

Saturday, November 23, 1878.

NO PAY! NO PAPER!

To Advertisers.—The *Sentinel* is the best advertising medium to be obtained in this section. The paper is well printed, and advertisements as to be handed in on Wednesday evenings. Rates of advertising may be found on our first page, which we will send to you on application.

To Correspondents.—We earnestly request that one or more of our many friends in each town in this vicinity will do us and our patrons the favor to contribute to the *Sentinel* from time to time. We may occur in their vicinity. We will do our best in addressing up, if necessary. Send along the local news.

List of Letters

REMAINING in the Post Office at Norwalk, Conn., Nov. 21, 1878. Persons calling for any of these letters will please say they are advertised.

LADIES' LIST

Mrs. Charlotte Chapman; Mrs. Rebecca Smith; Mrs. Nancy L. Wood; GENTLEMEN'S LIST—Mr. Edward Jones; Mr. W. E. Bouton, Geo. Finch, C. N. Fisher, W. F. Gray; J. S. DUNNING, Post Master.

Home News and Notions.

We are in the receipt of Florida papers from Jefferson McKeever.

The steamboat season is over. Now it costs \$1.15 to get to New York.

Warden Morrison and wife celebrated thirteenth anniversary of their wedding on Monday evening.

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They are going to have a singing school up-town in the lecture room of the Congregational Church, with a teacher from Danbury.

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—Use in Restaurants will Pure Milk for SIX CENTS & Q. ct. Send your orders to B x 425, Norwalk.

As the time for holding the city election approaches the list of candidates for mayor is rapidly depleted. Now it lies between Ex-Mayor Quintard and Ex-Senator Cunningham, M. E. Doty, and Connecticut Swartz. What another week will develop cannot be foretold, but it is evident there will be quite a contest.

The Brigade of Sappers recently sold the body of deceased pupil to the Yale Medical College. Friends have since come forward to claim the body, and there is a probability it will have to be returned. Such a sum in trifling with human remains is a disgrace to humanity. Ode a pauper!

The Catholic fair closed on Saturday evening, and was a very successful affair, netting the society about \$2,000. The following was the rate for the most popular items in town—10 cents a vote.

W. H. E. 611 VOTES.
Jos. W. Hyatt 1458
Winfield S. Hulford 1611
Thomas H. Morrison 1785

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The Second M. E. Church held their annual supper at the Opera House, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week. The attendance on Tuesday evening was rather meager, but on Wednesday evening the hall was crowded. The combined choirs of the First and Second Churches gave a concert on this evening under the direction of organist Haen. The concert was fine, and that or something else put the people in a liberale mood, and by the time to close about everything in the shape of edibles had been consumed.

Brother White now of the Danbury N.Y. and formerly on the *Sentinel*, was married this week. If there's any occupying that will develop real it is that of "eye local" for the country press. Now that Brother White has embraced the opportunity for fulfilling the end of man, we trust he will not only maintain his reputation as an able and efficient editor, but show that he is a conscientious citizen, and by abundant fruit demonstrate that he is not afraid to meet the responsibilities of whatever station he is called upon to fill.

—MILK—Pure and Cheap—SIX CENTS a Quart by Remond Brothers.

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Diphtheria is quite prevalent in Stamford. Hooping cough, measles, croup, and matri-mony take the lead here.

Mrs. Polly Faucher of Ridgefield, Ct., the mother of Professor Northrup, of Yale College, has just celebrated her 100th birthday.

"Miss Minnie Cummings is beyond question the most beautiful actress on the American stage."—N. Y. Herald.

The piquant and charming Miss Minnie Cummings charmed the audience through her personation of the character of Dora, in the final drama of that name, from beginning to end.—N. Y. Times.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Shook & Palmer, of the Union Square Theatre, and H. E. Abbey, Eq., of Park Theatre, New York, the management is enabled to present an unexplicable cast, at Music Hill, Thanksgiving night.

"Miss Cummings' engagement came to a close after a successful season of four weeks, during which time she not only filled her houses, but turned people away."—Bost. Journal.

