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XXXIst CONGRESS—First Session.

SENATE....WASHINGTON, Wednesday, May 29.

Mr. CLAY presented a petition of citizens of Berks County, Penn. asking for a modification of the Tariff, so as to afford adequate protection to the Coal and Iron interests. He remarked that he had heard with great regret, these interests, as well as other manufacturing interests, in various parts of the country, were greatly suffering; but of one thing the country might be assured, that until this agitating question of Slavery was disposed of, one way or the other, that none of these interests could receive any attention on the part of Congress. For himself, he must say, that his mind was so entirely engrossed with the vital subject, that he had not and could not give his attention to any other subject until that should be disposed of. When that should have been accomplished without any extravagant measure of protection, he would be prepared, and he believed all sides of the House would be ready to look into these manufacturing interests, and afford such relief as might seem necessary, if any. He moved that the petition be laid on the table. Agreed to.

Mr. SEWARD moved the printing of the correspondence between the Executive Department and Persifier F. Smith and Gen. Riley, in California, sent into the Senate a few days since. Agreed to.

After the transaction of the usual morning business, the bill to establish a branch Mint at New-York was taken up.

Mr. BRADBURY moved to amend the amendment of Jefferson Davis, providing for two Assaying Offices in California, so as to provide a Mint and one Assaying Office in San Francisco.

A debate of considerable length ensued, in the course of which Messrs. Seward and Dickinson strenuously advocated the establishment of the Mint in New-York, which was opposed by Messrs. Badger, Dawson and others.

The question being taken on Mr. Bradbury's amendment, it was agreed to, and the amendment, as amended, was then adopted.

Mr. BADGER moved to amend the bill by striking out of the first section, the provision establishing a Mint in New-York, which was rejected—Yeas, 20; Nays, 32—as follows:

YEAS—Badger, Berrien, Borland, Butler, Corwin, Davis of Miss. Dawson, Dayton, Jones, King, Mason, Morton, Pearce, Pratt, Smith, Spruance, Sturgeon, Turner, Underwood, Wales, Whitcomb.

NAYS—Atchison, Baldwin, Bell, Benton, Bradbury, Bright, Cass, Chase, Clarke, Clay, Clemens, Davis of Miss. Dickinson, Dodge of Wisconsin, Dodge of Iowa, Douglas, Downes, Felch, Greene, Hamlin, Houston, Hunter, Mangum, Norris, Rusk, Sebastian, Seward, Shields, Soule, Upham, Walker.

The bill was then reported to the Senate, and the amendment was concurred in.

Mr. BADGER moved an amendment, providing that the act shall not go into effect, so far as respects the Branch Mint at New-York, until the Legislature of that State shall pass an act declaring the Mint property free from taxation.

Mr. DICKINSON said he would make no objection to this amendment, although it would cause some delay in the operations of the Mint.

Mr. UNDERWOOD moved to amend the amendment, so as to direct that the act shall not go into effect, until the New-York State Legislature shall cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over the grounds appropriated for the use of the Mint.

Mr. DOWNS opposed the latter amendment as unnecessary, and involving a wrong principle, that of ceding to the United States jurisdiction over all the buildings and grounds on which Federal offices are located.

Mr. UNDERWOOD withdrew his amendment, and Mr. Badger's was then adopted.

The bill was then ordered to be engrossed and read a third time—by Yeas, 34; Nays, 17—objection being made to the third reading of the bill before its engrossment. The Senate then went into Executive Session, and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Mr. JONES, ordered, that when the House adjourn to-day, it will be till to-morrow morning, at eight o'clock, when an adjournment shall take place till Monday, for the purpose of having the hall put in Summer trim.

Mr. CONRAD presented a resolution from the Louisiana Legislature, asking that measures be taken to prevent inundations of the Mississippi river. Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Mr. CASEY presented the resolutions from the Legislature of Pennsylvania, on the subject of Agriculture.

Bills for the construction of certain roads in Minnesota, passed.

The bill authorising the President to negotiate a treaty with the Indians of Oregon, for the extinguishment of their claims to lands, passed.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union, and resumed the consideration of the bill to create an office of Surveyor General of public lands in Oregon, and to provide for the survey, and make donations to the settlers, of said public lands.

The amendment pending was to confine donations of land to free whites.

Mr. GIDDINGS (Free Soil) of Ohio earnestly opposed it, and spoke of the intelligence and patriotism of many blacks.

Mr. FITCH (Loco) of Indiana said, whether the amendment was adopted or not, it would make no difference, as the people of Oregon have excluded negroes, because they amalgamate with, and lead Indians to commit mischief.

