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TIMBERS FOR VIOLINS

Old Spruce From the Hammond House Bought By Fiddle Makers.

The first meeting house erected in Marblehead stood on the old Burial hill for many years, being later removed to the vicinity of the corner of Franklin and Orne sts., at the lower end of the town. At that time Washington street near what was known as Flints alley, was little wider than a footpath, the old Hammond house, formerly owned by Richard Ireson, projected far into the street. This caused great inconvenience to the gentry of the town, it being necessary to either walk through this passage or drive around Front street in order to reach the meeting house.

"King" Hooper who was one of the richest men in New England in those days and who was very generous, having presented the town with its first fire engine, thought the streets should be widened. The town, therefore, voted to remove the north-west end of the house. Several feet were accordingly cut off, the house being nearly sawed in halves. The present owner, John Hammond, with the intention of replacing it with a modern dwelling, began to demolish it.

The timbers, which are of spruce and over 200 years old, were found to be highly seasoned and especially adapted for the making of violins. This Mr. Hammond learned by having several manufacturers of these instruments call on him with a view of purchasing them. One Boston violin maker bought a supply which has been duplicated several times and other manufacturers have had a share.

A Liverpool policeman, who, as he thought, swallowed a sixpence 13 years ago, recently had a severe pain in his throat. A fit of coughing came on, and the long lost coin, half of its original thickness, was released from his throat.

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THE AMERICAN YACHT

SATANITA AND OTHERS VERY BADLY BEATEN IN WINDWARD WORK.

Navahoe Shows Himself Fast in Light Winds - Yachtsmen Express Admiration for the Visitor, and Say She Is the Equal of British Yachts.

LONDON, Aug. 12. The regatta of the Royal Southampton Yacht Club was held today. The contestants were A. D. Clark's Satanita, P. Donaldson's Calluna, J. Jameson's Iverna and the American Yacht Navahoe, owned by Royal P. Carroll. Lord Dunraven's Valkyrie and the Prince of Wales' Britannia did not take part in this race. The course was from Netley, to and around the Broomes, then to the East Leep buoy, then again around the Brambles—a distance of 40 miles.

The course will be a triangular one, 10 miles to a side, and if possible the first leg will be to windward. The Vigilant, Colonia and Jubilee will start. The weather outlook for tomorrow is a light westerly with a rolling sea left over from today's blow.

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HANDLING OF SNAKES

The Exciting Time a New York Dealer Had With a Boa.

LARGEST SNAKE SEEN HERE While They Were Putting It Into a Box.

New York, Aug. 10. There is a dingy, grimy, sawdusty, cobwebby little store down in Roosevelt street that beats a gold-cure establishment all to pieces. The proprietor's name is Burns. More blue monkeys, flamingoes, hedgehogs and wild-eyed parrots and iguan lizards with spikes are here than ever the wildest grim-gams could summon.

Mr. Burns got from a White Star steamer last Thursday, however, the regular old papa snake, a boa captured in Africa and taken by a trader to London, whence he journeys here. He is the old original snake, Burns says, that ran the apple stand in the Garden of Eden. Burns sells snakes to shows, and when he tried to transfer the big boa down stairs yesterday and get him in a box in the store for shipment, he found in his horror that the snake was in training.

The reptile since his arrival has lain quiet in a meshed partition up stairs, digesting a pair of rabbits that he had been fed on in the afternoon. But when Burns went to move him, o'clock yesterday morning and opened the door he pulled up his lid of his eye and looked to see if it was his breakfast that had been brought to him. Seeing it was an empty-handed man, he coiled his twenty-five feet of person around and went to sleep again. Burns who INVESTIGATION has convinced Drs. Assman and Bowens that most persons struck by lightning, and to all appearances dead, could be resuscitated by the artificial respiration method applied for the restoration of many who are to all appearances drowned.

AN apple tree, which is claimed to have borne fruit for the last century and a quarter, is still bearing in an orchard near Lenox, N. C.

