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Notings.

The weather is changeable.

Several cords of dry Maple or Beach are for sale at this office.

The men are busily at work trying to get the schooner Kate Kelley afloat.

The Hartford negro's feat is to drive a nail through his forehead.

The building of the new Hope College office has commenced.

The latest European dispatches seem to indicate that Russia is spoiling for a fight.

The article on American history in the new Encyclopedia will be by Hon. Charles H. Stevens.

ROESBURG has opened his evening school for the benefit of the public. The school is from 7 to 9 P. M.

Everybody wants any election slips now is your time. It can't be too late, remember.

The votes of base-ball are now counted by the number of fingers which have been raised during the summer campaign.

ONLY TWO more issues before election.

SEAMEN'S wages at Detroit range from \$150 to \$175 a day.

DR. VAN RAALTE is gradually declining in health by terrible suffering.

TENNESSEE is now sending about fifty emigrants per day into Texas.

THE schooner Kate Howard is afloat again and ready for business.

BEER and bear abound in the mountains of Somerset county, Pennsylvania, this season.

THE *Christian at Work* has lost its able editor De Witt Talmadge, and his place is now filled by Dr. Taylor.

THE break in the flume of West's mill, Allegan, Mich., is repaired and the mill is again in running order.

MESSRS. N. Kenyon, S. Sprietsma, W. Wakkér, J. Alberti and Mrs. F. Hummel have arrived home from the Centennial.

THE wrestling match between McLaughlin and Martin came off in New York city on the 16th, and McLaughlin was the victor.

AN enormous snow storm has been raised all over the south.

RENTS have gone up in Philadelphia since the exposition of 1876.

MANY portions of the country are without rain for two months.

MOST of the Kentucky crop has been cut in a green corner by frost.

DURING the year which ended in 1875 seventy-six newspapers and journals were started in Japan.

The auto-biography of Wm. Lloyd Garrison, from 1801 to 1874, is now in the erection of his statue.

THE saw mill of Munro at Grand Haven, Mich., is in operation as long as the water runs. They have a full stock of logs.

THE pianist and composer Edouard Lalo died in Neuilly, near Paris, on the 10th of September. He was born in Holland, in 1817, but for many years lived in Paris.

GENERAL O. O. Howard has obtained recently von