Mr. SACKETT (Whig) of New-York contended that the Legislature of that Territory have no power to exclude any color of people, and if Congress see fit to make a grant of lands to white or black persons, they have the right of grant for their own benefit.

Mr. CONRAD (Whig) of La. opposed the amendment, and said that Mr. Giddings endeavored to show the superiority of the African over the Caucasian race, and had offered an apology to the Committee for considering the whites equal to the blacks.

Mr. GIDDINGS—I merely say that the white man is as good as the black, if he behaves himself as well.

Mr. CONRAD thought that Mr. Giddings was in some degree connected with the negro race. Mr. C. was of the opinion that it would benefit both races to diffuse the blacks over the country on the Pacific.

Mr. McMULLEN (Loco) of Va. replied to Mr. Giddings, and said it was true that Virginia blood was of noble character, whether in the veins of the white or the black man. [Laughter.] If Mr. Giddings goes to Virginia, he will be invited to associate with that race of which he is the peculiar friend.

Several others made remarks, when the amendment to insert free whites was agreed to by 67 to 51.

Without coming to any conclusion on the bill, the Committee rose.

An ineffectual attempt was made to fix another day for the special consideration of the bill.

The House then adjourned.

MASSACHUSETTS.—*IVth Congressional District.*—The ninth trial to elect a Representative to Congress from this District was made on Monday.—Returns from thirty-two towns show a vote of 4,387 for Palfrey; Thompson, 4,052; scattering, 643. Palfrey so far leads Thompson 335 votes, but lacks 307 votes of a majority. Eight towns yet to come in will somewhat reduce the majority against Palfrey—leaving him one or two hundred votes short.

MISSOURI.—JOHN B. HENDERSON is the Loco-Foco (Anti-Benton) candidate for Congress in the IId District of Missouri, now represented by W. V. N. Bay, Loco.

LABOR MOVEMENTS.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.—Of the Manufacturing Jewelers, and all Gold and Silver Artisans favorable to forming a great Coöperative Society, without distinction of the branch of business. Jewelers, Watch, and Watch-Case Makers, Silversmiths of all kinds, &c. of every language, at Stoneall's Hotel, Fulton st. near Nassau. We hope there will be a full attendance of these workmen to-night, and the project for such a Union receive the cool and calm consideration of all the artisans. Let representatives from all other affiliated Associations attend and give their views. The Silversmiths, Cabinet-Makers, and Turners meet at Mechanics' Hall, 170 Hester-st. The Steam Boiler-Makers' Protective Association at Keen's, corner of Grand and Elizabeth sts. The Protective Union, corner of Nineteenth-st. and Seventh-avenue. The Tailors of Second District, 536 Pearl-st. corner of Elm—The Button and Fringe Makers, and the Tinsmiths and Locksmiths, at Richter's, 53 Forsyth-st.; and Foreign Political Refugees' Protective Association at the Shakspere Hotel. We hope that all of these Associations who have not yet chosen Delegates to the Workingmen's Convention will follow the example of the twenty-five Benevolent and Protective Associations who have already chosen representatives. In a short time the beneficial results of such a central organization will be felt greatly by our artisans, and tend to strengthen the different incorporated and unincorporated Societies which now irradiate our city with their healthful influence.—Little or no expense will be incurred by sending Delegates, and we see no good reason why any Society will not be represented either by Delegates or volunteers. Every thing looks favorable to the permanence of the Industrial Congress.

FROM HAVANA.

The Cardenas Affair—The Prisoners Expected—Strength of the Government.

Correspondence of The Tribune.

Messrs. Greeley & McElrath:

HAVANA, Wednesday, May 22.

I might have added extensively to my last by the Ohio, from the rumors afloat in our community, but the fear of being misled under the surrounding excitement and thus misleading others, deterred me. The main fact left, after the effervescence has worked off, seems to be, that Gen. Lopez with some three hundred men effected a landing at Cardenas on the night of the 18th inst. The Governor of the place was made prisoner, with other crown officials, to be held as hostages for the safety of others in the power of the Government.

—Since writing the preceding, I am advised from a reliable source, that there was a contest between the Governor of Cardenas and a few troops with Lopez, the Governor wounded and made prisoner, while it is stated that several of the invaders were killed. If this is the invasion so long anticipated as the nucleus round which Cuban hopes might gather, it is a failure, the force not sufficient, and the points selected not defensible military positions. For two men left on shore in the confusion of embarkation, Gen. L. permitted the Governor of Cardenas and others to be landed, not knowing that half his force were already prisoners and on their way to Havana. The bark and brig are undoubtedly captured, and as the capture was made on the coast of Yucatan, we hope the extreme penalty will not be visited upon the misled victims.

