

AUTUMN. These sweet, delicious Autumn days, When all the air is filled with calm, And all day long a purple glow, Hangs o'er the meadow and farm;

Our New York Letter. POLITICAL—THE BIG EXPLOSION—CENTRAL TRAVEL AND BUSINESS.

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THE BLOWING UP OF HELL GATE, was one of the most remarkable facts of the century. An immense rock that had prevented the passage of vessels of large class through the Sound, was home-combed with chambers, and 50,000 pounds of nitro-glycerine and dynamite placed therein and exploded by electricity.

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Field County Items.

Norwalk, Oct. 10. The amount of scratching that was done on Monday...

The Boys in Blue made a fine parade on Tuesday evening last under command of Capt. C. A. Hobbie...

WESTPORT. The progress already made and making on the stone work for the village bridge...

Mr. J. C. Mather returned from visiting the centennial on Monday of the late Mr. J. W. R. Hoy...

Rev. Mr. Wilcox, occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church on Sunday last...

Col. H. W. R. Hoy, of Greenwich, is expected to address the people of Darien on the political topics of the day...

The quiet old town of Darien was roused and awakened on Friday night last by a rascally and dastardly act...

lican ticket. He very forcibly contrasted the two candidates and their parties...

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Superintendent Jeffire was unable to attend the Fish Commissioners grand dinner at Philadelphia, Friday...

Westport sends as jurors to the Superior Court, criminal term for October, Messrs. Silas D. Sherman and Henry G. Berge...

Wednesday, Mr. George Jeffire's carriage containing Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jeffire, was wrecked on the road between Westport and Norwalk...

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Court of Burgesses. Friday Evening, Oct. 6th, 1876. Petition for curbing, grading and laying of walks on both sides of Franklin Avenue...

The White Liniment is for the human family. It is a simple and safe remedy for all the most common ailments...

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OUR IMPORTATION OF INDIA SHAWLS. From the London auction sales is very large and attractive, and prices about half former years...

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR. An immense stock of beautiful and reliable goods at very great reductions...

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Dunk's Spring Bed, Buckingham & Co., MAIN STREET, Opposite R. R. Depot, South Norwalk.

Very Best Soap in the World. ELGIN & WALTHAM WATCHES. All Other Kinds at Lowest Prices.

National Bank of Norwalk. STOCK WANTED. THE subscriber desires to purchase a few shares of the Capital Stock of this Bank.

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New Map of the Town of Norwalk, Including the Borough of Norwalk, and THE City of South Norwalk, Conn.

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Notice. In accordance with a petition very largely signed, and presented to us by the Citizens of Norwalk...

LIST OF PREMIUMS

Ridgefield Agricultural Society. CLASS 1—FIELD CROPS. In this department there were 11 entries, and the Committee most respectfully report that in the absence of any report...

Miss Mary G. Walceman, Lewisboro, 3 00. 21 do Miss Sarah A. Keeler, 2 00. 22 do Sarah J. Kendall, 1 00. 23 do Sarah J. Kendall, 1 00. 24 do Sarah J. Kendall, 1 00. 25 do Sarah J. Kendall, 1 00.

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shown by Bailey & Gago, the Committee award \$50. Warren Smith, of Bridgeport, exhibits a Bright Alarm, a new invention, moderate in price and effective in application...

DRUGS & MEDICINES. THE undersigned would announce to the citizens in the vicinity of this office...

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