. St. Mary's Catholic Church, cor. Bridge and Mall streets, torn down.
 Aug. 29. Accident at Pennsylvania Pier, killing Joseph Swasey and three others of his family.
 Sept. 13. Salem Old Men's Home opened; admitted first inmates; incorporated Dec. 12.
 Oct. 31. Serious fire at First Baptist Church.

1878.

- Jan. 1. Streets (Madison ave. etc.), laid out over great pastures.

- Salem Cadet Band organized.
 Mch. 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 William C. Endicott; poems by William W. Story and Charles T. Brooks.
 Sept. \$2,500 contributed by citizens for sufferers by yellow fever at the South.
 Sept. Hon. A. A. Low of Brooklyn donated \$5,000 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, Fifield 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 schoolhouse on Summit ave. dedicated.

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April 14. City Council appropriated \$8000 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 the 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. Arrive 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 street and Grove street, and south of Essex railroad.
 May 20. Revised New Testament issued.
 May 30. Severe thunder storm causing great alarm.
 June 6. City Council appropriated \$6000 for new brick hose house in Ward 6; dedicated March 23, 1882.
 June 6. City Council appropriated \$40,000 for filling Beckford street basin in North River, and for Bridge street 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.
 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 street.
 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 school-house.
 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 street.
 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.

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Nov. 18. New standard time.
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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 Wil-lows 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 \$4,500 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 in 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 \$3,300 for iron fence around Greenlawn cemetery.

May 30. Dedication of soldiers' monument at Harmony Grove.

June 11. Work on new court house commenced.

June 14. Five fires, including Mack Bros.' currying shop, loss \$5,000; Salem & So. Danvers Oil Works, loss \$15,000.

June 20. Opening of new building of Essex Institute.

July 7. Leak in water main at Beverly bridge.

July 9. Balloon ascension; landing in Newbury.

July 29. Severe thunder storm 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 \$4,000.

Sept. 15. Brilliant meteor.

Oct. 1. Beverly discontinued use of Salem water works.

Oct. 10. Dedication of Father Mathew monument and a great parade of temperance societies.

Oct. 11. Boston & Lowell R. R. passed into the hands of the 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.

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- 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. Geo. 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.
 March 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 \$5,000 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 streets.
 Sept. 2. Collection of ashes commenced.
 Sept. 23. Meeting of National Council, O. U. A. M. in Salem.
 Oct. 4. Fire destroyed P. Sim & Son's factory; loss \$100,000.
 Oct. 17. Aldermen grant location to Essex Electric Street Railway Company.
 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 degrees.

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. 28. Fire at Hamilton Hall.
 Feb. 13. Opening of Essex Riding Academy.
 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 street bridge discontinued.
 May 22. New factories at Castle hill dedicated.
 May 29. First issue of "Salem Visitor."
 June 6. Severe thunder shower. Cotton storehouse on Union street struck by lightning; loss \$16,000.
 June 9. Naumkeag Street Railway Company sold to a syndicate.
 June 9. City Council appropriated \$60,000 for Canal street.
 June 20. Fire at storehouse of Naumkeag mills; loss \$16,000.
 June 26. Fire on Burnside street destroying ice houses, etc.
 July 13. Dedication of new Marine Bethel on Turner street.
 July 28. Filling of mill pond commenced by B. & M. R. R.
 Aug. 4. Work begun on Canal street.
 Aug. 11. Reception to Gen. Alger.
 Aug. 21. Electric cars to the Willows.
 Sept. 17. Rev. J. W. Buckham installed at Crombie Street Church.
 Sept. 23. Mass. Naval Battalion land at Willows and make sham attack on Fort Lee.
 Sept. 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.

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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. Goldthwaite, 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 \$4,000 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. Wm. 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 Boston 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 street.
 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 28. First issue of Salem News from Peabody building.
 April 26. Removal of Lowell depot on Bridge st. commenced; use discontinued June 26.
 April 28. Fire destroyed factory on Robertson ct.
 May 10. Concert by Gilmore's band.
 June 17. Severe thunder storms.
 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.

EXPRESS WAGONS AT J. B. McLANE'S, North Reading.

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 Workmen.

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 st.
 March 23. Death of James B. Curwen.
 March 28. Fire at Catholic 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.

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- 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 Mindoro for dockage.
- May 17. Dedication of Dickson Memorial Chapel at Greenlawn.
- May 26. Sudden death of Alderman A. J. Fabens at Bridgeport, Conn.
- June 12. Arrington block sold for \$36,350.
- 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 Longham 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.
- Dec. 3. G. H. Letteney killed at new Normal school bldg.
- Dec. 21. Dedication of new East church parish house.
- Dec. 27. Cass Bros.' morocco factory burned.
- 1895.
- Jan. 4. Fire at corner Derby and India streets.
- Jan. 23. Longham meadow water let into Wenham Lake.
- Feb. 9. Frank C. Hunt and Josiah L. Johnson convicted of manslaughter.
- Feb. 13. New chemical engine placed in commission.
- Feb. 23. Fire in Manning and Buffum bldgs. Washington st.; loss \$15,000.
- Feb. 26. Death of Lincoln F. Brigham, ex-Chief Justice, Superior Court.
- Feb. 28. Death of Mrs. Charlotte Bell, 104 years.
- Mch. 5. First license commissioners appointed.
- Mch. 8. Fire cor. Derby and Charter streets.
- Mch. 17. Schr. Yale ashore on outer breakers.
- Mch. 27. Salem Club organized.
- Mch 31. Dedication of North End Mission Chapel on Balcomb st.
- Mch. 31. Essex House closed.
- Apr. 3. New Eng. conference of Meth. churches.
- Apr. 8. Explosion and fire at W. A. South's.
- Apr. 11. Fire at D. Brady's shoe factory; loss \$3,000.
- Apr. 12. Several alarms of fire in Salem and much excitement.
- Apr. 16. Death of Leverett Saltonstall at Boston.
- Apr. 26. Work begun on extension to P. O. bldg.
- May 10. Work on new steamboat wharf at Willows commenced.
- May 18. Death of Dr. Geo. A. Perkins.
- May 22. Death of Gen. William Cogswell at Washington.
- May 28. Derby st. sewer commenced.
- June 9. Death of Dr. William Mack.
- June 13. Fire at Lord's tannery; loss \$8,000.
- June 13. Death of Rev. E. B. Willson.
- June 16. Opening services of new People's Evangelical church.
- June 27. Fire at Flint's shoe factory.
- June 28. Wm. A. Pew, jr. elected Col. 8th Regt. M. V. M.
- July 10. Samuel A. Johnson elected Lt. Col. Second Corps Cadets.
- July 15 and 16. Christian Union and Endeavor Societies visit the city.
- July 25. Two men fatally burned at Warren House.
- July 27. Visit of Kansas City business men.
- Aug. 28. Visit of Knights Templar from Ohio and Virginia.
- Sept 9. New board of overseers of poor elected.
- Sept. 15. Death of Rev. Geo. W. Briggs, formerly of Salem.
- Sept. 16. Opening of Salem Club House.
- Oct. 3. Loring estate sold to Henry M. Whitney.
- Oct. 19. Corner stone of new Leavitt building laid.
- Oct. 22. Salem Cadets celebrate 110th anniversary.
- Oct. 26. Death of Edward H. Payson, 92 years.