The impression has been carefully infused into the Creole mind that this expedition was to fail—that it had no basis to sustain it of men or means, and the *first appearance* gave such strong confirmation of the truth of the allegation, that they could not make the declaration if they desired to do it.

There has been an entire stoppage of business for several days, and we have no quotations to make. From to-day business will be resumed, and there is no probability of more interruption. The city of Havana was left entirely to the protection of the people—that is, to the Catalans; a few Creoles were volunteers from necessity—for safety; and the only lesson derivable from this movement is, that the display of two thousand men in any quarter will draw from defensible walls every regular soldier within reach. The three hundred of Lopez called out all Havana and Matanzas, and had he retired with the Governor, he might have made terms for his improvident preparation, and for the security of the lives he has foolishly involved. We are momentarily expecting the arrival of the bark and brig with 150 prisoners. If the Proclamation, which I transmit, have *retrospective* effect and is rigidly adhered to, there will be no one saved, in the power of the Government. The nature of Mercy they know not, save when pleading for themselves. I cannot be more explicit—the results you have.

The Government has acted with great energy and promptitude, and if they exercise proportionate forbearance they will establish a new name in history and win golden opinions among our progressive countrymen. The citizen-soldiers have conducted themselves with great propriety, and I do not believe there is another community in the world that could parallel this conduct under similar circumstances. Men of all opinions have harmonized—even patriots—against this scheme, as it has appeared to them; and not an excess of any description has been committed. Yours, Q. U. O.

Story of the Landing at Cardenas.

Havana Correspondence of The Tribune.

HAVANA, Wednesday, May 22, 1850.

Messrs Greeley & McElrath:

Enclosed you will receive the precious document, which I would translate did my time permit. The measures and rules are good, although the fashion of killing has somewhat passed.

Every dispatch gives a change in the version of the landing at Cardenas. It now seems that several of the insurgent force were badly wounded in an engagement with some twenty lancers—that two houses were burnt, Col. White badly shot through the body, and finally that the three hundred men retreated on board their steamer taking the Governor and a subordinate officer. The Governor was put on board of a fishing smack, under a pledge of honor, that the men left wounded and otherwise on shore, should not be injured in any way. Lopez proceeded in the Creole to Key West, as is *supposed*, where he is followed by the General of Marines, who says he will take him thence, let the consequences be what they may; but this, probably, he will not attempt on "sober second thought." Q. U. O.

The Havana Account of the Taking of Cardenas.

The Havana papers of the 22d inst. brought by the *Isabel*, contain accounts of the taking of Cardenas, which differ little from our telegraphic dispatches from Charleston. We take the *Journal of Commerce's* translation:

Reembarkation of the Pirates—Routed by the Inhabitants of Cardenas and a few Valiant Soldiers.

The traitors and vagabonds have already abandoned our loyal soil. The people of Cardenas have given them a frightful lesson, after that which they received from the few valiant soldiers who garrisoned the place. Scarcely had the population recovered from the surprise produced by the invasion in the morning, when the noble citizens (vecinos) threw themselves almost unarmed upon the infamous rascals, and obliged them to reëmbark, making them pay dearly for their temerity. The late hour at which the mail arrived prevents our publishing more than the following lines, written by a friend:

CARDENAS, Monday, May 20.—Time does not permit me to write you more than four lines. This place was selected by the banditti as the scene of their operations. They landed at 3½ o'clock yesterday morning, about 400 strong, having been brought by a steamer. They immediately opened their fire upon the few troops who garrisoned the place, who, however, resisted to the utmost. Nevertheless, the banditti made themselves masters of the town, and continued in possession until 6½ in the evening, at which time the inhabitants and the few soldiers who remained with us, rallied and gave them such a drubbing that they reëmbarked with all precipitation. They, however, took with them the Lieut.-Governor, a Captain, and a Lieutenant, of the small force of one company which was here, but put them ashore at the Keys. There were many casualties on both sides; but the pirates received abundant proofs of Spanish valor, and of the dignity with which Cuba is determined to respond to the infamous traitors and banditti who have dared to profane their soil."

CITY ITEMS.

THE PROPOSED NEW COINS.—In the *North American* of yesterday we find some further particulars in relation to the new coins which we have lately received from the U. S. Mint. The weight of the cent piece is only 25 grains, while that of the copper cent is 168 grains. The hole in the center, which makes the coin annular, beside affording a distinguishing mark by which it can be recognized in the pocket, will also render it difficult to be counterfeited.

