BUSINESS NOTICES.

☞ Patent Tapestry, Three-ply and Patent Tapestry Ingrain Carpets, the most beautiful article ever offered, and at low prices, at the celebrated cheapest Carpet Establishment in the United States, 99 Bowery, HIRAM ANDERSON'S. Do not fail to look at them.

IMPORTED CARPETS — NEW SPRING STYLES — SMITH & LOUNSBERY, 448 Pearl-street, (opposite William-street)—Have now in store a large and elegant assortment of CARPETINGS, embracing all the latest and most desirable styles in market. The stock comprises rich Wilton, Velvet Tapestry, Brussels Tapestry, Brussels 3-ply and Ingrain Carpets, in all the various grades. English and American Floor Oil Cloths in every variety of styles and width, with a complete assortment of all other goods connected with the business. The superior styles and quality of the goods, and the low price at which they will be sold, offer great inducements for purchasers to examine this stock. Experienced upholsterers in constant employ to cut and fit carpets at the shortest notice and in the best manner. my 8 2w*

IMPORTED CARPETS.—PETERSON & HUMPHREY, 379 Broadway, corner White-st. have just received per packet ship Gotea Lion, an additional supply of rich and elegant Carpeting, new designs and extra quality. Also an invoice of Henderson's celebrated Brussels Carpets, which are offered at the lowest possible cash prices, and full 10 per cent. less than any other store selling similar goods. m5 6t

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, DRUGGETS, &C. —A very superior stock of rich and elegant Carpets Oil Cloths, Window Shades, Table Covers, Druggets, Mattings, &c. selected with taste and judgment, can be found at the extensive warerooms of Messrs E. A. PETERSON & Co. 76 Canal-st. Those who wish to purchase any of the above enumerated articles, can do so to advantage of the above firm.

☞ Rich and elegant Carpetings, as well as an extensive assortment of three-plies and Ingrain Stair Carpetings, magnificent Floor Oilcloths, of every variety of quality and pattern; Stair Rods, elegant Hearth Rugs, Mats and Matting, in endless variety may be found at the store of Messrs PETERSON & HUMPHREY, corner of White-st. and Broadway. This is the largest and richest carpet warehouse in the city, where all the new styles and best qualities of Carpets are sold at a very small advance from first cost. The proprietors of this elegant store are young men of enterprise, and have built up an immense business by selling their goods at small profits, and extensively advertising. A visit to this establishment will repay those who have a curiosity to look at the richest goods, even if they do not wish to purchase.

CARPETS, OIL CLOTH AND DRY GOODS FROM AUCTION!—J. H. TOWNSEND & Co. 707 Greenwich st. near Amos, having bought largely at auction to stock their new Carpet rooms, are now selling Three-ply, Ingrain and Stair Carpets at less than manufacturers' prices. Table-covers, Drapery, Muslins, Silks, &c. cheap. my9 2t*

☞ Twenty Thousand Yards beautiful Floor Oil Cloths only 3s. 4s and 5s per yard, one and two yards wide at 99 Bowery, HIRAM ANDERSON'S. Also English Floor Oil Cloths, 24 feet wide, 6s to 8s per yard, of elegant tapestry, marble and chintz figures, the largest assortment to be found.

BARNUM'S.—"A Village Tale," "Rough Diamond" and "Miseries of Human Life," this evening. The drama of "The Drunkard" will be performed this afternoon by request. All should not fail to go early.

☞ The Newspapers of the country afford the only medium through which men and establishments become generally and thoroughly known. Those, therefore, who would adopt a judicious system of advertising, are again reminded of the opportunity afforded at the agency of Mr V. B. PALMER, in the Tribune Buildings, where a choice may be had of such districts of country and such papers as are best suited to the respective pursuits of advertisers. He is the constituted agent of the best papers of all the cities and principal towns far and near, and through him a safe, complete and satisfactory means is presented to diffuse business information just where it will be of most service to all parties interested.

CHINA, GLASS AND CROCKERY WARE.—A large stock of these goods, well assorted and selected with the greatest care, can always be found at GORMAN'S, 120 Canal-st., at prices exceedingly low. From the inducements he is prepared to offer, his place is well worthy the attention of those about furnishing themselves with articles in his line. Every article sold is warranted to be as represented; and from the experience he has had in this business he flatters himself that he will be able to suit all who may favor him with a call.

PARKER'S TEMPERANCE STORE.—N. O. Sugar, 2s 6d 7 lbs; best crushed and powdered Sugar, 5s 7 lbs; good black and green Tea, 3s lb; best Oolong Tea, 4s lb; extra fine green Tea 4s lb; best Java Coffee, 1s 2d lb; good Coffee, 10 cents and 1s lb; new Raisins, 7 cents lb; new Prunes, 6 cents lb; extra Prunes, 10 cents lb; Sperm Candles, 2s 6d; best mold Candles, 10 cts; good Winter Oil, 4s per gallon; extra bleached, 6s per gallon; extra Flour by the barrel, bag or 1s 6d and 1s 3d 7 lbs; Hecker's Farina, 7 cents paper; Lucse, 8 cents lb.
Goods sent to any part of the city and Brooklyn free of charge. A. PARKER,
244 Broome, corner of Ludlow-st.
N. B—Good dairy Butter at reduced prices; also fresh made Butter. Dried Apples.