ICE WAGONS at J. B. McLane's
NORTH READING.

Oct. 26. Hotel Russell opened.
 Nov. 16. Fire at rubber cement works,
 Highland av.
 Dec. 16. Fire in Post Office building.

1896.

Jan. 4. Fire at Almy, Bigelow & Wash-
 burn's; loss, \$3,500.
 Jan. 6. 20 below zero.
 Jan. 31. Release of G. B. Ives; arrest
 of C. Murphy at San Francisco.
 Feb. 4. Forest River lead mills boundary
 case decided in favor of city.
 Feb. 9. Sch. Florida, bound for Salem,
 lost at Salisbury beach and ten lives.
 Feb. 11. Barn burned at Kernwood.
 Feb. 17. Eighteen below zero.
 Mch. 31. Y. M. C. A. purchased Sanders'
 estate.
 Apr. 9. J. T. Flynn shoots Josie Man-
 ning and himself, killing both.
 Apr. 20. Billiard exhibition by Ives,
 Schaeffer and Garnier.
 Apr. 28. X-ray first used in surgery in
 Salem.
 May 8. Heavy liquor seizure at express
 office.
 May 9. Death of Hubbard Breed.
 May 12. Death of Dr. A. H. Johnson.
 May 17. Death of William G. Webb.
 May 29. C. Murphy sentenced.
 June 9. Annual meeting of Mass. State
 Federation of Women.
 June 13. Walter P. Beckwith, of Adams,
 elected superintendent of Normal
 School in place of D. B. Hagar, re-
 signed after 31 years' service.
 June 29. Salem Cadet Band leave on
 trip to England.
 July 9. Rev. Frederick Lent installed
 at Calvary Baptist Church.
 July 13. Benj. F. Farrar drowned at
 Collins Cove.
 July 14. Fire at Power's stiffening shop.
 July 18. Fire at H. K. Mansfield's barn
 on Leach street.
 July 19. Liquor raids on express offices.
 July 20. Hale block damaged by fire;
 loss \$30,000.
 July 23. Earl estate bought by Father
 Mathew Society.
 July 25. Lyceum Hall sold.
 Aug. 4. Death of D. B. Hagar, principal
 of Normal School, at Sharon.
 Aug. 10. Salem Cadets first encamp-
 ment at Boxford.
 Aug. 14. F. M. Colleston of Winchendon
 elected master of High School.
 Aug. 18. Appropriation of \$42,000 for
 altering High School building.
 Sept. 3. Remains of H. C. Shapleigh
 found.
 Sept. 23. W. S. Nevins elected grand
 master of Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.
 Sept 6. Rev. P. J. Hally resigned.

Sept. 9. Fire at Sibley's factory, Central
 street.
 Sept. 10. Henry Wardwell appointed
 Justice of Superior Court.
 Sept. 12. Cunney's morocco shop burned;
 loss \$15,000.
 Sept. 26. Schools closed on account of
 diphtheria.
 Oct. 11. Schooner Alsatian capsized off
 Baker's Island.
 Oct. 12. Great storm and heavy surf.
 Oct. 30. Sch. Emma J. Gott blown up.
 Nov. 17. Dedication of Father Mathew
 Society building.
 Nov. 26. Death of Addison A. Sawyer.
 Dec. 2. New Normal School building
 occupied.
 Dec. 9. Fire at J. F. Hurley's.
 Dec. 9. Rev. J. W. Davis installed at
 Advent Church.
 Dec. 24. Fire at Sheridan & Duignan's.
 Dec. 28. Report of State Board of Health
 on North River sewer.

1897.

Jan. 26. Dedication of new Normal
 school house.
 Jan. 28. Great snow storm.
 Mch. 5. Fire at Poor Bros. tannery;
 loss, \$3,000.
 Mch. 5. Forest River Lead Works burned;
 loss, \$30,000.
 Mch. 22. Last Salem ship (Mindoro)
 sold.
 Mch. 25. New Essex House opened.
 Mch. 26. New draw in Beverly bridge
 completed.
 Mch. 26. E. J. Prescott installed pastor
 of First Church.
 April 8. Death of Hon. Stephen H.
 Phillips.
 June 4. Aldermen appropriate \$6,500
 for paving Bridge street.
 June 27. Resignation of Rev. E. D.
 Towle, Second Church.
 July 24. Charles McCue killed by light-
 ning.
 July 28. City purchased old Normal
 school building for \$10,000.
 Aug. 2. Work begun on new Y. M. C.
 A. building.
 Aug. 5. Death of Dr. Nathan R. Morse.
 Aug. 20. Death of Charles S. Osgood,
 Register of Deeds.
 Aug. 21. Four cannons placed at dis-
 posal of city for Fort Lee.
 Sept. 7. Corner stone of First Unitarian
 chapel laid.
 Sept. 9. Death of Israel P. Harris.
 Oct. 8. Wm. F. Bulkley killed by cars.
 Oct. 11. Parade of Essex County Cath-
 olic Temperance Societies.
 Oct. 13. Death of N. M. Jackman, ex-
 city marshal.
 Oct. 15. Field day of 8th Regiment.

