NEW YORK HERALD.

New York, Sunday, March 21, 1847.

TERRIBLE BATTLES
BETWEEN
GENERALS TAYLOR AND SANTA ANNA.
&c., &c.

Our telegraphic reports from the South are of the most important and bloody character. Our readers are referred to POSTSCRIPT, in another column, for the particulars of two tremendous battles.

EXTRA HERALD.

FULL DETAILS
OF THE
NEWS FROM EUROPE,
&c. &c. &c.

We made arrangements to have our files by the Hibernia brought to this city by a special messenger. If he reaches this office this morning, in time, we shall issue an EXTRA HERALD, with the details of the commercial and political news.

MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

ARRIVAL
OF THE
STEAMSHIP HIBERNIA
AT
BOSTON.

TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS
LATER FROM
EUROPE.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

INACTIVITY IN THE COTTON MARKET.

PRICES VERY WEAK.

Loan to the English Government from Rothschild and Baring.

Tightness in the London Money Market.

Advance in the Corn Markets.
&c. &c. &c.

The intelligence that the steamship Hibernia had been telegraphed at Boston, came over the lightning line at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. She was then some distance from that city.

About half-past six o'clock she reached her pier at East Boston. Our special reporter immediately commenced to telegraph her news to the *New York Herald* Office.

The intelligence will be found of considerable interest. It is to the 4th inst., twenty-eight days later than any before received; and this length of time, whether it tells us of a rise or fall in corn, cotton, or countries, gives it an aspect of no mean importance.

It is annexed:—

The London money market of the 3d inst. was as follows:—We have had an unsteady market since our last publication; but tending generally towards a decline in the price of consols. The depreciation in exchequer bills has also been considerable.

This has been partly owing to the continued demand upon the Treasury for the relief of Ireland, and the statement in the budget or Chancellor of the Exchequer's speech, which was read with great attention, and though alone is never a popular measure.

It appears to be generally conceded that under all the circumstances, the course the government has resolved upon, namely, to take a loan of £8,000,000, is the very best that could have been adopted.

The biddings for the loan took place on the 1st March, at the Treasury, when, as Messrs. Rothschild and Messrs. Baring Brothers were the only bidders on time, that were satisfactory to the government, the loan was divided between them as offered, viz: £89 10s. for each hundred pound 3 per cent consol. The scrip of the new loan has borne 1¾ to 1½ premium.

Exchequer bills 3 shillings to 5 shillings premium; India bonds, 9 shillings premium; South Sea stock 100¼.

The foreign stock market has not for a considerable time past been so dull as during the last week, transactions having been made on an extremely limited scale.

Since, the fall in consols was about ¼ to ½ per cent, and the latest quotations are 90¾ to 90½ for present transfer, and 90½ to 90¼ for the next account. Consol Scrip, the new loan, 1¼ to 1⅛ premium, 3¾ per cent, 92¾ to 93¼, and the 3 per cents 90¾ 91¼.

Quotations of all these securities have, at the same time, however, been unaffected; but there has been no transaction of sufficient weight to fix prices very decidedly.

The following are the latest quotations:—Spanish new 3 per cents, 34¼; Spanish new 5 per cents, 28¾; Mexican, 22; Portuguese 4 per cents, 84; Dutch 2½ per cents, 58¾ to 58⅞; Dutch 4 per cents, 92¼.

COTTON.—There has been some revival in the demand from the trade, with a considerable inquiry from exporters and on speculation, and the prices generally have been slightly in favor of holders; the market, however, closes quietly, and no change can be made in the quotations of last week. At a public sale 160 bags of Low Sea Island were offered, but only 20 were sold at 7¼ pence to 10¾ pence. Taken by speculators, 6500 American, &c.; for export, 1,200 American, 50 Egyptian, and 150 Surat. The sales for the last week are 26,140.

Report for Feb. 27th, March 3d.—The proceedings during this period have been rather more active than for some time past. The total sales are about 19,500 bales, a portion of which was taken by speculators and exporters, here is not the least change in prices since the 26th ult., so that the quotations then current stand unaltered. Cotton, fair bowed Georgia, 6¾ a 6¾; Mobile, 6¾ to 7; New Orleans, 7¼.

The corn trade has been in a very fluctuating condition during the month of February; at the time of the sailing of the Cambria, the price of wheat continued to give way, occasionally rapidly, until from the commencement of the reaction—the reduction amounted altogether to about eight shillings to ten shillings per quarter; and flour seven shillings or eight shillings per barrel It might be that this decline, under the actual position of supply and demand, was too rapid, or commenced too early, or that the nature of the discussions in Parliament renewed the confidence of holders and warned the fears of buyers. Towards the middle of the last month, renewed confidence was observable, and buyers again came forward from Ireland to purchase heavily.