☞ English Imperial Three-ply Carpeting of new and beautiful designs for Spring sales at 99 Bowery, HIRAM ANDERSON'S. This morning twenty bales will be exhibited and sold very cheap. Also, Three-ply Carpets 6s 6d, 7s, 8s and 9s per yard. Call and see them.

BROADWAY INSURANCE COMPANY.—Office 418 Broadway, corner of Canal-st.—Capital $200,000. This Company continues to insure against loss or damage by Fire, Dwelling-houses and Furniture, Warehouses, Stores and Merchandize, on the most favorable terms.—Orders by post or in person will receive prompt attention.
DIRECTORS:
Schureman Halsted, Benjamin F. Camp, Reuben W. Howes, John Harper, Charles Sandford, John B. Dickinson, William V. Brady, Chester Driggs, John T. Fisher, Wm. B. Skidmore, Samuel B. Althause, Aaron Arnold, Wilson G. Hunt, John B. Coulter, Charles F. Brown, John Falconer, Bernard Smyth, William Truslow, Leonard Kirby, John W. Mercereau, Crowell Hadden, George T. Cobb, Holmes M. Wells, John McLean, Francis W. Edmonds, Mathew Bird, Stephen V. Allen, Lewis Doty, Hiram M. Forrester, James Foster.
SCHUREMAN HALSTED, President.
JOHN WEAY, Secretary.
WM. LEE, Surveyor. my2 1w

☞ STATEN ISLAND FANCY DYING ESTABLISHMENT—Office No. 3 John-st. New-York. The proprietors of this establishment, whose Dying and Finishing have been so long and favorably known to the community, are ready to receive orders for dying and cleaning Silk, Woolen, Cotton, Linen and Fancy Goods of every description in the best manner.
BARRETT NEPHEWS & Co.
al7 1mThS&M*

REVERE HOUSE, BOSTON, Oct. 13, 1850.
DEAR SIR: I return to you my very best thanks for the beautiful tooth powder and wash with which you have presented me. Yours, very truly,
JENNY LIND.
Dr. JOHN A. CUMMINGS.
Dr. JOHN A. CUMMINGS's complete set of dental toilet articles are for sale in this city by A. B. & D. Sands, 100 Fulton-st; C. H. Ring, 192 Broadway; G. W. Tuttle, 345 Broadway; Wm. H. Cary & Co., 245 Pearl-st.

☞ $70,000 to loan, in sums to suit, at 6 and 7 per cent. W. ROMAINE, Att'y, 20 Nassau-st.

☞ At this season of the year no medicine is more necessary than Dr HOOFLAND'S German Bitters. The great stimulating power of these Bitters, and their property of eradicating all impurities and renovating the system, commend them highly—and, in fact, all who would enjoy good health should use them. The Press is loud in praise of these Bitters. We can indorse all that has been said in their praise, and, from personal observation, we know them to be superior to the thousand nostrums forced upon the public through the medium of advertisements. Dr. C. M. Jackson in Philadelphia prepares this medicine. Sold in this City, wholesale and retail, by A. B. & D. Sands, 100 Fulton at corner of William; retail by C. H. Ring, 192 Broadway, corner of John-st; Mrs. Hays, Brooklyn.

WINDOW SHADES.—The rapid approach of Summer and hot weather will soon create a demand for these essential articles of domestic comfort. Housewives who pride themselves on blending elegance with utility, should call at GREASON'S, 247 Greenwich-st. where they will find a large assortment of Window Shades of every conceivable variety, cheap and good. Also, Paper Hangings, Cards, Tassels, &c. &c.

MEN'S AND BOY'S SPRING CLOTHING.—We have on hand the largest and best stock of Men's and Boy's Clothing to be found in this city, suitable for Southern, Eastern and Western markets; also for city trade, at extremely low prices. N. B. Large stock of Linen Coats.
my3 6teod* BOUGHTON & KNAPP, 35 Maiden-lane.

REMOVAL.—GOTHIC AND SHIELD DOOR-PLATES—S. C. CLARK, Engraver, late 445 Broadway, has removed to 359 Broadway, Chinese Building, where will be found a large stock of the best plated Door Plates, at very low prices. Wedding and Visiting Cards neatly engraved and printed. my6 3tTuThS

☞ FOWLERS & WELLS, Phrenologists and Publishers, Clinton Hall, 131 Nassau-st. near the Park.