FINE QUALITIES in Flowers,
 Feathers,
 Laces, etc., at

Reith's, 204 Essex St.,
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Nov. 17. W. Harvey Merrill appointed postmaster.
 Dec. 17. Steamer Michigan struck on Baker's Island ledge.
 Dec. 20. Lecture by Nansen, Arctic explorer.

1898.

Jan 11. Water Board abolished.
 Jan 21. Death of T. Frank Hunt.
 Jan. 24. Salem Lyceum dissolved.
 Jan. 24. 25th anniversary of Essex Cong. Club.
 Feb. 1. Great blizzard and damage to property.
 Feb. 7. Alice M. Hurd killed by cars at Wakefield.
 Feb. 11. Alfred C. Williams convicted of murder.
 Feb. 15. Francis D. Cahill injured in explosion of battleship Maine at Havana.
 Feb. 23. Pilot Joseph Perkins drowned.
 March 1 and 2. Reception and 50th Anniversary of Essex Institute.
 March 5. Miss G. M. Kelly killed by cars at Beverly.
 March 10. Salem Light Infantry called to arms.
 Mch. 14. Fire at J. B. Brogan's factory.
 Mch. 15. Concert by Sousa's band.
 Mch. 16. Capt. John Daland appointed collector of the Port.
 Mch. 28. Death of Geo. L. Ames; \$40,000 bequeathed to Y. M. C. A.
 Mch. 29. Epidemic of mumps.
 April 11. Corner stone of new Y. M. C. A. bldg. laid.
 April 18. Contract awarded for new engine house at head of Essex st.
 April 19. Rev. J. Rounds Smith killed at Chicago.
 April 22. U. S. Govt. requested to protect city during Spanish war.
 April 25. Carl Zerrahn directed Salem Oratorio Society for last time.
 April 28. Wm. A. Pew jr. appointed Col. of 8th Regt.
 April 30. Visit of State Board of fortification.
 May 4. War emergency fund started.
 May 5. 8th Regt. left for camp Dewey.
 May 6. Wakefield and Salem street railway opened.
 May 9. Second Corps Cadets encamped at Marblehead.
 May 25. Death of Henry M. Brooks, secretary of Essex Institute.
 June 3. Battery of Heavy Artillery arrived at Fort Pickering.
 June 6. Two additional batteries arrived.
 June 14. C. E. Wadleigh's barn struck by lightning and burned.
 June 17. Patriotic demonstration at Wil-lows.
 June 18. Henry Harrington fatally shot in Beverly.

June 23. Visit of Knights Templar from Bath, Me.

July 4. Terrific storm; Steamer Surf City capsized and 8 lives lost.

July 9. Alfred C. Williams sentenced to death.

July 14. Fall of Santiago celebrated.

July 26. Body of woman found on Eagle island.

Aug. 9. New road roller arrived.

Aug. 24. Visit of 500 members of Amer. Assoc. for Advancement of Science.

Aug. 27. Clarence Murphy's bondsmen settled.

Sept. 7. Widening of Forest River bridge commenced.

Sept. 15. Military funeral of Wm. H. Sanders.

Sept. 16. Two cottages burned at Baker's island.

Sept. 17. Visit of Sovereign Grand Lodge Odd Fellows.

Sept. 18. Fred M. Marden and H. E. Sanborn drowned.

Sept. 19. First Heavy Artillery left camp at Neck.

Sept. 22. Military funeral of John H. Nichols.

Oct. 7. Alfred C. Williams hanged.

Oct. 15. Death of Joseph H. Phippen.

Oct. 23. Fire at Oil Works.

Oct. 26. Death of Col. Joseph A. Dalton.

Oct. 27. Death of Dr. Arthur Kemble.

Oct. 31. Hadley mission closed.

Nov. 16. Deaths of Francis Cox and John H. Nichols.

Nov. 26. Great snow storm; travel suspended.

Dec. 7. Essex Mut. Fire Ins. Co. voted to stop business.

Dec. 14. First meeting in new Y. M. C. A. building.

Dec. 14. Appropriation for new steam fire engine.

1899.

Jan. 27. Burning of Chapel in Lynde st.

Feb. 13. Great snow storm; Leavitt and Kimball blocks burned.

Mch. 5. Thunder storms.

Mch. 10. Walter F. Peck elected Lt. Col. and Andrew Fitz, major; Second Corps Cadets.

Apr. 1. Lynn and Boston railroad sold to a syndicate.

Apr. 9. Return of Co. H. 8th Regt. and impromptu reception.

Apr. 11. Reception to Co. H. and parade.

Apr. 11. Peace proclaimed with Spain.

Apr. 14. Death of James F. Almy.

Apr. 24. Barton sq. and East churches voted to consolidate.

Apr. 28. Muster out of Co. H.

Apr. 29. Cadets planted over 200 trees at Camp Boxford.

May 11. Trial of new steam fire engine.

