

Travelers' Directory.

Trains of the Home, Waterbury and Orangeburg, Vermont, 7:35 A. M. 1:24 P. M. For Rome, 8:10 A. M. 12:03 P. M. 4:20 P. M. For Orangeburg, 7:30 A. M. 4:20 P. M. 8:20 Saturday.

OUR PATRONS will greatly oblige us by leaving their orders for Advertising, Job Work and Binding at our Counting Room, in the Arcade.

CITY AND COUNTRY.

Roberts again yesterday. Mercury about "spirited." Rain—strange but true—has come. Races open to-morrow at River Park Course.

Our bath house was yesterday owing to the condition of the atmosphere. Election of Water Commissioners at Mayor's office, to-day.

The heat being excessive yesterday, the churches were not crowded. People had not ambition to dress and venture forth. The thought that there is a future, and that those days cannot always last, makes us think of happiness.

Stone a treat sewer still slowly progresses. The enterprise will not wane during the summer. Burglars were seen Saturday night and last night in the vicinity of John Lamon's residence.

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THE GRASS AND GRAIN CROP.

The crop of hay in this county, generally, must be light. Still there are many meadows of well filled land, that on account of the richness of the soil from the application of manure, or of its natural constituents, have resisted the prolonged drought, and produced a crop of hay of exceptional quality.

One of the principal benefits derived from the application of manure to the soil, is the absorbing and retaining of moisture. Hence the importance of properly manuring the soil in this county, so subject to drought. We are informed that in some few cases, for want of pastures, farmers have been compelled to turn their cattle into their meadows.

We do not suppose that the hay crop of this county, however, there is in this section of the county, a large amount of old hay. Then our farmers are frightened in time, that is, before they are hurt, and in time to provide for the future.

We heard a farmer remark recently in a connection, that there was an overabundance of Providence, in whose hands are the destinies of men, who would supply our wants, and that he should not be awake tonight to think about it.

It is our conviction that the military commander who told his soldiers to "trust in God and keep their powder dry," was a sensible fellow. To apply this principle in the matter under consideration, we would advise farmers to save everything in the shape of fodder and in the best possible order.

Spring grain, on the whole, is not very promising in this vicinity, still there are a good many fair pieces, which, with an abundance of rain, and favorable weather, will be better than the average in an ordinary season.

Corn has not suffered from drought yet. The next month will determine the quality of this crop. The New York Herald gathers together crop reports from various sources, and remarks that the augurs for an abundant, if not for an unprecedented harvest, were more striking and encouraging.

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BLACK RIVER HOTEL.

The proprietor of this house, Mr. E. McOmber, has rearranged and thoroughly repaired his house. It is now a comfortable, airy, commodious and elegantly furnished house. The table is bountifully spread, and abounds in all the good things of the season.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING REPORT.

WASHINGTON AFFAIRS.

SUNDAY IN NEW YORK.

SUNDAY PERSONS SHOT.

New York City News. New York, June 27.—A change of temperature of weather took place last night, after another exceedingly hot day, with a strong breeze blowing up, and the mercury fell nearly 20 degrees.

The heat was also excessive throughout the country. There was thirteen cases of sun stroke yesterday, and the heat was so intense that comparatively few of the horse cars were running, while the excursion boats were filled to overflowing.

There were only four rows reported this morning as having occurred in the city and suburbs during the day, the most extraordinary was the fatal stabbing of a young Frenchman named Joyeux by a jealous husband, Edward Faust, had long suspected his wife of infidelity, and at night 10 o'clock last evening, meeting her supposed wronger, he plunged a knife into his neck.

A German named Daniel Mitchell was stabbed by Thomas Sheridan, a painter, in 37th street. The assassination was done in the street, and the murdered man walked some distance with his hand over his abdomen to keep his intestines back. He was carried in a cying condition to the hospital by the police. Sheridan was caught and locked up.

In East Fourteenth street, James McManus quarreled with his wife, chased her down stairs, and during her flight fired pistol shots at her. One of the bullets entered an opposite dwelling and lodged in the head of Mrs. Fitz Gibbons, as was the lying in bed. The wound was severe. The shooter was marched off to prison.

In Brooklyn, Thomas McLaughlin was shot in the right side in a house in Hudson avenue. Thomas Kerrigan and two others were arrested for committing the deed. The steamship City of Paris and Idaho from Liverpool and Paraguay, London and Havre have arrived.

From Washington. Washington, June 27.—The conferees committee on the currency bill have agreed upon the report which they shall make. They agree to the retirement of the three percent as proposed in the bill, and as to the provision redistributing \$25,000,000 of the existing National Bank circulation.

The Senate provision for free banking on a good basis was also agreed to, and the House amendment for the issue of \$50,000,000 of bank circulation over and above that provided for as stated was rejected, so that there will be no inflation if the report is agreed to. There is a lively case was going on among the members of the House to secure a concurrence of the Senate concerning the income tax, and the impression is that the House will ultimately agree to the Senate proposition to wholly abolish the tax.