The weight of the three cent piece is 12½ grains. This coin is proposed as a convenient adaptation to the prices of many things, and to making change, but there is also a special object contemplated in relation to it. The country is weary of the worn-out Spanish money which, for the last century nearly, has had so prominent a place in its currency, and which is ill adapted to our decimal system. At the same time, every plan for forcing them to the crucible, as long as people hold them at their nominal value, or even a slight fraction under it, is sure to fail. The only resource left is to *coax* them to the Mint, by exchanging them at the nominal value for national coin. This, however, could not be done with justice to the public treasury, without issuing, as many countries do, a minor coin, with a legal valuation somewhat higher than the intrinsic; as the present *cent* is, and as the new cent will also be.

The Director of the Mint issued circulars last Winter to dealers in various parts of the country, and from the answers it appears that there are now six millions of dollars worth of small Spanish silver in our currency. The following is the total amount of small American silver coined, to the beginning of this year:

In quarter dollars	$3,713,675
In dimes	3,311,710
In half-dimes	1,595,975
Total	$8,620,760

The weight of the proposed three-cent piece is so adjusted as to enable the Government to make the exchange without loss to itself, and there will be none to the party applying. The bill provides that the three-cent piece shall be paid out at the Mint, and its branches, in exchange for those and some other varieties of small foreign silver coins current among us, *but for no other kinds of coin or bullion.*

THE PASSAGE OF THE ASIA.—A passenger per the Asia gives the following account of her passage. He says that she "left Liverpool at 1 P.M. exactly, on the 18th inst. and had fine weather. There was no detention on account of fog. She arrived at Halifax at 6.10 A.M. on the 26th, left at 8 A.M. and arrived at Boston at 1 P.M. on the 28th, or at dock at 1½, and passengers were landed at 2 P.M. The passage, therefore, from Liverpool to Boston, allowing for difference in longitude, was *ten days and five hours*—no more, no less."

☞ The Grand Jury were in session (of course with closed doors) yesterday forenoon. Nothing as relates to their proceedings has transpired.

A LOCOMOTIVE IN DISGUISE.—We understand that the new Concealed Locomotive came down the Hudson River Railroad last night to the dépôt in Chambers-st. This machine exactly resembles a baggage car in outward appearance, there being no steam nor smoke visible, and but little noise attending its motion. It is meant for City use entirely, and if the experiment should prove successful, will be a great improvement on the slow fashion of being drawn two or three miles by horses, where the Dépôt is situated in the center of the City.

☞ Mr. CROSWELL, the Senior Editor of the *Albany Argus*, in reply to newspaper intimations that he was about to retire from his editorial chair and remove from the city of Albany, says:

"Engagements and interests may call him from his post more or less, for a few months, but not permanently; nor from a residence in this city, nor from an interest in and editorial connexion with the *Argus*.

"With regard to the alleged profits, salary, &c. he ought perhaps to regret that they have even less foundation than the friendly rumors alluded to."

FIRE.—At 11½ o'clock on Tuesday night there was a small fire at 270 Monroe st. Very little damage, and no alarm.

REAL ESTATE.—Adrian H. Muller sold, yesterday, at the Merchants' Exchange, the following:

BY A. H. MULLER—May 29.

1 lot on North side Fourteenth-st. 72 feet from Irving-place, 48x122 ..... $9,180

MUSICAL.—Mr. VINCENT WALLACE, the pianist, with his sister, Madame E. WALLACE BUSHELLE, who is noted as a vocalist, and Mademoiselle HELENE STOPEL, a talented *pianiste*, have reached this City and are now staying at Rathbun's Hotel. We understand they intend shortly to give a concert. Our musical citizens will need no other incitement to greet them with a hearty welcome. The name of Wallace is familiar to all whose memories extend back five or six years, and no one who heard him then will omit hearing him now.

THE DOUBLE GRAND PIANO CONCERT.—Mr. Pirsson's Exhibition Concert of his Double-Grand Piano Forte, came off last night at the Apollo Rooms. It was just such pleasant, perfect, satisfactory entertainment—where everything was well done, and there was just enough of it—as no one who hears can help enjoying. The performers were Hoffman, Burke, Timm, Kyle, Boucher, Pell, Pirsson, Bristow, Johnson and King. The duet by King and Kyle was a delicious morceau. Hoffman, who keeps his hold on public favor in spite of all the playing of the great pianists who have been among us, was most rapturously encored. The overture to the Bronze Horse, for eight hands, brought out the powers of the grand instrument with almost an orchestral effect. Mr. Pirsson, in its construction, has effected an improvement which renders it superior to all other pianos, for concert use.

BROOKLYN ITEMS.

LAWRENCE-ST. OPENING.—The proceedings in relation to the opening of this street from its present terminus in Nassau st. have been stayed until a report from the Law Committee and Counsel of the Board can be had as to the legality of the proceedings.

