AUCTION SALE

BY C. S. BARTOW.

THIS DAY,

REAL ESTATE at AUCTION

SATURDAY, : : : : JANUARY 25th,

At 12 o'clock noon,

Will be Sold at Public Auction, on the Premises,

The building known as

LIBERTY HALL.

Executors' Sale of

REAL ESTATE!

—ON THE—

Islands of Oahu and Kauai,

AT AUCTION!

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER ISSUED out of the Supreme Court of the Hawaiian Islands, the Executors of the Will of R. C. Wyllie

Will Sell at Public Auction on

Wednesday, the 29th day of January, 1868,

At 12 o'clock noon,

In front of the Court House door, Honolulu.

1. All the land in the Ahupuaa of Koloa, Island of Kauai, belonging to the Estate of the late R. C. Wylie, consisting of about 3,200 acres of cane and pasture land. A large portion of the land is under lease, the rental being about $750 per annum. This well-known property is worthy the attention of capitalists.

2. The land of Kahowai, Manoa, in the Island of Oahu, situated in the upper part of Manoa Valley, described in Royal Patents Nos. 43 and 109, containing thirty-six acres of kalo and pasture land.

3. The land in Maeha, Ewa, on the Ewa Road, in front of Raymon and Bernard's premises, consisting of seven acres of half mostly pasture, described in Royal Patent No. 214, together with the fishing privilege connected with the said land.

4. The land in Punkapu, Ewa, adjoining the premises of Mr. Chancerel, described in Royal Patent No. 213, containing seven acres of kalo and pasture land and a fish pond, together with the fishing privilege connected with the land, which said fishing privilege is held under lease by the Estate of S. P. Ford.

5. The land in Lehua, Ewa, described in Royal Patents Nos. 222 and 223, consisting of five and one-half acres of kalo and pasture land, near the residence of Judge Kapena.

6. The land in Waikele, Ewa, described in Royal Patent No. 160, on the Waikele stream, consisting of seventeen acres, about one-third kalo land, the remaining part pasture, together with two small fish ponds.

7. The land in Waikele, Ewa, described in Royal Patent No. 122, near the Hunt premises, consisting of two acres of Kalo and Kala Land.

Terms at Sale.

For further particulars apply to

J. W. AUSTIN,
C. R. BISHOP,
SAM'L N. CASTLE,
607 3t Quorum of Executors of the Will of R. C. Wyllie.

Large and Important SALE!

ON THURSDAY NEXT, JANUARY 30,

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF

NEW AND DESIRABLE GOODS!

RECEIVED CHIEFLY PER

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Many of them not yet opened.

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VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS.—ONE mile beyond the residence of Miss Ogden, on the makai side of the road, beyond the bridge, inclosed with a stone wall. Others not inclosed, both mauka and west of Mr. McCully's premises. These in size to suit. For terms apply to

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JUST ARRIVED, PER COBANG, FROM the Okhotsk Sea, and for sale at very low rates,

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Suitable for Schooners and Boat Masts and for Light Wharf Piles. [604] H. HACKFELD & CO.

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GOLDEN GATE EX. FAMILY FLOUR, direct from the Mill,

Graham Flour, Oatmeal,
Bran, Oats, Split Peas,
Mexican Frijoles,
Pearl Barley,
Spiced Oysters,
Dried Peaches, Mace,
Fresh Table Fruits, Cinnamon.
New Hops, Market Baskets,
Saltpetre,
California Hams,
California Bacon,
Chocolate,
Smoked Beef, Smoked Salmon, Zante Currants,
New Onions, Codfish,
Fresh Vermicelli,
Prunes in glass jars,

New Mediterranean Figs in splendid order,

NEW YORK CHEESE.

Tins Crackers, assorted kinds; Japan Tea in papers,

And fresh lot of the celebrated

JAPANESE TEA IN JARS,

The only lot in this Market.

All the above goods are carefully selected for me, are all

Warranted Fresh and Nice.

And are offered to the community in the full confidence of giving satisfaction to purchasers. For sale low by

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Map of the Sandwich Islands.

THE ONLY CORRECT MAP OF THESE Islands is that of the U. S. Exploring Expedition, published by the American Government. Every farmer who owns an acre of ground, every captain who commands a coaster, every traveler who wants to find correct names and distances, and every gentleman who desires to be posted up about the group should possess a copy of it.

