

NO HOPE FOR ENGLISH LITERATURE.

As the debate club has night we all discussed a cure. For the debilitated state of English literature...

A WIFE WORTH HAVING.

The old ship Vincent seemed to be one of those craft that, according to the theory of sailors, are doomed to ill fate.

The last damage which the Vincent received proved to be the occasion of the dawning of a new era in the life of Capt. Marshall.

The Vincent was once more ready for sea. Her cargo was all on board, and shipped for Boston.

Capt. Marshall felt as he had never felt before on the approach of a storm. For himself, for his ship, he had no thought then.

Long before the sun went down the undulating ocean had assumed almost the blackness of night.

Capt. Marshall trusted that when the sun rose on the next day the storm would abate, but in this he was disappointed.

Then let us not fear the storm. I was born upon the Atlantic, and I feel that I can yet trust to my native element.

coast I know nothing save what I may gather from my chart. For us to lay to is next to impossible.

"My husband," returned Emma, "though you may know nothing of the coast of Maine, yet there are but few spots along her rugged shores that are not as playgrounds to me."

Hardly had she ceased speaking when a sharp crack like the report of a pistol sounded from aloft.

"The main topsail has gone!" he exclaimed, and immediately he sprang upon the deck.

Again the ship was put before the gale, and for several moments Capt. Marshall was undecided what to do.

Emma Marshall seized the spanker out haul and sprang upon the wheelhouse, and calm as the falling of the summer's dew fell her orders to the man at the wheel.

Yankee Dispatch. One day I made some reference to the clumsy and long-drawn-out way in which the Russian guns were taken up to the front.

Actually, I had not the slightest idea, but I was not going to collapse before my Yankee interrogator.

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Vermont's Centennial.

Bennington is looking forward to a gigantic celebration next summer. The act of the legislature providing for a celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the admission of Vermont into the Union...

The committee shall invite in the name of the state of Vermont the national government and the states of New Hampshire and Massachusetts to unite with Vermont in the dedication and celebration.

The battle of Bennington was fought Aug. 16, 1777, but as Aug. 16 next year will fall on Sunday it was deemed best to have the celebrations in the middle of the week.

Engenie's Cousin Casafuerta Dead. Our Paris correspondent writes that a cousin of the Empress Engenie, the Marquis de Casafuerta, has just died at the Chateau d'Orfarnir, in Touraine.

The Bank of France's Big Loan. The recent loan of 75,000,000 francs in gold by the Bank of France to the Bank of England is still the object of acrimonious criticism.

Increase in Telegraphic Figures. The increase in the ocean cable and land telegraph facilities during the decade is again indicative of the growth of the city of New York.

Reform in Smoking. Some New Haven smokers have started a tobacco moderation society, members being limited to three cigars a day.

Mixed Relationship. Marshal Hopper, youngest son of Mr. J. H. Hopper, and Miss Mary Alderman, daughter of Mr. Thomas Alderman, were married Thursday.

The Lamb Tree. Joannes Zahn in 1896 first gave the world information as to this valuable plant. The plants tartarica bowmetz, according to Mr. Zahn, grows in Tartary like any other plant.

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