In consequence, since the upward move again commenced, there has been an advance on wheat of 4d to 6d per 70 pounds, and in flour of about 3s 6d per barrel. Oats and oatmeal remain steady, but don't sell freely. Indian corn has, of late, given way one shilling to two shillings per 480 lbs., and beans two shillings to three shillings per quarter.

At our last market the prices paying were, for general runs of American wheat, 11 shillings to 12 shillings per 70 pounds; for American flour, sweet, 39 to 42, and sour 35s 6d to 36s 6d per bbl

Indian corn, white, 69s. to 70s., and yellow 72s. to 73s. per 480 lbs. Egyptian beans, 45s. to 50s. per quarter. Irish oats, 5s. 4d. to 5s. 8d. per 45 lbs.

As to stocks, we make no comment; no duties now payable, so that they are not so well ascertained: but so far as regards demand, the last market closed steady, although with ess urgency than might have been expected.

Various rumors and opinions are afloat, as to the probable supply of breadstuffs which we can procure, during the present season of famine and distress.

From the most recent intelligence received from America, we believe that there is good cause to expect that, with the opening of the canals and rivers in that country, in the course of the spring, we shall have numerous shipments of all sorts of provisions, and that, consequently, large supplies of all sorts will reach these kingdoms.

During the last eight or ten days the receipts of corn, &c., have been light, and this, added to the continuance of considerable exports to Ireland, has caused the market within the last two days to have a very firm aspect, and prices, which gave way in the early part of last week, have since regained, as regards wheat and flour, all then lost.

Indian corn still continues in great requisition, and commands the high prices of 69s. to 72s. per quarter. White, and other kinds of corn, are cheaper.

It is much to be deplored that the poor man's food rules relatively much higher than that of the more wealthy.

The stock of American flour in this port at the end of February was computed at something under 400,000 bbls., and 69,000 quarters of wheat.

An express, in anticipation of the overland mail, arrived in London on the 24th ult. The treaty with the Sikhs, given in our last, was duly ratified between Dhullup Singh and the Governor General on Christmas day, and the two august personages just named were to meet at Lahore on New Year's day.

Four Sihks corps are being raised. From the other troops a frontier brigade, at Peschawour, under command of Capt. Lawrence, of the 11th cavalry.

Orders have been received for the reduction of the Scinde field force, about 7000 men, these to consist of two European and five native infantry regiments, one of cavalry and five batteries of artillery. Since Napier has been raised to the rank of Lieutenant General and attached to the staff of India, no commander-in-chief having been appointed for Bombay, Sir L. McMahon, who has taken his passage out by the steamer which leaves a fortnight hence, has been prevailed on to remain for the present in command.

The Nawawa Amor Mahomet Sahan, the instigator of the late disturbance in the province of Bhotal, together with two sons engaged with him in insurrectionary movements, has been ordered to be imprisoned in the stronghold fortress of Assorghier.

The affairs of the Mizams dominions are again relapsing into their former deplorable condition, and will continue to do so unless our residents are authorised to interfere more than heretofore. Fresh disturbances have broken out amongst the Khondo of Goomsoer, consequent on the measures pursued by our agent for the suppression of barbarous sacrifices of human beings, periodically performed by them.

The town of Madras has lately been visited by cholera, which, at the latest dates had declined. The country, with this exception is healthy throughout, and the weather cool and agreeable.

The commander-in-chief of India was present at the ceremony of the ratification of the New Lahore treaty, at Bhairoowall, on the 25th of December. It has not appeared whether his lordship accompanies the Governor general to Lahore or returns to the Provinces

Passengers by the Hibernia.

FROM LIVERPOOL TO BOSTON.—Captain Leary, Captain Pollock, Mr. Grousset, Van Verst, D. W. Deiseldorfe, Beattie, James Haywood, H. Pargood, Harrison, Miss Graham, Mr. Stuart, lady, nurse and three children, Wallace P. L. Thompson, A. N. H. Miller, Andrew McFarlane, H. Dalkin, Joseph Park, Alex. McCorgroval. M. Laggen, Capt. Wood, Dean, Parker, Somerville, J. D Simms, Mr. Beacon and servant. G. Laurges, B Coates Harmon, Master Simms, Lieut. Gore, C. D. March, J. H. Bunklee, Wells, Jno. Robinson, Jno Lockhart, J McEwen, E. J. Smith, McSeht Berlin, J. Fuller, J. N. Pover, L. Marsh, Lischke, R. C. Deanbean, Lafere, Wood, De Resselt, W. D. Graves, McIntyre, McLary, Henry Brend, Litchey, Tour, Roach, H N. Jones, Stewart, James Cruikshank, E. Wyman, J. R Powell, Davidson, Fillerton, McDaniel, J. Bigger, J. Phillips.

FOR HALIFAX—Mr. Vasset, Capt. Rickford, Capt. Graham, J. Marsh, J. R. Cunningham, Mr. Speere, Capt. Brown, Capt. Salters. 17 from Halifax to Boston.