On Thanksgiving Day there will be a shooting match for chickens and rabbits, under the direction of John N. Tuttle, on his place.

Saturday evening Dr. Nolan's horse, while hitched in front of Kip's shaving establishment, became frightened, and tore down the post to which he was hitched, and came near going into the basement himself. No damage, however, was done to either horse or wagon.

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The best men desire that all bills against the town be presented on or before the 25th inst., so that they may be accounted for in the annual report.

The Wheeler & Wilson band will give a concert in Norwalk on the evening of St. John's Day, Dec. 27, under the auspices of St. John's Lodge, F. & A. M., after which there will be a grand "Old Fashioned" Masonic Supper."

The American Fire House Co. of Boston sent to Chief Engineer Remond for trial a new nozzle which they had patented Nov. 12, 1878. The superior claim for it is that it throws a more solid and straight stream than any other.

The meeting for the nomination of Board of Fire Engineers will be held in the parlor of Parsons House Co. Tuesday evening, at 7.30 inst. at 8.15. Every member of the department is requested to be present. Boys, who is the coming chief? We have an idea who can name the man, and the first two letters of his name are R. Eugene Kinney.

Last Friday John Butler, while working alone on "Fourteen Acres," blasting rocks, was in some way unknown killed by a blast. The last report heard was about 2 o'clock, and about 4 o'clock he was found lying on the ground with his head crushed. He lived but a short time.

Brigade Quartermaster C. E. Doty, who, in accordance with General Orders No. 75, inspect the companies of the Fourth Regiment as follows: Monday Nov. 25th, Co. A, B, C, D, at 7.30 a.m.; Co. E, D. B. Bouton et al. at 8.30 a.m.; Tuesday Nov. 26th, Co. B, Bouton et al. at 8.30 a.m.; Co. C, L. Winsted, 10.30 a.m.; Friday Nov. 29th, Co. C, Stamford 6.45 P.M.; Co. D, South Norwalk, at 8.30 P.M.; Co. F, E. W. Ward, at 7.45 P.M.

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Dr. Pick, the renowned and gifted Clergyman Physician, can be consulted at the Norwalk Hotel, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Nov. 26th and 27th, and Thursday the 28th, until 12 noon. The Doctor examined the sick at sight and specially recommended the use of his nostrum. He has the sick in a most wonderful manner, and is curing diseases of long standing, after every other remedy has been tried and failed.

R. W. Bruch of Mount Vernon filled Mr. Bowles' pulpit last Sunday in an able and acceptable manner. Owing to the severe storm the attendance in the evening was quite small, about forty being present, but the reverend gentleman preached with as much zeal as though he were addressing a full house, and his hearers were certainly edified, and instructed in the fundamental principles and practical bearings of Christianity.

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Tramps were around thick as hops, Saturday evening. One of them boldly announced his intention of getting a meal, and informed that he was a tramp, and was preparing to spend winter quarters at the County Hotel. They will be caught steading and sent up, he hope, for four months. If we could make our jilt self-sufficient, we said, we could supply him with food to keep him from being a burden to the public. His idea is to get a place to sleep in, and to earn his bread by doing odd jobs.

Now we suggest to our venerable and respected contemporary if the party which it supports and represents had not ought to devise some more humane plan to prevent tramping than that adopted by New Hampshire. The country is filled with tramps who must admit, and also admit that they are in a sense a nuisance, but isn't there some at fault beside the tramp. Men must live, and in such a country as ours there is plenty for all,—yes, more than enough, yet thousands are suffering for the very articles with which the market are glutted. All tramps may not be criminals, but there is every reason for their becoming such. The New Hampshire law is a bid for crime,—the most inhuman and barbarous law that could be enacted. By its provisions a tramp is subjected to confinement in the state prison, if he beg, but if he steals he only goes to jail. He would be a fool not to steal in preference to begging.

The Concert.

Notwithstanding the efforts to get out a full house, the concert given by the New York Musical Organization was very slimy.

Skates, guns and pistols repaired by C. Bosch, South Norwalk.

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