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- May 20. Forest River bridge completed.
 May 21. Death of Mrs. Grace A. Oliver.
 May 25. Death of Charles A. Putnam.
 May 25. Salem Coffee Room opened.
 May 28. Death of Capt. Chas. H. Allen.
 May 30. Fire at Pickering's coal wharf.
 May 31. Bad smash up of freight cars in tunnel.
 May 31. National Exchange Bank ceased to do business.
 June 1. C. McCarthy killed at Mill st. crossing.
 June 17. Y. M. C. A. floral parade.
 June 22. New engine house, head of Essex st. first occupied.
 June 25. Severe thunder storm, and fire at West India Fibre Co.
 July 3. Mayne's block burned.
 July 8. Large fire at Asbury Grove.
 July 21. Death of Capt. Jas. B. Nichols.
 Aug. 7. Death of Dr. Laurence Kemble.
 Aug. 9. Boy killed at Willows by electric cars.
 Aug. 16. Franchise refused to Salem Telephone Co.
 Sept. 11. Eighty recruits leave Salem for 42d regiment.
 Sept. 23. Five hundred delegates to International Congregational Council visit Salem.
 Sept. 29. Schooner Wide Awake burned in harbor.
 Oct. 25. First appointment of harbor master.
 Oct. 30. Death of John P. Peabody.
 Nov. 13. Almy, Bigelow & Washburn incorporated.
 Nov. 20. Derelict schooner E. Norris brought into harbor.
 Nov. 27. Misery Island sold.
 Dec. 1. Town meeting in Cadet Hall on North River nuisance.
 Dec. 9. Increase of wages at Naumkeag mills.
 Dec. 14. Centennial anniversary of East India Marine Society.
 Dec. 31. No snow during the month.
- 1900.
- Jan. 6. Salem Fraternity bequeathed \$20,000 by will of J. C. Rogers.
 Jan. 9. Walter Scott Dickson endows Tufts College with a \$50,000 professorship on condition that Rev. E. C. Bolles be given the chair.
 Jan. 12. \$3,000 fire at Tontine bldg.
 Jan. 31. Aldermen petition for new city charter.
 Feb. 12. Homœopathic Dispensary opened.
 Feb. 16. Thos. Hamilton killed by express wagon.
 Feb. 26. Clarence Murphy's case presented at U. S. Supreme Court on a writ of error.
 Mch. 3. L. & B. R. R. acquire possession of all roads in vicinity of Salem.
 Mch. 5. Death of Chas. S. Nichols.
 Mch. 7. John Creedon killed by train near Swampscott.
 Mch. 15. Death of Caleb Smith.
 Apr. 14. Schooner Carl Schurz run down in harbor and sunk by the Wm. N. Roberts.
 Apr. 16. School board votes to discontinue kindergartens.
 May 12. Death of Walter Scott Dickson.
 May 13. Death of Charles W. Palfray.
 May 15. Misery Island sold to syndicate.
 May 17. Will of W. S. Dickson made public. Many bequests to institutions of Salem and vicinity.
 May 19. Death of John H. Langmaid at Paris.
 June 26. Sudden death of G. A. D. Stickney.
 July 9. Death of Henry M. Meek.
 July 17. City Council votes \$6,500 for Castle Hill school.
 July 18. Dr. Webb's house on Essex st. damaged by lightning.
 July 18. H. C. Page appointed gen'l supt. L. & B. R. R.
 July 20. Barton Square Church property leased for new theatre.
 Aug. 30. Plan for new Salem and Beverly bridge presented by Mayor Little.
 Sept. 7. Daniel Crimmins instantly killed by train near Northey st.
 Sept. 13. Visit of Lyman Gage, Sec. of U. S. Treasury.
 Sept. 15. Essex Co. parade of G. A. R.
 Sept. 24. H. G. O'Donnell fatally injured at Boston.
 Sept. 24. Work of remodeling Post Office completed.
 Sept. 30. New St. James Church used for worship.
 Oct. 2. Visit of "Father" Clark.
 Oct. 8. Carter's morocco shop destroyed by fire.
 Oct. 15. James W. Nichols convicted of forgery of a deed.
 Oct. 17. Body of Geo. E. Bailey found in Floating Bridge Pond.
 Oct. 19. Death of Maj. Thos. H. Johnson.
 Oct. 20. John H. Best, suspected murderer of Bailey, brought to Salem.
 Oct. 21. St. James Church dedicated.
 Oct. 27. Wm. P. Walsh killed by shifter.
 Oct. 29. Vestibule cars crash into each other at Gardner's hill.
 Nov. 2. Bailey inquest begins.
 Nov. 22. L. & B. R. R. granted franchise for road over Highland ave.
 Nov. 23. Sudden death of Albert B. Russell.
 Nov. 25. Pullman crashes into freight at local yard.
 Dec. 1. New Homœopathic hospital opens.

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- Dec. 4. New England swept by small cyclone, 10 vessels wrecked in Salem and Beverly harbors.
- Dec. 8. Fannie Lynch, 13 years old, caught robbing the mails.
- 1901.
- Jan. 12. Horace S. Traill, a former proprietor of the Salem Observer, dies.
- Jan. 13. Fire in Glover building, Lafayette st. Loss about \$4,000.
- Jan. 14. Trustees of new Homœopathic Hospital Association elected.
- Jan. 19. Central Baptist Church celebrates its 75th anniversary.
- Jan. 22. New hall of St. Joseph's parish, Harbor st., opened.
- Jan. 24. Mrs. Nancy Colwell Blake, of Boston, bequeathed about \$40,000 for chapel at Harmony Grove Cemetery.
- Jan. 25. John C. Best indicted for murder of George E. Bailey at Saugus.
- Jan. 27. Death of James Harris.
- Feb. 1. Schooner Sarah Potter hauled off the rocks at Salem Neck after many attempts.
- Feb. 2. Churches unite in a memorial service at St. Peter's Church in honor of Queen Victoria.
- Feb. 10. Fire in Central House block. Loss about \$10,000.
- Feb. 20. Opening of Almy, Bigelow and Washburn's remodeled store.
- Feb. 23. Frank Webber, 7 years old, has legs crushed by cars and afterwards dies.
- Mch. 6. Hezekiah Sleeper, sexton of Universalist Church for 54 years, dies at age of 89 years.
- Mch. 11. Death of Dr. Leroy J. Cherrington.
- Mch. 15. Walter R. Luscomb suffocated at fire in Advertiser building, Boston.
- Mch. 20. Henry P. Moulton nominated by president as district attorney of District of Massachusetts.
- Apr. 5. Gov. Crane signs bill prohibiting turning of manufacturers' waste into North River.
- Apr. 6. Death of William G. Webber.
- Apr. 7. Fire destroys Gifford's mills and other buildings on Bridge st. Loss about \$50,000.
- Apr. 16. Sudden death of Capt. J. Warren Luscomb.
- Apr. 25. The new Salem Theatre opened with presentation of "Way Down East."
- April 29. Appropriation bill finally passed over mayor's veto.
- May 1. No license goes into effect.
- May 11. Death of Michael H. Flynn.
- May 12. Death at Andover of Hon. Willard P. Phillips, formerly of Salem.
- May 20. B. J. Mulligan assigns; liabilities about \$200,000.
- June 1. Almost a riot in Essex street caused by clothing gift.
- June 10. Board of trade organized.
- June 13. Sarah McSwiggin burned to death at her home on Boston street.
- June 18. Elias C. Larrabee struck by bicyclist on Bridge street and fatally injured.
- June 26. Aldermen refuse to confirm Packard as city marshal.
- July 2. Fire in Hurley block, Bow street. Loss \$10,000.
- July 10. Death of Gilbert L. Streeter, financier and editor.