INTELLIGENCE FROM MEXICO.—We have received by the Norma, from Havana, the *Faro Industrial* to the 7th inst., inclusive.

There had been an arrival at Havana from Vera Cruz, but the intelligence is only to the 12th ult., although the Orbe, the name of the vessel at Havana, left there on the 24th. On this account our information as to what is going on is rather scanty, and not so late as that received at New Orleans by the cutter Forward.

We find that some disturbances had taken place at Puebla, consequent on the publication of the decree respecting the taking possession of mortgaged property. Quiet, however, was soon restored, three lives only being lost.

General Santa Anna had addressed a communication to the government declaring the charge of cowardice and bad behaviour at Palo Alto and Monterey, brought against J. M. Bena, Captain of a squadron, and his aid, Mariano Huerta, to be unfounded. Another communication from Santa Anna to the government, states that the excesses committed by General Mora, were done without his (Santa Anna's) knowledge.

According to the *Faro* it seems that in Vera Cruz the inhabitants were momentarily expecting an attack on the Castle of S. Juan de Ulúa.

The Vera Cruz *Indicador*, of the 11th ult., has the following:—

URES, Jan 8, 1847.

"We are informed that Colonel Gonzaler left here some ten days since, on his route to the department of Santa Cruz, in order to join the troops at Luczon, and march on in advance of the party of Americans, who, in their route to California, made hostile demonstration on Santa Cruz. We are afraid that even were he to march double marches they will not succeed in reaching the Rio Colorado before the enemy have joined their other parties—but still the government will fully appreciate the attempt made, as it is under circumstances of so much distress and privation.

JALAPA, February 6, 1847.

It was reported here yesterday, that there had been enlisted in Mexico and Puebla some four thousand men, who would remain in Jalapa, under the command of Gen. Vega, in order to be in readiness to defend whatever point the enemy might attack. Their plan, according to the new arrangements, is to attack Vera Cruz with ten thousand men, and San Juan with sixteen ships mounting three hundred guns. This plan of operations, however, was laid in Washington, before they were aware of Santa Anna's march, on the 26th and 27th January, with thirty thousand men, from San Luis to Saltillo Taylor having been obliged to countermarch towards Monterey, with twelve hundred men, will probably have altered their plans.

The Mexicans have, probably, by this time, ascertained their mistake on this point. According to previous arrangements, the attack on Vera Cruz was to have been made yesterday.

IMPORTANT FROM ST. DOMINGO—REPORTED DEATH OF PRESIDENT RICHE.—Captain Ryder, of the schooner Union, who arrived last night from Jacmel, states that President Riché died at Port au Prince on the morning of the 27th of February. It was the opinion of many that he was poisoned, which, however, was not generally credited, while others attribute it to fatigues during a journey to the capes. Provisions exceedingly scarce, and commanding high prices

LAUNCH OF THE HAVRE PACKET SHIP NEW YORK.—The high freights have given an impetus to ship building in the city of New York which is almost incredible; it is but three or four months since the Admiral was launched, and still later the Sir Robert Peel, and here we have another from the yard of the same builder, and we would not be surprised if she proved the fastest sailer, for a packet ship, that our friend Webb has turned out, not excepting the Yorkshire even. The New York is about the same dimensions as the Yorkshire, but we think she is a little sharper. Our friend Bailey will have to keep a bright look out that she does not win the honors he has so long enjoyed. She is to be launched on Tuesday about two o'clock P. M., from the foot of Sixth street, East River, and will take her place in the line on the 24th April, under the command of Captain D. Lines, late of the Iowa. Her cabin will accommodate about thirty-five passengers, with plenty of sea room, her state rooms being very large, and will be finished and furnished in a superior style, unsurpassed by any ship afloat. The cabin joiner work by Robert Layton; the exterior carved work by Mr. John L Cromwell; the architect and builder, Wm. H. Webb; and the owners Messrs. Fox & Livingston—what more need be said? We may add, the New York is the largest vessel in the Havre line.

NEWS FROM CENTRAL AMERICA.—We have received by the Marian Gage, Capt. Reed, from Belize, Hon., the *Belize Observer* of the 20th ult

The condition of affairs in Central America was rather unsettled, but still no military or popular outbreaks had occurred.

[From the Belize (Hon.) Observer, Feb. 20.]

With these facts before them, [the state of the American and English markets,] the mahogany cutters of this settlement must see the necessity of curtailing as much as possible the present season's manufacture, otherwise the depression must inevitably continue, to their great injury. So far as we have been able to collect information on the subject, the cuttings of this season will not be more than one-half of last year's—say 7½ to 8 millions of feet. This will undoubtedly afford an opportunity of working off the old surplus stock now on hand, and aid materially in enhancing the value of the new wood, besides bringing back the market to a healthy and active condition.