EGG MATCH.—This entertainment came off on Tuesday afternoon. The manner of doing it was as follows: Fifty eggs were placed on the ground at one yard apart, making a distance of fifty yards from the first to the last egg. A pail of water was then placed at one end of the row and the fun commenced, the operator picking the eggs up one by one and running to deposit them in the pail without breaking them. The time agreed upon was twenty minutes, but the feat was accomplished in eleven minutes and fifty-three seconds, leaving eight minutes to spare. The running distance was one mile and two fifths. The wager was $25.

DEDICATION.—The new Temperance hall over Mr. Cammeyer's market, at the corner of Fulton and Concord sts. will be dedicated this evening.

REAL ESTATE.—Mr. Bleecker sold yesterday a very large amount of Brooklyn property, as follows:

BY A. J. BLEECKER & CO—May 29.

2 lots on Greene, near Nostrand-st. ea 25x100—165 ea.	$330
2 do adjoining, ea 25x100—150 ea.	260
2 do on rear, on Van Buren-st. ea 25x100—150 ea.	260
4 do cor Greene and Marcy sts. ea 25x100—127 50 ea	510
4 do adjoining, ea 25x100—130 ea.	520
4 do cor Van Buren and Nostrand sts. ea 25x100—175 each	700
4 do adjoining, ea 25x100—170 ea.	680
3 do on rear on La Fayette-st. ea 25x100—145 ea.	725
2 do adjoining, each 25x100—135 ea.	270
12 do do 25x100—145 ea.	1,740
2 do do 25x100—150 ea.	300
2 do do 25x100—160 ea.	320
2 do on Remsen and Van Buren sts. ea 25x100—150 ea	300
2 do adjoining, ea 25x100—150 ea.	300
12 do do 25x100—145 ea.	1,740
2 do do 25x100—135 ea.	270
5 do do 25x100—145 ea.	725
2 do on La Fayette-st. near Nostrand-av, ea 25x100—140 ea.	280
4 do adjoining, ea 25x100—135 ea.	540
4 do on rear on Kosciusko-st 135 ea.	540
2 do adjoining, ea 25x100—140 ea.	280
4 do near above, with 4 lots on rear, ea 25x100—180 each	1,200
4 do cor Kosciusko-st. and Nostrand-av. ea 25x100—187 50 ea.	750
4 do adjoining, ea 25x100—195 ea.	780
4 do opposite, ea 25x100—205 ea.	870
4 do adjoining, ea 25x100—195 ea.	780
3 do on rear on Kosciusko-st ea 25x100—185 ea.	555
2 do adjoining, ea 25x100—180 ea.	360
4 do do 25x100—175 ea.	680
4 do do 25x100—160 ea.	640
2 do do 25x100—165 ea.	330
3 do on rear on De Kalb-av. ea 25x100—165 ea.	330
4 do adjoining, ea 25x100—160 ea.	640
4 do do 25x100—165 ea.	660
2 do do 25x100—180 ea.	360
3 do do 25x100—185 ea.	525
3 do on Nostrand-av. near Pulaski-st. ea 25x100—150 each	450
2 do adjoining, with house, $300 ea.	600
2 gores on De Kalb-av. near Nostrand-av $155 ea.	310
2 do adjoining, $142 50 each	285
2 do do $132 50 each	265
2 do do $120 each	240
2 lots adjoining, $110 each	220
4 do cor Marcy-av. and Kosciusko-st. ea 25x100—118 each	472
2 do adjoining, $110 each	220
3 do opposite, ea 25x100—120 each	360
3 gores on rear, $75 each	225
1 do adjoining	90
2 lots on Quincy-st near Nostrand-av. with 2 on rear on Hickory-st. ea 25x100—110 ea.	440
12 lots adjoining, with 12 on rear, ea 25x100—105 ea.	2,520
4 do adjoining, with 2 on rear, ea 25x100—100 ea.	600
6 do cor Hickory-st. and Marcy-av. ea 25x100—110 ea	660
5 do opposite, ea 25x100—110 ea.	550
4 gores on rear on Hickory-st $87 50 each	350
8 do adjoining, $50 each	400
6 lots opposite, with 6 on rear on Greene-av ea 25x100—96 ea.	1,152
6 do adjoining, with 6 on rear, ea 25x100—97 50 ea.	1,170
8 do adjoining, with 8 on rear, ea 25x100—100 ea.	1,600
4 do corner Tompkins-av. and Hickory-st. ea 25x100—100 each	400
4 do adjoining, ea 25x100—97 50 each	390
8 do on rear, ea 25x100—92 50 each	740
8 do on Tompkins-av. between Hickory-st. and Greene-av. ea 25x100—100 each	800
8 do on rear, ea 25x100—92 50 each	740

NEWARK ITEMS.