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EVENTS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

1899 TO 1901.

1899.

- May 27. U. S. distributes \$3,000,000 among Cuban soldiers.
- May 30. Gen. Wheeler, noted confederate, takes part in Memorial Day exercises at Boston.
- June 1. Diplomatic relations with Spain resumed.
- June 2. Major Esterhazy confesses he wrote Bordereau in Dreyfus case.
- June 4. President Loubet of France assaulted by mob at Auteuil races.
- June 5. Assistant Cashier Hough of Cocheco National Bank of Dover, N. H. disappears; bank doors closed.
- June 7. Augustin Daly, American theatrical manager, dies in Paris.
- June 8. Secy. of War calls for 5,000 men for Philippine service.
- June 11. Manila reports state Province of Cavite is in American hands.
- June 12. Cyclone devastates towns in Wisconsin and vicinity; about 300 lives lost.
- June 13. Severe engagement between Gen. Lawton and Filipinos at Bacoor.
- June 17. North Atlantic squadron, Admiral Wm. T. Sampson commander, arrives in Boston harbor.
- June 25. Fire in Fort Hill, Boston, loss \$170,000.
- June 30. Caroline Islands ceded to Germany by Spain.
- July 2. Street riots in Valencia, Spain; soldiers fire on mob.
- July 6. Secy. of War issues orders to recruit 10 regiments for Philippine service.
- July 11. Protection of American flag extended to shipping of Porto Rico and Philippines.
- July 15. Chief Justice Field of Mass. Supreme Judicial Court dies.
- July 16. Strike of employes of Brooklyn street cars begins.
- July 21. Steamer Diana sailed from Sydney, N. S., with food for Perry in Artic regions.
- July 21. Brooklyn, N. Y. car strikers give up contest.
- July 21. Car strikes at Cleveland, O. Many street riots.
- July 21. Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, celebrated agnostic, dies at Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.
- July 24. Peace conference at the Hague draws up conventions for Nations' approval.
- July 26. Gen. Ulises Heureaux, Pres. of Santo Domingo, assassinated.
- July 28. Cleveland car strike continues and cars blown up.
- Aug. 1. Sec. of War Alger resigns from cabinet and is succeeded by Elihu Root of New York.
- Aug. 6. Trolley car jumps track on trestle at Stratford, Conn. and falls 65 feet, 28 killed.
- Aug. 6. Platform at Mt. Desert, Me. ferry slip gives way, 20 drowned.
- Aug. 7. Dreyfus trial begins in Rennes, France.
- Aug. 9. Gen. McArthur defeats Filipino force of 6,000 at San Fernando.
- Aug. 9. Cyclone in West Indies wrecks U. S. barracks in San Juan and does much damage in Ponce and other places. Hundreds perish.
- Aug. 9. England and Transvaal making preparations for war.
- Aug. 20. All day riots in Paris.
- Sept. 9. Dreyfus declared guilty.
- Sept. 10. Lieut. Peary's steamer "Windward" returns to Brigus, N. F. Peary still pushing North.
- Sept. 12. Cornelius Vanderbilt dies in New York.
- Sept. 19. Capt. Dreyfus pardoned.
- Sept. 26. Admiral Dewey in the "Olympia" arrives in New York harbor.
- Sept. 29. 2,000,000 people witness magnificent river pageant at New York in honor of Admiral Dewey.
- Oct. 3. Anglo-Venezuelan boundary arbitration convention gives decision mainly in favor of England.
- Oct. 3. Admiral Dewey presented with a sword by President McKinley in behalf of nation.
- Oct. 12. Admiral Dewey given great home reception in Vermont.

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- Oct. 12. War declared by Transvaal and Orange Free State with England.
- Oct. 12. President McKinley declared in speech his policy to retain Philipines permanently.
- Oct. 13. Boers give battle to British near Ladysmith.
- Oct. 14. Boston greets Dewey.
- Oct. 16. Yacht Columbia wins first race with Shamrock. News sent to papers by wireless telegraph.
- Oct. 17. Columbia wins second race.
- Oct. 17. British Parliament meets in extraordinary session and votes to uphold government in Transvaal policy.
- Oct. 20. Columbia wins third race.
- Nov. 9. Great political excitement in Kentucky. Election in doubt.
- Nov. 9. Admiral Dewey married to Mrs. Hazen in Washington.
- Nov. 21. Death of Vice-President Hobart in New Jersey.
- Nov. 27. New Charlestown bridge at Boston opened.
- Nov. 29. Fire in Philadelphia; loss, \$2,000,000; Lippincott Co. losers.
- Dec. 3. United States Congress convenes. Roberts, of Utah, not allowed to take oath.
- Dec. 8. Election commissioners in Kentucky decide in favor of Gov. Taylor, Republican.
- Dec. 9. Carbonado, Wash. mine fire causes loss of 32 lives.
- Dec. 9. British under Gen. Gatacre repulsed at Stomberg. Heavy losses.
- Dec. 10. Fire at Augusta. Ga. Loss \$1,000,000.
- Dec. 11. Gen. Methuen checked at Modder River. Both sides lose heavily. Gen. Wauchope killed.
- Dec. 12. Announced that Americans have control of Northern Luzon.
- Dec. 13. Gen. Leonard Wood assigned to command division of Cuba.
- Dec. 15. John P. Squire Co. pork packers of Boston, assign. Liabilities, \$3,000,000.
- Dec. 15. British under Gen. Buller attempt to cross Tugela river to relieve Ladysmith. Repulsed with heavy loss.
- Dec. 17. Lord Roberts appointed to command British in Africa with Gen. Kitchener chief of staff.
- Dec. 18. Lieut. Gilmore and party escape from Filipinos. Panic in stock market.
- Dec. 19. Major Gen. Henry W. Lawson shot and killed at San Mateo, P. I.
- Dec. 22. Globe Nat. Bank of Boston suspends.
- Dec. 22. Dwight L. Moody, evangelist, dies at his home in East Northfield.
- Dec. 24. Daniel S. Ford, philanthropist and owner of Youth's Companion, dies in Boston.
- Dec. 25. Salvation army feeds 7,000 in Boston and 24,000 in New York.
- Dec. 27. New Masonic Temple in Boston dedicated.
- 1900.
- Jan. 6. Boers attack Ladysmith and are repulsed; British loss 800, Boers 2,000.
- Jan. 16. U. S. Senate ratifies Samoan treaty.
- Jan. 25. Roberts of Utah, polygamist, denied seat in National House.
- Jan. 25. Buller's advance towards Ladysmith checked and Spion Kop abandoned.
- Jan. 30. Senator Goebel, democratic contestant for governorship of Kentucky, shot; much excitement.
- Jan. 31. Goebel, though dying, sworn in as Governor of Kentucky.
- Feb. 11. Roland B. Molineux found guilty of murder of Mrs. Adams in New York.
- Feb. 13. Floods cause much damage in New England.
- Feb. 13. Lord Roberts begins invasion of Orange Free State across Modder river.
- Feb. 15. British relieve Kimberly with 20,000 people after seige of 123 days.
- Feb. 27. Gen. Cronje, with 4,000 men, surrenders to Lord Roberts.
- Feb. 28. Porto Rico bill with tariff rates passes National House.
- Feb. 28. Gen. Buller relieves Ladysmith after a siege of 118 days.
- Mch. 8. Theatre Francais, Paris, burned.
- Mch. 14. "Gold Standard" bill becomes law.
- Mch. 14. Lord Roberts raises the Union Jack over Bloomfontein, capital of the Orange Free State.
- Mch. 25. Boxers begin an anti-foreign crusade in China and Chinese authorities appear powerless.
- Mch. 27. Gen. Piet. Joubert, leading Boer general, dies at Pretoria.
- April 1. 30,000 coal miners in Pittsburg, Pa. district strike.
- April 4. Attempt to shoot Prince of Wales at Brussels unsuccessful.
- April 4. Queen Victoria visits Dublin: first time for 39 years.
- April 7. \$3,000,000 flood in Texas; 34 deaths.
- April 7. British defeat at Meerkatsfontein; loss 1,500.
- April 12. Porto Rican bill becomes law, to take effect May 1.
- April 14. Paris exposition opened.
- April 17. In U. S. Senate Senator Hoar delivers masterly speech in favor of Philippine independence.
- April 26. Ottawa and Hull, Quebec,