The number of gangs employed this year is far less than during the past; and though we are of opinion that the present rate of wages ($12 to $16 per month) is high, still a great reduction has taken place.

The following we believe to be an accurate list of the number of gangs employed at present in the different rivers:—

Rivers.	*No. of Gangs.*
Rio Hondo and tributaries	14
Rew River "	15
Northern River "	2
Belize River "	16
Sibun River	3
Deep River	2
Golden Stream	2
Middle River	1
Rio Grande	2
Temash	1
Sarstoon	3
Southern rivers out of limits	13
Total number of gangs	74

☞ We continue the Correspondence between the State Department and Gen. Taylor, to-day, and give as much of it, as the crowded state of our columns will admit.

Theatricals.

PARK THEATRE.—We were pleased to see a very large attendance at the Park theatre, last evening. The large number of persons present gave assurance that there was a very handsome amount in the treasury of that establishment for the benefit of the Viennoise dancers.—We understand that they will leave here immediately for Philadelphia, where, we have no doubt, a warm reception awaits them. To-morrow evening Mr. Forrest, the great tragedian, will appear in his celebrated character of "Richelieu." A hearty welcome will be extended to this great actor, and crowded houses will, without doubt, greet him every night of his engagement.

BOWERY THEATRE.—"Beauty and the Beast" was produced here last evening, before a crowded house, and the entire cast performed with their usual ability. Hadaway, Vache, Stevens, Mrs. Booth and Mrs. Sergeant in particular. The grand drama of "Jack Sheppard" succeeded, in which Mrs. Booth performed the principal character with much cleverness. She was ably supported by Stevens as Blueskin, Vache as Owen Wood, Clarke as Thomas Darvell, and by a very powerful cast. The entertainments of the evening passed off in a highly creditable manner.

BOWERY AMPHITHEATRE.—The performance here last evening was numerously attended. The new Dulcimer Band—the feats of Monsieur Casimer, the great French Drummer, and the changes by Mr. Sergeant in his equestrian performance, were received with loud applause. The feats of the company fully sustain the high reputation of this popular place of evening amusement. Horsemanship by Master Nixon, Messrs. Sergeant, Madigan and Bacon; also, vaulting, tumbling, rope performances, posturing, juggling, &c., gave much satisfaction to a crowded house.

GREENWICH THEATRE.—Chapman's benefit came off last evening at the Greenwich theatre, and La Signora Mantin, danced a grand Pas Seul, amid the most enthusiastic applause. The dancing of M'lle. Oceane and Monsieur Bennie, was also much applauded. The most amusing part of the performance was a trial dance by the excellent Ethiopian performers, Mr. A. Romain, and Masters J Gallagher and James Tease, which passed off with *éclat*. In "Railway Bubbles," Mr. Chapman as O'Gorman Hudson, and Mr. Tilton as Bragg, were excellent. The performance passed off in a highly creditable manner.

The New Orleans public are still entertained by Mr. Collins at the St. Charles Theatre. Mr. Placide, at the American, and at the Orleans, by Mdms. Fleury, Joly and Casini; besides the Bedouin Arabs and other amusing things to be seen at the Amphitheatre and Menagerie.

Musical.

THE ITALIAN OPERA.—The "Barber of Seville" was performed again last evening at Palmo's. The house was by no means full, but considering that it was Saturday night, when, of course, the very *élite* would not come out, and that it was an extra performance when the subscribers did not occupy their seats, the attendance was by no means discouraging. Those who attended both this and the former performance, pronounce the last a decided improvement upon the former. "Rosina" is a hard *rôle* for Signora Pico, but she deserves all praise for the manner in which she acquits herself in the performance. Sanquirico and Beneventano both improved upon their respective parts. The "Barber" will be performed for the last time on Monday night. "I'Lombardi" and "Linda di Chamoureux" will both be given next week.

CHRISTY'S MINSTRELS.—This immensely popular company have been giving their inimitable performances to overflowing houses at the Society Library, the past two weeks; and for the better accommodation of their large audiences, they have removed to the Mechanics' Hall, 472 Broadway, between Grand and Broome streets, a new and elegant hall, well adapted for vocal entertainments, where they will continue their pleasing and fashionable *soirées* every night next week.

THE ALLEGHANIANS give a grand concert at the Tabernacle on Tuesday evening next.

City Intelligence.

THE WEATHER.—The atmosphere, yesterday, was dull and heavy, and we had frequent threatenings during the day, of both rain and snow. No rain or snow, however, fell during the day.

FIRES.—A fire broke out about two o'clock yesterday morning, at the corner of Cedar street and Broadway, over the stores of Messrs. Clapp and Kent, 85 Cedar street. The upper part of the premises was occupied by lodgers, who were compelled to escape, and their losses will prove highly injurious to them. Many of them have lost considerable.