A few copies left, price $2.00 each.

For sale at the BOOKSTORE.

AUCTION SALE

BY E. P. ADAMS.

ON WEDNESDAY, : : JANUARY 29th,

At 10 O'clock, A. M., at Sales Room,

Will be Sold:

Linen Stripes, Regatta Stripes, Check Pant Stuff,
Fancy Shirts, California Shirts,
Blue Flannel Suits, Blue Flannel Pants,
Sets Embroidery, Manilla Rope, boxes Tobacco,
Sance Pans, Kerosene Oil, boxes Cigars, Crockery,

And a General Assortment of Merchandise

—ALSO—

10 Kegs No. 1 Sugar.

Assignees' Sale.

By order of J. W. Austin, Esq., and M. C. Monserrat, Esq., Assignees of the Estate of J. G. Osborne, voluntary Bankrupt.

ON SATURDAY, : : FEBRUARY 1st,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

On the Osborne Premises, Nuuanu Street,

(Near the Bakery of R. Love & Bros.)

Will be Sold:

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY

Belonging to said Estate of J. G. Osborne, Bankrupt.

—*Namely*—

DRAY HORSES.

1 Gray horse "Tom,"
1 Gray horse "Jerry,"
1 Piebald horse "Calico,"
1 Gray horse "Harry,"
1 Brown Horse "Charlie,"
1 Gray horse "Jack,"
1 Gray horse "Billy,"
1 Brown horse "Pug."

1 Dray, with pole and shaft, 3 Carts,
1 Set of Double Harness (light), complete,
1 Set of Double Harness (dray), complete,
4 Sets of Single Harness, complete,
1 Chain Trace Harness, 8 Wheelbarrows,
3 Horse Collars, Hames, Head Halls, Bridles, Riding Saddles,
500 Lbs Oats, Office Table and Chairs, Hose Pipe and Coupling
2 Bbls. Lime, 94 bbls. Rosendale Cement,
25 Stone Dresser Frames, 10 pcs. Marble, 2 bbls. Mortar,
29 Axes, 29 Shovels, 10 Blocks, 230 hanks Manilla Rope,
16 Coils large Rope, 1 Hoisting Crane,
6,000 Feet of Lumber more or less, 650 Roofing Slates,

AND A LARGE LOT OF

Masons' and Bricklayers' Tools.

ALSO, AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

(*Or immediately after above Sale,*)

At the Brick Yard, near the Jarrett Premises,

Will be Sold:

2 Brick Kilns, 1 Stable and Tool House,
1 Pug Mill and Gear for two horses,
50,000 Hawaiian Brick, more or less,
54 Bbls. Pipe Clay, lot of Empty Barrels, lot Lumber, 1 Truck,
1 Hay Cutter, 2 Moulding Tables, 1 Well Windlass, 11 Sets of Brick Moulds, 12 Fire Plates, with

Other Tools and Implements used in Brick-making.

Fire Engines at Auction.

POSITIVE SALE.

ON MONDAY, : : : : FEBRUARY 3d,

At 12 o'clock noon, at Sales Room,

Will be sold:

One Fire Engine, in perfect order,

Built in San Francisco; 7 to 9 in. stroke; 6 in. cylinder.

One Fire Engine, (Thayer, Boston, Maker),

6 inch cylinder; 15 inch stroke,

With One Hose Carriage.

NOTICE.

I FORBID THE PUBLIC FROM TRUSTING any person on my account, as I will not be held responsible for debts contracted in my name without my written order. W. H. KAAUWAI.

Wailuku, Maui, Jan. 4, 1868. 608 1m

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between us, the undersigned, ROBERT CHESHYRE JANION and WILLIAM LOWTHIAN GREEN, under the style of *JANION, GREEN & CO.*, was dissolved on the 30th day of September last, by mutual consent; and the Importing and Commission Business will in future be carried on by THEOPHILUS HARRIS DAVIES for his own account.

ROBERT C. JANION,
W. L. GREEN.

Honolulu, January 17, 1868.

Referring to the above notice the undersigned has established himself in Honolulu, and will carry on the business of Importer and Commission Merchant on his own account.

THEO. H. DAVIES.

Honolulu, January 9, 1868.

The partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned ROBERT CHESHYRE JANION, WILLIAM LOWTHIAN GREEN and HENRY RHODES, carrying on Business at Victoria, B. C., under the style of *JANION, GREEN & RHODES*, was dissolved on the 30th day of September last, so far as regards the said William Lowthian Green, who retired therefrom; and the said business will in future be carried on by the said ROBERT CHESHYRE JANION and HENRY RHODES, under the style of *JANION, RHODES & CO.*

ROBERT C. JANION,
W. L. GREEN,
HENRY RHODES.

Victoria, B. C., November 4, 1868. 608 3t

Just Received

Ex Comet and Count Bismarck:

GOLDEN GATE BAKERS' EX. FLOUR

Golden Gate Family Flour,
Tins Smoked Herrings,
New Dried Apples,
New Billings' Hams,
Bologna Sausage,

WESTPHALIA HAMS,

Jars of Currants—9 lbs.

Jars of Raisins—10½ lbs.

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GILT FRAMES,

Black Walnut, Rosewood, Rustic, &c., &c.,

FOR SALE AT THE PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY, in Fort street, at moderate prices.

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VERY SUPERIOR

Rhine Wine and Claret.

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Old Port Wine, Burgundy Wine,

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—EXTRA FINE—

BROADCLOTH AND BUCKSKIN

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200 Dozen Chairs!

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LARGE EASY CHAIRS, in hair cloth,

Ladies' Sewing Chairs, in hair cloth,
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Spanish rockers, in hair cloth,
Cane Seat and Back Arm Rockers, light and dark,
Cane Seat and Back Nurse Rockers, light and dark,
Cane and Spindle Back Vic. Nurse Rockers,
Various styles Wood Rockers, large and small,
Children's Rockers,
Children's High Chairs,
Children's Low Chairs,
Children's Fing-bottom Chairs,
Children's Spring Chairs,
Ladies' Dining Chairs, in oak,
Ladies' Dining Chairs, in rosewood,
Ladies' Dining Chairs, in walnut,
Oak Rotary Office Chairs,
Wood Rotary Office Chairs,
Douglass Oak Arm Chairs,
Steamboat Oak Arm Chairs,
Bay State Oak Arm Chairs,
Wood Office Chairs,
Folding Traveling Chairs,
Misses Chairs,
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A Great Variety of Wood and Cane Seat Chairs,

TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION.

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Walnut Marble-top Centre Tables

VARIOUS STYLES,

Elegant Walnut Wood-top Centre Tables, various styles,
Elegant Mahogany Wood-top Centre Tables, various styles,
Koa Tables, round, square and oval,
Walnut Extension Dining Tables, different sizes,
Walnut, Cherry and Pine Double Fall-leaf Tables, different sizes,
Mahogany and Walnut Card Tables, various styles,
Side Tables, Vase Tables, Bouquet Stands,
Ladies' Wash Tables, Saloon Tables,
Common Pine Tables,

WALNUT AND MAHOGANY SOFAS!

And Toto-a-Totos,

In Hair Cloth,

Lounges, in hair cloth, French lasting, damask and enameled cloth,

Clipper Lounges, Ottomans, and Foot-stools.

BOOK CASES.

Walnut and Mahogany Secretaries and Book Cases,
Splendid Mahogany Bureau Secretaries,
Mahogany and Walnut side and corner What-nots, five and six shelves,
Walnut side and corner Brackets, in great variety,
Music Racks, Piano Stools.

SIDE-BOARDS.

Marble-top Sideboards with Glasses, new styles, in rosewood, walnut and oak,
Plain Side-boards, in walnut, Mahogany and koa,

Superior Walnut Chamber Sets,

FULL MARBLE-TOP.

Painted Chamber Sets, Spring Beds, Spring Mattrasses,
Cot Beds; hair, pulu, moss, excelsior, and hay Mattrasses and Pillows, Pillow Cases, Sheets and Mosquito Nets,

Bureau Washstands, Enclosed Washstands

KOA WASHSTANDS.

Common and Towel end Washstands; Towel Stands—standing and swinging—walnut and mahogany,
Commodes for the sick room.

WALNUT AND OAK HAT TREES, WITH GLASSES,

Walnut and oak Hanging Hat Trees, with Glasses,
Looking Glasses in great variety, Toilet Glasses,
Looking Glasses, walnut Umbrella Stands.