☞ Dr. PHINNEY'S VEGETABLE FAMILY PILLS do not gripe, sicken or leave the bowels costive, but in a free and natural state. For sale, wholesale and retail, by A. B. & D. SANDS, 100 Fulton-st. New York. Price 25 cents. d4 9mWkS*

HEAD-QUARTERS REMOVED.—KELTY & FERGUSON'S Wholesale and Retail WINDOW SHADE STORE, 191 BROADWAY.—Persons wanting Shades, Gilt and Shade Trimmings, can find the best assortment in the city, as above. Dealers supplied. No second profits. All Shades warranted to stand any climate. Some new patterns of Gold, Birds and Flowers that cannot be seen at any other store. Prices lower than elsewhere. Call and satisfy yourselves. al2 MWkSd

USEFUL INVENTION.—Patent Weather Strip for making Doors and French Windows tight at the bottom. This apparatus excludes all dust, Croton water, wind, and the most driving storms, thus making a great saving of fuel, keeping the floor and sill from decay, and the carpet from fading. It is very easily attached to inside or outside doors and windows, and rather than disfiguring them it is ornamental. Manufactured and for sale only at 314 Broadway. Liberal discount made to carpenters and the trade generally. m5 3tMWkS*

ARTISTS' MATERIALS.—The undersigned have now on hand the most choice and extensive assortment of Artists' Materials to be found in this country, comprising French and English canvas brushes, colors in tubes and in powder, pencils, crayons, parchment pallettes, varnishes and c'ts albums for drawing, crayon paper, sketching boxes, cane stools, complete rosewood and mahogany boxes, &c. &c. Also studies of every description. Schools, artists and dealers will find it greatly to their advantage to visit our establishment; the quality of the goods imported being superior, and the prices such as to give every satisfaction. GOUPIL & Co., Printsellers and Artists' Colorsmen, 289 Broadway. my5 3tMWkS*

A SENSIBLE POEM.
Man wants a Hat. Who e'er denies
A truth so evident, but lies?
Next thing's to get one—what's the test?
To get the cheapest and the best.
He reads a puff, hears this and that,
Then sallies forth to get a Hat.
He tries Broadway—the price's too high,
Beside, the Hats don't suit his eye.
He next tries Chatham, Fulton street—
The one a shave, the other cheat!
Their Hats, like gilded brass, look fair,
But all know brass ain't gold won't wear.
Perplex'd and vex'd, when all are tried,
He goes at last to Espenscheid,
In Nassau-street, one hundred seven,
Four doors below one hundred eleven,
Of course! and there he's sure to find
The Hat that suits his head and mind!
Both neat and cheap, of stock select—
What more could any man expect?
This is the secret, more or less,
Why Espenscheid has such success.

☞ SONG OF THE HAT.—
My coat is of silk, bright, glossy and jet;
My form is the comeliest, and neatest seen yet;
My inner appointments are richer I ween,
Than those of the costliest hats ever seen.
I am bright as any feather,
And impervious to wet;
I've been used in roughest weather,
And retain my lustre yet.
I am not vain, notwithstanding by beauty—
The gent I adorn knows I can do duty;
He's tried me with hard knocks again and again,
And confides to my shelter in the hardest of rain.
And should I contain a brick,
And my wearer headlong fall,
My body is so elastic,
That he's not hurt at all.
I have many twin brothers far and wide,
Who take the shine off all others beside.
You'll find a few more of the same sort I trow,
At the HAT FINISHERS' UNION, No 11 Park-row.
They are enterprising fellows,
And they do a rushing trade;
Although they blow the bellows,
They sell the best that's made. my9 2t

HEAD GEAR.—The present beautiful weather is of great service to MEALIO, Hatter, of 416 Broadway. The bright sunshine displays the unequaled gloss and superior texture of his Hats to the very best advantage. MEALIO's Hats, Caps, Umbrellas, Canes, &c., are of the first quality, and embody the best styles known to either the fashionable or unfashionable world.

☞ In sunshine or in shade, in damp or dry weather, KNOX's Hat always wears the same beautiful gloss it does while in his store, and it ever retains its perfect shape until it is entirely worn out. This is owing as much to the superior quality of the stock used in the manufacture of the article as to the peculiar style of finish which distinguishes them from others. Indeed, they seem impervious to water, and dampness has no effect upon them. If you wish a neat, tasty, fashionable and lasting hat, go to KNOX, 128 Fulton-st.; Sun Building, where you will be sure to find it.

LIGHT HATS.—If you want a Hat that is light and easy to the head, and possessing every attractive quality to recommend them to gentlemen of taste and discrimination, call at W. P. DAVIES (successor to Amiden), 501 Broadway, second door from Duane-st.

☞ Energy and Enterprize are the only sure ingredients to success. This was never more fully proven than in the case of the New Hat Company, of 146 and 148 Nassau-st. When they first undertook to manufacture the finest quality of a Hat for Three Dollars, they knew that it would be impossible to succeed unless the sales were enormous; but perseverance and energy have accomplished their object, and they can now boast one of the most extensive Hat establishments in the world.