Another fire broke out about five o'clock yesterday morning, in the millinery store occupied by Mrs. Gardner, 44 Eighth avenue. The stock was almost entirely consumed, and was valued at $1,000. It was partly insured. The fire originated accidentally, from a stove in the room.

BISHOP HUGHES' LECTURE—Bishop Hughes' lecture last evening at the Tabernacle, for the benefit of the Irish was listened to by a very large and respectable audience. We had intended to give a sketch of it, but inasmuch as it will be repeated early in the week in Brooklyn, we abstain from saying anything more of it, than that it was as beautiful a composition as we ever heard.

PARKER'S GRAND EXHIBITION BALL, at Tammany Hall, comes off on Monday evening, when about fifty misses and masters will appear in various fancy dances. It will be a neat affair

SUDDEN DEATH.—The Coroner was called yesterday to hold an inquest at 34 Essex street, on the body of Richard Finning, assistant captain, of the 10th ward police, who, while engaged in making a fire yesterday morning, fell down in a fit, and almost instantly expired Verdict, death by apoplexy.

Crackers and Cheese.

There is so much snow at the north, that freshets are feared along the Mohawk and the sources of the Hudson. When the winter finally breaks up, take care of the lumber along the docks, up-river friends.

The Boston committee for the relief of Ireland have purchased 4000 bbls. corn meal; 1500 do bread, and 300 do beans; to be shipped on board the Jamestown.

The Jersey ship is now loading at Messrs. Aaron Ward & Co's dock, Newark, and on Friday had nearly 600 barrels on board. Her capacity is 2000 barrels;

At New London the vote on the new city charter stood 1150 for, and 814 against it. Majority in favor of its acceptance, 336.

A negro girl, 12 years of age, belonging to Mr. Thornbull, Parish of Plaquemines, La., recently took advantage of the moment when her mistress was alone in bed, from the effects of her confinement, and struck her on the head with an axe, inflicting a deep yet not fatal wound. The little fury was put in jail to await her trial.

Police Intelligence.

Arrest of a Dishonest Clerk.—Officer Cregier of the First ward, applied to the chief of police, early yesterday morning, together with a cab driver, who stated their suspicions of a young man whom the cabman had just placed on board a ship that was about to sail for Matanzas. Upon hearing the story the chief directed the officer to go forthwith and arrest the young man on suspicion, which was done, and the prisoner brought at once before the chief, and after a severe examination became alarmed and acknowledged his guilt, stating that his name was Wm. P. Robinson, and a clerk in the employ of Robert J Vandewater, forwarding merchant, No. 100 Broad street It further appears, from his statements, that he having a check in his possession belonging to his employer, for $8,200, drew the money from the bank, exchanged the major part of it for doubloons at the office of Mr. Beebee, broker, No. 42 Wall street, then rigged himself out with a handsome double-barrel fowling pice, a revolving pistol, and a setter dog, and various other articles. These articles, together with a large trunk, were found on board the bark Hecla, lying at pier No 10 East River, bound for Matanzas, West Indies, all of which were conveyed up to the office of the Chief of Police, where, on searching the trunk, the whole of the money was recovered, deducting the amount paid for the various articles purchased—amounting to near $380, all of which are at the chief's office. Mr. Vandewater, we understand, is absent from the city, and seizing this opportunity, this foolish young man allowed dishonesty to overcome his better judgment, blighting his reputation for ever. He don't appear to be more that 18 years of age. The Chief committed the accused for a further examination.

Highway Robbery—Assistant Captain of the 11th ward and Officer Ogden, arrested, last night, a man calling himself Bernard McGinnis, on a charge of knocking down a man by the name of James Little, with intent to rob him. Locked up for examination.

On the Sneak Again—Some sneaking thief entered the dwelling house occupied by James Bates, situated in the 2d avenue near 27th street, and broke open a trunk in one of the upper rooms, stealing therefrom $20 in money and various articles of jewelry, making good his escape.

Caught at Last—Officers Cummings and Rue arrested yesterday a man by the name of Richard Sherwood, a jeweller by trade, on a warrant issued by Justice Drinker, wherein he stands charged with buying various articles of jewelry, such as watches, gold chains, diamond pins, &c., valued in all near $300, the property of Alfred Brown, residing at No. 53 Courtland street. It appears that Mr. Brown was robbed on the 11th of July, 1846, two years ago, of a small box containing the above jewelry, from No. 53 Courtland street, by two young men by the names of Joshua B. Vincent and James Hoyt, who sold the same to the accused for $96, who, it is alleged, knew full well that the property was stolen. A warrant was issued for him at the time, but having absented himself from the city to avoid the eye of the police until within the last few days, when he again made his appearance in the city, he was at once arrested on the charge. Justice Drinker held him to bail in the sum of $500 for his appearance at court for trial.