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MONEY AND EXCHANGE

New York, Aug. 10.—Money on call opened at 4% highest 4 1/2, lowest 3 1/2, closing 3%. Time money shows no change in features, and is still closely held. Liberal commissions in addition to the legal rate are the rule in many cases.

Mercantile paper continues very quiet, nor is there expected to be any change until the banks have less urgent calls upon them from their customers. The supply is large.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sales.
Atchafson	15,000	11 1/2	10 3/4	11 1/4	14 1/2
Amalgamated	224	23 1/2	23	23 1/2	288
Canadian Pac.	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4	31
Ches & Ohio	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2	4 3/4	5
Ch. Bur. & Q.	21,180	13 1/2	12 3/4	13 1/2	54
C. C. & St. L.	257	25	24 1/2	25	57
Del. Lack & W.	331	8 1/2	8	8 1/2	66 1/2
Den. & R. G. prf	13,000	64 1/2	64	64 1/2	408
Erie	789	24 1/2	24	24 1/2	77
Gen. S. & W.	15,000	15 1/2	15	15 1/2	61 1/2
Lake G. & W. prf	573	56 1/2	56	56 1/2	61 1/2
Louis & Nash.	123	31 1/2	31	31 1/2	400
Manhattan El	3,998	35 1/2	35	35 1/2	57 1/2
Michigan Cen	432	90	89 1/2	90	636
Total sales of shares.	2,087	5%	7 3/4	188	123,456

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

Indianapolis, Aug. 1.—The market was active; estimated receipts of hogs 3,000 head; fair to good butchers' sold at \$5.25 @ 6.

Omaha, Aug. 10.—Cattle: Receipts 11,900 head; market strong; feeders \$2 @ 3, cows \$1.50 @ 2.50, common 75c @ 1.50. Hogs: Receipts 3,500 head; closed 5.05, pig \$4.50. Light mixed \$5.10, heavy \$4.50 @ 5.05, pig \$4.50.

Kansas City, Aug. 10.—Hogs: Receipts 48,000 head; market firm; light and pigs \$4 @ 4.70, medium \$5.25 @ 5.40, heavy \$4.90 @ 5.19. Cattle: Receipts 4,000 head; market strong; native steers best \$4.41 @ 4.34 fair to good \$1 @ 3.47, cows and heifers best \$2 @ 2.30 fair to good \$1.25 @ 2, bulls \$1.25 @ 2.25, stockers and yearlings \$1.25 @ 2.25. Sheep: Receipts 800 head; market steady.

WANTED - SITUATION

BOOKKEEPER - Permanent or temporary employment desired by a first class bookkeeper at moderate salary; references to first class houses in the city. Address W., Tribune office. [au 1-1f]

CUTTER - On custom shirts; one who designs his own patterns; no objection to leaving the city. Address A.K., 827 Colerain av. [au 10-3c]

STENOGRAPHER - By a competent young man; is at present employed, but desires a change; can give best of reference. Address A.M.D., Tribune office. [au 6-6c]

STENOGRAPHER - By a trustworthy and experienced young lady; can operate almost any machine. L.K.W., 35 W. Third st. [au 1-1f]

WORK - Young man with a liberal education will work with a good architect, who will remunerate his services; recommendations. Address APRENTICE, Tribune office.

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STILL REDUCING EXPENSES

A Board Appointed to Manage the Fair's Finances - Appropriations Stopped.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1. The fact became known yesterday that a board of finance had been appointed to manage the monetary affairs of the world's fair and that at the time this board was appointed all appropriations for different departments of the exposition were ordered stopped.

This board is charged with cutting down expenses and making such appropriations as they think necessary to carry on work in different departments of the fair. Beginning today the administration council will not be allowed to spend \$1 without the approval of the board of finance.

The statement was made yesterday evening that the council of administration, after repeated conferences with the department chiefs and others, had succeeded in bringing the pay-roll for the last two weeks of July down to \$210,000.

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