☞ They that would be wise will save as well as earn money. They that would be fashionable will wear fashionable Hats. Consequently, to a wise and fashionable public, we would say your attention is called to the LOCKSLEAKY cheap, durable and beautiful Hats, of best material the market affords, with lustre brilliant as noonday, unequalled by France, England, or the United States, for the price of three dollars, at the Broadway Hat Store, 374 Broadway.

GENIN'S STYLES OF STRAW HATS.—The season for Straw, Panama and other Summer Hats approaches and many strangers from the South and elsewhere are now making their purchases for the summer. To those, and the public generally, GENIN would say that his styles of Straw, Panama, and other Summer Hats for gentlemen and children of both sexes, are already out, and that they include all the various modes expected to be in vogue in Paris during the summer, as well as various original designs. GENIN, 214 Broadway,
opposite St. Paul's.

SPRING FASHIONS.—Hats and Caps, a variety of patterns—all tastes suited. It will be found upon examination, that they are equal to any offered to the public. At the One Price Store, 138 Canal-st.
my9 2t* J. W. KELLOGG.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN SILVERY BEAVER HATS, WITHOUT MIXTURE—*Summer Style*—We are prepared to furnish gentlemen about to visit Europe during the World's Industrial Exhibition in London with this great American Summer Hat whose years of popularity are equaled only by its comfort, elegance and unique manufacture.
LEARY & CO., Hatters,
and leaders of fashion for Gentlemen's Hats.
m3 tf Nos. 3, 4 and 5 Astor House.

☞ Stair Carpets are now sold at astonishing low prices at 99 Bowery, HIRAM ANDERSON'S. Beautiful pattern of Venetian Stair Carpets, 2s, 3s, and 4s per yard; Three-ply Stair Carpets, 4s, 5s and 6s; Tapestry Stair Carpet, 6s; Brussels Stair Carpet, 8s; 25 per cent less than can be found.

☞ Housekeepers, and all others, in want of Bedding, Bedsteads, &c., would do well to call at M. WILLARD'S old established Warerooms, 150 Chatham-st., corner of Mulberry-st., where may be found the largest assortment of articles in his line ever offered to the public, consisting of Feathers, Beds, Mattresses, &c. Patent Screw Bedsteads and Cots, wholesale and retail.
my3 10tMW&S*

☞ Lace and Muslin Window Draperies, both tamboured and floss work, by the set and by the yard, may be obtained at HITCHCOCK & LEADBEATER'S, 347 Broadway, corner Leonard-st., where may also be found a large stock of every other kind of housewife and fancy Dry Goods, as Marseilles Quilts, Woolen Blankets, Linen and Muslin Sheetings and Satinings, Table Damasks, Diapers, Towelings, Napkins, &c. &c. All kinds of Ladies' Dress Goods, as Silks, De Laines, and Lawns, &c. &c. will always be found there, and of the newest styles.
They have just received another lot of those desirable Pice Apple Dress Goods which have been so uniformly admired by the Ladies who have seen them, combining as they do the lightness of the finest silk, as well as beauty, and the strength and durability of Linen.

LADIES' RUBBER GLOVES.—An article which every lady needs at this season, for protection to the hands in gardening, care of flowers, house-cleaning, &c. &c. They are impervious to hot or cold water, and in wearing render the hands soft as velvet and very white.—For sale low, at HITCHCOCK & LEADBEATER'S, 347 Broadway. my5 6t*

☞ Read the advertisements on another page headed FERGUSON'S Arrow-Root Starch.
my2 1mMW&F

JENNY LIND.—The best portrait ever taken of the divine Jenny is on exhibition at Whitehurst's Daguerreian Gallery, 349 Broadway. This picture is so life-like that a look at it is almost like looking upon the living face. Thousands who have been unable to catch a glimpse of the original have visited Whitehurst's to gaze upon her "counterfeit presentment."

GREEN'S FURNISHING STORE, No. 1 ASTOR HOUSE.—The art of Shirt making has been brought to a degree of perfection in this celebrated Gentleman's Furnishing Establishment, which may be called unparalleled. The fit is guaranteed, and never fails. Every other article sold at the store may be equally relied on; and punctuality is the rule in executing orders.

DYSPEPSIA AND LIVER COMPLAINT.—As there are doubtless many persons afflicted with these distressing diseases who are not aware of the wonderful curative properties of HALL'S Palingenesis, we would advise them to try this pleasant Cordial as soon as possible. It not only cures the above-mentioned diseases but also purifies the blood, renovates and strengthens the system. Made and sold by WM. SMITH HALL, sole Proprietor, 150 Bowery.