Bedsteads.

Koa and Pine Bedsteads, of all sizes,
Swinging Clock Cribs, Koa Cribs,
Children's Willow Wagons, Children's Willow Cabs,
Gipsey Gigs and Toy Wagons and Carts.

BUREAUS.

Superior Marble-top Dressing Bureaus, walnut and mahogany,
Painted Dressing Bureaus, Plain Mahogany Bureaus,
Half Marble Dressing Bureaus,
Mahogany Bureaus—matched fronts, Plain Painted Bureaus,
Superior Swell Front Marble-top Bureaus—walnut and mahogany; Wardrobes; Koa and Pine Office Desks.

STOOLS.

Square and Oval Cane-seat Desk Stools, Rotary Desk Stools,
Square and Oval Cane-seat Counter and Cabin Stools.

WINDOW CURTAINS AND FIXTURES.

Chinese Window Shades, Chinese Writing Desks,
Knife Baskets.

Koa, Walnut, Rosewood and Gilt Mouldings,

And Large-sized Glass for Picture Frames.

One Superior Overstrung Piano!

— OCTAVES, ROSEWOOD CASE.

And other Articles too Numerous to Particularize.

A Liberal Discount for Cash.

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Old Stand on Hotel Street, near Fort Street

Turning of all kinds. Particular attention paid to Turning Canes, Calabashes, and fancy articles from native woods.

Furniture Repaired at the Old Stand.

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One Superior Top Buggy, for 1 or 2 Horses.

TO ARRIVE PER CEYLON.—For Sale by 608 C. E. WILLIAMS.

THE PACIFIC

Commercial Advertiser.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

THE CONCERT, which took place at Kaumakapili Church on Thursday evening, drew out a very large audience of foreigners and Hawaiians. The price of tickets had been very properly raised to one dollar, which brought together a more select audience than was present on the first occasion. The programme was changed by the omission of a few of the less meritorious pieces and the insertion of others. This change was a decided improvement. All the pieces consisted of the more simple popular songs and choruses, and this feature tended more than any thing else to give the concert the success it met with. Hawaiians are naturally good singers, some of them have remarkably fine voices, which with proper culture and training would make them favorites in any country. Their deportment on the stage, and the order and precision observed in all their movements, elicited general admiration. Another noticeable feature was the manner in which the English songs were executed, the pronunciation of the English language, in most cases, bring very good. This was specially observed in the duett, *When stars are in the quiet skies.* The tenor voice in this piece was a very sweet and pleasant one, that gives promise of a fine singer. The choruses were performed with the precision and power noticed at the first concert, showing most admirable training. This is due, in a great measure, to the untiring efforts of Miss Emma Smith, assisted by a native Hawaiian, Mr. Peter Kalaikini. We have never felt so much pride in the advancement of native Hawaiians, as since attending their concerts; and we could not help thinking that if Bishop Staley had had this choir of fourteen Hawaiian ladies and fourteen gentlemen to exhibit in England, he would have drawn out audiences which Exeter Hall could not hold, and that would have demonstrated more satisfactorily than any thing else he could do the real progress and improvement of this much abused Hawaiian people. On the whole, this concert was a most decided success, and we feel sure that every one who attended it went away satisfied and gratified beyond measure. The receipts were $307.

THANKS.—The bark *Celestia* brought us an *Alta* of January 5th, one day later than dates by mail, for which we are indebted to that veteran boatman John Cobb, who will be remembered by many captains and passengers who have visited San Francisco. It is a pleasure to know that Cobb does not forget his friends, though thousands of miles away. And now while we have our pen in hand, we may as well narrate an anecdote of him, to show the perilous life he follows. Some six or eight years ago, during one of those heavy storms which occur occasionally off the port of San Francisco, and make the bar a perfect whirlpool, Cobb, while in the prosecution of his duties as a boatman, was capsized outside the heads, and would have been drowned, had not a ship—the *Malay*—fortunately come along just at the time. Capt. Hutchinson hove back his ship at considerable risk, and picked up the drowning man, who had been in the water over two hours. This hardy boatman still follows his perilous vocation, serving his customers in fair weather and foul; and when any of our friends want a faithful boatman, let them call for John Cobb, at the foot of Vallejo street. Such as he deserve to live forever.