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- nearly wiped out by flames; loss \$17-000,000; 20,000 homeless; 9 deaths.
- April 29. Foot bridge at Paris exposition falls; 9 killed.
- May 1. Munkaczy, celebrated painter, dies at Bonn.
- May 1. Explosion in mine at Schofield, Utah; 239 bodies recovered.
- May 1. Charles H. Allen of Mass. inaugurated first governor of Porto Rico.
- May 6. Gen. Garcia, second in command of Filipinos, captured.
- May 6. Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany takes oath of allegiance.
- May 7. Car strikes at St. Louis; street riots.
- May 8. Eruption of Mt. Vesuvius increases.
- May 14-16. Lynn celebrates its 50th anniversary as a city.
- May 15. Two pleasure boats capsized at Ronciglione, Italy; 30 lost.
- May 18. Besieged garrison at Mafeking relieved by British.
- May 20. Dr. Lorimer of Boston refuses call to presidency of Columbian University.
- May 21. Sec'y of State Hay refuses request of Boer delegates to mediate in South African trouble.
- May 24. Price, McCormick & Co. of New York suspend. Liabilities \$13,000,000.
- May 28. Eclipse of sun, total in South, partial in New England.
- May 28. Union Straw Factory, Foxboro, burned; loss \$250,000.
- May 30. Foreign nations decide to land troops in China to protect their citizens.
- June 5. Lord Roberts enters Pretoria, the Transvaal capital, without opposition.
- June 8. Nelson A. Miles appointed Lieut. General.
- June 10. Foreign troops attempt to force their way to Pekin.
- June 10. Trolley car accident at Warwick, R. I.; four killed.
- June 15. Members of legations at Pekin virtually prisoners.
- June 23. Track washout at McDonough, Ga. causes loss of 35 lives.
- June 28. World excited by reports that all foreign diplomats at Pekin are slain.
- June 30. Three large steamships and wharf burned at Hoboken, with probable loss of 300 lives and \$8,000,000.
- July 1. Cuban school teachers arrive in Cambridge.
- July 2. St. Louis car strikes ended.
- July 4. Trolley car accident at Webster, two killed; and at Tacoma, Wash., 25 killed.
- July 4. Statue of Lafayette, the gift of American school children, unveiled in Paris.
- July 5. Henry Barnard, famous educator, dies at Hartford, Conn.
- July 12. Burning oil tank car explodes in East Somerville, burning 30, killing 1.
- July 16. Allied forces capture Tientsin, with loss of 800 men.
- July 19. Fire at Charlestown navy yard.
- July 29. King Humbert of Italy assassinated at Monza.
- July 31. John C. Ridpath, noted historian, dies at New York.
- Aug. 2. Unsuccessful attempt to kill Shah of Persia at Paris.
- Aug. 3. Victor Emanuel made King of Italy.
- Aug. 5. Anarchist riot at Chicago.
- Aug. 5. Allies defeat Chinese at Peitsang; loss, 400.
- Aug. 10. Lord Russell, Chief Justice of England, dies.
- Aug. 11. French torpedo boat destroyer in collision, 42 drowned.
- Aug. 12. Omnibus struck by train at Slatington, Penn.; 15 killed.
- Aug. 14. Collis P. Huntington, founder of So. Pac. Railway, dies in Adirondacks.
- Aug. 15. Allied armies enter Pekin. Foreign legations safe.
- Aug. 16. Topsfield's two hundred and fiftieth anniversary celebrated.
- Aug. 27. Li Hung Chang appointed to treat with allies.
- Aug. 28. Boston fifth city in U. S. Pop. 560,892.
- Sept. 8. Galveston hurricane and flood, 5,000 to 8,000 lives, and \$10,000,000 loss.
- Sept. 10. U. S. government sends 10,000 tents and 50,000 rations to Texas.
- Sept. 12. Pres. Kruger leaves Transvaal. War practically ended.
- Sept. 12. Hotel at Narragansett Pier burned.
- Sept. 13. Forest fires near Plymouth.
- Sept. 14. Rear-Admiral Sicard dies at Westernville, N. Y.
- Sept. 15. Hotel and houses at Salisbury Beach burned.
- Sept. 17. 125,000 miners in Penn. coal fields strike.
- Sept. 17. World contributes over \$1,000,000 for Galveston.
- Sept. 21. U. S. orders two-thirds of her troops to retire from China.
- Sept. 23. Martinez de Campo, Spanish General, dies.
- Oct. 5. Thirteen firemen injured at Waltham fire.
- Oct. 15. Company of U. S. soldiers, prisoners of Filipinos, rescued.
- Oct. 17. Tenement house fire in New York; eight dead.
- Oct. 17. Resignation of Edward Everett Hale as pastor of South Cong. church. Made pastor emeritus.