☞ We invite the attention of capitalists and others to the peremptory sale of valuable real estate, &c. at auction by ANTHONY J. BLEECKER, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, consisting of the lease of 10 lots of ground, with the buildings thereon, situated on and next the northeast corner of Fourth-av. and Nineteenth-st; the whole together having a front of 250 feet on Nineteenth-st; and 92 feet on Fourth-av. Also, one lot on Fifth-av., between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth sts; 303 shares of Brooklyn and Jamaica Railroad Company stock, and 362 shares of the Atlantic Dock Company stock. (1,356)

SPRING MILLINERY.—L. & A. UNDERHILL, Jobbers of Millinery Goods, have removed from 6 to 27 John-st; (north side, near Nassau-st) where during the remainder of the season, they will dispose of the balance of their Spring stock comprising a large assortment of every article in the Millinery line, at GREAT BARGAINS, on account of some of them having been slightly damaged by dampness. my7 10tWS&M

☞ Elegant French Wedding Cards, silver bordered and plain Porcelain, engraved and printed in gold, and plain styles in the most fashionable manner. Also, a splendid assortment of rich silver embossed, and plain Porcelain Wedding Envelopes from the most celebrated manufacturers of Paris and London, at EVERDELL'S, Broadway, corner of Duane-st. my9 4t*

☞ COUNTERPANES and TABLE COVERS from Auction—very cheap.

9	quarter	Counterpanes	for single beds,	only	$1.
10	do	do	double	do	14s.
11	do	do	do	do	16s.
12	do	do	do	do	18s.
13	do	do	do	do	20s.

These Counterpanes for use are equal to the celebrated Marseilles at $5 and $10. Elegant, all wool, embossed Table Covers, large sizes, only $2. Hosiery and Dry Goods of all kinds, from auction, daily, at BURNETT'S Cheap Dry Goods Store, 136 Walker-st. my9 3t*

☞ Stockings, Summer Under Clothing and Gents furnishing articles in great variety, and decidedly cheap, at PARRISH'S Canal-st Stocking Store, 78 Canal-st, 2d block from Broadway.

SUMMER AND WINTER COOKING STOVES.—Tin and sheet iron Bakers, for burning wood or coal; Summer Fumaces; Summer Ranges, a new article, for burning hard coal; improved Summer and Winter Cooking Stoves, a large stock, at the lowest manufacturer's prices, wholesale and retail, at the New-York Stove Factory, 355 Grand-st. opposite Essex Market. Stoves delivered free of charge. All Stoves warranted as represented.
my5 6t NICHOLAS L. COST.

DAUGHTER OF NIGHT.—Besides the great variety of interesting reading usually furnished in that excellent family paper, the "Sunday Times" a new novel of a very delightful and attractive character called "The Daughter of Night," will be commenced to-morrow. It is said to be a work of rare good quality.

☞ Elegance combined with durability is the great desideratum in a boot or shoe. Watkins, 114 Fulton-st. has accomplished this combination; his boots and gaiters are models of beauty—will last till you are tired of wearing them, and are sold at the lowest prices.
my10 8TuThS.

☞ PIRATES KILLED!
There they lie, stiff and stark,
Killed by poison in the dark.
Pirates! yes, but not the kind
That on Cuba set their mind—
These are Red bugs, Roaches, Fleas,
Slain in multitudes with ease,
By the Powder we rely on,
Sold in canisters by LYON.
E. LYON, 424 Broadway.
m9 7t*

NEW-YORK TRIBUNE.

NEW-YORK, SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1851.

☞ PHILADELPHIA subscribers to The Tribune will be regularly supplied with the paper at 65 cents per month, by the Agent, W. V. ZIEBER, Third-st. below Chesnut.

☞ Advertisements for *The Tribune* of Monday ought to be sent in before 9 o'clock on Saturday evening.

☞ Persons in this City, Brooklyn, Williamsburgh and Jersey City, who are not regular subscribers to *The Tribune*, but who may desire to have an opportunity of regularly reading Mr. Greeley's Letters from the World's Fair and from different parts of Europe, will please hand or send their address through the Post Office, and they will be regularly served. Price 12½ cents per week, to be paid to the Carrier.

☞ We yield to compulsion and again issue *The Tribune* in a form of twelve pages. We trust our readers will receive it without complaining, and agree with us that a newspaper better worth the two cents it costs, was never seen in this or any other country.

Progress of Thought in England.

The intellectual condition of England just now offers a very fair miniature picture of the grand controversy between letter and spirit, or past and future, which is convulsing modern Christendom. At bottom the controversy is one about property. In its political and most superficial aspect it is tantamount to the question whether the masses of mankind may not enjoy henceforth an equal immunity from want with that enjoyed heretofore by the privileged classes. It is not a question whether the property of the rich may not be seized and divided for the use of the poor, although the more unscrupulous of the self-styled conservative presses are apt so to represent it. It is exclusively a question whether every living man, woman and child, may not, by scientific combination, be rendered infinitely richer in all material wealth and refinement than any, even the most privileged, individual is now. In short, the question is whether every man is not entitled to a perfect property in nature, or what is the same thing, to the satisfaction of all his natural wants.