Charge of Robbing a Room Mate—Constable Buckley, of the 5th Ward, arrested on Friday night a young man by the name of William H. Clark, on a charge of breaking open the trunk of Robert G. Brown, residing at No. 1 Green street, on the corner of Canal street, and stealing therefrom $250, principally in half dollars. It appears that the accused was a boarder at the above premises and roomed with the complainant, and was known to be very short of money, and upon his arrest the officer found upon his person over $50 in bank bills, which is supposed to be a portion of the stolen money exchanged. The Chief of Police committed him for examination

An Affectionate Son.—One of the policemen of the 6th ward, arrested on Friday night, a man of rather genteel appearance, by the name of H. H. Nooyes, who resides with his mother, at No. 324 Broadway, on a charge of seizing his mother by the throat, at the same time drawing a knife, threatening to take her life. He was taken to the station house and locked up for the night.

Law Intelligence.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, IN ADMIRALTY, March 20—Before Judge Betts—DECISIONS—*John W. Shook vs. The Simon Bolivar*—This was a motion on the part of the libellant for a rehearing on the ground of new and material evidence. It was ordered by the Court that the decree of the 2d of March in the present term, be vacated, and set aside, and that a new hearing be granted to the libellant, paying the costs to accrue at such hearing, and the costs of the motion.

Daniel Smith vs. John G. Williams, et al.—This was a libel filed in *personem*, for the breach of a contract for affreightment.

It is considered by the Court that the allegations in the libel, if supported by the proofs that the charter party was entered into by the libellant upon representations of the respondents, not true in fact, and which misled and deceived the libellant to his great injury, would not authorize and support an action in this Court therefor; and it appearing to the Court upon the pleadings and proofs in this case, that the contract of affreightment or charter party in the pleadings mentioned, was not executed or entered into by the respondents in their own behalf, nor did they enter into any guarantee to render it personally obligatory on them, but was executed and entered into by them as agents of ——, thereto duly authorized by him, and was received and accepted by the libellant as such, with full knowledge of their authority in that behalf. It is considered by the Court that no right of action has accrued to the libellant in this Court against the respondents personally, by reason of the premises. It is therefore ordered by this Court that the libel be dismissed, with costs to be taxed.

COMMON PLEAS—DECISIONS IN BANCO, March 20.—*Henry Wykoff ads. Alexander Jones.*—Motion for new trial denied, and verdict confirmed with costs.

Andrew Jackson ads. James C. Sawyer.—Verdict confirmed with costs.

William J. Baxter vs. Samuel C. Bishop et al.—Judgment for defendants on demurrer; plaintiff may amend on payment of costs.

Lorenzo D. Browne and James Silloch vs. Albert D. Bishop.—Report of referees confirmed with costs.

CIRCUIT COURT—IN CHAMBERS, March 20.—*Burton vs. Povey.*—This case is adjourned for 20 days.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—March 20—Before Recorder Scott and Aldermen Hart and Walsh; John McKeon, Esq., District Attorney—*Trial of Henry Hagan*—At the opening of the Court this morning, the trial of Henry Hagan on a charge of having burglariously entered the store of Mr. G. C. Scott, No. 146 Broadway, and stolen therefrom clothes, vestings, and ready made clothing, to the amount of about $200 was resumed. Several witnesses were called by the defence, to show the previous good character which the prisoner had always sustained. The jury, after a very brief consultation, rendered a verdict of guilty, and the Court sentenced the prisoner to two years imprisonment in the States prison.

Sentence of George Beach.—In the case of Geo. Beach, who was convicted some days ago of keeping a disorderly house in Water street, the court sentenced him to pay a fine of $150, and give security in the sum of $1,000 to keep the peace for a year to come.

The Court then adjourned for the term.

Movements of Travellers.

These were the arrivals yesterday at the following hotels, independent of the Southern trains, which had not reached here at a late hour.

AMERICAN—S Porter Howell, Canandaigua; H. Porter, Tewands; E. Nicell, S. C.; D. Keith, N. Y; W. Alden, Hartford.

ASTOR—W. C. Little, Albany; H. Baldwin, Syracuse; S. Steele, Albany; A. Goodman, Hartford; F. Sexton, Boston; W. Danshin, Baltimore; S. Bates, Boston; J. Whitmore, do; C. Take, New Bedford; C. Tyng, Havana; A. Sloo, Conn; H. Walker, Memphis; W. Coffin, Boston; C. Babcock, Troy; J. Eastburn, Boston; A. Sumner, do; F. Waterman, do; J. Dennie, do; G. Nelson, do; W. Thornton, New Bedford; L. Hollingsworth, Boston; E. Welch, do; S. Warren, do; J. Boyd do.

CITY—Francis Gassett, Boston; John Wood, Portland; J. Hurst, Providence; D. Launiot, Philadelphia; J Creighton, Ohio; J. Fairbanks, Boston; D Clapp, Peekskill; N. Williamson, Delaware; Amos Day, Boston; S. De Courcy, Philadelphia; J. Cottnam, Maryland; J Levy, Virginia; J. Isbull, Albany; E. Colt, New Jersey; J. Verder, Canandaigua.