A youth named Baldwin Alexander, from Pulaski county, Va., was appointed cadet at the Naval Academy by Gibson of the 8th District of Va. Alexander, who is not yet 17 years of age, underwent a thorough examination and passed at every point. His appointment was confirmed. But when the last oath was put to him, he declined to take it, asserting that although he was a mere child at the commencement of the war, and but 12 years at its close, and being in contact with rebels, had created a sympathy for those around him, and to swear that he had not sympathized with or countenanced the rebellion, would be perjury. Congress will be asked to remove his disabilities.

Canadian Independence. A special from Montreal says that a great independence meeting took place in Montreal on Saturday night. In the course of a stirring speech by Hon. John Young, one of the leading politicians said that the time had now come when Canada should sever her connection with Great Britain and become an independent nation. At this announcement the greater part of the vast assembly shouted lustily: L'assommoir, Q. C. said that an appeal to England for support in case of an invasion of the Dominion would be disregarded. The present imperial administration had deserted her heroic and proved herself a stepmother to those who had fostered the deepest affection for her. It was folly, therefore, to think of anything but independence. Other speakers followed in the same strain, when the meeting adjourned to Tuesday.

LATEST NEWS.—2 P. M.

New York, June 27.—A London special to the Herald says: Great excitement prevails in Madrid by the discovery of a plot to blow up the tower magazine of the fortress of Gibraltar. Fenianism is supposed to be at the bottom of the conspiracy. The plot has been discovered by the Spanish authorities.

Congressional. In the Senate, a number of petitions were presented and appropriately referred. A motion by Howard to hold an evening session to-day to take up the Texas and Pacific and Atlantic and Pacific railroad bill, was opposed by Sherman as tending to delay the bill, and gave rise to a long debate.

Washington, June 27.—House.—Among a number of bills introduced and referred to the following by Davis of New York: Bill to authorize the issue of 4 percent bonds, exchangeable for and convertible into legal tender notes, at par; referred to committee of Ways and Means. Resolved: That a preamble and resolution directing the Committee on Ways and Means to report to the House forthwith a bill reducing the duties on all classes of salt 10 percent. The previous question was seconded by 71 to 67. McCarthy moved to lay the resolution on the table, which was rejected by 108 to 108.

Ferris moved to reconsider the vote whereby the main question was ordered. Cox moved to lay that motion on the table, which was agreed to by yeas 101, nays 77. The resolution was then adopted by yeas 108, nays 49. Schenck proposed that the Funding bill be fixed upon for to-morrow. The rules were suspended, and the bill was reported back and made the special order for to-morrow.

Keley, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported back the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill, and moved that the Senate amendments be non-concurred in and a committee of conference be selected. From the South. Washington, June 27.—A telegram from Corpus Christi, states that the sheriff of Nueces county, Texas, has been found murdered, and there was consequently great excitement.

The interest on the Richmond Va., city debt will be promptly paid on the first of July. Bonds could be sold at a higher rate than heretofore, but there are none in the market. The mail rider from Austin, Texas to Frederick, in that State, reports that on Saturday, 11th inst., a party of Indians came to Barton Creek and to within 15 miles of Austin, and stole horses from several parties who pursued the Indians, and as they have not yet returned, fears are entertained that they have been murdered by the savages.

Foreign. Paris, June 27.—Armand Barbat, a French politician and political writer, died yesterday, aged 61 years. Exaggerated reports of the Emperor's illness continue. The Emperor has intimated that the time has not yet arrived to grant the petition of the Orleans Prince. He is said that he will urge the removal of the restraints whenever it is safe and proper to do so.

Cork, June 27.—The riot broke out here again yesterday. Several houses were assaulted. Quiet was soon restored. Many arrests were made. Berlin, June 27.—The drought has been throughout Germany. Crop prospects are very discouraging. Convict 4. Leipzig, June 27.—Alvin K. of Memphis, Tenn., has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment for committing an assault on the American consul here.

Florence, June 27.—Independence denies the report published recently by an Anglo-Italian note to the Greek government of the subject of brigandage. Forty thousand people assembled on the field of Solferino, on Friday the 24th, the anniversary of the battle, to witness the ceremony of dedicating the monument to memory of the soldiers who fell there. In the evening a grand banquet was held at which poetic and appropriate toasts were exchanged by the representatives of the various European powers.

Boston, June 27.—Draper & Son's hosiery factory, in Canton, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss \$30,000, insured. The Weather. New York, June 27.—The telegraph does not report rain at any point to-day, though it is generally cloudy, sultry and exceedingly hot. In Rochester, at 11 A. M., mercury 96 in the shade. Indianapolis, June 27.—Most all the churches united with the delegates to the Convention of the Y. M. C. A. last night. The Academy of Music was crowded to overflowing long before the hour for service.

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