In its ethical and religious aspects, the controversy of course becomes more radical. The question here discussed, no matter what mere ecclesiastical shape it receives, is whether the mass of mankind may not hereafter enjoy the same spiritual dignity as has been hitherto the priestly prerogative alone. It is not a question about a change of priesthoods. There is no desire to abase one priesthood and elevate another. The aspiration is to vacate or rather fulfil all priesthoods as essentially typical and mediatory, by lifting entire humanity into direct unity with God. The motive of the controversy is not the destruction of the existing Church, but rather such an expansion or spiritualization of it as may render it congruous with the humanitary idea of its founder, and turn it at last to the blessing of universal man. In short, the question is, whether every man, woman, and child, may not henceforth realize, by means of a scientific social organization which shall vacate all envy, jealousy, and rapacity in the human bosom, an infinitely closer fellowship with Deity than has hitherto befallen any man, whatever his conventional sanctity since the beginning of time. Of course many of the friends of progress, like the early disciples of Jesus, hardly know the spirit of which their hopes are begotten. But there can be no doubt among dispassionate observers as to the exquisitely genial and humane temper which informs the movement generally.

As might be predicted, the active parties to this conflict, whether it be viewed materially or spiritually, are the already endowed classes, as the clergy and men of property on the one sid, and the unendowed classes, or working laity on the other. Thus, taking England for an example, you find that the retrogressive party represented by Puseyism or the Oxford tract literature, embraces chiefly the clergy and men of leisure, whose social interests connect them very closely with the established order of things. It has made no impression upon the Dissenters as a body, much less upon the people strictly so called. As *Punch* plainly testifies every week, it is regarded among these latter as a phase of *rococo*-ism, or a sort o spiritual *dilletantism* practicable only to polite and idle society. Of course the established decorum of Sunday hallows alike all forms of devout eccentricity, but the one in question never descends into the week-day world, or puts itself into direct view of the people, without provoking shouts of good-natured derision.

The literature of Puseyism, using the word in the widest sense, is tolerably familiar to our scholars, and held in repute, moreover, for a certain rhetorical legerdemain, by which for a moment it gives death the hues of life. But it is overstrained and artificial to the last degree. It deals with corpses. It washes the face of antique monks, too often unwashed in life, and chants the euthanasy of an operose and ostentatious virginity. To what end? Do the centuries return upon themselves? Will Tiffany & Young ever add to their receipts by scapulars and amulets, or any future Stewart grow famous, think you, for his show of serge and hair-cloth? Is it in the nature of things that "devotion" should ever become a profession again? Will any lazy lout of a "brother," six feet high and well proportioned, ever again deem his piety imperiled by a participation of secular cares? And can any pretension be fuller of subtle indelicacy—be more wholly at war with the spontaneous purity of woman—than the cultivation of an aggressive or militant chastity? The chastity which attends the normal use of our nature is genuine, and constitutes its own reward. That which springs from a constrained disuse of nature is spurious, is vicious, simply because it claims to be *meritorious*, or moved by the hope of recompense. Besides, it is sure to defeat its own purpose. We are never conscious of the eye that performs its natural functions, but let us, in obedience to some spiritual bedevilment, throw it into a voluntary disuse for the term of our mortal life, and we shall soon grow conscious of nothing else. We shall become all eye—a living, breathing, peripatetic and pitiable Amaurosis.

The literature of the other side of the question is much more strenuous in its quality. In fact it cannot fail very soon to command universal attention. We do not mean that which aims to refute Puseyism as an ecclesiastical pretension simply; but rather that which explodes the entire philosophy of the retrograde movement, by a demonstration of the purely humanitary ends of religion. The movement in the established Church, known as "Christian Socialism," and led by such men as Professor Maurice, Rev. Mr. Kingsley, the author of *Alton Locke*, Mr. Ludlow, a distinguished barrister, etc. is doubtless very significant, and its publications may be found, we believe, in this city. But the crisis has begotten a taller champ ionship than this, which will be found expressing itself in a host of able books recently put forth by John Chapman, and other publishers.

We give the names of a few of them, and on a future occasion may be able to give some extracts illustrative of their scope and ability.

"*Popular Christianity*, its Transition State, and probable Development," by Rev. F. FOXTON. "*Nemesis of Faith*," by J. A. FROUDE, brother of the gentleman who originally started Puseyism. "*The Progress of the Intellect* as exemplified in the religious development of the Greeks and Hebrews," by ROBERT WILLIAM MACKAY, 2 vols. 8vo. "*Theory of Human Progression*, or the natural probability of a Reign of Justice." This is an anonymous Scotch publication. "*The Alpha*, or an Inquiry into the nature of Truth," also anonymous. "*Social Statics*, or the conditions essential to Human Happiness specified, by HERBERT SPENCER."

