

Lady Wentworth.

A NEW POEM BY LONSFELLOW.

One hundred years ago, and something more, In Queen's reign, Portsmouth, at her tavern door,...

It was a pretty picture, full of grace— The young girl, so delicate, thin face;...

It was a pleasant mansion, an abode Near and yet hidden from the public road;...

The years came and the years went—seven is all— And passed in cloud and sunshine o'er the hall;...

And all these years had Martha known served The greatest honor that a mortal man can have;...

And now the ceaseless turning of the mill Of time, that never for an hour stands still;...

Who disappeared in a servant's car, Who to disappear and presently there stood Within the room;...

Who represented England and the King, Who to the Governor of the State was sent;...

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Receipts by Railroad, December 23.

SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD. 2216 bbls grain, 220 bbls flour, 200 sacks of...

NORTHEASTERN RAILROAD. 143 bales upland and 22 bags sea island cotton, 249 bbls...

SAVANNAH AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD. 75 bales sea island and 63 bales upland cotton, 972 bushels...

Passengers. Per steamer Water Lily, from Ellisto, Enter, prize and...

PORT CALENDAR. MOON'S PHASES. Last Quarter 5th, 11h 23m, 25 minutes, morning...

MARINE NEWS. CHARLESTON, S. C., DECEMBER 25, 1871. Lat 32 deg 46 min 33 sec. Lon 79 deg 57 min 58 sec.

ARRIVED SATURDAY. Sch'r E. DeHart, Pihkham, Baracoa—7 days. Fruit, To Paul, Welch & Brandaes.

DEPARTED SATURDAY. Steamer Water Lily, To Ligo, Edisto, Enterprise, Rockville, and Way Landings.

MEMORANDA. The sch'r Adde Blaxland, Fairfield, from Boston for Charleston, was at Vineyard Haven 19th Dec.

OFFICIAL. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. OFFICE OF AUDITOR OF STATE. COLUMBIA, S. C., DECEMBER 20, 1871.

Special Notices.

CONSIGNEES PER STEAMSHIP SOUTH CAROLINA, from New York, are hereby notified that she will discharge cargo...

CONSIGNEES PER STEAMSHIP GULF STREAM, from Philadelphia, are hereby notified that she will discharge cargo...

CONSIGNEES PER STEAMSHIP JAMES ADGER, from New York, are notified that she will discharge cargo...

CONSIGNEES NOTICE—CONSIGNEES BY BARK HANINA are hereby notified that she has this day been entered under the Five Day Act.

THE PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK, CHARLESTON, S. C., DECEMBER 23, 1871—In accordance with the usual custom...

THE PLANTERS' AND MECHANICS' BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA—CHARLESTON, S. C., DECEMBER 23, 1871—Monday being Christmas Day...

PEOPLE'S BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA, CHARLESTON, DECEMBER 23, 1871—Monday being Christmas, this Bank will be closed to-day.

CITY TREASURY, 23d DECEMBER, 1871—By resolution of Council, City Taxes for 1871 will be received at this office...

OFFICE SOUTHWESTERN RAILROAD BANK—The Transfer Books of the South Carolina Railroad Company and Southwestern Railroad Bank will be closed from the first to the fifteenth of January, 1872...

THE BEST PLAN TO SECURE something in the BUTLER, CHADWICK & GARY DRAWING, is to put half the amount invested in single tickets, and half in Clubs of sixty-two.

Diamond Raffle.

OFFICIAL RAFFLED NUMBERS OF THE DIAMOND RAFFLE OF THE CHARLESTON CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION AT No. 147 MEETING STREET, IN PUBLIC, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FREE SCHOOL FUND, RAFFLED AT CHARLESTON, S. C., THIS 23d DAY OF DECEMBER, 1871, under the Superintendence of the Commissioners.

NUMBER. AWARDS. VALUE. 1000. One Award of one large Diamond Cross Breastpin, large Diamonds—designated as No. 5 in the awards—valued at..... 8000

1000. One Award of one set of Diamond Earrings and Breastpin—large Diamonds—designated as No. 3 in the awards—valued at..... 1000

1000. One Award of a Gentleman's Gold Watch, (designated as No. 15 in the awards) valued at..... 300

1000. One Award of a Gentleman's Gold Watch, (designated as No. 16 in the awards) valued at..... 300

1000. One Award of a Gentleman's Gold Watch, (designated as No. 17 in the awards) valued at..... 300

1000. One Award of a Gentleman's Gold Watch, (designated as No. 18 in the awards) valued at..... 300

1000. One Award of a Gentleman's Gold Watch, (designated as No. 19 in the awards) valued at..... 300

1000. One Award of a Gentleman's Gold Watch, (designated as No. 20 in the awards) valued at..... 300

1000. One Award of a Gentleman's Gold Watch, (designated as No. 21 in the awards) valued at..... 300

Shipping.

THE PHILADELPHIA IRON STEAM LINE. THE REGULAR PACKET RIVERDALE, having nearly all her cargo engaged, will load immediately for above port.

THE REGULAR PACKET MYROVER, Brown, Master, wants light freight, cotton, etc., to all up and leave promptly.

FOR EDISTO, ENTERPRISE AND WAY LANDINGS. The steamer POOSIN, Captain W. H. Gannon, will leave as above, on TUESDAY, 26th inst., at 6 o'clock P. M.

FOR GARDNER'S BLUFF, AND INTERMEDIATE LANDINGS ON THE PEEDER RIVER VIA GEORGETOWN, S. C. The steamer PLANTER, Captain J. T. Foster, will receive Freight at Accommodation Wharf, Wednesday, the 27th inst., and leave on Thursday.

FOR FLORIDA, VIA SAVANNAH, TWICE A WEEK. The splendid Steamer CITY POINT, Captain COXETER, will sail as follows: The CITY POINT every FRIDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock.

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