

War of Peace with England?

The popular excitement on the Oregon question, and the relations of the United States with Great Britain—This subject is the great engrossing topic in all circles, and the newspapers of all parties are taking it up all over the country.

The only expression of dissent from the overwhelming popular feeling on this subject, comes from the organs of the commercial and stock-jobbing interests in the large cities, such as the Courier and Enquirer, the Journal of Commerce, and Baltimore American.

We have also obtained a fac simile of one of the documents in the Chinese characters, which was received by the Commodore in the course of his negotiations, and which we will have engraved for the Weekly Herald of next Saturday.

The New Corporation—LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.—The New Corporation are now on the eve of assuming the heavy responsibility that devolves upon the City Government.

The party now in power, in order to maintain the strong foothold they have taken, must make a bold, a vigorous effort, to improve the public thoroughfares of the city.

The project of paving Broadway with block granite, is one that will greatly tend to improve its present almost dilapidated condition.

It is most necessary that this country be fully impressed with the importance of the subject-matter of the present controversy with England.

There is only one course left to the administration. They must maintain their position. They can do that only with arms in their hands.

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS RELATIVE TO THE LATE CHINESE TREATY

We give in this day's paper some very interesting developments relative to the negotiation of the late treaty with China.

The correspondence is sufficiently explicit, and presents the prominent actors in that business in the true light.

It is quite evident that to Commodore Kearney belongs the credit and honor of taking the preliminary steps, and, in fact, conducting to a successful issue, the Chinese negotiations.

Great injustice was, indeed, done to the gallant Commodore, by the ignorance, prejudice and obtuseness of the late President and Secretary of the Navy.

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LABELS AND LABEL STOPS

We see it stated in some of the papers, that some person by the name of "Hunt" has been prosecuting the proprietor of the New York Herald for an alleged libel.

A police report published last summer, in which his name was mentioned in connection with some facts transpiring at the Police Office.

It appears that after a great deal of expenditure and the employment of a prodigious array of counsel, including A. L. Jordan, Esq., and Ex-Mayor Morris, (Mulligan's Morris) and some other lawyers, he procured a verdict of fifty dollars damages against the Herald.

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THEATRICALS

My Simpson is going to England to engage new stars for his theatre. Probably he will pass over to Paris and bring out a ballet.

The destruction of the Bowery theatre will hardly make a void in theatrical amusements in that region of the city.

It is said that Hamblin is trying to get hold of Palmo's. But there will be a good deal of difficulty in this.

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NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN

81.—Study from Nature by T. Le Clair: A painted Pile—Study from Nature.

82.—Portrait of a Gentleman, by Waldor Jewett: This portrait suggests an arithmetical problem—it takes two artists to paint a picture, how many would it require to paint a picture, how many to paint a picture, how many to paint a picture.

83.—Brig. Gen. A. L. Rounfoll, of the 2d Brigade, Philadelphia, by W. E. Winger: Taking away the ultra heroism and dare-devilishness of the face in the portrait, the artist has made a good painting in this extensive picture.

84.—The late Mr. Hester, by W. G. Williams: This is, without any exception the most detestable attempt at making a human face, ever had our eyes pained by looking at—"Change thy vocation, artist; painting's nothy vein."

85.—Mrs. Jones, S. B. Waugh: Were we Mrs. Jones' lawyer, we would institute a suit against the artist for defamation of character—for the face in the portrait, and it is a most unbecomingly grossly wronged in that point; the satin, too, looks like water.

86.—View across Frenchman's Bay, from Mount Desert Island, Maine, after a squall, by T. Cole: A glorious sky, but the ocean appears like a vast orange garret.

87.—Portrait of a Lady, by W. Swain: Weak and chaly.

88.—Italian Peasants, by S. B. Waugh: A nice colored landscape.

89.—Olivia and Sophia consulting the Gipsy Fortune-teller, by A. G. Miller: The arrangements of the room display a nice judgment, and the figure of the gipsy tolerably well made out, but the two times of the gipsy, and it is a most unbecomingly grossly wronged in that point; the satin, too, looks like water.

90.—The Outrages in Lincoln County—We have information from Lincoln county up to yesterday. All was quiet. The meeting which was to have taken place at Turbulla's, on Monday, was abandoned, and it is probable that the late night of the 14th inst. was the last of those who have violated it.

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MONEY MARKET

There have been several movements within the past week which it was supposed would affect the stock market very unfavorably; but they have passed away and prices closed yesterday several per cent higher than have been current within the past two or three weeks.

The departure of the California was received in the market with the usual interest, and the Great Western left on the 24th, and the arrival of the California at the first stock of the news received. Whenever the bears of Wall street are in the ascendancy, and have the control of the stock market, they make it a point to depress the market on pocket day, for the purpose of effecting the market abroad, which, in turn, operates on our local markets, and gives those bearing down prices a two-fold power in carrying out their object.

OURRAGOUS ATTEMPT AT MURDER.—It has seldom been out of the second a more splendid attempt to commit murder than the following:—On Thursday night last, at a late hour, a gentleman passing down St. Francis street, observed a woman with a bundle in her arms, and a man in the rear of her, who was living above Cedar street, and suspecting from her appearance that she was some grand mischief, watched her attentively. She was seen to approach the wall and throw the bundle into it, which fell with a heavy sound. When she retired, the gentleman immediately advanced the wall, and found the bundle in the wall, and the man in the rear of her, who was living above Cedar street, and suspecting from her appearance that she was some grand mischief, watched her attentively.

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QUOTATIONS FOR THE WEEKLY STOCKS IN THE NEW YORK MARKET.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, and other financial data.

THE BALTIMORE MARKET is without change. Banks and private capitalists have outlet for all their means, and the legal rate of interest maintained in all operations.

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