ARREST OF THE HAIKU MURDERER.—Marshal Parke went up to Maui on the Steamer, to aid in the finding of the ringleader concerned in the Haiku murder, of which we gave an account last week. On reaching Lahaina he learned that the coolie had been discovered on Sunday last secreted on the plantation of Mr. Spencer. Mr. Everett having intimation as to his whereabouts, went over and found him in one of the rooms of the coolies employed on Mr. Spencer's plantation, arrested him and took him to Lahaina, where after examination he was committed for trial. All four of the coolies engaged in the murder are now in the Oahu prison. The native who was wounded died on Thursday last. His death may deprive the prosecution of evidence necessary to convict all four of the murderers, but it is possible that some may be obtained before the trial, sufficient for the purpose.

RETURN OF THE MISSIONARY PACKET.—The *Morning Star*, Captain H. Bingham, returned on Friday morning from her annual cruise to the Caroline Islands. She sailed from this port July 1, and has been absent about seven months. She brings back as passengers Mrs. Snow and children, and two Hawaiian missionaries and their wives. The return passage was made in twenty-two days and six hours, which is a very short one. Her best day's run was 235 miles, which is the same distance as made on her best day's run on the passage out from Boston. Aside from the death of Rev. Mr. Johnson, noticed elsewhere, no mishap has occurred, and she has had a very pleasant cruise. Her next trip will be to the Marquesas, for which group she will leave in a few weeks. We have received from Capt. Bingham a report of her voyage, which will appear next week.

COCOANUTS FROM A QUEEN.—When Queen Emma of the Sandwich Islands was in San Francisco, some year or more ago, she visited the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum, and was greatly interested in the institution. There was also an intimation that she would not forget the pupils on her return to the Hawaiian Islands. The steamer *Idaho* on her recent trip, says the *Bulletin*, brought up a fine lot of cocoanuts sent by Queen Emma and consigned to Charles E. Hitchcock, Hawaiian Consul, as a gift from her to the inmates of the Asylum. The cocoanuts are a novel and most appropriate present, and many young hearts will bless the good Queen for her thoughtful kindness.

DEATH OF AN AMERICAN MISSIONARY.—By the return of the missionary packet, we learn of the death of Rev. E. Johnson, on board that vessel, while on the passage from Tarawa to Ebon. He had been unwell for some time, but no serious apprehensions were entertained till a day or two before his death, when it became evident that he had typhoid fever. He died at sea on Sunday, September 1, and was buried at Ebon on the third of the same month. He took passage in the *Morning Star* as a delegate from the Hawaiian Evangelical Association to visit the Missions of the Micronesian group. He leaves a widow residing at Hanalei, Kauai, and several children.

EXCHANGE PAPERS.—It is gratifying to notice improvements in good papers. The San Francisco daily *Times*, since December 1st, has shown a decided change in its management, and seems possessed of the elements of a live newspaper. A growing metropolis like San Francisco, should possess first-class dailies equal in every respect to those of less go-aheadative Atlantic cities. The *Pacific* has enlarged to eight pages, and appears also to be in a flourishing condition. It certainly deserves a good support.

CHURCH ORGANIZATION.—A council of the foreign ministers of Maui and Molokai met at Wailuku, Maui, on the 15th inst., and organized the "Union Protestant Church of Wailuku," and recognized about a dozen persons as constituting that church. It is under the pastoral care of Rev. Thos. G. Thurston.

A NEW COASTER.—The schooner *Henry Wootton* was sold at auction on Wednesday for $3,150, D. Foster & Co. being the purchasers. She is now called the *Hattie*, and will be put in the coasting trade.

☞ The beautiful deer which were received by His Majesty from China, accompanied him last Monday in the *Kaimaile*. On their arrival at Molokai, they will probably be released from their cage, and allowed the freedom of the plains, and perhaps the mountain.

PRESENTATION.—On Monday last, His Majesty gave an audience to His Excellency the French Commissioner, who presented to the King Capt. Didot, of the French corvette *Coetlogon*.

AMUSING.—It is quite amusing to read the various opinions ventilated in the newspapers and missionary journals of the United States and England respecting affairs at the Sandwich Islands.