PHRENOLOGICAL LECTURES.—The highly interesting Lectures in Washington Hall by Messrs. FOWLER and SIZER, are drawing good audiences, and directing public attention to the lucid, common-sense, practical ideas which they announce of the constitution of human nature. Their teachings have a peculiar attraction on account of their obvious application to so many important personal and social interests.

A GRACEFUL TRIBUTE TO WORTH AND GENIUS.—An appropriate and altogether beautiful plan has been devised for the erection of a Monument in Mount Auburn to the memory of the late Mrs. OSGOOD. A splendid volume, consisting of contributions of her personal and literary friends, and embellished by exquisitely engraved portraits of herself and her children, will be issued during the summer, and the entire profits of it (including the ordinary per centage of the booksellers,) will be devoted to the erection of a suitable monument to the deceased Poetess in the beautiful cemetery where she is buried. The book will be edited by Mrs. Osgood's intimate friend, Mary E. Hewitt, and among the contributors who have already given their names to the Editress, we believe we may mention His Lordship the Bishop of Jamaica, (one of the most classical poets who now write the English language); the Rt. Rev. George W. Doane, Bishop of New Jersey; Mr. Bryant, Mr Willis, Mr. Boker, Mrs. G. Goodrich, Mr. Whipple, Mr. T. B. Read, Mr. Bayard Taylor, Mr. Epes Sargent, Mr. Alfred B. Street, Mr. Stoddard, Mr. Griswold, the author of "St. Leger," Miss Lynch, Rev. Ralph Hoyt, Mrs. Wilby, Miss Alice Carey, Miss Hunter, Mrs. E. Oakes Smith, Mrs. Whitman, and indeed nearly all the eminent female writers of the country. The fund thus raised will be appropriated under the direction of a Committee consisting of Hon. H. B. Anthony, Governor of Rhode Island; Richard B. Kimball, Esq., Rev. Rufus W. Griswold, Alfred B. Street, George H. Boker, E. P. Whipple, James I. Fields, Bayard Taylor, and H. J. Raymond.

The Parker Murder, &c. &c.

MANCHESTER, N. H. Monday, May 27, 1850.

The Wentworths (Asa and Henry) arrived here yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, in custody of Sheriffs Dearborn and Goodwin, of Exeter, and Sheriff Lamprey, of Hampton, as stated in to-day's *Bee*. They were retained at Exeter over Saturday night, and on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, they were taken by private conveyance across the county to Manchester. They are both in custody at the City Hotel, there being no prison nearer than Amherst—12 miles distance. Horace Wentworth, who was arrested at Lowell, and Wm. C. Clark are in custody at the Manchester House.

Last evening Horace expressed a wish to see his brothers, Asa and Henry. His request was granted. When he passed into his brothers' room at the City Hotel, Henry, who was out in the entry conversing with some friend who had called to see him, looked up, but as soon as he discovered Horace he went to conversing again, and it was not till after he was sent for that he went into the room where Horace was. The meeting is said to have been a very cool one. Henry asked Horace if he had written to their mother, telling her about their trouble; Horace replied that he had not; that he had not written to *any one*; that they (the officers) would not let him see any one, and that he did not desire any person to see him. He is reported to have said that *all he cares about is to get his own neck out of the scrape!*

Thursday morning is decided upon as the time when the examination will commence. Horace and Clark demand a full examination. Asa and Henry have been advised by counsel to hear the Government without putting in any defense. Asa insists upon making his own defense and doing his own cross questioning, but he will probably be persuaded out of that idea before the time for examination arrives.

Clark still insists that he can prove an *alibi*, as I formerly mentioned in a letter from this place some weeks since. He appears to be greatly troubled in mind about something—probably as to *how* he shall prove his *alibi*.

Messrs. Pierce and Atherton, distinguished lawyers, are engaged as Clark's counsel. The same gentlemen will probably be retained by Henry and Asa, for I learn since my arrival here, that Judge Goodenow, the senior counsel for defense at the examination in South Berwick, has withdrawn from the case; for what reason I know not. Mr. Eastman of Saco, will be retained with Messrs. Pierce and Atherton. Messrs. Abbott and Butler of Lowell, are employed as counsel for Horace. [Cor. Boston Bee.

☞ THE MORTAL REMAINS OF JAMES K. POLK, late President of the United States, were yesterday removed from their temporary resting place in the cemetery, with appropriate and impressive ceremonies of public solemnity and respect, and deposited in the private vault prepared for them, in the beautiful lawn, in front of the family residence in this city. [Nashville True Whig, 25.

AMUSEMENTS.