We have not read all these works, and have not the present space to speak at large upon those we have read. Mr. Mackay's book is full of learning, rather too full, as his purpose becomes overlaid by the mass of materials brought to elucidate it. But it will greatly interest and further those who are seeking in this day of petty ecclesiastical divisions to trace out the grand unitary features of religious development in all nations. The "Theory of Human Progression" is a very thoughtful book, written, we understand, by a Scotch barrister. The author is a staunch Calvinist, having never been able to disgorge the Westminster Catechism which he swallowed in his youth, with all it "requires" and all it "forbids." But he is none the less animated by the profoundest sense of justice in his political criticisms, and develops a really curious probability of a natural reign of righteousness on the earth. He attempts the same grand affiliation of the sciences which COMTE has effected in larger characters, but it is not clear from the book, which is dedicated to Victor Cousin, that the author is aware of Comte's labors. The "Theory" is now republishing by a Boston bookseller, and it will no doubt attract many readers. We shall give a sample or two of the author's style of thought and writing in a few days.

"*Social Statics*" is an extremely readable book, though closely logical in form. It is strictly what its title imports, an inquiry into the conditions of human happiness, and a development of the most fundamental one, which is, *that every man have liberty to do all he wills, provided he infringes not the equal liberty of any other man*. The author derives this fundamental law of human happiness from the perfection of Man's creative source, and it is completely impossible to evade his conclusion save by denying the premise. It fact the profound religiousness of this movement is what constitutes its strength, and utterly shuts the mouth of opposition. We had intended making some extracts illustrative of this feature of the movement from the book before us, but must forego our purpose for a few days. In the meantime we commend "Social Statics" to the notice of our enterprising publishers. The book has only to be known to command a ready sale among all classes.

What is to be the final issue of this great controversy? Every one will answer this question, of course, according to his apprehension of the character of the Providence which governs human affairs. If God care nothing for established injustice—if He have no bowels for human suffering and degradation—why then, in that case, it is easy to see that our goal is destruction, universal and irremediable. But, if the love of God, as was thought by some forgotten martyrs of humanity, be coincident with the love of man—if the sum of acceptable religious homage be not merely to sing Alleluias, but to do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly before God, why then it is equally easy to see that the good work now so bravely inaugurated will not cease to go on until every monument of man's oppression be swept from the world, and the recognition of God's essential and immaculate goodness cover the earth as the waters cover the sea.

CONNECTICUT.—The telegraphic dispatches from Hartford, on the strength of which we yesterday stated the majorities in the election of State officers, were erroneous. Gov. SEYMOUR had only one majority instead of three; Lieut. Gov. KENRICK and Treasurer CLARK had each four majority; Secretary MATHER had three and Controller PINNEY two. On the arrangement which elected Gov. Seymour, the *Hartford Courant* of yesterday, lets in the light as follows:

Our Whig friends may be surprised at the failure of our calculations respecting the character of the House; but we were unfortunate in the sickness of one of our men, (Mr. Cady, of Ashford) and were disappointed in the vote of two others, (Messrs. Hall of Portland, and Eldredge, of Groton.) We claimed 112 (one half)—deduct these three and our number is reduced to 109, which may be relied on as the Whig strength. We made up our minds sometime since that Mr. Hall would vote with our opponents, but did suppose that Mr. E. who was elected with the whole Loco Foco vote of his town against him, was reliable for Mr. Foster, and by his aid our candidate would have been elected. A strong Free Soil influence, however, was brought to bear upon him, and he voted for Gov. Seymour. As it was in '49 and '50, so it has been this year, the influence of the Free Soil leaders has been used to defeat the Whigs.

—It remains to be seen whether the same *Free Soil influence* is strong enough to defeat the election of ROGER S. BALDWIN to the U. S. Senate, and carry the voice of Connecticut in favor of maintaining the Fugitive Slave law forever and ever.

CONNECTICUT.—The message of Gov. Seymour was communicated to the two Houses on Wednesday. It is of moderate length and chiefly confined to local matters. It recommends the passage of general laws relating to corporations, and particularly of a general Banking law—a careful revision of the late tax law, and the repeal or modification of the exemption clause thereof—represents the finances of the State to be in a prosperous condition—comes out strongly in favor of Law Reform—goes for a revision of the militia laws, larger appropriations for the relief of the insane, &c., for a reformatory institution for juvenile delinquents, and for the abolition of Capital Punishment. The Governor recommends the passage of of a law limiting the hours of labor, and that it be made a misdemeanor to work children under 14 years of age more than eight hours per day. He also speaks in favor of Homestead Exemption.

On the subject of the Compromises he comes out flat-footed as follows:

The future peace of the country will depend upon the manner in which the Compromise measures are sustained. These have already become a pledge of the fidelity of the several States to each other. The objections which have been made to these measures, in different sections, furnish no reasonable ground that I can discover for any attempt to overterow the late plan of adjustment, or withdrawing from the Union on that account. The right to discuss with fervency and zeal every question which arises under our free institutions, is not only the privilege, but the duty of an American citizen. But higher and more transcendent still, is the duty to maintain the laws.

I say, therefore, that the measures of which I have spoken, one and all, must be supported in good faith, or we cannot hope to see this form of Government continue. That part of the recent series of statutes which come nearest home to us, and grates harshly, perhaps, on the feelings of the North, has a firm constitutional basis, and is equally entitled to the support of this and every other section of the country. It is designed to carry out that provision of the Constitution which originally met with no opposition from any quarter whatever.