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- Oct. 20. England and Germany form alliance in regard to China.
- Oct. 20. Capt. John G. B. Adams dies in State House.
- Oct. 22. John Sherman, eminent statesman, dies in Washington.
- Oct. 23. Cashier Alvord of First Nat. Bank N. Y. embezzles \$700,000.
- Oct. 29. Fire in Tarrant & Co's. drug factory, N. Y. kills 25, injures 127.
- Oct. 29. London greets returned London city troops.
- Oct. 31. Population of U. S. 76,295,220.
- Nov. 1. U. S. troops sail from China for Manila.
- Nov. 6. McKinley and Roosevelt elected. Both houses Republican.
- Nov. 10. New York Central R. R. takes charge of Boston and Albany R. R.
- Nov. 10. Severe gales along New England shore. Number of vessels lost.
- Nov. 10. Steamer City of Monticello founders near Yarmouth, N. S. Over 30 drowned.
- Nov. 14. Ex-Pres. Kruger arrives at Suez from Africa.
- Nov. 15. Blizzard throughout Lake Region.
- Nov. 16. Woman unsuccessfully attempts life of Emperor William.
- Nov. 20. Charles H. Hoyt, famous playwright, dies at Charlestown, N. H.
- Nov. 20. Cyclone causes much damage at sea.
- Nov. 22. Sir Arthur Sullivan, comic opera composer, dies in London.
- Nov. 23. Sultan of Turkey rejects request for exequator for U. S. consul.
- Nov. 24. Ex-President Kruger greeted by vast crowds in France.
- Nov. 29. 100 people fall through roof upon glass retorts in San Francisco; 14 killed, many injured.
- Nov. 29. Thomas Baldwin, band master, dies in Boston.
- Dec. 1. Nicaragua concedes canal rights to U. S.
- Dec. 6. Ex-Pres. Kreuger arrives at the Hague; warmly received but no encouragement given him.
- Dec. 8. Chamberlain promises Boers eventual self-government.
- Dec. 11. George von L. Meyer of Mass. appointed Ambassador to Italy.
- Dec. 12. Celebration at Washington as its 100th anniversary as seat of government.
- Dec. 13. Senate adopts fortification amendment to Hay-Pauncefote treaty.
- Dec. 15. Ex-Pres. Harrison claims newly acquired islands to be part of U. S.
- Dec. 16. Cyrus A. Bartol, D. D. dies in Boston.
- Dec. 19. Mrs. Mary A. Livermore celebrates her 80th birthday.
- Dec. 21. The Powers instruct their representatives to sign joint note to China.
- Dec. 21. Ex-Gov. Roger Wolcott dies after short illness.
- Dec. 24. Funeral services of Ex-Gov. Walcott held at Trinity church.
- Dec. 26. Dock laborers' strike at Antwerp becomes serious.

1901.

- Jan. 1. The 20th century ushered in by trumpeters and singers at the State House and by watch meetings, bell ringing and cheering everywhere.
- Jan. 1. Stain and Cromwell pardoned after serving 12 years for murder of bank cashier at Dexter, Me.
- Jan. 2. Public donations and bequests during 1900 over \$62,000,000.
- Jan. 2. Lord Roberts made an Earl and a Knight of the Garter.
- Jan. 6. Hotel fire at Minneapolis, Minn. 8 killed.
- Jan. 6. Philip D. Armour died in Chicago.
- Jan. 6. People of Massachusetts invited to contribute for memorial to Ex-Gov. Wolcott
- Jan. 8. Fire in Orphan Asylum at Rochester, N. Y.; 19 lives lost.
- Jan. 8. Steamer Russia stranded at Faraman, France, 90 lives in peril.
- Jan. 9. U. S. Senate kills amendment to Army Bill allowing army canteens.
- Jan. 9. Chinese plenipotentiaries sign the joint note.
- Jan. 11. Crew of steamer Russia saved after three days of peril.
- Jan. 15. Sen. Hoar re-elected for fifth term.
- Jan. 18. Verdict of murder in second degree given in "Bosschieter" case at Patterson, N. J.
- Jan. 20. Life savers along the coast save many vessels and lives.
- Jan. 21. Mrs. Nation of Wichita, Kan., continues saloon wrecking.
- Jan. 22. Queen Victoria passes away at 6.30 P. M., and the Prince of Wales becomes King Edward VII.
- Jan. 23. British Parliament meets and takes oath of allegiance to King Edward VII.
- Jan. 23. Fire in business section of Montreal; loss \$2,500,000.
- Jan. 25. President McKinley sends message to Congress, asking for civil government in the Philippines.
- Jan. 26. Guiseppe Verdi, great Italian composer, dies at age of 86.
- Feb. 1. Remains of Queen Victoria removed from Osborne House to Portsmouth with great naval display.
- Feb. 1. Death of Steve Brodie, the bridge jumper.