FRANKLIN—P Allen, Nassau; J. W. Mills, Boston; J. B. Cox, Alabama; N. Lameron, Boston; George Hays, Philadelphia; S. Edgerton, Charleston; E. Edgerton, do; W. Odell, Balston Spa; J. Williams, Washington; H Lowdon, Norfolk; S. Hages, Albany; W. Zabriskie, New Brunswick; G. Clinton, Buffalo.

HOWARD—T. Brunt, L. I; M. Squires, New Haven; A. Brown, Savannah; D. Cowee, Troy; J. McFale, E. Secomb, Capt Taylor, D. Harden, Boston; J. Eldree, Michigan; W. Smith, H Darby, Conn; D King, New York; W. B. Cummings, London; J. Baker, Providence; J. Manning, M. Taylor, Boston; Capt Hawes, steamer Governor; J. Hobbs, Portland; J. Howard, L. Waterhouse, St. John's, N. B; Ed. Carter, Montreal; B. Carter, Newbridge, Del; R. Thaxter, Portland; S. Stedman, Lounds; M. H. Mott, Willmott; E Marsh, N. J.

JUDSON—H. Eldridge, Va.; E. Porter, Ithaca; S. Baldwin, Elmira; J Pezenchoe, Springfield; G. Cooks, Ala; J. Geodrich, Chicago; E. Harmon, New York; J. Livingston, Philadelphia.

RATHBUN—W. A. Jones, Tredsville; H. Helton, New York; D. Caroll, Troy; G. Holbrook, Miss; R. Earle, Vermont; W. Bushnell, E. Van Valkenburg, J. Cooke, J. G. Wilson, Poughkeepsie.

Religious Intelligence.

CALENDAR FOR MARCH.—21st, Passion Sunday; 22d, St. Benedict Abbott; 23d, Feria; 24th, Feria; 25th, Annunciation of the B. V. M.; 26th, Seven Dolours of the B. V. M.; 27th, Feria.

The Very Rev Dr. Ryder will lecture in St. Peter's church, Barclay st, this evening, at half past 7 o'clock.

Rev. T. L. Harris will supply the desk of the Broadway Universalist congregation, worshipping in the hall of Stuyvesant Institute, Broadway, opposite Bond street, this afternoon.

The Rev. J. T. H. Le Mesurier, M. A., late archdeacon of Malta, has been presented, by the dean and chapter of St. Paul's, who are the patrons, to the perpetual curacy of St Helen's, Bishopsgate.

There are now thirty clergymen of the church of England descendants from the Hebrew race, besides several hundreds of lay members.

The Belgian journals state that a curate of one of the poorest parishes in Bruges, after having exhausted all his resources, and the gifts that had been made him, to assist the unfortunate, has sold all his plate and all the furniture he could possibly spare, and distributed its proceeds among the sufferers.

The Rev. D. V. M. Johnson, at present rector of St. John's church, Islip, Long Island, has received and accepted an appointment as missionary in charge of the floating church of the Holy Comforter, moored at the foot of Dey street, in this city, and will shortly enter upon his duties.

The New Haven *Register* says, that at a late meeting of Trinity parish, in that city, it was voted, unanimously, to invite the Rev. Thomas L. Pitkin, of Rochester, to become junior rector of the parish, to succeed the present rector at his demise or resignation

The Right Rev. William H. de Lancey, D.D, Bishop of Western New York, will administer the rite of confirmation in the Church of the Epiphany, Stanton street, on Sunday afternoon, March 28. Service to commence at 3 o'clock.

On Sunday last, at 3½ o'clock P.M., the Right Rev. Bishop Hughes, accompanied by his Secretary, the Rev. J. R. Bailey, and by two Rev. Father Jesuits from St. John's College, proceeded to 30th street, pursuant to notice, for the purpose of laying the corner stone of the new edifice. The ceremony took place in accordance with the directions of the Pontifical, the Rev Clergy chanting the appropriate parts of the service. The Right Rev. Bishop, at the proper time, took occasion to make a most earnest and powerful address fitting the circumstances of the case. He reminded the congregation of the glorious spiritual temple of which the material was but a faint shadow, and that the strength and usefulness of each particular church, as of a single stone, was to be found only in its close and faithful continuance in the place of the vast edifice in which it was set. The congregation, which is German, sang several times in their own language, and the Very Rev. Mr Raffeiner addressed them also in German.

The Committee of the American Tract Society, on Monday the 16th, designated for tract operations on the continent of Europe and at the principal foreign mission stations, $10,000, for the current year ending April 1.

The Salem (Mass.) *Observer*, says:—"We were informed by the venerable Dr. Price, at the late ordination, that it was the 133d time he had attended the induction of ministers into the sacred office. Of the whole number of graduates of Harvard University, now living, Dr. Price was at their graduation."