The *Church Journal* of New York for October 30, 1867, in an article lauding Bishop Staley's "Reformed Catholic" Mission, makes the following *charitable* and *courteous* statement respecting the Mission of the American Board: "The Puritan missionary work which began in the Sandwich Islands about forty-five years ago, became long ago so rotten as to disgust the ruling powers of the nation."

The same article in the *Church Journal* from which the quotation above was taken, and in very near connection with that sentence, furnishes an illustration of the *rottenness* of the "Puritan missionary work," in the following among other statements respecting the Queen, who, in all her education and culture, is a fruit of that work: "No doubt many amongst us look upon her as a sort of partially converted heathen, a sort of barbarian with whom it would be impossible for us to have any intimate communication. Whereas the truth is, she is a refined, cultivated, educated and intelligent lady. So high is the culture of her mind, that the Archbishop of Canterbury stated publicly, in an address last summer, that 'she was better informed in English literature and English history than most English ladies.'"

If the Bishop of Oxford and the Archbishop of Canterbury could obtain leave of absence from their respective dioceses, we wish they would visit the Sandwich Islands on a tour of inspection, and on passing through the United States, would take into their company the writer in the *Church Journal* of New York.

THE FIREMEN'S FEAST.—Owing to the departure of Judge Kamakau, who accompanied His Majesty to Molokai, the Firemen's Luau will not be given by him, as announced in the *Gazette*; but it will be given by Jas. I. Dowsett Esq., at his residence in Palama, near the Governors', on Tuesday, February 3d.

JURYMEN.—The Marshal will be happy to see the jurymen at the court-room at 9, A. M., on Monday next, when their services will be required.

Late Telegraphic News

By the IDAHO and CELESTIA.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The President's communication to the Senate, giving his reasons for the suspension of Secretary Stanton, is published today. He says Stanton, in his condemnation of the Tenure of Office bill, in a Cabinet meeting, was the most elaborate and emphatic of all the members. He says that after the death of President Lincoln, a scheme of reconstruction was adopted which Stanton himself prepared for Mr. Lincoln. The proclamation organizing the government of North Carolina was issued in pursuance of such scheme, with the approval of every member of the Cabinet present. The President's difference of opinion with Stanton began with Acts relating to suffrage in the District of Columbia, and the Reconstruction bills of March, 1866. The President also says that Stanton withheld the dispatches stating the probability of a riot in New Orleans until after the riot occurred, and that he refused to send instructions to prevent the disturbance.

In the Senate, the Committee on Territories reported a bill regulating the selection of jurors, and for other purposes, in Utah. It forbids polygamy; makes the issues therefrom illegitimate, and repeals the law exempting the church of the Latter Day Saints from taxation.

The bill repealing the cotton tax was postponed.

In the House, Eliot offered a resolution, which was adopted, directing the Secretary of State to furnish information in regard to American whaling vessels being recently ordered off the Russian coast, in the Ochotsk Sea, by a Russian war vessel.

In the Senate, Mr. Sherman presented the memorial of the citizens of Cincinnati, asking the adoption of a measure to secure the rights of American citizens.

Mr. Sumner thought the American Republic was competent to meet this matter, but the committee, of which he is chairman, would not be induced to act hastily by any temporary measure. The committee has already considered this subject, and the organs of public opinion in England have indicated a disposition to abandon their assumption of "once citizens always citizens." He thought it would be absurd in Great Britain to maintain perpetual allegiance in view of the immense emigration permitted.

The *Times'* special says the House Committee will report an appropriation for the purchase of Alaska on Thursday, and that it will probably pass by a small majority.

The *Tribune's* special says the Senate Committee on Foreign Affairs has considered and will soon report the treaties with Japan, Sandwich Islands, Venezuela and Madagascar.

Miscellaneous.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 10.—The Union League has nominated Grant for President.

The fourth article of the treaty for the purchase of St. Thomas declares cession to be deemed complete and absolute on the exchange of ratification without waiting for a formal delivery.

It has been arranged that the delivery shall take place on the first of January.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Several persons have been frozen to death in this vicinity during the late storms.

The *World's* special says the Senate refuses to sustain the President in the suspension of Stanton. The President will probably issue an order removing Stanton and force an appeal to the Supreme Court.