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- Feb. 2. Services in memory of Queen Victoria held in many cities of U. S.
- Feb. 2. Queens body taken to London with great military display; burial service at St. George's chapel.
- Feb. 4. First heavy snow fall of the winter.
- Feb. 4. The Queen entombed at Frogmore; mourned by the whole civilized world.
- Feb. 6. Nelson A. Miles appointed Lieut. General.
- Feb. 7. Mine explosion in Durango, Mexico, destroys portion of village and kills 87 men, women and children.
- Feb. 7. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin married.
- Feb. 10. Tenement house fire on Harrison ave. Boston; 6 deaths.
- Feb. 11. Emperor of China orders six government officers to commit suicide.
- Feb. 14. King Edward opens his first parliament, amid much splendor.
- Feb. 14. Serious riots in Spain; martial law in Madrid province.
- Feb. 15. Many Filipinos surrender with their arms.
- Feb. 16. Sixty men entombed in a burning coal mine at Cumberland, B. C.
- Feb. 19. Fire in New Haven, Conn.; four firemen killed.
- Feb. 19. Chinese say they will comply with all the demands of the powers.
- Feb. 19. Owners of St. Paul's church, Boston, refuse to sell for \$1,500,000.
- Feb. 19. Woman killed by saloon smashers in Milwood, Kan.
- Feb. 20. First fatal accident in Boston subway.
- Feb. 21. Trains in collision at Bordentown, N. J.; 12 lives lost.
- Feb. 22. Steamer Rio Janeiro sinks in San Francisco Bay; 150 lives lost, including Consul General Wildman.
- Feb. 25. Steel trust formed with \$1,100,000,000 capital.
- Feb. 25. Minister Conger resigns U. S. affairs in China to W. W. Rockhill.
- Feb. 26. Two Chinese leaders publicly beheaded in Pekin.
- Feb. 27. Cubans refuse to adopt plan of U. S.
- Feb. 27. U. S. Senate passes army bill.
- Feb. 28. Rear Admiral Cervera made a vice-admiral of the Spanish navy by the Queen Regent.
- Mch. 4. Inauguration of President McKinley and Vice-President Roosevelt.
- Mch. 5. Remains of the revolutionary hero, Nathaniel Greene, found in a Savannah vault.
- Mch. 6. Attempt made to kill German emperor.
- Mch. 6. Commandant W. D. Snyman of the Boer army given an enthusiastic reception at Boston.
- Mch. 6. John D. Rockefeller gives \$110,000 to Vassar college.
- Mch. 13. Death of Ex-President Benjamin Harrison at Indianapolis.
- Mch. 13. Andrew Carnegie gives \$5,000,000 for benefit of former employes.
- Mch. 15. Andrew Carnegie gives \$5,000,000 for libraries in New York.
- Mch. 15. Fire in Advertiser building, Boston; three lives lost.
- Mch. 25. Tornado in Alabama. About 25 lives lost.
- Mch. 17. China refuses to sign Manchurian treaty with Russia.
- Mch. 28. Gen. Funston captures Aguinaldo.
- Mch. 30. Death of Roland Reed, well-known actor.
- Mch. 30. Gen. Funston appointed Brig. General for capturing Aguinaldo.
- Apr. 8. Floods cause much damage in Mass.
- Apr. 12. Last girder of the Boston elevated railroad placed in position.
- Apr. 14. Fire destroys Sturtevant Blower Works, Jamaica Plain. Loss, \$350,000.
- Apr. 21. Dam gives way at Middlefield, near Chester, flooding surrounding country.
- May 3. Jacksonville, Fla. laid in ruins by fire. Loss, \$10,000,000.
- May 9. "Stock gamblers" panic on stock exchange.
- May 14. Street railroad strike in Albany, N. Y. causes riots.
- May 20. Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y. formally dedicated.
- May 26. Electric cars collide in Albany, N. Y.; 5 killed, 40 injured.
- May 27. U. S. Supreme Court declares Porto Rico to be part of United States, but outside the tariff laws.
- May 27. Explosion in coal mine in Tennessee; 21 bodies recovered.
- May 28. Cuban convention accepts terms of United States.
- June 8. Storm in Oklahoma kills many and does much damage.
- June 10. Elevated railroad, Boston, open to public travel.
- June 12. Cuban convention again accepts terms of United States.
- June 14. Ferryboats collide in New York harbor. Many lives in peril but none lost.
- June 21. Fireworks in house in Patterson, N. J. explode; 15 lives lost, many injured.
- June 23. Adelbert S. Hay, consul at Pretoria, and son of Secretary of State Hay, falls from window and is killed.
- June 23. Cloudburst in West Virginia causes much damage.

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| <p>July 3. A week of hot weather causes many deaths all over country.</p> <p>July 4. Civil rule is inaugurated in Philippine Islands.</p> <p>July 12. Death of Senor Frederico Erzuriz, president of Chili.</p> | <p>July 13. Employes United States Steel Corporation strike. Continued extreme heat in the West causes loss of \$500,000,000 to farmers.</p> |
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WHARVES.

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| <p>Almshouse, near Almshouse
Central, 187 Derby
Clark's, 29 Peabody
Collins' Bros. 72 North
Derby, 173 Derby opp. Custom House
Fairfield's, 283 Derby and 60 Central
Hamilton & Balcomb's, 275 Derby
Hunt's, foot of White
Lane's, rear 77 Union
Langmaid's, 293 and 313 Derby</p> | <p>Manning's, 285, 287. 291 Derby
Peabody's, 255 Derby
Pennsylvania Pier, Derby opp. Webb
Phillips', 45 and 65 Derby
Pickering's, 17 Peabody and 87 Union
Putnam's, 235 Derby
Salem Gas Co.'s, near Essex Bridge
Smith's, 197 Derby
Very's, 179 Derby
Whipple's, 183 Derby</p> |
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VILLAGES, HILLS, PARKS, PLACES, ETC.

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| <p>Carltonville, part of Ward 6, near Oak and Flint sts.
Castle Hill, at junc. of Ocean ave. and B. & M. R. R.
Fort Lee, left of Fort ave. near Willows
Fort Pickering, Winter Island
Gallows or Witch Hill, west of Boston st.
Juniper Point, Salem Neck, near Willows
Kernwood, North Salem, at end of Sargent st.
Legg's Hill, off Loring ave.
Lookout Hill, Highland ave.</p> | <p>Mack Park, junc. Grove and Mason
Mason Hill, off Mason st. at Myrtle
Nauvoo, portion of Ward 3, near Mill pond
Neck, at eastern end of Salem
North Salem, all of Ward 6
South Salem, all of Ward 5
Unionville, portion of North Salem, at Grove, Phillips and Irving sts.
Willows, eastern part of Salem Neck
Winter Island, south of Salem Neck</p> |
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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.

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