ASTOR-PLACE OPERA HOUSE.—Return of the Havana Italian Opera Company. The director of the Havana Italian Opera Company respectfully asks leave to announce to the musical public of New-York, that he has leased the Astor-place Opera House for a short season, and will give the first representation on Monday evening, June 3. Particulars hereafter.

Prices—General admission, $1; Gallery, 50 cts; Seats secured, $1 50. The box office will be open on Saturday, June 1, at which time places can be secured.

g my30 ANTO PADER.

BROADWAY THEATER.—Doors open at 7½; curtain will rise at 7¾.—THIS EVENING, May 30, will be performed the new Comedy, in 3 acts, entitled

THE SERIOUS FAMILY.

Captain Murphy Maguire.....Mr. Hudson
Aminidab Sleek...Chapman | Lady Creamly.....Mrs Hield
Mr. C. Torrens.....Perry | Mrs. Torrens...Mrs Skerrett
Frank Vincent.....Smart | Mrs Delmaine....Miss Horn

To conclude with the Farce of

HIS LAST LEGS.

O'Callaghan....Mr. Hudson | Julia.....Miss Horn

Prices of admission: To Dress Circle and Parquette, 50 cents; Family and Third Circles, 25 cts; Gallery, 12½ cents.

BURTON'S THEATER.—Doors open at 7½; to commence at 7¾.—THIS EVENING, May 30, will be played the New Comedy, in 3 acts, of

THE CATSPAW.

Capt. Burgonet..Mr. Clarke | Mr. Snowball...Mr. Burton
Mrs. Peachdown... Russell | Rosemary....Miss Chapman

To conclude with the comedy of

THE SERIOUS FAMILY.

Chas. Torrens.....Clarke | Frank Vincent..Mr. Lovere
Capt. Maguire.....Jordan | Aminadab Sleek.Mr. Burton
Lady Creamley.Mrs. Hughes | Delaine.....Miss Chapman

To conclude with a Grand Double Polka Coalition.

Prices—Boxes, Dress Circle and Parquette, 50 cts.; Family Circle or Second Tier, 25 cts.; Private Boxes, $3 and $5

NIBLO'S.—OPEN FOR THE SUMMER SEASON. THIS EVENING, May 30, will be performed Morris Barnet's popular Comedy of

THE SERIOUS FAMILY.

Capt. Maguire....Brougham | Lady Creamly..Mrs. Vernon
Chas. Torrens.....Reynolds | Mrs. Torrens.Miss M. Taylor
Amin'd. Sleek..Chippendale | Mrs. Delmaine...Mrs. Sefton
Frank Vincent.....Copland | Emma Leslie..Miss Wilmot

To conclude with Weston's new Farce, called

TICKLISH TIMES.

Perkyn Postlethwaite.....Mr. John Sefton
Col. Cranky..Mr. Nickinson | Alice.....Miss Nickinson
Capt. Dudley....Mr. Walcot | Dolly Marygold.Mrs. Sefton

Admission to all parts of the house 50 cents. Doors open at 7 o'clock; to commence at 8.

ASTOR-PLACE THEATER.—Complimentary Benefit to Mr. BASS, on FRIDAY EVENING, May 31, 1850.—General Committee: Caleb S. Woodhull, Esq. Mayor; F. A. Talmadge, Esq. Recorder; Andrew H. Mickle, Esq.; N. B. Laban, Esq. John B. Brady, Esq. Wm. K. Thom, Esq. T. C. Beales, Esq. President of the St. George's Society; W. Young, Esq. Vice-President of the St. George's Society; W. Burns, Esq. Stephen Bogart, Esq. Robert A. Emmet, Esq. Elijah Ward, Esq. Geo. P. Morris, Esq. N. P. Willis, Esq. Ogden Hoffman, Esq. T. C. Porter. Managing Dramatic Committee: Chas. Kemble Mason, J. O. Neafie, W. T. Roberts, J. C. Losier, R. M. Martin, &c. The following artists have kindly tendered their aid: Mrs. James Wallack, Jr. Miss Fanny Wallack, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. Dyott, Mrs. G. Loder, Miss Weston, Mrs. Hamilton, Miss Flynn, Mr. J. Wallack Lester, Mr. J. O. Neafie, Mr. C. K. Mason, Mr. Grosvenor, Mr. C. Wharton, Mr. Littell, Mr. Rose, Mr. McDonald, Mr. Strafford, Mr. Barnett, Mr. Ridgeley, Mr. Alway, &c. The Dodworth Band have also tendered their valuable aid, and will appear on the stage, in magnificent new uniform, and perform several choice morceaux during the evening. Mr. W. T. Roberts, Leader, with a double orchestra, will support the musical department, and, previous to the comedy, will perform Auber's overture, "The Crown of Diamonds."