A correspondent mentions an interesting revival of religion in progress in the Presbyterian church in Whitesborough, which is extending also in other churches in the village. The Whitestown Seminary has also enjoyed a similar blessing.

A private letter mentions a revival in the Presbyterian church in that place, in which it is believed that more than fifty persons have been hopefully converted, of whom more than half are heads of families.

The new, pleasant, and elegant house of worship erected by the Lisbon Congregational Society, Sangerfield, Oneida co., N. Y., was dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, on Tuesday, Feb. 16. Introductory prayer, reading of Scriptures, &c., by Rev. A. D. Gridley, of Waterville; sermon by Rev. E. S. Barrows, of Utica; and dedicatory prayer by Rev. Mr. Platt, of Madison.

Mr. Elijah H. Bonney, late of Union Theological Seminary, New York, was ordained and installed as pastor of the Congregational church in Pawlet, Vt., on Thursday, Feb. 25.

On Tuesday last a Mr. Nickerson of West Tisbury, Mass., set fire to some blackberry briers in his orchard. The fire soon became uncontrolable and spread rapidly, and finally before it was extinguished burned over a strip of woodland 7 miles long, and 1½ broad, destroying $2800 worth of wood.

Avis Aux Familles.—Le Musee mecanique du Bazar Lafayette sera ouvert, sans aucune rétribution lundi 22 courant jusqu'au vendredi pour la vente publique.

Les familles qui n'ont pas encore pu voir les merveilles de ce Musée feront bien de se presser avant la vente. Ouvert de 11 heures le matin à 10 heures le soir.

Navigation of the Ohio River.

Places.	*Time.*	*State of River*
Wheeling	Mar 15	15 feet.
Pittsburg	Mar 16	8½ feet.
Cincinnati	Mar 14	15½ feet.
Louisville	Mar 11	14 feet

MONEY MARKET.
Saturday, March 20—6 P. M.

The stock market continues very quiet, and quotations without any material alteration. The impression among the bulls in the street, is, that the arrival of the steamer will have a very favorable effect upon the stock market, and that the large amount of specie she will bring will make money more abundant.

At the second board prices fell off a fraction, with small sales.

The arrival of the steamship Hibernia gives us twenty-eight days later news from all parts of Europe. In a commercial point of view, the news is highly interesting, important, and exceedingly favorable. The London money market was very much depressed, Consols having reached a lower point than has been known for a long time. The advance in breadstuffs has been very great. Cotton was rather quiet and prices steady.

We annex the current quotations in this market for foreign and domestic exchange, for uncurrent money, and for specie:—

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

London	103¾a104	Hamburgh	34¾ a35
Paris	5f 45 a5 43¾	Bremen	77¾a77½
Amsterdam	38¾a39		

DOMESTIC EXCHANGES.

Boston	par. a ¼	dis.	Mobile	¾a 1	dis
Philadelphia	par. a ⅛	par	New Orleans	par a ½	prem.
Baltimore	par a ⅛	do	Nashville	1½a 2	dis
Richmond	1 a 1½	dis	St. Louis	1 a 1½	do
Wilm'ton, NC	2 a 2½	do	Louisville	1 a 1½	do
Charleston	½ a ¾	do	Cincinnati	1 a 1½	do
Savannah	¾ a 1	do	Pittsburg	1¼a 1½	do
Augusta	¾ a 1	do	Detroit	1½a 2	do
Columbus	¾ a 1	do	Buffalo	1 a 1½	do
Apalachicola	1½a 2	do	Albany	¼a —	

UNCURRENT MONEY

Bought at.	*Sold at.*		*Bought at.*	*Sold at.*	
New England	¼ dis.	par.	Mobile, sp pg	1¼ dis.	¾ de
Alb., Troy, &c.	½ do	¼ do	New Orleans	1¼ do	⅝ do
N. Y. country	⅝ do	2 3 do	Ohio	2 do	1½ do
New Jersey	⅝ do	¼ do	Indiana	2 do	1½ do
Philadelphia	⅛ do	par.	Kentucky	2 do	1½ do
Baltimore	⅝ do	¼ dis.	Tennessee	3 do	2½ do
Virginia	1¼ do	⅝ do	Missouri	2 do	1½ do
N. Carolina	2 do	1½ do	Michigan	3 do	2 do
S Carolina	1½ do	1 do	Canada	3¼ do	3 do
Georgia	¼ do	¾ do			

QUOTATIONS FOR SPECIE

	Per cent.			*Value.*
Amer. gold, old	106 a 106¼	Five francs	93	a 93¾
do do new	100 a 100¼	Doubloons	16 00	a 16 25
Half dollars	par a 100¼	Do patriot	15 65	a 15 75
Portuguese gold	100 a 100¼	Sovereigns	4 85	a 4 87
Spanish dollars	102 a 104	Do light