Passing over what has already been done to keep the peace of this country, may I not say that one thing more is wanting—a return to that spirit of conciliation which, in the early days of the Republic, gave to the Union its greatest strength and only security for the future. Whatever action, then, the Legislature may feel called upon to take upon any of the questions for which reference has been made, I feel at liberty to indulge the hope that its course will be such as to place the State of Connecticut on patriotic and dignified ground, in presence of the sister States, and the Nation, and the World.

☞ JENNY LIND'S Day Concert yesterday at Castle Garden was extremely thronged. There could not have been less than 5,000 persons present, an audience increased, doubtless, by the multitude of attendants upon the Anniversaries, now in the City. It is hard to be enthusiastic for anything by day-light, but the applause that rang through the vast hall, like a rain of leaden arrows upon a resonant roof, after the "Mighty pens" of Haydn, showed that the heart of delight had been touched and thrilled by the wonderful warbling and the sublime sweeps of song of the master and the artist. It would have lifted the genial old composer high and happily upon "mighty pens" to have heard the solid applause of uncultivated thousands recognizing his work, had he not already been satisfied eno, that such music should receive such interpretation. BELLETTI and SALVI sang their duet from Rossini's Moses with great delicacy and skill. Only very long and patient training could have enabled their voices to ripple so rarely along the current of the song. A weary and impertinent bell from the neighboring steamboat landing threatened, at times, to mar, by its tedious tolling, some of the most delicate passages; but altogether the beauty of the day, the genius of the artists, and the sympathy of the audience, made it a very remarkable concert.

The third Concert of the Farewell Series will be given on Monday evening at Castle Garden. The programme, which is unusually rich and attractive, will be found in our columns this morning. Jenny Lind will sing *Una voce*, for the first time, we believe, and the exquisite trio from Otello, *Ti parli l'amore*, will be given by herself, Belletti and Salvi. We shall be delighted to hear again Belletti's *Vi ravviso*. The ticket auction will be held this morning at Castle Garden.

The fourth Concert will be given on Wednesday evening in Tripler Hall. This will accommodate the up-town people, and of course draw a brilliant audience. Nevertheless, we shall miss the grand, imposing area of Castle Garden—the amphitheatric sweep of the balconies, receding so far on all sides that the singer seems to be singing into space—and the fresh sea breeze and moonlit glimmer of the bay, a harmonious intermediate sensation, through which one passes into the accustomed rattle and dust of the streets. No musical festivals in this country ever possessed the grand and impressive character of these Castle Garden Concerts.

By Telegraph to the New-York Tribune.

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☞ *For additional Telegraphic Dispatches, see Eleventh Page of This Morning's Tribune.*

The Southern Rights Convention, &c.

BALTIMORE, Friday, May 9.

The Charleston papers are filled with reports of the Convention, resolutions, addresses, &c. The following are the resolutions that have since been adopted:

1st. That in the opinion of this meeting the State of South Carolina cannot submit to the wrongs and aggressions which have been perpetrated by the Federal Government and the Northern States, without dishonor and ruin, and that it is necessary to relieve herself therefrom, with or without co-operation of other Southern States.

2nd. That concert of action with one or more of our sister States of the South, whether through the proposed Southern Congress or in any other manner, is an object worth many sacrifices, but not the sacrifice involved in submission.

3rd. That we hold the right of secession to be essential to sovereignty and freedom of the States of this Confederacy, and that the denial of that right would furnish to an injured State the strongest additional cause for its exercise.

4th. That this meeting looks with confidence and hope to the Convention of the people to exert the sovereign power of the State in defence of its rights, at the earliest practicable period and in the most effectual manner, and to the Legislature to adopt the most speedy and effectual measures toward the same end.

The Savannah papers state that the seizure of the "Cleopatra" was the cause of the breaking up of the Cuba Expedition.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Friday, May 9.

Col. Charles S. Todd, California Indian Commissioner, at present here, will leave in a few days to join Gen. R. B. Campbell and O. P. Temple, the other Commissioners, at San Antonio, Texas.

Hon. Wm. Bokee is still confined to his apartments, at Willard's Hotel, by sickness.

The President reserves his decision upon the plan for the extension of the Capitol, until his return from New-York.

The Secretary of the Interior returned from Virginia this evening by a Southern boat.

The Reception to be given the President in Baltimore and Philadelphia, &c.

BALTIMORE, Friday, May 9.

The City Council have passed resolutions tendering the hospitalities of the city to the President and Cabinet en suite to the North. A Committee has been appointed and a Town Meeting called.

PHILADELPHIA, Friday, May 9.

Preparations are making for a grand military and civic procession to receive the President—The entire military will be out.

The transportation of Coal by the Reading Railroad for the week, has been 27,400 tuns, and by Canal