Tickets (One Dollar) may be obtained at either of the Hotels and at the box office, where places may be secured without additional charge. Admission to the amphitheater 25 cents.

On FRIDAY EVENING, May 31, 1850, the performances will commence with the admired Comedy of the

SOLDIERS DAUGHTER.

Governor Heartall, Mr. Bass; Frank Heartall, Mr. J. Wallack Lester; Mr. Malfort, Mr. C. Warton, (his first appearance in New-York); Captain Woodley, Mr Grosvenor; Ferrett, Mr. Stafford; Timothy Quaint, Mr. Littell; Thomas, Mr. Ridgley; George, Mr. Barnett; The Widow Cheerly, Mrs. J. Wallack, Jr.; Mrs. Malfort, Mrs. McLean; Susan, Miss Flynn. After the Comedy, the following Concert, by the celebrated "Dodworth Band," &c. Rondo and Finale, "Linda di Chamouni," as sung by Madame Laborde Maretzek. Song—"I love the merry sunshine," by Mrs. G. Loder. Grand Quintette—"Sonnambula," (Dodworth Band.) Bellini. "Very Best Polka," dedicated to the "tip-top," A. Dodworth. After the concert, Mr. C. K. Mason will recite Robert Burns' celebrated comic poem of "Tam O'Shanter." To conclude with the Comedy of

CHARLES THE SECOND.

King Charles, Mr. Neafie; Earl of Rochester, Mr. Wharton; Edward, (a page) Miss Weston; Captain Copp Mr. Bass; Lady Clara, Mrs. McLean; Mary Copp, Miss Fanny Wallack.

Doors open at 7; to commence at half-past 7. my30 2t

CHRISTY'S MINSTRELS,
MECHANICS' HALL,

NO 472 BROADWAY, between Grand and Broome sts.—OPEN EVERY NIGHT DURING THE WEEK. The original and well-known

CHRISTY'S ETHIOPIAN OPERA TROUPE.

The first established and oldest organized band in the world, comprising a company of twelve performers, under the direction of E. P. Christy. They will have the honor of giving their original and inimitable entertainments every night until further notice.

Admission 25 cents. Doors open at 7, Concert will commence at 8 o'clock.

An afternoon concert on Saturday, commencing at 3 o'clock, P.M. my27 6ts*

OLYMPIC.

PIERCE'S MINSTRELS.—The original Pompey late of Christy's Minstrels.—Every Evening until further notice.—Crowded nightly by the beauty and fashion of this city. Best Ethiopian band in the world, consisting of fourteen performers, under the direction of E. H. Pierce. A choice selection of Songs, Glees, Choruses, Medleys, Refrains, Burlesques, &c. &c peculiar to the illustration of Ethiopian character.

Admission 25 cents; private boxes $3; Orchestra seats, 50 cents.

Saturday, May 11, Benefit of Lieut. E. Horn alias Brother Bones.

An Afternoon Concert on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Doors open at 2—concert at 3 o'clock. my8 tf

BARNUM'S LANCASHIRE BELL-RINGERS, at the Chinese Building, 539 Broadway.

This talented Band of Performers, whose entertainments during the past two weeks have been greeted with crowded houses and unbounded applause, will appear again

EVERY EVENING THIS WEEK,

commencing Monday, May 27, at 8 o'clock, and on

WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AFTERNOONS

at 3 o'clock. Their novel performances far excel anything of the kind ever before witnessed by an American audience. Their music, being produced by the use of

TWENTY-FOUR BELLS AT ONE TIME

—viz: four to each man—produces an effect at once astonishing and enchanting. They execute a great variety of popular Marches, Waltzes, Quadrilles, Polkas, National Airs, Ethiopian Melodies, and select pieces from the most celebrated operas, with a harmony and delicacy of tone which creates the greatest delight.

In conjunction with the Bell-Ringers, will also appear those talented Vocalists

MISS LESLIE AND MR. HARISON,

the former in a variety of popular songs, and the latter in several comic melodies and improvisatory effusions.

Admission 25 cents, children under 10 half price. my27tf

This is positively the last week of this unrivalled Company, as we learn they will make their debut in Philadelphia on Monday next.

BARNUM'S CHINESE MUSEUM, 539 Broadway, between Spring and Prince sts.—P. T. BARNUM, Proprietor and Manager.

Reëngagement for a short time longer, commencing Monday, May 27, of

THE CHINESE LADY AND SUITE,

who purpose visiting the principal cities of the Union previous to their departure for Europe. In addition to

THE CHINESE FAMILY,
Six in Number,
Including the Lady with feet 2½ inches long.
THE CHINESE COLLECTION
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