A *Herald* Havana special says that authentic intelligence had been received that the Spanish Government has made a formal offer of Cuba and Porto Rico to the United States for $150,000,000 in gold; one third to be paid cash down, one third in one year and the remainder in six years. Great excitement is caused by this news, which is received with general satisfaction.

The news from the West Indies is regarded in diplomatic circles as indicating readiness throughout all the islands for immediate annexation to the United States.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Later accounts of the frightful disaster near West Buffalo fully confirm the first reports. Two cars, filled with passengers, were thrown off a bridge forty feet in height. The real cause of the disaster will probably never be known. Of at least fifty persons in the first car only four are known to have escaped, and many more in the car were killed. Both cars took fire, and were burned entirely, consuming a number of passengers; in the other a part of the number perished. It will probably not be ascertained for some time how many are lost. Madame Ristori was among the injured. Most of those in the first car were burned to ashes. The screams of those inside were heard for fifteen minutes.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Mr. Burlingame telegraphs to Secretary Seward that he has been appointed by the Chinese Government as Envoy to the Western Powers, and will leave immediately. It is understood that this acceptance vacates the mission temporarily, and it devolves on Williams, Charge d'Affaires.

The New Year's reception at the White House was the most brilliant for several years. The receptions of the heads of departments were also crowded, and marked with good feeling. Grant's house was crowded from noon till night.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—The *Post's* special says the reports on the case of Stanton are completed and will be presented to the Senate on Monday. Stanton has made a very clear case, and the report will fully exonerate him from the charges of the President. The report goes further, and will throw much light upon the Secretary's action, and that of the President's, which hitherto has been shrouded in mystery. It is believed that there will be no doubt but that Stanton will be reinstated. Probably Grant will immediately retire, even if ordered to remain by the President.

ACQUISITION OF TERRITORY.—A Washington despatch says: A few disappointed lobbyists, who have pleasant recollections of the passage of the Reciprocity Treaty, years ago, are industriously denouncing the proposed purchase of Alaska and of St. Thomas, evidently in the hope that they may be "retained." Of course opposition to the appropriations therefore is a good lobby for would-be economists, but Congress will hardly assume the responsibility of refusing to make desirable acquisitions.

There is also much talk about the acquisition of Cuba—some say by purchase; some talk mysteriously of a revolution among the whites on the island, and some predict an insurrection among the blacks. But that by some way Cuba is to be offered to the United States, all of the "posted" news-mongers agree, and I give their rumors for what they may be worth.

RUSSIAN AMERICA.—Hardly six months have passed since Russian America was acquired, and yet enterprises of every character are springing up in that country, which promise to develop a vast and most valuable Pacific trade for the United States. Building lots have advanced several hundred dollars in price at New Archangel and Sitka, in anticipation of a large flow of emigration thither. Numerous parties are organizing in California to proceed to Russian America to reap the wealth afforded in her gold, copper and coal mines, fur trade and fisheries. Ship builders on Puget Sound expect, and are preparing, for extensive orders in the Spring, and a United States navy yard is to be located on Cambridge Island.

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.—The billiard match last night for the championship of America, between McDevitt and Dion, was won by the former by twelve points in fifteen hundred.

THE GREAT PEDESTRIAN FEAT.—Weston, the pedestrian, reached Chicago at ten o'clock yesterday, and so won his wager of ten thousand dollars, minus six-tenths of that sum forfeited for not walking one hundred miles in twenty-four hours. He is now the lion of Chicago. The road for miles out of the city was crowded with people to see him, and the streets through which he passed to reach the Sherman House, where he now is, were packed with people. The police had some difficulty in making a way for him, the crowd were so impatient to give him a welcome; but he was finally escorted to his room at the Sherman House in safety. He says that the attempt to walk 100 miles, starting from Silver Creek, failed because his feet were badly swollen. He reached Conneaut, ninety-one miles, in good condition otherwise, and asserts positively that he could have made the remaining nine miles in the two hours and thirty-seven minutes left, but that his attendants would not allow him to start.

Along the roads, he says, the people from the farms and villages had collected to see him, and nearly every wayside church and school was occupied by men and women driven from the roads by the storm. These buildings were all lighted and heated, and until he became accustomed to the novel sight he thought the pious residents of the country were holding religious meetings, and their children attending night school. He made Ligonier in nine hours. At Goshen they sent out a brass band to play for him along the road to Elkhart, twelve miles. At Goshen the wagon horses, tired out the third time since the start from Utica, were shipped by rail to Laporte. At South Bend he was received with the greatest enthusiasm.

Outside of the town he was met by a squad of policemen, who had been detailed to protect him and lead him in safety to the town. Here he felt great fatigue, and flatly refused to move an inch further, although he had three hours and seven minutes in which to make but fourteen miles. "After the terrible journey I had made," said he, "I felt that the remaining fourteen miles would be the longest walk I had ever undertaken." This afternoon he will probably go to the Opera House—this evening certainly. The people are clamorous to see him, and he will speak to them to-night from the stage. He has been called upon by a large number of citizens, but at this hour is taking a little rest.

Weston began his walk of 1,237¾ miles, from Portland, Me., to Chicago, Ill., on the 29th of Oct. at twelve o'clock, noon. The feat was attempted on a wager of $10,000 that he could not perform the distance in thirty days, resting four Sundays on the trip.

CURIOSITIES OF SENATORIAL STATIONERY.—The stationery bill of the United States Senate for 1866 foots up something over $30,000, as rendered by Secretary Forney, and includes these among other curious items: 504 pocket knives, 465 penknives, $2,223—18 knives to each Senator—what fearful whittlers; 703 pairs of shears and 1,137 pairs scissors, $1,213—37 pairs to each Senator, which accounts for the senatorial cutting and slashing, to say nothing of a liberal supply for editorial service, on "my two papers, both daily;" 210 pairs of kid gloves, $525—4 pairs each, in order to take off when the honorable Senators want to handle each other "without gloves;" 446 pocket books, $1,019—8 to each Senator, wherein to stow away mileage and other fat pickings; 309 brushes, and 556 pincushions, $384—to enable the Senators to brush up their ideas and to "stick a pin there." Lots of cork-screws, eyelet machines, combs, cologne, soap, pomade, toilet powder, lemons, and other intellectual helps too astonishing and numerous to mention, in addition to the articles usually included under the title of stationery, go to make up this rather miscellaneous assortment. Not the least important is $364 worth of sponge, if it could only be used to wipe out three-fourths of the disgraceful items, and to freshen up the hardened consciences of men who can descend to or permit such petty stealing from the national treasury.

European.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—It is inferred from the tone of Rouher's speech that the Emperor has adopted a policy on the Roman question which coincides with the views of the clerical party. This impression is strengthened by the tone of the French press since the speech. The liberal press is dissatisfied, and the clerical press jubilant.

The *Times* counsels the acceptance of the President's views on the disputed questions of naturalization and allegiance.

The Government has decided to prosecute all persons who made treasonable speeches on the occasion of the Fenian demonstration at Dublin, last Saturday.

The *Times* declares the holding of a conference on the Roman question to be a mockery.

The Danish proclamation transferring St. Thomas is published. Two years are conceded to the inhabitants to effect an entire change of nationality.

FLORENCE Dec. 18.—Menebrea, in a speech in the Parliament yesterday, said Italy would sooner or later posess Rome, but that end must be accomplished by moral force, not by arms. Ratazzi followed in a speech, saying that the popular vote of Naples and other cities in Italy showed that the nation demanded a different policy.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Gladstone made a speech yesterday at Chestershire, in the course of which he revived the Fenian question. He did not hesitate to ascribe Fenianism to England's mismanagement of Ireland.

The Great Powers have addressed a note to the Sultan of Turkey, asking that the navigation of the Dardanelles be made free to the shipping of all nations.

Funeral ceremonies in honor of the Fenians lately executed, which was to be held to-day in many of the principal cities of England and Ireland, were prevented by the authorities, causing much indignation, but no violence. Nearly 6,000 regular troops were under arms in this city all day to assist the police in maintaining order.

Special precautions have been taken by the Government to check an expected disturbance to-day. All the drinking establishments were closed by order of the magistrates.

By the explosion at Clerkenwell Prison twenty houses were almost entirely destroyed and forty persons injured. Four have since died. The whole city is excited by this daring act, and measures of a very stringent character are looked for on the part of the Government.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The attempts to hold public funerals in Glasgow and Belfast to-day were stopped by the authorities.

It appears that the Government,